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CONTEST PROVES GRAND SUCCESS

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES RECEIVE PRIZES AND ALL ARE DELIGHTED.

BIG GAIN IS MADE IN CIRCULATION

Merchants Should Take Advantage of Increase in Number of Readers By Advertising in Paper.

The Enterprise Grand Voting Contest is over and the prizes have been awarded to the successful candidates.

In the first district, Oregon City, Miss Lena Story won the first prize, a \$100 Kimball piano.

The second prize, a diamond ring and a sewing machine went to Miss Eva Kent. Mrs. E. F. Zimmerman won the musical scholarship offered as third prize and Miss Myrtle Cross took the business scholarship offered as fourth.

The fifth prize, a fine watch went to Miss Tillie Myers.

In the second district Miss Helen Smith won the piano, and it is already in her home, having been the center of attraction at a party tendered Miss Smith last night by a number of her friends who gathered to congratulate her on her success.

The intense interest taken by the public in the result was highly gratifying to the contest management and to the publisher of the Enterprise and they take great pleasure in thanking the public for the splendid support rendered the candidates.

The circulation of the Morning Enterprise has been increased largely and its worth as an advertising medium is far greater than before. This is something every person who has anything whatever to sell should keep in mind when advertising, for circulation is what brings results.

Subscriptions Greatly Increased. The subscription list of the weekly edition of the Oregon City Enterprise has been greatly increased and a large percentage of the circulation of this paper is paid for in advance.

The young ladies who worked so hard during the past two months have received their rewards. Miss Smith and Miss Clossner especially having done some really remarkable work.

The record made by Miss Smith of nearly 700,000 votes shows that she worked every minute and the 521,821 votes cast by Miss Clossner are a record of wonderful perseverance and endurance.

The work done by Miss Clossner was in the sparsely settled districts in the eastern part of the city where she had to be out from early in the morning till late at night to reach the people upon whom she relied.

Public Interested in Race. The public has never before taken such an interest in a newspaper contest in Clackamas county. At all hours of the day and night the Enterprise office has been besieged with telephone queries about the standing of the various candidates and since the count Saturday evening the telephone has been kept busy by persons who wished to know whom the various prizes had been awarded.

The circulation of the Enterprise will keep on growing even though the contest is over, is an assured fact, for so many persons are reading it that their neighbors will be influenced to take the local daily just from hearing the news so much sooner than has been possible where the record of Clackamas county was made once a week only.

When the publisher of the Enterprise started the daily edition, January 8 last, hundreds of persons predicted its suspension. They said that the Enterprise would not last more than three or four months at the most. But the "knocker" who has been hitting his little hammer away now and then for the Enterprise himself, has been able to keep up with the program of events in his home county. The "knocker" always boasts more than he can deliver. And why should he not? The Enterprise received the support of the public? Established thirty-five years ago and never missing an issue since established, it should receive the support due a successful publication.

The Enterprise has Fine Record. The Enterprise was not the first newspaper published in Clackamas county, but it had a short-lived predecessor that was started as the official organ of the Territorial Government of Oregon, about five years before the first issue of the Enterprise. The Clackamas county has never before had a paper to support her own daily paper and been due largely to the difficulty

THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT McDUGALL



BOOK REVIEWS.
We rarely notice any new books but the great work by Professor Bugghaus of Gesundheit University, which is entitled "Der Evolutionischemedrausmityahwohl" is one that can't be passed up in silence. In this profound, most erudite treatise, from which we take the accompanying horrible illustration, Prof. Bugghaus proves that Mankind will gradually evolve into a being that looks like this! He shows that dodging automobiles and aeroplanes will prodigiously develop the eyes, ears, necks and legs of human beings until they are perfectly adapted to prevailing conditions and thus enable the race to survive until the earth's supply of gasoline is exhausted.



"KEEP YOUR EYE UNTIL YOU STOP ON THIS FUNNY FRESHNESS!"
"HUSH! DON'T SAY A WORD!"
"LOOK AT THE ORNITHOLOGICAL CASH REGISTER WORKING THE TREASURY!"



"I WON'T LET HIM HOLD BACK ONE DIME ON US!"
"DIG DEEP, GINK!"
"AUK! AUK!"
"IF YOU FELLERS WILL PLEASE OBTAIN NIGHT ONCE!"
"URK! URK! URK!"

GINK AND BOOB - A PELICAN IN THE HAND IS WORTH TWO IN THE CASHBOX ALL RIGHT

MAN STABBED, WHO URGED FIST BATTLE

Frederick Hoffman, a carpenter, was seriously cut and stabbed in a Main street saloon at noon Monday. Thomas Harding, a wood cutter of Mount Pleasant, was arrested charged with the crime. According to the police Harding was under the influence of liquor and was looking for a fight. He is said to have dared Hoffman to fight, and finally the latter suggested that they go to a pasture or the street and have it out. A. L. Hughes, who was standing at the bar started to jump between the men, but before he reached them Harding slashed Hoffman on the right side of the face. The cut extended from his eye to his chin. He then, according to witnesses, thrust the knife into the left side of Hoffman's face under the eye. Harding then ran out of the saloon and started toward the hill. Sheriff Mass and Chief of Police Shaw were notified, and the former captured the fugitive. He was turned over to the chief of police and locked up in the city jail on a charge of malicious cutting. Dr. Strickland attended Hoffman.

MEANDERING FARMER LANDS IN CITY BASTILE

Frank Rain, a farmer, came to town Monday to celebrate. He did. The first thing he did was to become intoxicated. Then he stalked forth upon the main thoroughfare of the city. His meanderings were as many and picturesque as those of the Clackamas river. His interference with pedestrians, streetcars and automobiles was enough to make a star football player turn green with envy. Finally Chief of Police Shaw decided to take Mr. Rain in out of the rain. Upon being deprived of his liberty the visitor from the country raved and tore his hair and proceeded to break the furniture in the jail. He pulled down a stove pipe, the soot covering him from head to foot, making him look like a chimney sweep when business is good. The man was then locked in a dark cell, and soon went to sleep.

MIRROR IS URGED AS LIFE-SAVING DEVICE

The City Council will be urged at the meeting Wednesday night to erect a big mirror in the tunnel under the Southern Pacific Railway tracks at the junction of Third street and the South End road. The junction of the roads forms a right-angle and a serious automobile accident occurred there about a year ago. Other accidents of a similar nature have been narrowly averted. T. L. Charman and M. J. Lazelle have experimented with a mirror at the point where the roads join, and declare a large one could be so arranged that persons in charge of vehicles going in either direction would be able to see if the road was clear. They will ask the City Council to erect the mirror.

JACOB MALSCHICK.

Philadelphia Boy Who Was Made President of Insurance Concern.



MANY PLAN TO ATTEND CANBY ROAD MEETING

It is expected that at least thirty business and professional men of this city will attend the meeting of the East Side Capital Highway Association Wednesday evening at Canby. Plans for raising the money to build the highway through this county will be discussed and other important business will be transacted. It is expected that the county will contribute liberally to the enterprise. The Oregon City delegation will start from the Commercial Club at 8:30 o'clock in automobiles to attend the Canby meeting. Machines have been donated for use by C. G. Miller, Elliott & Park, W. F. Schooley, R. W. Baker, William Sheahan, E. J. Dalton, W. A. Huntley and Chambers Howell. All persons interested in the building of the highway whether members of the association or not, are urged to attend the meeting.

GIRL DROWNING, BEGS NAME BE KEPT SECRET

"For God's sake, I hope this never gets into the paper," gasped a half-drowned young woman Sunday morning after recovering consciousness, following a ride of 300 yards in the Williams below the treacherous Clackamas rapids.

The woman, with two others and two men, came up from Portland in the launch Olympic. They were boisterous and passing fishermen anticipated disaster. The boat left the channel below the rapids and grounded, and after returning to deep water a pilot was obtained from a fish boat. One woman, who was called "Frankie," and one of the men, got into the boat which was towed up stream behind the launch. They were riding over the crest of the rapids, when the woman, who weighs probably 175 pounds, fell out of the boat and was carried bobbing along down stream. The boat was cut loose and the launch started after the drowning woman. She did not recover consciousness until thirty minutes after she was pulled into the craft, seemingly more dead than alive. She was hurriedly wrapped in bath robes and the launch departed for Portland. The members of the party declined to divulge their names to the fishermen who assisted in the rescue.

Woodmen don't forget meeting to night. Come, bring your male friends.

SCHRAM BECOMES SOLE OWNER OF GRAND

Charles Schram, who for several years has been one of the owners of the Grand theatre, has become sole proprietor of that popular playhouse. Mr. Schram has purchased the interest of George Simmons, who will engage in other work. It is the intention of the new owner to enlarge the seating capacity of the theatre in the near future, and make the interior as attractive as possible.

The Grand will be conducted on the same high class plane as heretofore and Mr. Schram will make every effort to please the theatre's large and increasing clientele. The new owner was born and reared in Oregon City, and is one of the most popular young men identified with the business interests of the town.

HOP-PICKERS CROWD STREETS LABOR DAY

Labor Day was observed in Oregon City at the Courthouse and the banks. All mills, shops and other industries, other than barber shops were operated as usual, in face of the fact that the day was a legal holiday.

There was an unusual large number of people on the streets, but most of them were making preparations to go hop-picking.

More than 200 left Monday morning on the 9:17 o'clock train for Salem, and other hop-growing districts, where they will work for the next two weeks. The rain seems to have no effect on the number leaving. It was announced that the rain as yet had not injured the hops.

HINSON SUGGESTS RECALL OF RUSHLIGHT

PORTLAND, Sept. 4.—(Special.)—If Mayor Rushlight cannot cope with the immoral conditions in Portland alone, all he has to do is say so and he will find right-thinking men flocking to his assistance, but if the Mayor does not want help and cannot purge the city himself, it is time to apply the recall. Such, in substance, was the sermon of Rev. W. B. Hinson, from his pulpit at the White Temple.

Personally, the preacher pledged himself to aid the Mayor in every way possible, if the Chief Executive wishes to enforce the law, and if the fault rests with the police department, through insubordination, the clergyman declared the men should be dismissed, just as is done with members of other departments where orders are not obeyed.

Provided the Mayor does not see fit to work a reformation, then suggested the minister, it is time to place in office a man who will. Dr. Hinson said:

"If this city, so full of promise, to be taken by the throat by the worst kind of tricky politicians, and debased saloon-keepers, and friends of infamy? The Mayor has said his policy is a policy of silence, which I regret. I didn't vote for Mayor Rushlight, but in all things where I can cooperate with him I will serve to the utmost of my ability. But I wish he would break the silence.

"If he is fettered, handicapped so he cannot do the thing that he would, let him say so. If he wants co-operation to carry out purposes of reform, let him call for it, and it will be forthcoming. If he wants—and I have no reason to assert that he does not—if he wants to enforce the law, there are hundreds of strong and good men in this city who will help him do it. But if he does not want to enforce law it might be in order to discuss the recall."

WANTED TO USE TAFT'S COW PAULINE IN PLAY. BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 4.—President Taft received today a telegram from the manager of a company which opens a rural play in Minnesota next month, offering to pay liberally for the use of Pauline Wayne, the White House cow. The President refused with thanks.

Read the Morning Enterprise.

ABERNETHY BRIDGE COUNTY TO HAVE READY FOR USE FINE FAIR EXHIBIT

STEEL SPAN BUILT BY O. W. P. AND CITY ONE OF BEST IN COUNTY.

MESSRS. FREYTAG AND EBY TO BEGIN SHIPPING SAMPLES TO SALEM GROUNDS TODAY.

COST IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF \$12,000 MANAGERS ARE AFTER FIRST PRIZE

Modern Structure Takes Place of Wooden One Which Had Been Used Many Years—New Piers Concrete.

Agricultural Horticultural, Mineral And Manufacturing Resources Of County To Be Represented.

The big steel bridge over the Abernethy was completed Saturday night and is ready for traffic of all kinds. Several railings are yet to be made and a little filling is to be done. The bridge was built jointly by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company and Oregon City. The original agreement was for the company to spend \$5,000 and the city \$2,000 toward the work. It is estimated, however, that the company has spent nearer \$10,000. The bridge is one of the best in the county and will last 100 years or more. It is planned to put another railing on the concrete-walk to keep children from falling into the creek.

More than a year ago the old wooden structure was condemned, and the city and railway company entered into negotiations for erecting a new one. The plans of the bridge were drawn by the chief engineer of the O. W. P. Company and the work of construction was under the supervision of A. T. Ellsworth, an expert bridgebuilder.

The structure has eighteen concrete piers. It is 146 feet long, 36 feet wide and 23 feet high. There is an eight-foot sidewalk on each side of the double track. The sidewalk is raised eight inches higher than the tracks, making it perfectly safe for pedestrians. An outside rail protects pedestrians. It is said that the bridge is the best on the O. W. P. system, and there will be no further delay of cars on the structure.

If Clackamas county does not win first prize for county exhibits at the State Fair, which begins at Salem next Monday, it will be no fault of O. E. Freytag and O. D. Eby. They have been gathering samples for the display for several weeks, and today will begin shipping them to the Capital City. The exhibit will comprise more than a carload and will be the finest ever sent from this county to the fair. Mr. Freytag has charge of the agricultural exhibition at the fair, and Mr. Eby has been his assistant in collecting an exhibit which will reflect credit upon this county. They will send a representative to Salem tomorrow to receive the goods, and arrange them on the stands at the fair grounds.

Other counties that will have exhibits are Marion, Linn, Polk, Douglas, Coos, Benton and Clatsop. The Clackamas county exhibit this year will be much finer than that of last year, which made such a favorable impression.

The county last year appropriated \$200 for use in purchasing samples for the exhibit, and the premiums received more than paid for the expenditure. This year the county has appropriated \$250. Most of all of the articles for the exhibit, which include everything in the horticultural and agricultural line have been purchased, it being the object of the managers to obtain only the best. The exhibit will also show the mineral and manufacturing resources of the county.

Five enormous peaches of fine color and quality were the offering of G. A. Waldron of the Silvermead Fruit Farm to the exhibit. The peaches were grown from Waldron Seedling stock started almost fifty years ago by the father of Mr. Waldron. Mr. Freytag had all that he could do to get the peaches into a jar. They are bright in color with no trace of bluish and are highly prized by persons who have been fortunate enough to obtain a supply of this particular variety. The original trees were seedlings early Crawford stock, and are an improvement on the original.

SCHOOL HEAD TO GIVE ILLUSTRATED TALKS

Superintendent of County Schools Gary has purchased a big stereopticon machine which he will use in illustrating lectures he will make throughout the county in connection with his school work. Mr. Gary plans to deliver the lectures in the evenings in large halls, if obtainable, but if not, in the school houses, so parents and others may attend, as well as the children. The illustrations will be of scenes in the county, representing agricultural, horticultural, manufacturing and other industries. There will also be illustrations of various school houses, the object being to show how some sections have advanced in this respect over others. Beautiful and picturesque natural scenes, such as Mount Hood and the Willamette falls also will be depicted. The superintendent expects later on to exchange slides with the superintendents of other counties.

WEISMANDEL WILL CONTEST ON TODAY

The will contest involving the estate of the late William Philip Weismandel, will be called for trial before County Judge Beattie today. The contestants are Mrs. Nellie Lyons, Mrs. Rose Howard and Mrs. Emma Philips, sisters of the testator, and his mother, Mrs. Sophia Weismandel. The defendant is Mrs. Ola M. Ogle, wife of George Ogle, of Canby, who is administratrix. She is represented by J. E. Hedges. It is alleged that Mr. Weismandel lived for many years with the Ogle family, and that he willed them about three-fifths of his estate as a token of his appreciation of their kindness.

Governors To Meet. An important meeting of the Board of Governors of the Commercial Club will be held tomorrow evening. All members of the board are urged to attend.

LAUNCH PARTY AT ASTORIA. Oregon City Folk Have Delightful Trip to Centennial City. A postal card was received Monday from the party which left here Saturday morning on the launch "Who Cares" bound for Astoria. Those in the party were Charles Pope, captain; James Roake, ship carpenter; Bert Roake, engineer, and the families of the last two. The party reached Astoria at noon Sunday after a delightful trip. Several days will be spent at the centennial.

BEATTIE TELLS STORY OF LIFE

YOUTH CHARGED WITH SLAYING WIFE GIVES RECITAL OF WASTED YEARS.

PROSECUTION FAILS TO SHAKE HIM

Defendant Frankly Admits Relations With Other Girl, But Insists That Love For Wife Did Not Wane.

CHESTERFIELD COURTHOUSE, Va., Sept. 4.—Through six weary hours Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., indicted for the murder of his wife, battled for his life on the witness stand today. Evening shadows interrupted a vigorous cross-examination by the commonwealth, Judge Watson ending the ordeal by adjourning court until tomorrow, when Prosecutor Wendenburg will continue his questions.

A lone figure was young Beattie in the crowd that surrounded him on all sides, even windows and trees commanding the courtroom being thick with staring faces. And the prisoner sat for hours, his manner cool and collected, unfolding with Beulah Blford, 17 years old, for whom the prosecution alleges Beattie killed his bride of a year.

Tells of Orgies. Not only the orgies of the four years before his marriage and those that preceded the homicide, but the gruesome tale of the alleged attack by a highwayman and the wild ride to the Owen home at a speed of 55 miles an hour, with the lifeless body of his wife in the machine beside him, were related to the jury in all its detail.

The prisoner, by request of the prosecution, stood up and donned the bloodstained coat that he had worn the night of the murder, and attempted to explain why blood had not flecked certain parts of the garment, if his wife had reclined against him in the way he had described.

Beattie answered questions readily in an even voice, and without emotion. In no essential did his version of the affair today differ from that which he gave at the Coroner's inquest, and to which the defense has clung.

Beattie's Story Not Shaken. Denial after denial came from the lips of the prisoner as Prosecutor Wendenburg questioned him concerning the alleged purchase of a shotgun for him by his cousin, Paul Beattie, on the Saturday before the murder, and the testimony of the latter as to the confession in which Henry is alleged to have exclaimed: "I wish to God I hadn't done it. I would not do it again for a million dollars."

Beattie denied he had been with Paul at any time within the week or fortnight previous to the Saturday night before the murder.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY KNIGHTS AND LADIES

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security Monday night: Della Green, president; Anna Cross, vice-president; R. C. Woodward, second vice-president; N. P. Chapman, corresponding secretary; J. E. Boyles, financial secretary; Emma McGabney, prelate; Myrtle Cross, conductor; W. C. Green, guard; Joseph Alldredge, sentinel and Maud Woodward, musician. The meeting was largely attended and arrangements were made for the members of the order to attend the big meeting in Portland next Monday evening when more than 200 members will be initiated. The meeting will be attended by President Kirkpatrick and Secretary Abrahams, who are traveling through the west and northwest, arousing enthusiasm in the organization. The officers elected Monday night will be installed in two weeks.

Today

THE CITY OF FLORENCE, ITALY.

JIMMIE THE INSURANCE AGENT.

SOCIETY GIRL AND THE GYPSY.

A BORROWED LESSON.

THE GRAND