STAR AMATEURS MEET TONIGHT

Pacific Coast Tournament of Boxing and Wrestling Opens in Portland.

FINE MATCHES PROMISED

Olympic and Reliance Clubs, of San Francisco and Oakland, Send Best Men—Seattle, Spokane and Portland Represented.

Lovers of good, clean amateur boxing and wrestling will have a splendid opportunity to witness three nights of their favorite sport, beginning with tonight. No sporting event in Portland since the A. A. U. games during the Lewis and Clark Exposition has roused the interest as the tournament which is to be held under the auspices of the Multnomah Club in the music hall of the old Exposition building. Crack wrestlers and boxers from the Olympic Club of San Francisco, the Reliance Club of Oakland and from Seattle and Spokane will participate in the tournament against the Multnomah men. They are the pick of the athletes of all the clubs, and have won the chance to take part in the Multnomah Club show after long and hard tryouts.

In addition to the visiting athletes, there will be the corking good men in both divisions who have been developed by the Multnomah Club instructors. All of the local men who take part in action have always given a good account of themselves. What promises to make the show one of the best ever held in the city is the fact that all the contestants have been working hard and all are in splendid shape. The two boys who hope to take home trophies to the Olympic Club are Eddie Dennis, who will box at 115 pounds, and Lawrence Grandfield, a 125-pounder. Any set of boxers who can go down the line at the Olympic Club and be chosen to represent the club are finished boxers, and the two lads who will support the "winged O" have all the ear markings of clever youngsters. The Reliance Club has sent two boxers and two wrestlers, and, like the other southern lads, they had to go through the fire before they were picked to come to Portland.

Yesterday afternoon the big gym at the Multnomah Club was the busiest place in the city. Trainer McIntyre had his four hopefuls on the mat and in the ring, and they were given a hard workout. Don McKinzie, a member of the Reliance Club and a boxer of considerable ability, who is now located in Portland, took Larry Stokes on for three fast rounds of two minutes each. Stokes will meet Brown, of Seattle, and the boxing fans who have seen both lads in motion are looking forward to the meeting with great anticipation. Stokes is a strong, sturdy-looking chap, and has a kick in that left hand of his that will hurt like a visitation from the business end of a mule. He is shifty on his feet and has the appearance of being willing and able to stand a bombardment.

Little Fred Couture, who boxes at 115, is a deceiving youngster. At first glance he does not look like he could hold up a pair of boxing gloves, but in action he is a whirlwind. He had to box his way through a small army of light boys at his club in order to make this tournament. He has two hands and knows the trick of using them. The two Olympic Club boys have not worked out much. They were fit and ready when they arrived, and have only been indulging in light work to keep them on edge.

The representatives from Seattle and Spokane will arrive this morning. They have not had as far to travel as the Californians, and will be ready to take the mat or step into the ring on their arrival. The opening night programme will not be decided upon until all of the contestants get on the ground. Manager Edgar Frank will have the programme made out in time for publication this afternoon.

ENEMIES ATTEMPT LIFE

(Continued From First Page.)

tion last June amounted to $275,049.02. Deposits and withdrawals were always by check and not in cash.

Entries and Records Identified.

Charles Kopf, assistant treasurer of the bank; E. L. Decatur, teller, and F. C. Byars, bookkeeper, were called to identify book entries. W. T. Perkins, chief clerk in Steel's office, identified a number of transcripts of the records of the treasury, prepared under his directions, showing the dealings with the bank. He said that so far as he knew the bank had never been notified of the character of the funds designated as "educational." J. W. Ferguson, D. H. Collis and B. W. Olcott, experts employed to investigate the affairs of the bank after its close, produced and identified numerous statistical reports showing the amounts of money due the state at various times and the amount of cash in the bank or due it from other banks.

The purpose of this was to show that when the bank failed its cash assets were less than its obligation to the state school fund by some $288,000, the amount alleged to have been converted.

Steel Again Forgets.

State Treasurer Steel was recalled and asked about his conference with Ross concerning the enactment of a deposit law. He had no recollection of such conference with Ross concerning the enactment of a deposit law. He had no recollection of such conference, though he said he probably mentioned the matter to him. He couldn't remember writing a letter to Ross on the subject, and when the letter was shown to him and he was asked whether he wrote it, he reluctantly replied, "I think I did." He thought he saw Ross once during the last legislative session, when Ross called at his office and went out again.

Attorney Pipes then took up the subject of Steel's trying to get security from the bank after the bank holidays were proclaimed, and, in order to get information, the lawyer asked leading questions. To this McCamant objected. Pipes defended his course by invoking the rule regarding unwilling witnesses. It was then Judge Burnett remarked in no uncertain tone, "I see he is not a willing witness." To this language McCamant took an exception.

Court Holds Evidence Sufficient.

While Attorney-General Crawford was on the stand as a witness for the state to tell about his efforts to protect the interests of the state, the defense was given permission to offer in evidence the contract by which the American Surety Company acknowledged its obligation to the state. This was offered as evidence that the state had been paid. Judge Burnett rejected it because it was not payment but an adjustment by which future payment was agreed upon.

After introducing evidence of the terms of office of the directors, the state rested. Immediately McCamant moved to strike out practically all the testimony, upon the ground that the state had failed to connect the defendant Ross with the acts alleged to have been committed.

Judge Burnett held there was sufficient evidence to take the case to the jury, and therefore he overruled the motion. In doing so he remarked, in answer to a question by McCamant, that he does not understand that in the case of Baker vs. Williams, quoted above, the Supreme Court gave its approval to general deposits of public funds by public officers.

Ross on the Stand.

When McCamant called Mr. Ross to the witness-stand there was a stir in the courtroom, for the spectators expected some interesting testimony. Mr. Ross testified, in answer to questions, that he is defendant in this case, and that he has lived in Portland about 20 years.

"Did you, or did you not, ever convert any of the state school funds to your own use?" asked McCamant.

"Not one dollar," replied Ross.

"You may crossexamine the witness," quietly remarked McCamant, to the great surprise of everybody.

Attorney Pipes asked a few questions regarding the bank funds, to which Ross replied that the books were the best evidence.

This closed the case, and court adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

LINN CHOOSES THE DELEGATES

Republicans Meet in County Convention at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., April 22.—(Special.)—Republicans of Linn County met in county convention in this city today and elected the following delegates to the state convention at Portland, May 14: Frank J. Miller, E. D. Cusick and Willard L. Marks, of Albany; N. M. Newport and George H. Randle, of Lebanon; R. E. Warner, of Brownsville; J. P. Carter, of Halsey; C. H. Davidson, of Shedds, and D. H. Bodine, of Price. These delegates will also represent Linn County at the convention of the First Congressional District.

The convention met in the Courthouse with about 90 delegates in attendance. State Senator Frank J. Miller, of Albany, was chairman; A. W. Bowersox, of Albany, secretary, and George H. Randle, of Lebanon, assistant secretary. The election of state delegates provided some interesting contests.

The new Linn County Central Committee, chosen at the primaries Friday, also met in Albany today and organized. L. M. Curl, of Albany, was chosen chairman; Willard L. Marks, of Albany, secretary, and J. C. Irvine, of Albany, treasurer. The election of state and Congressional committeemen from Linn County was postponed until a meeting to be held May 1.

OFFICER NOT DISCRIMINATING

Mistakes Portland Pedestrian for an Ordinary Tramp—Arrests Him.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 22.—(Special.)—While walking from Portland, Or., to Ellensburg, to win a wager of $150, if he makes the distance in two weeks, M. H. McFarland was interrupted early yesterday morning by Patrolman Applequist, who mistook the pedestrian for an ordinary vagrant. His story about doing the walking stunt on a wager didn't impress the big policeman, who sent McFarland to jail on a charge of vagrancy. Yesterday in Police Court the pedestrian explained why he happened to be out late at night looking like a tramp. Judge Gordon dismissed the case, told him to finish his walk, and that he hoped he would win the wager.

McFarland explains that he had bet $150 with a man named A. Price that he could walk from Portland to Ellensburg in two weeks.

CONGRATULATED ON ESCAP

Roosevelt Sends Telegram to President Cabrera, of Guatemala.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—President Cabrera was congratulated by the President today on his escape from death at the hands o fassassins. The congratulatory message was sent after the details of the attack had been received officially from United States Minister Heimke, whose dispatch came by cable last night. The official dispatch follows :

> Guatemala, April 22.—Secretary of State, Washington: At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, as the President of Guatemala entered the palace to receive me in public audience, five cadets of the military academy—forming a part of his bodyguard—attempted to assassinate him, and in the melee he received a bayonet thrust through his left hand, while an officer of his staff is said to have been killed.
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> At the same hour, when I was about to take a carriage to proceed to the palace for my reception, the soldiers came with a message from the President, who advised me that in consequence of what had happened, my reception would be postponed for a few days. Just after the attack I sought and with great difficulty obtained an interview with the President at the palace, where he has chosen to remain, heavily guarded.
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> It is said that the five cadets have been shot. The authorities immediately ordered the stores closed and the cessation of street traffic. The city is quiet; the populace is astounded and condemns the attack.
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> HEIMKE.

BUILD HUGE STEAMERS

Two New White Star Lines Will Be Largest Afloat.

LIVERPOOL, April 22.—Two new White Star liners, which will be the largest vessels yet projected ,will be laid down at Belfast next June. The exact measurements of the steamers have not been given out ,but they will be over 840 feet in length, 78 feet in breadth, with a gross tonnage of 45,000 or 50,000.

The ships are to be fitted with combination turbines and reciprocating engines, guaranteed to maintain aspeed of 21 knots. The names ofth e vessels are to be the Olympic and Titanic.

New Government for Ohio Cities.

COLUMBUS, O., April 22.—Only the signature of the Governor is required to make a law of the bill by Representative Payne, of Lucas County providing the Federal form of Government for cities of Ohio, which passed the Senate this afternoon just as it passed the House. Under the bill the Mayor will appoint a director of public safety and a director of public service instead of present boards, the Mayor and the two directors to constitute a board of control. Civil service for cities

Men and women lunch at the R. and M. Sanitary Lunch. 106 Sixth.

ANY PATCHWORK BILL WILL SUIT

House and Senate Leaders Try to Reach Agreement on Currency.

SETTLE IT IN CONFERENCE

Aldrich and Cannon Arrange Game of Give-and-Take to Get Something Done by Agreement Among the Conferees.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—A conference on currency legislation was held today between the House and Senate leaders and was attended by Speaker Cannon and Senator Aldrich. The judgment of the conference was that the programme lately decided on can be put through. The programme calls for a caucus of the Republican members of the House, probably next week or the week folowing, to determine the passage of a bill creating a commission to investigate thoroughly the currency subject and the financial situation of the country in general, and to report on semedial legislation at the next session of Congress.

It is further the desire of the House Reupblican leaders to put through the Vreeland bill, which embodies what are thought to be the best features of the Aldrich bill and eliminates the provisions to which most objection has been made. All that the Senate leaders ask of the House leaders is to enact some piece of financial legislation so that the Senate will have a measure to use as a working basis, all thought of enacting the Aldrich bill in the form in which it passed the Senate having been abandoned. The programme is then to have the Senate strike out everything after the enacting clause in the House bill and to insert the Aldrich bill.

This will have the effect of throwing the amended bill info conference and care will be exercised both in the Senate and in the House to appoint as conferees members who favor some legislation at this session. It will be the task of the conferees to patch up from the Aldrich bill and the Vreeland bill and the commission bill a modified act embodying such provisions as the leaders feel sure of putting through the two houses.

CLOSED SEASON FOR ELK

NEW LAWS PLANNED FOR PROTECTION OF GAME.

Drafts Read and Discussed at Meeting of Oregon Fish and Game Association.

At a well-attended meeting of the Oregon Fish and Game Association held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, drafts of proposed amendments to the game and fish laws were approved, and by a motion of W. L. Finley, president of the Audubon Society, the association went on record for a closed season for elk during the next five years. It is the intention of the association to urge upon the Legislature the enactment of the purposed game and fish laws and avoidance in future of such flukes as the spoiling of the protection to trout, as was done by the last Legislature.

The attempt to have the duck season open September 15 and close in March was defeated on a motion by J. E. Cullison, who was in favor of having the law remain as it is. Sportsmen from the Willamette Valley were in favor of extending the closing time into March. Should the same question be brought before the Legislature, Mr. Finley announced that the Audubon Society would fight it. The society favors the present law and is opposed to Spring water-fowl shooting.

The design for the association button, which was left in the hands of a committee, was submitted and accepted. The emblem of the society is a lapel button, with two quail on the top and a trout underneath. Across the center of the button, in blue enamel, are the lettetrs O. F. & G. A. The button was made by Henry Kahn and can be had only through Secretary A. E. Gebhardt.

One of the pleasing features of the meeting was the election of 46 new members. For some time past there has been an active campaign going on towards obtaining new members, and so far the work has been flattering. Sportsmen from all parts of the state are joining the association and President Ney Churchman hopes to have several hundred more to add to the roll before the next meeting of the Legislature.

TURN FROM FACTS TO LAW

Attorneys in Hyde-Benson Case Argue About Evidence.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—A clash between counsel on technical points caused a halt today in the Hyde-Benson-Dimond-Schneider land-fraud case before Justice Stafford in criminal court. Assistant District Attorney Stuart McNamara and S. A. Worthington, attorney for the defense, engaged in a spirited colloquy growing out of the objection of the defense to the testimony of James J. Barnes, formerly clerk in the General Land Office.

The prosecution sought to show that Barnes had received money from Frederick A. Hyde, one of the defendants, to expedite cases and rush the passing of title to public land "out of their regular order" in the land office. Barnes was being put through direct examination and, when the Government attorney asked him regarding his deals with Hyde, Mr. Worthington, for the defense, entered a prompt objection.

Barnes' testimony was similar to that previously given by William E. Valk and Woodford D. Harlam, who admitted accepting money from John a Benson to rush matters through the office in furtherance of the alleged fraudulent compact.

Argument on the law points involved took up the remainder of the day to adjournment. Justice Stafford will tomorrow pass upon the competency of Barnes to answer the Government's question.

Makes Sensational Escape.

ROSSLAND, B. C., April 22.—George Torney made his escape from the city lockup at Trail, in regular sensational dime novel style last night. He locked the policeman in a kitchen, got out through the office and while on his way to liberty made a young lady dismount from a horse she was riding, and, mounting the steed, was soon on the American side of the boundary line.

AGREEMENT ON NEW LAND

Railroads and Trainmen Arrange Terms Under 16-Hour System.

CHICAGO, April 22.—The general managers of the principal railroads west of Chicago and the representatives of men engaged in train service announced today their agreement as to the application of the sixteen-hour law. Crews are not to be tied up unlessit is apparent that the trip cannot be completed within the lawful time, and not then until after the expiration of fourteen hours on duty under Federal law or within two hours of the time limit provided by state laws, if state laws govern. Crews tied up by a less number of hours than mentioned above are to be regarded as tied up under the law, and will be paid.

When crews are tied up between terminals under the law they are to be considered on duty and under pay immediately upon the expiration of the minimum legal period off duty applicable to the crew, provided the period of rest for any member, eight or ten hours, be the period of rest for the entire crew. Crews tied up will be paid the time or mileage of their schedules from initial point to tie-up point, and when "timed or deadheadedinto terminal" will be paid the same as if the run is made. Pay is allowed for any service for an engine crew if held responsible for the engine.

CENTENNIAL OF DIOCESE

Catholics of Philadelphia Hold Mass of Thanksgiving.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 22.—With all the splendor of the ritual of the church and with prelates from many sections of the country in attendance, a solemn pontifical mass of thanksgiving was celebrated in the Roman Catholic cathedral here today in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the diocese of Philadelphia. Monsignore Diome de Falconio, the apostolic delegate to the United States, was the celebrant.

Archbishop Ryan has received hundreds of telegrams of congratulation from all sections of the country, from persons of all creeds. A cablegram from the Pope follows:

> To Archbishop Ryan—Health and apostolic benediction as pleasing indeed it is for us to recall the affairs of all the dioceses, particularly their beginnings. Therefore, on the approach of solemn festal day, when you celebrate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the diocese of Philadelphia, it is a pleasure for us to take part in the joyful occasion. We offer you our good wishes for still greater benefits and from our hearts we pray to bless all who have in any way worked for the upbuilding of the archdiocese. As a mark of our affection, we impart the apostolic blessing.
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> PIUS X.

A message from President Roosevelt read:

> Pray accept my hearty congratulatoins for you and your parishioners on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the diocese, which is now the archdiocese of Philadelphia.
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> With all good wishes, sincerely,
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> THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

PLAGUE INVADES ECUADOR

Noted Scientist Loses Life in Battle With Disease.

GUAYQUIL, Ecuador, April 22.—Flora Ontaneda, a noted Ecuadorean chemist, died in this city today from bubonic plague, which he contracted at the Municipal Laboratory while preparing Kaffkine's prophylactic.

Twenty new bubonic cases and nine deaths from the disease have occurred in this city since last Saturday.

AT THE HOTELS.

The Portland—L. Thanhauser, Miss Lillian Mattice, New York; E. C. McKenna, San Francisco; Barton J. Bridgeford, Marion F. Bridgeford, Seattle; H. A. Hunter, Minneapolis; Frank Taylor, Seattle; Wayland F. Chace, Buxton; William A. Ensko, New York; C. Propach and wife, Chicago; J. Jacobs, San Francisco; H. J. Hathaway, Mrs. C. A. Paine, Maine; Miss Cameron, Ottawa; William T. H. Talcott, Miss H. C. Munger, New York; J. H. Bridgegord and wife, Seattle; B. G. Williams, Duluth; A. Levy and wife, Salt Lake; James Oberer, Jr., South Bend; W. R. Jones, M. M. Manheim, San Francisco; Charles Schriber and wife, Oshkosh; E. P. Pelz, Kenosha; Winston H. Smith, Monmouth; E. S. Levin, San Francisco; H. Williams, Grand Rapids; R. R. Zane, San Francisco; David Stark, New York; B. H. Smith, Michigan; F. S. Appleman, Boise; A. W. Hammond, South Bend; J. H. Block, Kansas City; L. D. Kellner, San Francisco; W. H. Burnett, Chicago; Marshall C. Moss, Milwaukee; S. O. Johnson, E. B. Levy, H. F. Tottgether, San Francisco; C. J. Wile, Rochester; W. G. Davis, Seattle; B. L. Crosby, W. P. Reynolds, Tacoma; George T. Myers and wife, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McGibson, Everett; Mr. and Mrs. P. Proderin, New York; Mrs. Flanvers, Miss Marshall, Seattle; B. P. Bertleson and wife, Kalispel; G. F. Arnold, San Francisco; Owen E. Wilson, Denver; Mrs. M. A. Brown, Seattle; F. A. Stechor, Rochester; Cornelius N. B. Grisley, Victoria; Whig Southard, Chicago; J. J. Krontberg, New York; F. M. Seligsohn, San Francisco; R. E. Taylor, New York; O. Schmid, Montgomery; John G. Smith, Wannenburg; A. H. Thomas, Wannenburg; W. D. Harney, Seattle; R. H. Parmelle, Bloomington.

The Oregon—L. G. Lauxterman, Cincinnati; S. T. Wallace and wife, Los Angeles; Y. D. Hensill, Eugene; C. B. Kroll, Spokane; Dr. F. M. Brooks, Mrs. F. M. Brooks, Silverton; J. T. Guise, Pendleton; C. V. Brown, Astoria; L. Marx, Seattle; R. A. Cummins, Corvallis; Mrs. W. S. Crane, Mrs. C. M. Bulger, Raymond; Mrs. Ella Collins, Kelso; Mrs. G. Martin, Mrs. H. E. Cowles, Centralia; F. L. Houlbutt and wife, Warrenton; Mrs. E. Shultz, Spokane; G. J. Jennings, G. W. Jennings, Missoula; J. A. Shaw, Miles City; Mrs. W. S. Ray, Harrisburg; M. F. Johnson and wife, Vancouver; F. Rice, H. H. Carnie and wife, Rose Lodge; Mrs. H. Ramsey, Mrs. J. W. Thiskill, T. W. Eastman, Tacoma; Mrs. Lowe, Rainier; J. Miller, San Francisco; S. Silverthal, Cincinnati; J. H. Sutthoff, Seattle; L. C. Smith, La Grande; E. Le Due, Astoria; P. J. Waage, Blaine; K. D. French, Iowa; Bessie L. Newburn, Edna Olson, Sangatoeck; F. Dawson, Albany; M. D. Poyntz, Marshfield; J. C. Bartlett, Carl Bartlett, Salem; B. L. Horton, St. Louis; L. Gerstle, San Francisco; O. C. Smith, Monmouth; C. Schmidt, Astoria; S. Schlesinger, New York; W. Lankill, A. C. Sern, Seattle; A. Smith, Lands; H. D. Smith, R. J. Smith, R. Carpenter, Bellingham; F. C. Batin, Seattle; Miss E. Campbell, Grand Rapids; C. H. Mills, Rainier; C. W. Water, Walla Walla; Z. M. Boyer, Chicago; O. H. Schirmer, San Francisco.

The Imperial—H. S. Leverett, Corvallis; A. N. Clancy, Winlock; E. W. Haines, Forest Grove; F. Larks, Lincoln; S. Lewis and family, Seattle; J. F. Adams, city; W. F. Cassidy and wife, Rainier; H. G. VanDusen, Astoria; N. H. Webber, Eagle Cliff; E. T. Judd, O. Drew, J. C. Bartlett, Salem; J. Stranahan, Hood River; R. W. Andross, city; R. Dodwick, Forest Grove; G. F. Stagg, Kelso; James Pitts, Kelso; J. C. Lonergan, American Falls; H. F. Bittner, Bellingham; C. M. Campbell and wife, Spokane; J. T. Wells, Memphis; C. O. Young, H. Hudson and wife, Tacoma; Rod E. Smith, San Francisco; W. E. Grace, Baker City; W. L. Raid and wife, T. G. Steele, city; B. A. Johnston, North Yamhill; M. J. Blaney, R. A. Gammon and wife, Chicago; E. O. Porter, O. E. Smith, J. E. Kuykendall, Eugene; G. B. Carmichael, Weston; R. King, C. King, Jessie Jones, O. Jones, Roseburg; L. Davis, Tacoma; S. S. Hughes, Heppner; J. S. Creech, F. E. Creech, Raymond; J. M. Smith, Centralia; E. S. Thomas, Tacoma; A. E. McCall, Ottawa; W. S. Pearce, J. T. McShane, J. T. Boyne, Seattle; K. D. Martin, Hood River; W. S. Conner and wife, Heppner; J. T. Robinson, Eugene; H. B. Esson, Hood River; W. W. Langhorne, W. E. Bishop, Chehalis; J. P. Tomsen, N. Cameron, The Dalles; C. F. Turner, The Dalles; C. V. Cornelius, Newberg; W. J. Coulter, Toronto; W. A. Hill, Tacoma; L. S. Finseth, Dallas; M. H. Ross and wife, city; Miss Burndall, Seattle; Mrs. A. Fleischhauer, Stevenson; A. W. Bascom, Lewis; Mrs. E. E. Ferguson, Miss Ruth Ferguson, The Dalles.

The Perkins—P. Bogardus, Palmer; A. D. Welde, mate steamer Eric; J. B. Russell, J. Russell, Harrington; C. A. Grittum, Fargo; G. Winner, North Yakima; F. C. Bolin, E. Campbell, Seattle; J. F. Worum, Pomeroy; J. J. Krause, Chicago; F. C. Foster, Lincoln; R. A. Harrington, Nappa; T. K. Pugh, Spokane; Mrs. A. Morrison, Vancouver; Miss A. R. Cleland, Montreal; T. T. Wrightman, Salem; T. L. Hurlburt and wife, Warrenton; D. H. Welch and wife, Miss Nancy Welch, Astoria; H. Lively, Mrs. J. A. Gorman, Seattle; R. M. Haines, Olympia; H. W. Thompson, Centralia; I. Smith and wife, Hoquiam; Miss Hanenschild, McMinnville; R. L. Carr, McMinnville; McKucker and wife, Commercial; D. Mabras, J. F. Barnhill, Montesano; M. A. Martin, Aberdeen; T. Frost and wife, Elko; C. W. Rollins, St. Louis; J. F. Johnson, Mrs. C. Johnson, Clatskanie; J. Elswick and wife, Olympia; G. H. Beelen, A. R. Cadle, Bodie; Francis Walsh, Bastell Springs; M. A. Baxton, Reno; K. Hanley, Reno; J. P. Campbell, Ketchikan; F. H. Weinhard, Dayton; J. M. Short, Gresham.

St. Charles—H. Burke, H. Thompson, J. M. Burkhead, T. Hargest, city; J. R. Smith, Twinn Falls; F. L. Hay, O. Gurske, Harrisburg; B. Card, city; C. C. Lewis, Felida; L. P. Starr, Washougal; J. Jennings, city; C. L. Staats, Astoria; G. High, R. H. Lawton, W. R. Logan, city; Ira Roberts, Ell Monte; P. J. Larsen, Salem; G. Smith, Washougal; Mrs. J. C. Stevens, Castle Rock; R. M. Rickert, Troutdale; G. Downey, C. King, J. Hummel, Silverton; G. W. Onersted, St. Johns; J. Elgin, city; T. Fisher, Rainier; C. L. Clement, Lents; J. D. Ester, Condon; A. R. Goodwell, Bull Run; R. N. Reams, Clearfield; L. R. Hatton, Yale; J. L. Dunagan, Dallas; J. T. Dickens, Otis; Mrs. A. T. Stear, city; G. L. Munger, P. Gain, Astoria; R. E. Rollins, Bull Run; L. Kenaston and family, Oregon City; H. P. Hatale, Oshkosh; D. Stickler, R. W. Piepenbrink, Brown, Rainier; J. S. Sheek, Raymond; Anna Meier, Lulu Thornberry, Ostrander; J. Prince, city; S. D. Edwards, H. P. Christensen, Powell Valley; A. Barr and wife, Latourelle; N. J. Kirk, Newberg; C. Manslof, Albany; A. L. Stull, Celilo; L. A. Tobias and wife, Grand Island; Mrs. Annie Robins, La Center; M. J. Gribble, Hood River; F. L. Hay, Harrisburg; W. Clark and wife, Newberg; Sarah Pendleton and sister, Woodburn; B. S. Owens and wife, Amboy; T. F. Walker, Salino; R. H. Barlow, Lyle; E. Thiel, Woodland; J. K. Powell, J. R. Wilmot, Hayes; J. W. Gaunt, North Yamhill; Mrs. A. R. Porter, Raymond; A. Wilson, Tenino; J. E. Crown, Lyle; Z. O. Cornett, L. M. Eagan, Boring; C. E. Soarr and wife, Hood River.

The Official Rules In Eilers Contest

Conditions That Will Govern the Awarding of Prizes

The unique publicity contest inaugurated by Eilers Piano House in cooperation with three of the foremost piano manufacturers of today is creating a tremendous amount of interest.

All day long inquiries regarding the rules and conditions are coming in by telephone, letter, and even by wire.

"Eilers stores sell the three foremost pianos of today—the Kimball, Chicago; the Lester, Philadelphia, and the Hobart M. Cable."

By writing these names hundreds of times no one will ever forget them. To the person writing it correctly the greatest number of times on one side of a standard size Government Postal Card (5½x3¼ inches) will be awarded absolutely free one magnificent new high grade Kimball piano, the person writing it the second greatest number receives a superb Hobart M. Cable and the third, one of the Highest Grade Lester pianos. Many other prizes such as valuable piano purchasing bonds will also be awarded to every reply of merit.

Official Sentence and Rules

So there will be no misunderstanding and dissatisfaction we herewith publish the official sentence by which the cards will be judged. Cut this out and save it for reference. This is the sentence:

"Eilers stores sell the three foremost pianos of today—the Kimball, Chicago; the Lester, Philadelphia, and the Hobart M. Cable."

Remember the sentence as it appears above and the conditions herein named will be official regardless of anything else to the contrary.

In the event of a tie, prizes of similar value will be given to each successful contestant. We will publish the names of the winners. All cards are open for examination after close of the contest.

All replies must be received before 6 P. M. Monday, April 27th.

Use pen and ink only. Punctuation, spelling, correctness and legibility will be factors in determining the winners. Write your address plainly and the number of times you have written the sentence on the card across one end of the stamped or addressed side of card.

Expert penmen and engravers are barred from this contest. Only one card from each family will be accepted. The decision of our judges is to be final.

If you have already submitted a card and it is not written exactly as above and according to the conditions of this announcement you may withdraw your first card and submit another.

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