

# THE RACE IS NOW ON IN EARNEST

## This Is a Contest That Is Worth While—Just Think of These Beautiful Prizes You Can Win

This is the second week of The Astorian's great voting contest and from present indications it bids fair to become one of the greatest affairs of its kind ever put forward in the North. All over the country people are talking of the generosity of the Astorian in making this offer to the young ladies in Astoria and surrounding territory. The scholarship feature of the Astorian's voting contest appeals particularly to the young women in each community of the five districts included in the contest who desire to qualify themselves to fill remunerative positions as stenographers, book-keepers and secretaries in commercial concerns. Dozens of young women in the territory embraced have a purpose of winning one of these valuable scholarships. In every town there are well-to-do men and women who consider it their duty as well as find it a pleasure to assist young people in such a laudable ambition as that of securing a business education and fitting themselves to make their way in the world. As soon as the young woman aspirant makes her candidacy known to people of this class as well as to once begin to save the coupons which are appearing every day in the Astorian, and send in their subscriptions for six months or a year, and get the votes. A subscription for one year gives a special vote coupon good for 2500 old and 5000 new. This coupon can be voted at any time during the contest. It requires but a very few of these at the outset of the contest to place any candidate in a most advantageous position.

Make up your mind right now that you are going to be one of the lucky ones, and strive to attain that end. You can do it if you try. Do not wait until the last moment, but start right now. If your name is already entered in the list and you have not done much as yet begin now. You will never regret the time and effort in this contest.

At present the candidates are just beginning to get their start and feeling the pulse of their friends to learn their strength.

A number of subscriptions have already come in, and today will see more issued than any other day since the opening of the great Astorian contest.

There is a ballot box in the Astorian office, where the votes may be deposited for any young ladies whom you may see fit to vote for. If you cannot bring the ballots to the office, send them in by mail to the Contest Manager and the votes will be accorded to the young lady for whom they are intended. The votes are counted twice, so there can be no mistake as to the proper number of ballots accorded to each candidate. The votes are always open for inspection to insure a fair deal.

**HOW TO WIN.**  
Any young lady who desires to enter this great contest and win one of the magnificent prizes offered, should at once see that her name is sent to the contest manager. All that is necessary to win a prize is to receive the largest number of votes according to the condition mentioned elsewhere in this announcement.

Candidates should at once interest their friends in the contest and by united and energetic action induce as many people as possible to vote for

them. Each nomination coupon cut from the Astorian will count for five votes for a candidate.

The nomination coupon will only appear for a few days. The easiest and quickest way to win is for candidates to ask their friends to prepay their subscription for six to twelve months. It costs the subscriber nothing extra to do this and they are saved the annoyance of weekly and monthly collections. By so doing you receive a special vote ballot which is good any time during the contest.

Orders for the prizes will be given the successful contestant at the close of the contest; same may be used by the contestant herself or disposed of in any manner she may see fit.

Any young lady residing in the above mentioned territory is eligible to compete in this contest.

Anyone who desires to vote in this contest may do so by ballots cut from the Daily and Weekly Astorian, or by special vote coupons obtained by subscribing to the Astorian. The coupons secured by subscribing to the Astorian may be held as long as desired and voted at any time up to the desired close of the contest, but ballots cut from the Astorian are only good for one week from publication and will not be counted if voted after the date printed on the ballot.

Persons living in one district are not confined to voting for ladies in their own particular district, but may vote for anybody in the race.

The offer affords the girls of Astoria and surrounding territory an excellent opportunity to travel or receive a business education at the expense of the Astorian.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTING.

Enter the name of the lady whom you wish to secure one of these magnificent rewards in this contest at once. She may win an automobile, piano, a free trip, or one of the valuable scholarships. Better still, get the lady to enter her name and then vote for her. Those who get in on the start have the best chance of winning, so it is desirable that the names be entered at once in order to get a good start. Candidates who enter this contest do not necessarily have to be subscribers of the Astorian. Enter your name and your friends will do the rest. You will be surprised to see how rapidly the votes will come in, and what little efforts is necessary to win one of the rewards offered. Get in on the start and encourage your friends to vote for you; the rest will be easy. You will never know how popular you are until you enter a contest of this kind.

### DISTRICTS.

The districts will be divided as follows: First district will include all the City of Astoria east of Twenty-second street; second district will include all the City of Astoria east of Ninth street to Twenty-second; third district will include all the City of Astoria west of Ninth street to city limits; fourth district will include all the towns in and around Ilwaco and Chinook; fifth district will include the towns of Hammond, Warrenton and Seaside.

### HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED.

The automobile will be awarded to the young lady receiving the largest number of votes in the the five dis-

## List of Nominations.

**FIRST DISTRICT**—Includes all the City of Astoria east of Twenty-second street to City Limits.

	VOTE
Miss Tyra Nordstrom, 2165 Bond street.....	396
Miss Clara Larson, 1411 Franklin avenue.....	391
Miss Lillie Anderson, 2548 Franklin avenue.....	288
Miss Nellie Davis, 1702 Franklin avenue.....	260
Miss May Enberg, 2323 Cedar street.....	250
Miss Nellie Anstedt, 1653 Irving avenue.....	189
Miss Anna Campbell, 1798 Duane street.....	143
Miss Esther Mattila, 1336 Grand avenue.....	126
Miss Margaret Avains, 222 33d street.....	47
Miss Sophie Carlson, 305 Columbia.....	18
Miss Mary Tasala, 1203 Franklin.....	6

**SECOND DISTRICT**—Includes all the City of Astoria east of Ninth to Twenty-second streets.

Miss Olga Heilborn, 592 Franklin avenue.....	1008
Miss Martha Ford, 392 17th street.....	698
Miss Jeanie S. Lynch, 744 Franklin avenue.....	676
Miss Mamie Wilson, 748 Jerome.....	519
Miss Hazel Hamlin, with A. R. Cyrus.....	476
Miss Elsie Elmore, 385 14th street.....	457
Miss May Dench, 373 18th street.....	278
Miss Armella Grussi, 775 Franklin avenue.....	260
Miss Mabel Simington, 395 15th street.....	211
Miss Edna Campbell, 458 Commercial street.....	200
Miss Laura McCann, 782 Exchange.....	189
Miss Mary Gregory, 545 8th street.....	178
Miss Birdie Wise, 478 Harrison street.....	141
Miss Hattie Tallant, 682 Grand avenue.....	137
Miss Louis Brown, with Chamber of Commerce.....	136
Miss Kate Shively.....	723
Miss Birdie McCrosky, 719 Duane.....	112
Miss Annie Carlson, 221 Harrison avenue.....	16
Miss Hilda Klunkia, 570 Grand avenue.....	16
Miss Mary Boentgen, 538 Duane.....	13
Miss Alice Nelson, 578 Grand avenue.....	11
Miss Annie Bue, Harrison avenue.....	10

**THIRD DISTRICT**—Includes all the City of Astoria west of Ninth street to City Limits.

Miss Ruth Blinn, 386 9th street.....	664
Miss Hazel Estes, 237 Commercial street.....	579
Miss Leta Drain, 244 6th street.....	318
Miss Mamie Clinton, 289 Harrison street.....	309
Miss Edith Smith, 189 6th street.....	238
Miss Nancie Reed, 91 Bond, at P. O.....	218
Mrs. Arthur Hess, 341 7th street.....	156
Miss Thyra Knudson, 122 4th street.....	46
Miss Alma Baker, 264 W Astor.....	17
Miss Esther Gearhart, 359 Grand avenue.....	16
Miss Flora Johnson, 401 Commercial street.....	7

**FOURTH DISTRICT**—Includes the Towns of Ilwaco and Chinook and territory on the north side of the river.

Miss Nina Russell, Ilwaco.....	247
Miss Daisy Baker, P. O., Cathlamet.....	149
Miss Ida Williamson, Ilwaco.....	143
Miss Hazel White, Chinook.....	48
Miss Olive Thompson, Chinook.....	16
Miss Elinor Williams, Ilwaco.....	16
Miss Pearl Mitchell, Ilwaco.....	16
Miss Kate Graham, Ilwaco.....	10
Miss Bethel Storms, Chinook.....	6

**FIFTH DISTRICT**—Includes the Towns of Warrenton, Hammond and Seaside and all territory in Clatsop County outside of Astoria.

Miss Mabel Taylor, Flavel.....	363
Miss Eva Parker, Warrenton.....	209
Miss Mabel Steabb, Seaside.....	169
Miss Edna Case, Warrenton.....	109
Miss Emma Howard, Hammond.....	88
Miss Eva Goffman, Seaside.....	10
Miss Lew Townsend, Warrenton.....	10
Miss Emma Peterson, Seaside.....	6
Miss Anna Sigurdset, Warrenton.....	6
Miss Mary Hawkins, Seaside.....	5

The piano the second grand in each district—the lady standing prize will be awarded to the young second, will receive the scholarship lady receiving the second largest vote and the third will each receive the in the five districts. The trips—one gold watch.

NOT GOOD AFTER APRIL 28, 1908

## ASTORIAN

VOTING CONTEST.

For.....

Dist.,....., Address.....

County.....

Good for one vote when filled out and sent to The Astorian office by mail or otherwise on or before expiration date. No ballot will be altered in any way, or transferred after being received by the Astorian.

## VALUE OF SPECIAL BALLOTS BY CARRIER AND MAIL

	VOTES	OLD	NEW
Morning Astorian, one month.....	\$ 0.60	60	120
Morning Astorian, three months.....	1.80	300	600
Morning Astorian, six months.....	3.50	1000	2000
Morning Astorian, one year.....	7.00	2500	5000
Morning Astorian, two years.....	14.00	7000	14000

	VOTES	OLD	NEW
Weekly Astorian, one year.....	\$ 1.50	300	600
Weekly Astorian, two years.....	3.00	1000	2000

In all cases where ballots are issued subscriptions must be paid in advance. The full amount of money must be sent direct by mail, paid to local agents, or brought to this office.

The paper will be delivered by mail or through agents, as requested.

Besides the votes given on subscriptions there will be a coupon published in each issue of the Morning Astorian which when cut out and filled in, will count as one vote. These coupons must be mailed to the Morning Astorian Contest Manager before the expiration printed on each ballot.

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