

THE SPECIAL OFFER IS A BIG HELP

Candidates are All Taking Advantage of Big Offer---The Favorites are Now Beginning to Show Their Speed and "Hustle" Is the Word

Day by day enthusiasm grows keener in The Astorian contest and each hour brings in votes. Each candidate realizes that she must make the best of each day, so every day in the contest grows exciting.

The whole county is alive to the issues and as the contest progresses the interest will undoubtedly reach fever heat. The climax comes June 16, 1908, at which time the contest closes and it is then the popularity of each candidate will be determined and the seventeen young ladies to take the vacations, scholarships, watches automobiles and piano will be made known. It is a good plan to get reserve votes in readiness for that time, as you are never positive of the number of votes your contemporaries have and a reserve may come into good play on the last day.

Remember, that on Monday, May 18, a special ballot of 20,000 will be given each and every contestant who secures five new yearly subscriptions to the Daily Astorian.

Also 5000 extra votes will be given to each and every contestant who secures 5 new 6 months' subscriptions to the Daily Astorian.

Every one can win a special ballot if she tries. There will be plenty of time to get in five new subscriptions if a little effort is used. Five thousand votes may win a free vacation and as another offer of this kind will not be made it would be a good idea to take advantage of this while the opportunity present itself.

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.

The easiest and quickest way to win is for candidates to ask their friends to prepay their subscription for 6 to 12 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 contestants 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.

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 five districts. The piano the second grand prize will be awarded to the young

lady receiving the second largest vote in the five districts. The trips—one in each district—the lady standing second, will receive the scholarship and the third will each receive the gold watch.

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List of Nominations.

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

	VOTE
Miss Lydia Yoder	22,968
Miss Annie Bus, 1660 Franklin avenue	21,959
Miss Nellie Davis, 1702 Franklin avenue	21,932
Miss May Enberg, 2323 Cedar street	20,921
Miss Clara Larson, 1411 Franklin avenue	20,878
Miss Mamie Wilson, 364 35th street	19,963
Miss Rose Nordstrom, 2165 Bond	18,973
Miss Esther Mattila, 1336 Grand avenue	18,746
Miss Margaret Avaina, 222 33d street	16,918
Miss Lillie Anderson, 2548 Franklin avenue	10,209
Miss Nellie Anstedt, 1653 Irving avenue	9,656

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

Miss Hazel Hamlin, with A. R. Cyrus	20,913
Miss Mary Fossett, 749 Grand avenue	19,916
Miss Martha Foad, 392 17th street	19,796
Miss Jeanie S. Lynch, 74 Franklin avenue	19,697
Miss Lelah Gilbaugh, with Hoefer	19,634
Miss Armella Crussi, 775 Franklin av	18,952
Miss Edna Campbell, 458 Commercial street	18,751
Miss Mabel Simington, 395 15th street	18,516
Miss May Dench, 373 1/2 18th street	18,497
Miss Alice Nelson, 578 Grand avenue	17,648
Miss Birdie Wise, 478 Harrison street	17,629
Miss Elsie Elmore, 385 14th street	16,978
Miss Olga Heilborn, 592 Franklin avenue	15,966
Miss Hattie Tallant, 682 Grand avenue	14,846
Miss Birdie McCrosky, 719 Duane	13,996
Miss Mary Boentgen, 538 Duane	13,968
Miss Hilda Klunkia, 570 Grand avenue	10,764

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

Mrs Arthur Hess, 341 7th street	26,774
Miss Leta Drain, 244 6th street	24,837
Miss Edith Smith, 189 6th street	22,840
Miss Esther Anderson, 368 Kensington	21,603
Miss Mary Gregory, 545 8th street	20,908
Miss Maude Ross, 103 2nd street	19,922
Miss Ella Powell, 171 Exchange	19,169
Miss Nancie Reed, 91 Bond, at P. O.	18,789
Miss Ruth Blinn, 386 9th street	17,914
Miss May Parker, 291 6th street	17,476
Miss Frances Norberg	14,650
Miss Alma Baker, 26 1/2 W. Astor	10,998
Miss Hazel Estes, 237 Commercial street	10,807
Miss Esther Gearhart, 359 Grand ave	9,986
Miss Nellie Hagman, 108 Astor	9,942
Miss Sophie Carlson, 305 Columbia	6,343

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

Miss Elinor Williams, Ilwaco	17,253
Miss Olive Thompson, Chinook	14,937
Miss Ida Williamson, Ilwaco	14,768
Miss Daisy Baker, P. O., Cathlamet	11,783
Miss Nina Russell, Ilwaco	2,860
Miss Myrtle Alexander, Chinook	10

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

Miss Eva Parker, Warrenton	22,937
Miss Louise Brown, Hammond	18,740
Miss Eva Coffman, Seaside	17,997
Miss Nettie Utzinger, Seaside	16,984
Miss Mabel Taylor, Flavel	16,964
Miss Edith Haney, Seaside	16,915
Mrs. C. E. Linton, Warrenton	14,908
Miss Hazel Vannice, Warrenton	14,769
Miss Anna Sigurdson, Warrenton	10,457

NOT GOOD AFTER MAY 20, 1908.

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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	\$ 0.50	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

	WEEKLY.		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.

Astorian SPECIAL OFFER

Contestants Should READ This Offer Carefully

WE WILL GIVE EACH AND EVERY CONTESTANT AN EXTRA BALLOT OF

5000 TO 50,000 VOTES

WHO TURNS INTO THIS OFFICE FIVE OR TEN

New Yearly Subscriptions Prepaid DURING THE NEXT EIGHT DAYS

For each five new six-month subscriptions, we will issue a special ballot of 5000, besides the regular ballot, on each subscription. For each FIVE NEW YEARLY subscriptions to the Daily Astorian each candidate will receive 20,000 extra votes. Each candidate who turns in ten new yearly subscriptions to Daily Astorian will receive a special ballot of 50,000 extra votes.

This offer starts Monday May 11th, and ends Monday May 18th, 1908. Two new six-month subscriptions will count as one new-yearly. This is your chance to catch the leaders. Take advantage of it.

This Is Your Opportunity

TO GET EXTRA VOTES BY A VERY LITTLE EFFORT THIS OFFER WILL NOT BE REPEATED

The subscriptions should not be held back until Monday, but should be turned in as soon as secured. An accurate account will be kept of all new subscriptions turned in by the candidates. This offer is for NEW subscriptions only, turned in between Monday May 11, and May 18.

The contest manager will issue the extra ballots on and after this offer closes and will mail same to contestants entitled to same.

Address All Subscriptions and Communications to

Mgr. Contest Dept.

The Morning Astorian

Astoria, Oregon.

For further particulars and information read the daily Astorian.