Top Notchers Are Running Up Very Creditable Scores in Votes-Changes Brought About in Relative Standing of Competing Candidates in Districts.

Contest district No. 2 comprises the Willamette valley except Multnomah ty (which forms a district by itself) as far south as Eugene. Contestants

in this district compete with one another and at the same time with	4
contestants in all parts of Oregon.	2
1. Alice D. Grant, Dallas, Or	89
2. Earl Heckart, Corvallis, Or	13
S. Harlin Talbert, Albany, Or	14
4. Peter Seltice, Chemawa, Or	
5. Winona Ogden, Forest Grove, Or	
6. Jennie Bowersox, R. F. D. No. 2. Corvallis, Or	
7. Maud Hollinger, Forest Grove, Or	
8. Glenn E. Walker, Albany, Or 200101011010101010101010101010101010101	
9, Lulu Smith, Inglis, Or 8,8	
16. C. A. Schram, Oregon City, Or 7,7	
11. Francis Riverman, R. F. D. No. 1, Cornellus, Or	
12. J. Percy Read, 806 Walnut street, Albany, Or	
12. Meda Caldwell, R. F. D. No. 3, Albany, Or 2,8	
14. Leona Pinckney, St. Helens, Or	55
18. Emma Mohr. Hillsboro, Or 1.40	10
16. Earl Lee, Waterloo, Or 8	90
17. Halbert Hawken, Lebanon, Or 60	00
18. H. A. Wood, Harrisburg, Or 40	50
19. Harry Chase, Eugene, Or 23	7-0
District Mumber 1,	ĺ

This contest district is made up of Multnomah county and includes Port-Contestants in this district compete with one another and at the same with all contestants in other parts of the northwest, 10. J. A. Guy, 491 East Twenty-eighth street, Portland, Or.......... 6,650 13. May Pendergrass, 818 Savier street, Portland, Or. 5,750

Contest district No. 4 comprises all of eastern Oregon and eastern Washngton. Contestants in this district compete with one another and also against

Contest district No. 3 includes all that part of Oregon south of Eugene d the countles of Oregon bordering on the Pacific ocean. Contestants in this district compete against one another and at the same time against con-

a total for Alice Grant of 63,890.

Polk County Liberal.

Up to date Polk county has done nearly twice as much for the one contestant. Alice Grant, as Benton county has done for the two, Jennie Bowersox and Earl Heckart. Surely there cannot be this difference in the wealth and generosity of the two counties?

She Works Quietly.

Mrs. Meckart Popular.

Earl is assisted very much in his work by a kindly disposed stepmother, who is well liked in the parts of Oregon where she was a school teacher before her marriage to Earl's father. Through personal letters, Mrs. Heckart has appealed to her many friends and acquaintances to aid her stepson in his efforts to provide himself with an education through The Journal contest.

For the last two or three winters the Heckart home has sheltered several of the students of the Oregon Agricultural college. These college students in the home of the Heckarts have had an inspiring influence upon the son and have added to his desire to become a scholar.

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Beporter for Bowspaper.

For some time Earl Heckart has enjoyed the distinction to be public school reporter of the Corvallis Gazette. This news writing has given him practice in the use of English and construction and has trained him to be an observer.

In his canvassing in his home town Earl is confronted with this question, "Why are you trying for the Dallas sollege scholarship when we have a good college at home?" The people of Corvallis are loyal to their great institution and wish to have their own college patronized by home students. At first some of them could not understand why Earl should go away from home to attend school. This is easily answered and explained.

Earl cannot attend the Oregon Agri-

testants in all other parts of the northwest. Corvallis and Dallas furnish contest- | credit of Early Heckart and Jennie Bowants of unusual merit in The Journal's ersox on Saturday was 37,325, as against

olarship contest. The two towns contain three contestants who are striving for the scholarship in Dallas College. One boy is racing against two girls for the one prize which all covet.

Corvalits is dividing up its support between the boy and the two girls. Some people in Corvalits, in the beginning, gave subscriptions to the girl of Dallas.

of the two counties?

Some men and women choose to support the boy because he is a boy. Some are inclined to favor the girls because they are girls. The motives of subscribers differentiate according to their individual tastes.

The good feeling prevailing among these rival vote hustlers is much to their credit.

Earl Heckart does not feel out of sorts with Miss Grant because she persists in keeping ahead of him no matter how hard he works. Nor does he become discouraged as some boys might. He works away and does the best he can. He is cheerful. He watches every move and every advance in votes made by Miss Bowersox, but he treats her salknity and he respects her interests and her friends.

She Works Quistly. But now Corvallis and vicinity is backing Earl Heckart and Jennie Bow-ersox, the Corvallis candidates, and Dallas is supporting Alice Grant, the candidate of Dallas and Polk county.

Benton Lined Up. Benton Zined Up.

Benton county outside of Corvallis is pretty well lined up for Miss Bowersox, who lives a few miles out of Cervallis on a farm. The farmers who know her and who are acquainted with her struggles for an education are her champions. Heckart, by his enterprise and good tact, secures subscriptions from many farmers, and Miss Bowersox has the support of some townspeople.

As between Earl Heckart and Miss Bowersox it has become a race to every prospective subscriber.

The total number of votes to the She Works Quietly.

Miss Bowersox, on the other hand, adopts every fair means to gain votes. She makes a trip into a new locality and works as quietly as possible until she has it canvassed. Heckart may run across her track and get subscriptions where she has failed. Likewise does she induce subscriptions where he has tried and failed, as is always the way in canvassing; one person cannot do all the business.

Charles Heckart, father of Earl Heckart, is a contractor and builder. He has lived nearly all his life in Corvallis and vicinity and is generally known. Where the boy is a stranger he mentions that he is the son of Charles Heckart and straight and he is rewarded with a subscription. But Earl does not depend solely upon his father's popularity for winning subscriptions. He has to go after and talk for the contest votes with which he is building up a winning score. He starts to work early in the morning and stops at noon only long enough to eat dinner. He does not quit until night shuts the doors against him.



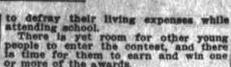
The old adage, "The happy man's without a shirt," sounds shiftless nowadays.

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Today and tomorrow your choice of 100 Negligee Shirts at 50c-they were a dollar each and are all of this season's make.



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The thirteenth count of ballots in The Journal educational contest is given here and the contestants are arranged a geographical districts in their relative order of standing. The total number of contest votes to the credit of here contestant is set down opposite to the name and address.

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The contestants are striving for scholarships in leading Oregon schools, as numerated in a list in another column; iso for bags of gold offered by The ournal. The money will be distributed of the most deserving, as determined by heir relative standing and it will help District Fumber 2.

Earl Heckart, of Corvallis, contending against two girls in district

cultural college the coming year because he is too young. He is only 14 years old and 15 years is the youth limit at the Oregon Agricultural college. Earl is now ready for college work and he does not care to wait a whole year in order to be eligible to the state school. Since his youth prohibits his schooling at home, Earl has the consent of his parents to go to Delias provided he can win the scholarship offered by The Journal.

Russell Likes to Eustle. Russell Likes to Rustle.

Russell Likes to Eustle.

William Russell, one of the most enterprising contestants in Multnomah county, spent a part of last week in strip along the Willamette river for contest votes. He went up stream as far as Dayton. On his bloycle he covered about 30 miles of country roads and called at the farm houses.

The farmers were hospitable and invited him to meals and to spend his nights with them without cost. Some of them patronized him but nearly all of them took The Journal already.
Russell has grown to like newspaper canvassing and thinks he will follow



William Russell, making a gallant fight for head in District No. 1 of The Journal contest-Photo by

this and other departments of newspa-per work as a business. He wants to win a scholarship in a business college, as he realizes that to be properly equipped for the business end of the publishing business he should know something of bookkeeping and short-hand.

hand.

Hilds Brant secured the subscription of R. P. Graham of 205 Marquam building as soon as she asked for it. Mr. Graham feels friendly to the Educational contest plan as his nephew, Guy Graham of Troutdale, benefited by it last year.

Strange Story of Ten Stick Island. From Pearson's Weekly.
It was stated in parliament the other day that the New Hebrides belong to nobody.

Presumably, this curious statement meant, if it meant anything, that the slands belong to the New Hebrideans

meant, if it meant anything, that the islands belong to the New Hebrideans themselves.

But even this is not quite true, For although the French and British high commissioners, while expressly disclaiming ownership, exercise a joint control over the group by virtue of the Anglo-Franco convention of October, 1906, yet there is nevertheless one small island which belongs outright to Great Britain—which is as much British soil as is, say, the Isle of Wight.

It is situated in South-West bay, Malekula, is of considerable height, although only a few hundred yards in circumference, and the story of its acquisition is an amusing one.

South-West bay has always been considered the best place in the islands for target practice by the man-of-war patrolling the group, and this small islet was used as a target so frequently that it seemed in danger of being gradually shot away.

The chief who owned it protested, and wanted compensation. The captain of the man-of-war, who understood New Hebridean nature, knew that these claims would be a censeless source of blackmail unless they were settled once for all; so he bought the Island outright for the British crown, paying ten sticks of tobacco for it, and everyone was satisfied. The place, since then, has always been known as "Ten Stick Island," and is undoubtedly the smallest isolated bit of Britain existent upon the surface of the globe.

The state committee of the Independence league of Messachusetts has decided to have a full state ticket in the field this fall.

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SEARCHLIGHTS WILL THROWRAYS 100 MILES

THE OREGON DAILY JOURNAL, PORTLAND, MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 12,

Illumination of Niagara Falls Greatest Electrical Display Attempted.

Niagara Palls, N. Y., Aug. 12 .- All the night illumination of Nlagara Falls, regarded by engineers as the greatest feat ever attempted in electrical illumination. The scheme calls for nearly fifty large searchlights, several of them the largest of their kind and capable of throwing a beam of light a hundred miles. The projectors are to be located below the falls in two batteries, one at the water's edge and the other on the high ground on the Canadian side. Every inch of the falls will be under light. Attached to the searchlights will be a recently invented color scintillator by which the beams of light can be made any color at will. The mist and the water will be bathed in all the colors of the rainbow, producing a most gorgeous effect.

It is planned now to turn on the illuminations for the first time next Thursday night. The work is in charge of the General Ellectric company, whose experts say that the rays of colored lights when flashed in the air will be visible at points as far distant as Toronto and Rochester. the night illumination of Niagara Falls,

SUICIDE CAUSED BY HIS WIFE'S POLITICS

Husband of Female Member of Finnish Parliament Takes

(Journal Special Service.) Berlin, Aug. 12 .- The first result new law admitting women in Finand as members of parliament has just

land as members of parliament has just been made known. A man committed suicide and before dying he wrote a letter to the police stating that he could not stand life any longer.

His wife negleced him and the home and he no longer had enough to eat. His wife is one of the new members of parliament, who have been so much talked of in Finland of late. She utterly neglected her wifely duties to give herself up to politics, and she allowed her unfortunate husband out of her salary as legislator only a beggarly 2 cents a day to live upon.

The husband of the legislatress thought he could not imperil his wife's dignity by going begging, so he committed suicide as the only way out of the difficulty.

KAISER IS BUILDING SPEEDWAY FOR AUTOS

(Journal Special Service.)

Berlin, Aug. 12.—The kaiser, who is an ardent motorist, is having two tracks exclusively for automobiles, constructed through his estate of Schortheide. exclusively for automobiles, constructed through his estate of Schortheide.

He is convinced of the necessity of special roads for automobiles, separate from the ordinary highways, and is therefore spending a huge sum out of his own private purse on the Schortheide tracks, as an experiment and an example. They will be 23 miles in total length and 36 fest broad. The paving will be of cement, laid as smooth as a parquette floor. The expense of the track will be very heavy, as it will be cut through a forest.

MUSIC FESTIVAL WILL CONTINUE FOR MONTH

Munich, Aug. 12.—Many visitors, including a considerable number of English and Americans, are here for the great Richard Wagner and Mozari festival, which began today and will contival. tival, which began today and will con-tinue until the middle of September. Some of the most distinguished Ger-man operatic artists will be heard and the conductors include Messrs. Felix Mottl, Frans Fischer, Hugo Rohr and Schalk.

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Secretary Will Begin His Own Campaign During Coming Week.

SPEECH AT COLUMBUS WILL BE KEYNOTE TALK

Political Address There to Be Open Challenge to Foraker Faction-Leaves Ohio to Invade Missouri and Pacific Coast States.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—Secre-tary Taft returns to Washington today his trip west. It is probable that he will depart next Sunday for Columbus, Ohio, where he is elated to make a

Ohio, where he is elated to make a speech the following night before the Buckeye Republican club.

It is expected that this speech at Columbus will be the keynote of the Taft campaign and probably the most important political address of the summer. It will be an open challenge to the Foraker faction and a defiance of their obstructive tactics in Ohio. The secretary of war will answer the attacks on himself in connection with the tariff revision question, will defend the position of the administration with respect to the Brownsville affair and appeal to the voters as the representative of the policies of President Roosevelt.

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After leaving Columbus the next important stopping place of Secretary Taft will be Louisville, where he has promised to speak the following Thursday. Two days later he will address the Republican rally at Oklahoma City, preliminary to the statehood election. The next week he will carry the campaign into Missouri, speaking at Joplin and Springfield. Lincoln, Nebraska, the home of William J. Bryan, is next on the Taft itinerary. All arrangements for the trip farther west have not yet been completed, but announcement has already been made that Secretary Taft will speak in Denver, Portland, Tacoma and probably several other cities before sailing from Seattle, September 10, for the Philippines.

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