

REELECTION PLEA OF HOFF BASED ON OFFICE EFFICIENCY

Salem, April 10.—State Treasurer O. P. Hoff in announcing his candidacy for reelection says he will make his race for reelection on a platform of integrity, efficiency and economy as established by his department during the past three years under his administration. In a statement issued today he points out economies effected by himself in the handling of the state's funds and in the investigation of its affairs.

"In the past three years I have earned and saved the state, through the application of business principles in the handling of the funds entrusted to my care, approximately \$25,000," the statement reads.

"I have successfully administered a business which has increased in volume 240 per cent since 1915, with an increase in departmental expense of 31 per cent."

INTEREST SAVINGS BIG

"The year preceding my advent into this office, the state treasurer handled, in round figures, \$10,000,000 in receipts and disbursements and maintained an average daily active balance of \$38,000 on which the state received no interest, as it is the inactive accounts, only that pay interest. The third year of my administration, the department handled \$69,000,000 with an average daily active balance of \$35,000, the difference earning in interest over \$5000 for the state of Oregon. Approximately an equal amount saved each year in the same manner."

"By close attention to the industrial and segregated accident funds, I increased the interest yield 186 per cent with an increase in funds of 93 per cent, or \$71,000 saved for 1921."

"I saved the state over \$5000 by arranging with banks to handle indorserd state warrants for 2 per cent instead of 4 per cent, when the general funds became exhausted last year."

"I have increased the earnings of the inheritance tax department over \$60,000 by inaugurating a policy of examining valuations and insisting on the true value being placed on all property."

"I refused to sanction a proposed increase in my salary during the 1921 legislative session, believing the present time for reduction in state expense."

HIGH SALARIES OPPOSED

"I have consistently opposed increases in salaries of state officials and more highly paid state employees and have opposed what I conscientiously believed to be unwise expenditures of state funds."

"These facts are duly audited by state officials and inscribed on the state's records, and I invite inspection thereof."

"The methods of economy and undivided attention to the state's business, which have enabled me to make this record, will continue to be my policy, and the principles embodied in my oath of office is my platform, and approval of the same by the people will be sincerely appreciated."

U. of W. Debaters Are Named on Team

University of Washington, Seattle, April 10.—The team that will represent the University of Washington in its dual debate with Pennsylvania State here April 17 will consist of Robert Macfarlane, Kai Jensen and Ralph Graves, according to an announcement by debate coach Glen Hoover. All three men are letter winners in debate at Washington.

OFFICIALS RESIGN

Prineville, April 10.—The resignations of M. W. Skisworth, city attorney, and John Fincher, city marshal, were accepted at the recent meeting of the Prineville city council. John Zeek has been elected to fill the vacancy left by Fincher. No applications have as yet been received for city attorney.

FATHERLAND IS NOT WHAT IT USED TO BE.



Paul Steinmetz, who has just returned from a tour of Germany, where he found industry like a beehive, but people poor and tax-strangled.

Elizabeth Irvine, Oregon Pioneer, Is Called by Death

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston Irvine, Oregon pioneer, died April 2 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Hanna, No. 1207 East Burnside street. Mrs. Irvine was born May 12, 1852, in Fulton county, Illinois, and crossed the plains with her parents by mule team when she was only 11 years old. At the age of 18 she was married to S. E. Irvine at independence, O. R. Five children were born. Mrs. W. E. Roy, No. 1 East 28th street, Portland; S. E. Irvine, Independence, O.; Mrs. J. L. Hanna, No. 1207 East Burnside street; Mrs. E. N. Johnson, Terrebonne, O.; and Miss Gladys Irvine, Astoria. Eight grandchildren, two great grandsons and four sisters also survive. Mrs. E. E. Burns of Dallas, Mrs. Nancy Wilson of Reno, Nev., Mrs. Hickey Sternburg, Vancouver, Wash., and Mrs. L. M. Beck, Burns, Mrs. Irvine resided with her husband in Independence for 50 years. She celebrated her golden wedding September 4, 1921.

MRS. AGNES M. BUCKLEY

The funeral of Mrs. Agnes M. Buckley took place Tuesday morning from St. Mary's cathedral. Burial was in Mount Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Buckley died at the family residence No. 270 14th street, April 1. She was born in Prineville in 1870, the daughter of Timothy and Johanna Brundage, pioneers, who raised here, and was graduated from St. Mary's academy. She is survived by her husband, J. P. Buckley, associated with Lipman, Wolfe & Co., and a son of Jerome.

While crossing the road in front of her home at Fruitland, Mrs. George Bingham, aged 77, was struck by a truck and seriously injured.

PAUL STEINMETZ GETS BACK FROM TOUR OF GERMANY

Germany's young manhood, facing keen industrial competition, wages insufficient to more than exist and years of reparations taxes, is gazing fondly toward the United States. If wishes were granted and passports available, it would require all the passenger ships in the world to transport this army of Teutonic boys to the American shores. This is the conclusion of Paul Steinmetz, proprietor of the Portland Cutlery company, who has recently returned from a business sojourn of several months in the principal cities of Germany. Accompanying him home was his nephew, Werner Steinmetz, a bright, well educated lad of 16 years. The boy, who speaks French, fluently and possesses the rudiments of an English education, was the envy of scores of his youthful companions when they learned that he had been given passports to go to the United States with his uncle. His departure was in the nature of an ovation. Other boys begged to be taken along, but their pleadings were in vain, owing to the restrictions on immigration.

"The reasons for the industrial unrest in Germany are obvious," said Mr. Steinmetz. "Wages are so low compared with cost of living, despite the fact that the rudiments of an English education can not live respectably on his net earnings. The government re-arranges tax taken 30 per cent of the wages of all working people and 70 per cent of the profits of all business and indus-

trial concerns. The average laborer in Germany gets from 2500 to 3000 marks a month. Mechanics receive 4000 to 5000 marks. At the maximum figure laborers receive less than \$10 a month, on the basis of an American dollar. The chambermaid in the hotel at Berlin, where I stopped told me her pay was 115 marks a month. Imagine her joy when I gave her a dollar tip, a sum which exceeded her monthly wages. Of course her board and room were furnished her free.

BEEF TWO CENTS A POUND

"Offsetting the low wage to a large degree is the low cost of living, where paid for in American coin foreigners can get the best hotel accommodations, spend a reasonable amount in cafes and other amusement places for a total of \$5 a day, American money. Foreigners who are in Germany on business are charged double for what they get, in many instances. It is the foreigner and the German war profiteer who are doing all the spending. Cafes and cabarets are crowded. A good glass of beer costs 3 cents, wine, 20 to 25 cents a bottle, and champagne, 75 cents, American.

"The cabarets are conducted on the wide-open policy and many of the women performers appear in abbreviated attire that would even shock gay Paris."

"Outside the white lights the masses are toiling and pinching to make ends meet. House shortages is keen."

"Foreign buyers, taking advantage of the low value of the German mark, are literally flooding the big industrial centers. Orders are booked six to 12 months ahead, and in some cases plants have contracted their entire output for a period of two years. Numerous American buyers have returned home empty handed, it being impossible for them to obtain goods."

FREE-WAR PRICES PREVAIL

"Free-war prices are now prevailing in the industrial plants, and the trend is upward. England, which controls the peat industry, is compelling German knife factories to exchange marks for English pounds in payment for the ma-

terial used in manufacture of the better class of pearl handle knives. Illustrative of the demand for goods is the recent great exposition at Leipzig. Commemorative sold out their entire sample stocks within three days after the fair opened."

"When in Hamburg I saw numbers of English ships under repair in German yards. The steamship Majestic, formerly designed as the Bismarck, the largest passenger ship in the world, was on the ways nearly ready to be launched for the British, the vessel to be turned in on the reparations account. The ship carries a crew of 750 men, in fact, a double crew."

"Thousands of Americans have booked passage to attend the next presentation of the famous Passion play at Oberammergau, Upper Bavaria."

"I visited the great Krupp works and

tried to induce the management to send an exhibit to the 1925 fair at Portland. The proposition was favorably received, but they told me that they were financially unable to participate. A number of other manufacturing plants did promise to send exhibits, however."

"The Krupp works are now specializing in the manufacture of mechanical devices, not a gun being made in the plant. The output includes typewriters, cash registers, adding machines, movie machines and sewing machines."

TAKE CHARGE OF HOTEL

Heppner, April 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dean of Portland have assumed charge of the Hotel Patrick, succeeding Mrs. Pyle, who has had charge of the hotel for the last six months. Mrs. Pyle will return to Parker's Mill, her old home.

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Portland Students Are Given Degrees

University of Washington, Seattle, April 10.—Oliver Finley Eberly and Pauline Herber, both of Portland, are included in the list of 43 graduates of the University of Washington who were awarded degrees at the close of the winter quarter. The list of names has just been announced. Eberly was granted the degree of bachelor of science in the college of forestry. She belongs to Kappa Sigma fraternity. Miss Herber was awarded the degree of bachelor of business administration. She belongs to Phi Mu society.

SUSPECT BOY HURLERS

Burglars entered the home of J. J. Herndon, No. 214 Monroe street, last Saturday night and stole \$2 in silver and a camera, according to a report to police. Boys in the neighborhood are suspected of doing the stealing.

Into the Waste Basket by Mistake

Rush! Hurry! Bustle! Modern business has no time for the sluggish. And so the modern business man often has a desk piled high with papers and documents. Often important papers are thrown into the waste basket by mistake.

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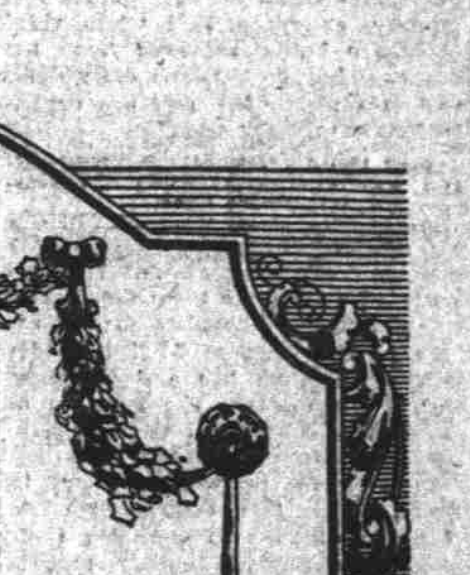
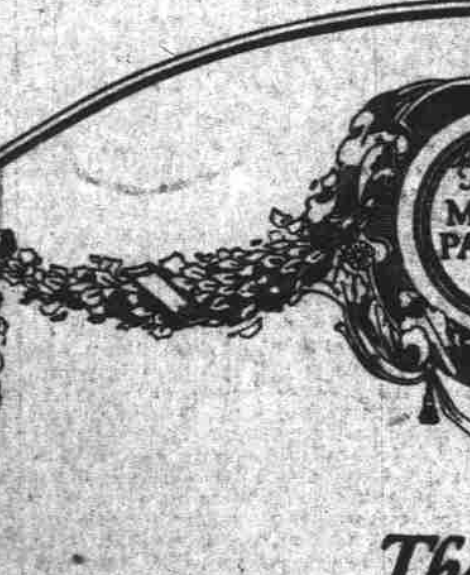
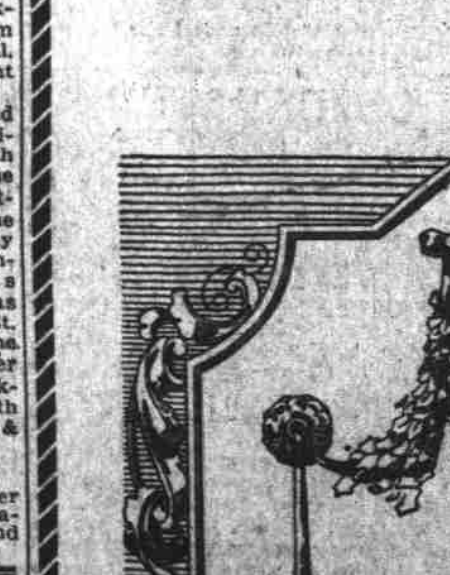
From the time that the paper pattern came into existence, nearly fifty years ago, there has been no fundamental improvement in the pattern itself until the advent of the New McCall Printed Pattern.

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Enlarged Pattern Dept., Main Floor

Watch Your Colon

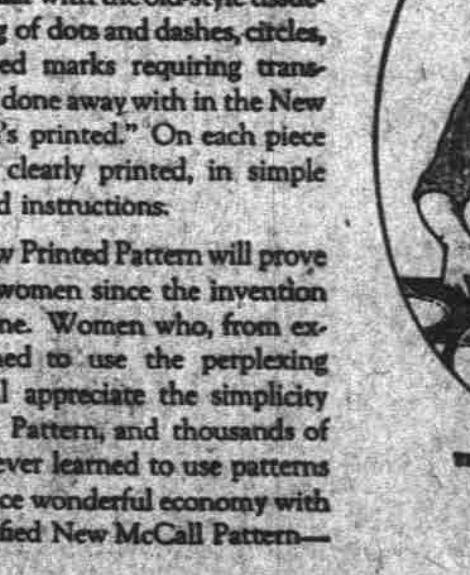
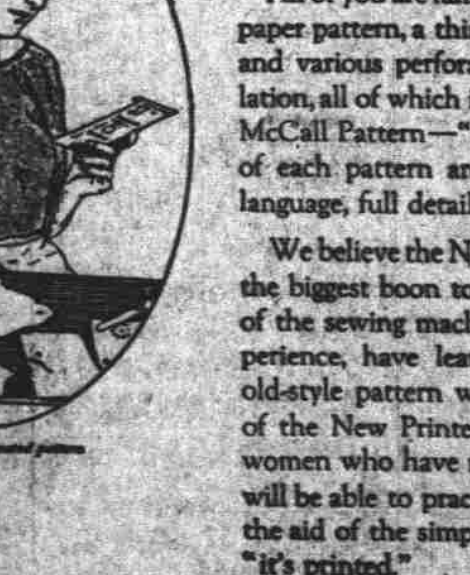
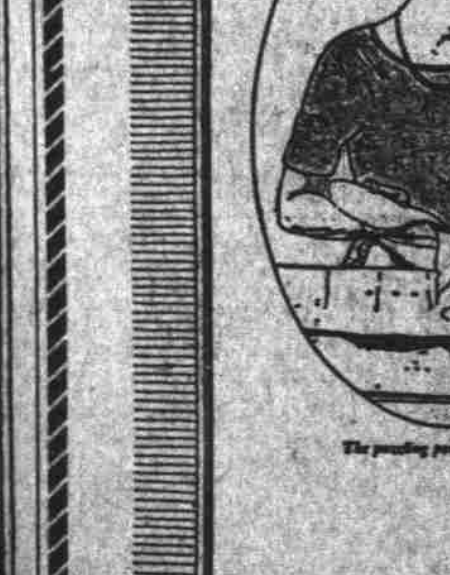
When neglected it is a source of many distressing ailments, among them auto-intoxication, which leads to hardening of the arteries. Keep the colon clean, healthy and active by eating

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Fudge Aprons At 50c

Main Floor — Women's and Misses' stamped Fudge Aprons Darning and cross-stitch designs. Priced special 50c

Luncheon Sets At 95c

Main Floor—Lunch Cloth and four napkins. Stamped on linen finish Indian Head. Tomorrow priced at a set 95c

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5-lb. tins priced at only \$1.20

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Crescent Sardines, a can 17c

Crystal White Soap, 21 for \$1