Several More Candidates File for Public Offices

John Baker yesterday filed with the secretary of state his declaration as a candidate to succeed himself as district attorney for Hood Rivtr county. He is a republican.

Thomas A. Hayes filed as a candidate for the democratic nomination for circuit judge or department No. 2, Multnomah county.

Willard Wirtz filed as a candidate for the democratic nomination to succeed himself as district attorney for Cook county.

Judge Gilbert W. Phelps of Pendleton filed his statement as a candidate for reelection as judge for the Sixth judicial district, which consists of Morrow and Umatilla counties. His slogan is "Present circuit judge; continue impartial administration of law and justice." His platform says: "If I am nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, to the best of my ability, continue faithfully and impartially to perform the duties of the office."

Clyde N. Johnston of Eugene filed as a candidate for the republican nomination for district attorney for Lane county.

Edward Shearer of Estacada filed as a candidate for the republican nomination for representative from the 16th representative district, Clackamas county. His slogan is "Industrial improvement law enforcement, economy and service in government are my aims."

A kind writer tells the girls how to fill their hope chests. "But filling a hope chest is the least concern of the girls. It's what to do after they are filled that worries the fair damsels.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
of New York, in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income	
Total premium income for the year	$ 7,686,855.21
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	2,425,284.10
Income from other sources received during the year	297,127.71
Total income	$10,409,267.02
Disbursements	
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrender values	$ 4,697,309.38
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year	1,174,234.62
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	1,141,259.87
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	217,210.66
Amount of all other expenditures	664,251.13
Total expenditures	$ 7,894,265.66
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 1,500,000.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market or amortized value)	25,695,118.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	10,463,940.00
Premium notes and policy loans	9,255,771.83
Cash in banks and on hand	220,287.36
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	1,107,290.11
Interest and rents due and accrued	408,936.92
Other assets (net)	3,877.90
Total admitted assets	$48,655,222.12
Liabilities	
Net reserves	$43,799,666.00
Gross claims for losses unpaid	260,864.47
All other liabilities	2,579,195.35
Surplus	2,015,496.30
Total liabilities exclusive of capital stock	$48,655,222.12
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Gross premiums received during the year and premium abatements to policyholders not collected	$ 4,739.24
Premiums and dividends returned during the year	824.16
Losses paid during the year	10,000.00

HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
Ethelbert Ide Low, President.
William S. Gaylord, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, Insurance Commissioner.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
of Iowa, in the State of Iowa, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 700,000.00
Income	
Total premium income for the year	$10,795,237.74
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	2,971,748.80
Income from other sources received during the year	48,288.62
Total income	$13,785,275.16
Disbursements	
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrender values	$ 3,072,474.21
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year	1,700,694.07
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	49,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	2,094,975.39
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	295,178.87
Amount of all other expenditures	478,038.87
Total expenditures	$ 7,690,361.41
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 2,276,502.69
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market or amortized value)	2,074,301.43
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	38,100,823.14
Premium notes and policy loans	6,443,352.88
Cash in banks and on hand	175,119.47
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	1,153,548.49
Interest and rents due and accrued	1,493,198.62
Other assets (net); Misc., $582,616.75, less not admitted, $595,197.55	12,580.80
Total admitted assets	$51,704,265.92
Liabilities	
Net reserves	$43,769,262.00
Gross claims for losses unpaid	168,055.18
All other liabilities	7,071,948.74
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of $700,000.00	$51,004,265.92
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Gross premiums received during the year	$ 156,835.77
Premiums and dividends returned during the year	17,097.12
Losses paid during the year	16,069.00

EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF IOWA
H. S. Nollen, President.
B. F. Hadley, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, P. J. Binder.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
WESTERN ASSURANCE CO.
of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 400,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 2,331,470.82
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	188,154.14
Income from other sources received during the year	98,096.22
Total income	$ 2,617,721.18
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 1,344,020.49
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	927,172.73
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	66,681.45
Amount of all other expenditures	482,954.24
Total expenditures	$ 2,820,828.91
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	$ 3,217,582.91
Cash in banks and on hand	665,079.37
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	353,779.82
Interest and rents due and accrued	46,098.67
Other assets (net)	14,281.00
Total admitted assets	$ 4,296,821.77
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	966,071.00
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	1,836,441.64
All other liabilities	62,000.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of $400,000	$ 2,865,112.64
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 22,019.07
Losses paid during the year	19,085.15
Losses incurred during the year	20,414.74

WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY
Crum & Forster, U. S. Mgrs.
110 William St., New York.
Statutory resident attorney for service,

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
PACIFIC STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
of Portland, in the State of Oregon, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 310,420.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 481,976.87
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	47,019.65
Income from other sources received during the year	100.76
Total income	$ 529,097.28
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 220,022.45
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	143.50
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	180,504.74
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	16,763.48
Amount of all other expenditures	70,466.93
Total expenditures	$ 487,901.10
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 260,988.41
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	503,473.57
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	37,485.28
Cash in banks and on hand	43,220.79
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	222,720.09
Interest and rents due and accrued	11,000.24
Total admitted assets	$ 1,078,888.38
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 37,721.01
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	367,343.80
Mortgages on Real Estate	110,000.00
All other liabilities	11,243.17
Due Re-Insurance Companies	49,604.54
Total liabilities exclusive of capital stock	$ 575,912.52
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 304,911.23
Losses paid during the year	174,845.40
Losses incurred during the year	124,257.66

PACIFIC STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
T. H. Williams, President.
O. R. Jeffress, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, T. H. Williams, President.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
MILL OWNERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF IOWA
of Des Moines, in the State of Iowa, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 1,407,943.87
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	92,373.43
Income from other sources received during the year	84,350.99
Total income	$ 1,584,668.29
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	846,264.91
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	168,456.75
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	300,914.49
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	77,302.80
Amount of all other expenditures	22,935.65
Cash Deposits returned	78,858.97
Total expenditures	$ 1,494,733.57
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	80,000.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	1,473,150.00
Cash in banks and on hand	116,471.68
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	131,054.32
Interest and rents due and accrued	98,247.84
Total admitted assets	$ 1,899,529.79
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 123,642.83
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	706,248.22
Due for commission and brokerage	11,878.22
All other liabilities	42,940.45
Total liabilities exclusive of capital stock	$ 1,081,709.72
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 7,294.77
Losses paid during the year	$ 6,105.74
Losses incurred during the year	4,105.74

MILL OWNERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF IOWA
H. J. Benson, President.
J. T. Sharp, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, H. E. Martin, Portland, Oregon.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
PENNSYLVANIA LUMBERMEN'S MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 974,726.90
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	102,211.52
Income from other sources received during the year	36,241.00
Total income	$ 1,113,179.42
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 464,791.06
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year	347,222.82
Inspection charges and salaries paid during the year	141,059.86
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	15,896.18
Amount of all other expenditures	83,433.66
Total expenditures	$ 1,052,403.58
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 103,709.56
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	1,376,838.28
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	282,000.00
Cash in banks and on hand	114,574.12
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	41,220.25
Interest and rents due and accrued	30,269.46
Total admitted assets	$ 1,948,604.61
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 33,355.68
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	474,462.13
Due for inspection charges	4,180.91
All other liabilities	14,021.45
Total liabilities	$ 526,020.17
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 5,324.29
Losses paid during the year	175.54
Losses incurred during the year	325.54

PENNSYLVANIA LUMBERMEN'S MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Edward F. Henson, President.
Harry Humphreys, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, H. E. Martin, Portland, Oregon.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK
of the City of New York, in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 1,000,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 1,755,237.95
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	134,072.75
Income from other sources received during the year	238,044.34
Total income	$ 2,127,355.04
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 834,682.25
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	50,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	658,129.86
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	71,817.33
Amount of all other expenditures	53,963.23
Total expenditures	$ 1,668,592.67
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	3,268,300.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	67,000.00
Cash in banks and on hand	184,124.80
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	268,289.52
Interest and rents due and accrued	37,442.20
Total admitted assets	$ 3,825,156.52
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 142,415.78
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	1,714,250.93
All other liabilities	25,000.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of $1,000,000	$ 1,881,666.71
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 18,282.52
Losses paid during the year	19,956.88
Losses incurred during the year	9,019.38

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK
William Brewster, President.
James Marshall, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, Walter E. Bliss, Portland.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
FARMERS' MUTUAL FIRE RELIEF ASSOCIATION
of Portland, Oregon, on the 31st day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income	
Amount of ledger assets December 31st, 1922	$ 764.73
Interest on deposits	68.67
Policy fees	2,210.00
Application fees	18,175.79
Assessments	38,502.24
Total income	$ 59,721.43
Disbursements	
Actual amounts paid to policyholders for losses	$ 22,766.57
Less adjustment expenses	366.25
Agents compensation	12,004.19
Traveling expenses	104.50
Salaries and fees of officers, directors and clerks	6,803.25
Rent	397.50
Insurance department licenses	42.00
State Fire Marshal Tax	172.89
Postage, telegraph, telephone and exchange	744.34
Advertising, printing and stationery	391.49
Directors Meetings	96.00
Office supplies	157.65
Charitable Contributions	8.10
Miscellaneous	19.97
Fees and assessments refunded	307.81
Total Disbursements	$ 44,382.51
Total ledger assets on hand December 31st, 1923	$ 15,338.92
Liabilities	
Risks in force December 31st, 1922	$15,495,055.00
Written or renewed during year	6,058,600.00
Cancelled or expired during year	3,270,540.00
Net insurance in force December 31st, 1923	$18,283,115.00
Largest single risk of insurance	4,000.00

THE FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE RELIEF ASSOCIATION
H. W. Snashall, President.
Herman Loeding, Secretary.
State of Oregon,
County of Multnomah.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public for Oregon, this 25th day of January, 1923.
E. F. KAUFMAN,
Notary Public for the State of Oregon.
My Commission expires July 21st, 1924.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
PATRIOTIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA
in the State of New York, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 200,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 755,624.95
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	33,537.35
Income from other sources received during the year	788,336.37
Total income	$ 1,577,498.67
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 276,461.55
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	224,905.45
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	31,591.09
Amount of all other expenditures	79,372.26
Total expenditures	$ 612,330.35
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	$ 1,014,890.50
Cash in banks and on hand	181,726.02
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	207,281.71
Interest and rents due and accrued	6,865.86
Reinsurance recoverable on paid losses	4,744.85
Total admitted assets	$ 1,415,505.94
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 72,949.00
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	538,580.31
Due for commission and brokerage	4,000.00
All other liabilities	19,161.45
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of $200,000.00	$ 634,690.76
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 8,020.52
Losses paid during the year	2,360.30
Losses incurred during the year	3,363.05

PATRIOTIC INSURANCE CO. OF AMERICA
P. T. Kelsey, President.
Elliott L. Middleton, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, Insurance Commissioner.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
STANDARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
of Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 500,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 731,240.37
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	64,941.82
Income from other sources received during the year	51,076.20
Total income	$ 847,258.39
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 393,809.23
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	40,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	263,620.13
Taxes, licences and fees paid during the year	39,127.54
Amount of all other expenditures	133,379.97
Total expenditures	$ 869,936.87
Assets	
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	$ 1,360,940.10
Cash in banks and on hand	86,301.90
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	126,360.93
Interest and rents due and accrued	17,214.65
Total admitted assets	$ 1,590,817.58
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 74,636.52
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	811,605.40
All other liabilities	17,182.01
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock	$ 903,423.93
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 10,171.45
Losses paid during the year	7,566.20
Losses incurred during the year	6,991.88

M. L. Hewes, President.
H. B. Anthony, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service:

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL FIRE ASSOCIATION
of Seattle, in the State of Washington, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 3,055,769.69
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	71,829.01
Income from other sources received during the year	25,124.26
Total income	$ 3,152,722.96
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 1,313,033.63
Dividends paid policy holders during the year	679,195.82
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	731,884.88
Taxes, licences and fees paid during the year	57,087.29
Amount of all other expenditures	151,755.09
Total expenditures	$ 2,932,956.71
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 4,740.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	1,619,670.68
Loans on mortgages and collateral etc.	65,450.00
Cash in banks and on hand	326,449.88
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	437,247.48
Due from reinsuring companies for losses paid	12,769.05
Interest and rents due and accrued	25,515.72
Total admitted assets	$ 2,491,842.81
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 119,007.94
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	1,759,692.12
Due for commission and brokerage	22,773.70
All other liabilities	141,967.37
Total liabilities	$ 2,043,441.13
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 142,747.67
Losses paid during the year	81,465.53
Losses incurred during the year	54,786.10

NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL FIRE ASSOCIATION
F. J. Martin, President
M. D. L. Rhodes, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, Hubert H. Martin.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of the
THE AMERICAN DRUGGISTS' INS. CO.
of Cincinnati, in the State of Ohio, on the thirty-first day of December, 1923, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 300,000.00
Income	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 326,873.73
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	42,447.57
Income from other sources received during the year	1,400.04
Total income	$ 370,721.34
Disbursements	
Net losses paid during the year including adjustment expenses	$ 128,450.24
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	36,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	33,938.25
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	17,028.96
Amount of all other expenditures	68,062.79
Total expenditures	$ 283,480.24
Assets	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	$ 46,785.46
Value of stock and bonds owned (market value)	976,970.00
Cash in banks and on hand	19,710.22
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1923	47,692.54
Interest and rents due and accrued	9,909.68
All other assets	602.70
Total admitted assets	$ 1,101,676.60
Liabilities	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 9,557.39
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	173,593.07
All other liabilities	25,239.83
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock	$ 208,390.29
Business in Oregon for the Year	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 5,069.29
Losses paid during the year (net)	1,276.88
Losses incurred during the year (net)	1,277.38

THE AMERICAN DRUGGISTS FIRE INSURANCE CO.
Chas. H. Avery, President.
Frank H. Fredricks, Secretary.
Statutory resident attorney for service, Frank S. Ward.

LOTZ-LARSEN OPEN NEW ORE

Largest Body Yet Found at Santiam Property Encountered Monday

Another sensation was sprung in the Santiam river canyon Monday evening when the day's round of shots were fired at the Lotz-Larsen mine on the Little North Fork of the Santiam river.

In the Minnie E tunnel, the largest of the various tunnels on the property, and which is now nearly 1200 feet fack in the hill, a new rich strike of copper ore has been made. Assays have not been returned so figures are not available on the ton value, but it is the largest body of its sort that has ever been opened up on the Little North Fork.

This strike was not altogether a surprise to engineers on the job as formation and vein matter for some time has been indicating that an ore body of huge dimensions was not far ahead, and Mr. Farmer, the engineer from Southern Arizona who visited the property two weeks ago reported that within less than 10 feet the body could be expected. His deductions were made entirely from wall and breast indications at that time. Mr. Farmer is a man of many years service with Clark and other interests, made the statement that Oregon residents must be awakened to the gigantic mineral possibilities in the Cascades, should be considered. His report of the Lotz-Larsen property was of the finest and highest grade.

The north side extension of the Minnie E where rich ore on a small streak was opened a few days ago, has now opened up to several inches in width. This mades the property all the more attractive, and is proving rapidly the convictions of the men who could see the possibilities of big earnings, for always there has been only one problem and that was "is there ore in quantity there"—that is proven in the affirmative without question by these many strikes.

FRUITLAND

The Ant-I-Cans class is going to hold a penny social in the hall over the store Saturday evening, March 22.

T. J. Cade went to Dallas to visit his brother Sunday. His brother was seriously burned at a logging camp last week. Skin may have to be grafted in order to save the legs.

Al. Wood and family from Gervais were visitors at the Evans home Sunday.

The hill has just been cut down and grading started on the new road past the Evans, Rilley and Cade farms.

Mr. Hammer and Roy Hammer are putting in a field of potatoes.

BRUSH COLLEGE

Evelyn Munson gave a party to the intermediate Sunday school class last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. A. Olson. Games, Irish songs, ice cream and cake made the moments fly.

A. D., Fred and Frank Olson and wives, motored to Newberg last Sunday.

Mr. Marshall and family of Salem, spent Sunday afternoon at the Al Steiner home.

Pomona grange will be held at the school house next Saturday, March 22, an all day session.

The Berean Sunday school class will hold a party at the John Schindler home next Thursday night.

Stanley Perrine of Middle Grove spent the week-end at the Munson home.

Alta Shea of Salem was visiting Mrs. A. L. Steiner over the week-end.

Parent-Teachers' meeting last Friday night was well attended and a good program was enjoyed. Irene Cutler, Claudie Newbill, Elizabeth Singer, Francis Olson, Miles Munson and Paris Winslow, gave a pantomime; Mrs. Arnold Smith a piano solo; Rosie Krall, Marjory Harritt, Miles Munson and Dale Newbill, a song; Elizabeth Singer a recitation; Margaret Steiner and Mr. Wax of Salem a piano duet; Dale Newbill, Miles Munson, Rosie Krall, Marjory Harritt, Marjorie Oliver and Irene Olson a tooth-brush drill and Miss Crump of Monmouth a solo. After the business meeting Professor Beaty of the normal gave us a very interesting and enlightening talk on the "Relation Between School Board and Teacher."

RED PEPPER HEAT QUICKEST RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly stops that old rheumatism torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot thorugh and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any good druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.—Adv.

PERSONALS

Capt. James E. West, Portland Kiwanian, was a guest at the Salem Kiwanis club luncheon Tuesday.

Harry Levy was in Portland yesterday to attend the funeral services of Ralph Bacon of Salem who died in Albany as a result of a collision between his automobile and an Oregon Electric train at Talbot.

Mrs. N. S. Wood is confined to her home at 1009 Broadway on account of illness.

A. E. Trask of Corvallis was a recent visitor in the city.

Frank Reinhart, a freshman at the University of Oregon, is spending the annual spring vacation period with his parents here. He was graduated from Salem high school last June.

Eugene people in the city yesterday included Mrs. Mabel Baird, Bert Baird, Peggy Baird, Anna Blakely and Mrs. Irene Shields.

Ernest Givan of Bly was in Salem Tuesday.

George W. Hug, superintendent of schools, left for Portland Tuesday afternoon on a short business trip.

Carlton Savage, private secretary to President J. S. Landers of the state normal school at Monmouth, was in Salem for a short time yesterday while on his way to Portland.

Richard Shepard of the Terminal Hotel company, who is located at Albany, will return home today after a short business trip in the city.

L. C. Porter of Klamath Falls was a recent visitor in the city.

Eleven Carloads Prunes Are Sent to Rotterdam

Sale of 12 carloads of prunes, 11 of them going to Rotterdam, has been announced by the Oregon Growers Cooperative association. These were sold to New York buyers. The destination of the twelfth carload is not known here. All of the prunes were 40-45s and packed in 25 pound boxes, representing about 750,000 pounds. This is to be deducted from the 6,000,000 pounds now in the hands of the association.

That Oregon prunes are beginning to move in consumption channels at a low price from the retailer is evinced in a recent issue of the Brandon, Manitoba, newspaper, which carried display advertising quoting Mistland prunes at 75 cents for five-pound boxes, or 15 cents a pound for the better grade of fruit.

GENERAL MARKETS

WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, Mar. 18.—Close: Wheat, unchanged to ½d lower; March, not quoted; May, 9s; July, 8s, 10⅞d; October, 8s 9⅛d.

PORTLAND, March 18.—Grain futures: Wheat, hard white, bluestem and baart, March, April, May, $1.01; soft white, western white, March, April, May, $1; hard winter, western red, March, April, May, 95c; northern spring, March, April, 96c; May, 97c.

Oats—Unchanged.

Barley—Unchanged.

Corn—No. 2 eastern yellow, shipment, March, $32.50; April, May, $32; No. 3 ditto, March, $31.50; April, May, $31.

Millrun—March, April, May, $24.50.

Hay—Unchanged.

DRIED FRUIT

NEW YORK, March 18.—Evaporated apples, firm; prunes steady; apricots, firm; peaches, quiet.

SALEM MARKETS

An advance in prices of head lettuce is being predicted here by local grocerymen and market keepers. The price is expected to rise from three heads for a quarter to two heads for the same price. California hothouse cucumbers are being offered at two for 35 cents, with the larger sized vegetables at 25 cents each.

GRAIN AND HAY

No. 2 wheat	90c
No. 3 red wheat, sacked	90c
Oats	45c @ 48
Cheat hay	$12 @ $13
Oat hay	$12 @ $14
Clover hay, baled	$12 @ $14

Prices quoted are wholesale and are prices received by farmers. No retail prices are given.

EGGS, BUTTER, BUTTERFAT

Creamery butter	50c @ 51c
Butterfat delivered	49c
Milk, per cwt	$2.10
Eggs, selects	18c
Standards	16c
Pullets	14c

POULTRY

Heavy hens	19c
Medium and light hens	14c

PORK, MUTTON AND BEEF

Hogs, top, 150-225 lgs., cwt	$7.50
Hogs, top, 225-275, cwt	$7.00
Hogs, top, 275-300, cwt	$6.50
Light sows, cwt	$5.00
Rough heavy	04c @ 05c
Top Veal, dressed	09c
Cows	02½ @ 04½
Top lambs	10½c

UNUSUAL DISPLAY IN SALEM WINDOW

One That Is Attracting a Good Deal of Attention, in the Stiff Store

There is an unusual display in the east show window of the H. L. Stiff Furniture company, on Court street in Salem. This show window dressing is attracting considerable attention.

In the background is shown a 48 inch Brunswick record, and in the center of the record the famous artist, Al. Jolson. At either side is painted a panel of cream showing a record of the latest hits by Al. Jolson. A Brunswick Console model appears in the foreground, with a reproduction of Al. Jolson placing a record on the phonograph.

The room represented, in itself, speaks of comfort and harmony as to drapes and Oriental rugs.

There are three other panels calling attention to new selections of Brunswick records and phonographs and the easy payment terms on which one may buy a phonograph.

M. J. Marquart, decorator for the Stiff company, is responsible for this work of taste and art, showing patient attention to detail and commendable skill in bringing out the ideas he wishes to display.

Five Opinions Handed Down By Supreme Court

The following opinions were handed down by the supreme court yesterday:

L. B. Brooks vs. Perfection Tire company, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; suit to rescind conditional sales contract and to recover money. Opinion by Chief Justice McBride. Judge George Tazwell affirmed.

P. S. Kaadt vs. Regina Kaadt, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county. Suit for divorce. Opinion by Chief Justice McBride. Judge Robert Tucker affirmed.

W. L. Cooper, appellant, vs. F. W. Sagert et al; appeal from Washington county; suit to set aside deed. Opinion by Justice Bean. Judge George R. Bagley affirmed.

Hattie Butterfield vs. State Industrial accident commission, appellant; appeal from Coos county; suit on motion to dismiss appeal. Motion allowed in opinion by Justice Coshow.

George Van Koten vs. state industrial accident commission, appellant; appeal from Marion county; appeal from judgment of circuit court reversing industrial accident commission which disallowed claim of Van Koten for compensation. Opinion by Justice Coshow. Judge George G. Bingham affirmed.

PRINGLE

The evergreen blackberries were nearly all killed by the severe winter.

Mr. Pearsall put out 10,000 strawberry plants last week.

Mrs. Hickman who has been taking treatment at a Salem hospital, returned home Sunday.

Earl Meeks has come home for the summer.

Mr. Foster has taken out his loganberry vines.

Station KFKX of Hastings, Neb. announced Monday night that there was plenty of snow on the ground there.

There is great need of more road work, and a better distribution of what is done, in this district.

J. M. Coburn is drilling his spring wheat this week.

Pringle school board has received a number of application of teachers to be considered in the near future.

SUNNYSIDE

Mrs. D. S. Pearson made a trip to Portland, returning Monday.

Mrs. Newby's daughter, Mrs. Bowen, of Estacada, is visiting relatives here for a few days.

A number of friends and neighbors gathered at the W. D. Edwards home Sunday, it being Mr. Edwards' birthday anniversary. A picnic dinner was served.

The Sunnyside Community club met Friday night. After the program lunch was served by the women. The club is practicing on a couple of plays to be given at the next meeting.

M. S. Chandler of Silverton made a trip to this neighborhood Saturday.

The orchard men are getting ready to spray.

W. D. Edwards has a new addition built on his store. He is planning on serving lunches and ice cream this summer.

C. H. Taylor is busy plowing his orchard.

THE CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICES

The Men and Women Who Will Be in the Primaries On the 16th of May

Following are the announcements of the candidates for nomination at the primaries May 16th. The list will be extended from day to day:

CITY OF SALEM

M. POULSEN
Will be a candidate **For City Recorder** At the primary election May 16th. He promises, if chosen, efficient service and strict and impartial law enforcement.

C. O. RICE
Is a candidate **for City Treasurer** at the primaries May 16th. He promises the same efficient service he has always given.

GEO. W. STONER
Announces his candidacy **for City Recorder** at the primaries May 16th. His slogan: Give honest and fair treatment to all.

JOHN B. GIESY
Will be a candidate in the primaries of May 16th for reelection as **Mayor of Salem.** If chosen, he will devote the same attention to the affairs of the city government that he has been giving with the hope of helping to accomplish still greater efficiency in the city government, and of still further aiding in the growth and development of Salem.

MARION COUNTY

JEROME P. JONES
Is candidate **for County Judge of Marion county.** Equal and Exact Justice to all, is his slogan.

JOHN H. CARSON
Will be a candidate **for Prosecuting Attorney** of Marin county at the Republican primaries May 16th. He will