

## RACE FOR MAY HONORS OPENS

### Many Candidates File for Primaries During Final Period Friday

## COUNTY CONTEST WARM

### Three Seek State Senate From Marion County, While Nine Ask Honor in House of Representatives

When the time for filing declarations of candidacy for the primary election on May 21 expired here Friday night, five candidates had entered the contest for governor of the state of Oregon. They are Walter M. Pierce, incumbent, and Mrs. Louise Palmer Weber of Portland, democrats; and I. L. Patterson of Eola, Jay E. Upton of Bend and W. A. Carter of Portland, republicans.

There are eight republicans and three democrats entered in the race for United States senator. The republicans are Robert N. Stanfield, Portland, incumbent; Frederick Steiwer, Pendleton; James J. Crossley, Portland; Clarence E. Evey, Mountbald, Washington county; A. R. Shumway, Milton; L. D. Sandblast, Portland; Rose E. Barrett, Seaside, and Alfred E. Clark, Portland.

Democrats filing for United States senator are Bert Hancy, Portland; Elton Watkins, Portland, and Sargent K. Brown, Chiloquin, Klamath county.

There are three candidates for state senator from Marion county, Otto J. Wilson, Salem; Lloyd T. Reynolds, Salem; and Sam H. Brown, Gervais, all republicans.

As candidates for representatives in the state legislature, nine have declared from Marion county. They are H. E. Vandevort, S.W.; F. W. Suttle, Woodburn; Mark D. McCallister, Salem; Mark A. Paulson, Silverton; A. N. Moore, Salem; Samuel A. Hughes, Salem; Mrs. Louise Riggs, Salem; John B. Giesy, Salem, and F. J. Lafky, Salem. All are republicans.

Three republican candidates and one democrat have filed for representative in the United States congress for the third congressional district, Multnomah county. The republicans are M. E. Crumpecker, incumbent; Norman S. Richards and B. F. Mulkey. Joseph H. Carson, Jr., of Portland is the democratic candidate.

Melvin W. C. Hawley, representative in congress from the first congressional district, nor J. J. Sinnott, representative from the second district, will have any opposition in either the republican or democratic conventions.

No democrats have filed for seats on the state supreme court, although four republicans have entered their names. They are T. A. McBride, George M. Brown and Henry J. Bean, incumbents, and George Shepherd of Portland.

Five republicans and two democrats candidates have filed for nomination as state superintendent of public instruction. The republicans are: Rosa E. Parrott, Roseburg; Fred J. Toose, Salem; Mrs. Emma Bryant, Forest Grove; Charles A. Howard, Marshfield; W. C. Alderson, Portland.

The democrats filing are J. C. McLoughlin, Corvallis, and R. R. Turner, of Dallas.

G. A. Von Schritts of Portland is seeking the democratic nomination as state labor commissioner. C. H. Gram, republican, in-

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## Friday in Washington

President Coolidge recovered from his illness.

Preparation of a new British liquor treaty was announced by the state department.

Secretary Wilbur asked congress for \$19,177,500 for naval base construction and improvement.

The drys opened their fight against modification of prohibition with an array of witnesses at the senate hearing.

Assistant Secretary Andrews promised practical extension of liquor supply sources with an additional \$3,000,000.

The house agricultural committee instructed Chairman Bacon to draft a farm relief bill.

Minnesota republicans demanded farm legislation before adjournment.

## Roosevelt Program Fills Armory for Musical Fete

### Salem Boys' Chorus Draws Instant Approval on Varied List of Features; Hon. Elmer R. Lundberg Delivers Address on Proposed Statue

The Armory was filled to capacity last night for one of the most varied and entertaining popular musical programs given in Salem in months, and the indications are that the proceeds will give a gratifying impetus to the Roosevelt Memorial fund which will honor not only a great president but also a group of the noblest trail-blazers of the west.

The Salem Boys' Chorus, under the magnetic directorship of their leader, Dr. H. C. Epley, opened an exceedingly pleasing program and granted "Smile, Smile" as an encore, the audience joining in for the chorus.

The Potter brothers completely captivated the house with their numbers, while Harold Stout, a 5-year old member of the boys' chorus, won the enthusiastic applause of the house with his numbers.

Bob Morris, the unfailing ukulele song bird, followed his program number with an encore for the pleasure of the filled armory.

The Schubert Octette, of which Miss Minetta Magers is the director, is one of Salem's most distinctive musical organizations, and the numbers last night were in top form.

Three prize-winning fiddlers, Clarence Blakesley of Salem; Lon Jennings of the Silverton district, and C. W. Meeker of Salem, who, by the way, is a nephew of Ezra Meeker, claimed the house the entire time they were on the stage.

A second appearance of the boys' chorus preceded one of the eminent features of the evening, Hon. Elmer R. Lundberg's address on "Erecting a Monument to a Great American." Mr. Lundberg outlined the nature of the project the huge audience by its presence was supporting, telling something of the locality where the proposed \$50,000 statue will rise. Battle Rock, overlooking the new five million dollar Roosevelt highway, has been chosen as the site. In the erection of the statue, not only Roosevelt, "the Greatest American of all," but also the 29 trail-blazers who held the rock in the face of their Indian enemies, will be honored in conjunction.

The Woody brothers probably succeeded in winning the greatest volume of applause of any performer.

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## REPORT FIVE FATALITIES

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The victims included Henry Hornberger, McElyan, sawmill worker; John Recker, Oakridge, offbearer; Herman Weber, Newport, faller, and Frank Miller, Beaverton, choker setter.

Of the 792 accidents reported 625 were subject to the provisions of the workmen's compensation act, 161 were from firms and corporations that have rejected the law, and six were from public utility corporations not entitled to state protection.

## HERRIN SERVICES HELD

### CORONER'S JURY HOLDS SESSION, RESULT OF RIOT

HERRIN, Ill., April 16.—(By Associated Press.)—With troops patrolling streets in the vicinity, funeral services were held today at the First Christian church for Harland Ford, Mack Sizemore and Ben Sizemore, the three klanmen killed in Tuesday's election disorders.

The Odd Fellows lodge, of which all three men were members, had charge of services. The small church was packed to capacity and many stood on the outside.

The coroner's jury held a short session today, heard two witnesses and adjourned until tomorrow morning. Richard Thompson, a miner, testified that three automobiles, loaded with armed men, drove up to the Masonic hall polling place, where the men got out and started toward John Ford, former chief of police, reputed cyclops of the Herrin clan now and a brother of one of the slain men.

He said a man who he believed was Mack Sizemore, fired the first shot which killed one of two men who accosted Ford and searched him. Almost simultaneously, however, Thompson testified, Mack Sizemore, fell mortally wounded. He said he did not recognize any of the men who got out of the cars.

Date McNeill, the other witness, testified to the same effect.

## PORTLAND STORES BURN

### FIREMAN IS HURT; DAMAGE ESTIMATED AT \$25,000

PORTLAND, April 16.—(A.P.)—A spectacular fire in the downtown business district here tonight caused an estimated damage of \$25,000 to a three story brick building.

One fireman was badly cut about the head when struck by a falling awning support. Several others were overcome by smoke.

Three firms, Kelly Bros., a woman's apparel shop, the Milkmaid lunch and the M. J. Champion Luggage Shop were the principal losers. The losses were said to be covered by insurance.

## PEARL HARBOR NEEDS LISTED

### Over 19 Million Dollars Urgently Needed by Navy Secretary Declares

## APPROPRIATION SOUGHT

### Nine Million to Be Expended in Improving Hawaiian Naval Base; Huge Dry Dock Is Planned

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(By Associated Press.)—Congress was asked today by Secretary Wilbur to appropriate \$19,177,500 for construction work which the navy department considers urgent. Approximately half of the proposed expenditure would go to the naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, which would be allotted more than \$9,000,000 for improvements, including \$5,000,000 for a large floating drydock, \$1,500,000 for a water front development and a like amount for the submarine base and \$1,150,000 for buildings and equipment at the air stations there. These proposals are in line with the report of a congressional committee that visited Hawaii last summer.

The navy department desires \$2,535,000 for the Puget Sound navy yard, \$1,310,000 to be used for a crane and \$1,000,000 for a machine and electric shop.

Smaller appropriations were requested for barracks and other improvements in the naval establishments at Norfolk and Hampton Roads, Va., San Diego, Cal., Portsmouth, N. H., New London, Conn., and the Canal Zone. Appropriations totaling more than \$1,000,000 were asked for the construction of barracks and other projects at the Quantico, Va., marine corps base.

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## LEAVING IT ALL BEHIND



## RADIO COMPANY WINS IN FEDERAL COURT ACTION

### GOVERNMENT LOSES IN FIRST "AIR PIRACY" SUIT

### Zenith Company Unheld; Wireless Act of 1912 Declared Ambiguous

CHICAGO, April 16.—(By Associated Press.)—The first "air piracy" case in the history of radio in the United States was decided here today in favor of the Zenith Radio corporation and its president, Eugene F. McDonald, Jr., against the government in the court of federal district Judge James H. Wilkerson. The government in criminal action charged the defendants with operating radio apparatus contrary to the license issued to the corporation's station WJAZ. Four specific allegations were made.

The court held that sections one and two of the wireless act of 1912—the only laws existing that apply to broadcasting—were ambiguous and that the act itself did not empower the secretary of commerce with certain discretionary powers which he has allegedly assumed. The decision is considered by attorneys as blanketing the administrative rulings of the secretary of commerce.

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## LEAGUE HEADS FLAY ANDREWS

### Anti-Saloon Leaders Launch Attack on Assistant Secretary's Views

## BUCKNER IS ALSO HIT

### "Square Deal for Prohibition" Is Keynote of Speeches Heard by Senate Investigating Committee

WASHINGTON, April 16.—(By Associated Press.)—Anti-Saloon league leaders are considering whether they should demand removal from office of Assistant Secretary Andrews of the treasury and District Attorney Buckner of New York city because of their testimony before the senate prohibition committee.

Washington, April 16.—(By Associated Press.)—A square deal for prohibition was urged today before the senate hearing committee by church leaders of many denominations, laymen and the Anti-Saloon league. Opening the counter offensive against the dries the wets insisted that congress reject all proposals for modification of the Volstead act and adopt in their place measures putting more teeth into that celebrated law.

"The best way to answer the challenge that the law cannot be enforced is for congress to provide the legal machinery to stop lawlessness," said a statement filed with the committee by Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon league.

"Give sobriety an equal chance with drunkenness" was the plea of Dr. S. Sparkes Cadman of New York, president of the Federal Council of Churches, delivered by Dr. Charles S. MacFarland of New York, secretary of the council.

"The call of the hour is for such legal enforcement as will give the policy of the prohibition an adequate opportunity to demonstrate its full value to the nation and to the world," said a statement from the administrative committee of the council.

"The prohibition law is being better and better enforced, and it should be given a chance for at least a generation" said Bishop James Henry Darlington of the Episcopal church, who has headquarters at Harrisburg, Pa. Dr. Charles H. Pennoyer, director general of the social welfare department of the Universalist church, declared that modification of the dry laws now would prove nothing; that they should be given an opportunity to operate. Similar declarations were made to the committee by former Representative Edward W. Keating of Colorado, now editor of "Labor" and Ernest H. Cherrington of Westerville, Ohio, general secretary of the world league against alcohol.

While this barrage was laid down before the committee, Assistant Andrews of the treasury, in charge of prohibition enforcement, in a statement to congress explaining the need for an additional \$3,000,000.

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## FARM RATE CASE HEARD

### PROPOSED REDUCTIONS LEAD TO SUPREME COURT

The state supreme court Friday heard arguments of attorneys in the suit brought by the various railroads operating in the state of Oregon to prevent the public service commission from putting into effect rate reductions on farm products.

At the time the commission issued the order reducing these rates the railroad companies sought a permanent injunction in the Marion county circuit court.

The injunction was denied whereupon the railroad corporations appealed to the supreme court for final determination of the proceedings.

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## WILLAMETTE JUNIORS PLAY SET FOR MAY 1

### "THE GOOSE HANGS HIGH" CAST IS SELECTED

### Salem High School Auditorium Selected for Presentation of Comedy

Members of the junior class at Willamette university will present the customary annual play Saturday evening, May 1, at 8 o'clock. "The Goose Hangs High," by Lewis Beach, has been selected for presentation.

The play was first presented at the Bijou theater in New York on January 29, 1924, by the Dramatic Players corporation, and was staged by James Forbes.

College life is portrayed in the play. Some critics have dubbed it the most popular college life play of the decade. It has been presented by various colleges throughout the country, and Willamette will be the fifth college on the Pacific coast to produce it.

The other four colleges that have already presented it are Washington State, Oregon Agricultural college, Stanford university, and University of California.

Members of the cast follow: Joel Berreman as Bernard Ingals; Sadie Jo Reed as Eunice Ingals; George Higby as Noel Derby; Albert Herrman as Leo Day; Margaret Johnson as Rhoda; Mildred McKillican as Julia Murdoch; Adella Gates as Mrs. Bradley; Keith Rhodes as Hugh Ingals; Dean Lohough as Ronald Murdoch; Remo Tryer as Lois Ingals; James McClintock as Bradley Ingals; Gladys Flesher as Dagmar Carrol; and Billie Walsh as Elliott Kimberley.

Salem high school's auditorium has been secured for the production. It has been customary to hold the junior play at the Hellig theater, but it is not available for the desired date this year. Waller hall was held undesirable because of the lack of staging conveniences.

Prof. Horace G. Rabkopf, head of the public speaking department at the university, has been retained by the class as coach. The play will be the final and one of the principal features of the Willamette-May Day festivities.

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