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NAMES OF COMPETING CANDIDATES.

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Miss Ida Hendershott, Madison St.	103,785
Miss Marguerite Woods, 195 W. 8th.	102,704
Miss Grace Wood, 281 W. 8th St.	94,701
Miss May Douglas, Pearl St.	92,800
Miss Madie Johnson, 895 High St.	85,886
Miss Fay Clark, 733 Ferry St.	31,519

District No. 2.

Miss Leta Sanford, Cottage Grove	38,628
Miss Zelma Cruzan, Dexter	38,507
Miss Alta Williams, Dexter	36,416
Miss Kate Hawley, Cottage Grove	31,140
Miss Rena Baker, Cottage Grove	17,445
Miss Dora Jacobs, Dexter	5,002

District No. 3.

Miss Hattie Cook, Junction City	53,901
Miss Ula Cushman, Acme	44,309
Miss Lillian Brund, Florence	30,818
Miss Gertrude Bushnell, Junction City	25,991
Miss Ersa Hamble, Mapleton	17,165
Miss Minnie Sibbets, Junction City	3,460

District No. 4.

Miss Effie Withrow, Springfield	53,906
Miss Georgia Neff, Coburg	44,430
Miss Genevieve Howe, Creswell	40,858
Miss Irene Robinson, Pleasant Hill	32,528
Miss Madeline Betts, Coburg	28,730
Miss Maude Lewis, Mayevola	26,490
Miss Merrill Scott, Creswell	23,700
Miss Myrtle Bishop, Coburg	23,160
Miss Leta Emerson, Creswell	13,605
Miss Penda Goodman, Coburg	6,414
Miss Mabel Thompson, Creswell	1,220
Miss Edenia Chapel, Springfield	714
Miss Erma Smith, Springfield	60
Miss Lou Scott, Creswell	55

Go after the subscriptions more determined than ever. Don't let up for a moment from now on, and when the names of the winning candidates are announced on the last night, yours will be among them if you work with vim and balance of this week and next week. The prizes are surely worth the effort, and to know you were selected as the most popular lady to represent your district at the mid-winter carnival during the coming season in Los Angeles, this itself is an honor to be proud of.

There will be ten winners and you may as well be one of them, and you can if you, before the close of the contest, get your friends together, ones who promised their support on the last night of the contest, and have them give you their subscriptions and get the benefit of the 50 per cent increase in votes. You do not necessarily have to cast them at once, but if you want to make them count more than they will at any time from now on, send the subscriptions in today or tomorrow.

Let the splendid showing made go on to a most grand and astonishing focus.

The Guard \$1000 prize contest is still on the upgrade and each day the votes are coming into the contest manager in bundles. The contest owes its success to the activity of the candidates. New records in the number of votes credited to a contestant are being made. The work of two candidates in the prize contest already have a total of more than one hundred thousand votes to their credit. Forward now with The Guard prize contest—upward, upward and forward—let the movement start afresh. Some interesting side lights of feminine "got up and go" may be gleaned from this contest. Nearly all the foremost candidates have shown a spirit of stick-to-it-iveness, and a clever knack in getting votes. The successful candidates will be pleased with their prize, because they will have earned it. Hear in mind now that this is the time to get in and secure votes, if you desire to remain in the front rank. Remember, no matter where you are on the scale of votes, as shown in this issue, your chances are just as good as the others. The Guard extends to each and every one of the contestants the glad hand of fellowship. We desire to say that the work so far by the aspirants has more than come up to the expectations. Just keep the pace up, candidates, for a short time more—this contest has shot ahead as true and straight as an arrow, and will, in all probability, like the arrow, hit the bull's eye. We are confident of the successful termination of the contest and are doing everything to make this contest a grand and glorious affair. "Get up and go, now," in one more good effort for votes. Just one more try, remember. The termination of the contest will not be long now. Don't give up hope of your chances for a successful outcome. They are good if you just keep up "hustling along" as you have in the past weeks. Just keep stepping ahead in the same old manner. Each day the votes come pouring into the Guard office in stacks. The way the many contestants have worked and are still working is very commendable.

Don't be bashful. Show your friends that you deserve the support they are giving you. Then if you win you will know you deserved it.

Your work today and next week will count more than on other days of the contest. These days devoted to good, hard, systematic work will in all probability win the honors you desire. It's the girls who are taking it easy now that will lose.

WEEKLY REPORT OF EUGENE MARKET

Chittim bark—4 1-2 @ 5c.
Wool—18c.

Poultry, Eggs, etc.

Eggs, per doz 21c.
Dairy Butter—Per roll—50 @ 45c.
Creamery Butter—Per roll, 60 @
Hens—Per lb. 9c.
Fry—Per lb. 9c.
Geese—Per lb. 7c.
Ducks—Per lb. 9c.
Turkeys—Per lb. 12 1/2c.

Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.

New Potatoes—50c per cwt.
Onions—Per lb. 3c.
Lemons—Per case, \$3.75.
Oranges—\$2.75.

Livestock Market.

Steers—Per lb 3 1-2c.
Good cows—3 @ 2 1-2c.
Good prime dressed veal—5 @ 6c.
Mutton on foot—Per lb, 3 1/2 @ 4c.
Fat hogs—4 1-2 @ 5c.
Fat hogs, dressed—6c.
Grain and Feed.

Flour—\$4.25.
Oat hay—\$16.
Cheat hay—per ton \$14.
Timothy hay—Per ton—\$15.
New oats—Per bu., 42c.
Bran, per ton, \$26.
Mixed feed—Per ton, \$28.
Shorts, per ton, \$30.
New Wheat—Per bu., 75c.
Rolled barley—Per ton, \$25.
Chopped feed—\$21 per ton.

PORTLAND MARKET REPORT
Portland, Or., Jan. 30.—Onion prices have reached \$3.25 per 100 pounds along Front street. This is an advance of 25c over all former quotations. Several firms say they are getting this figure while others are charging \$3. However, those who are now charging \$3 were formerly selling at \$2.50 when others were asking \$3. Receipts of onions in this city are very small; growers are not of any consequence. Only one lot of any consequence was reported sold at country points during the past 24 hours, this being moved at \$2.50. There are many of-

fers being put out by buyers at this figure, but growers are not disposed to treat with them. Most of them are holding for \$3 or better. One or two buyers are said to be offering \$2.60 at country shipping points without success.

Little Doing in Poultry.
Poultry stocks on the street today were comparatively light, as is usual at this time of the week, and trade was of small volume, with prices practically the same as at the close of last week. Hens and chickens sell at 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 cents a pound, and live ducks at 10 to 17 cents. There is little or no demand for either turkeys or geese. Strictly fancy veal is worth 9 1/2 cents and fancy block hogs sell at 6 1/2 cents and 7 cents. In both lines, considerable under-grade stuff is being recorded, for which top prices cannot be secured. Eggs are weak at 25c to 28 cents.

Chinook Salmon in Market.
Small quantities of Chinook salmon are now being taken from the Columbia river. Until now the market has been practically bare of this fish for several weeks, and it will be some time yet before there will be any large supply. They sell at 12 1/2 cents a pound, heads on. The supply of steel-heads is still fairly good and the price today is 9 1/2 cents. Other fish are unchanged. The oyster market is reported duller than usual at this time of the year, with prices unchanged.

Apples Firm and Active.
A strong tone prevails in the local apple market, induced by the steady and active demand for good fruit, and the decrease in the supply of under-grade products. Prices in general are about the same as for several days past and most of the offerings now in the market are good to choice. There is a fair shipping demand for good apples, but dealers say that present stocks are none too large for home needs and the chances are that few if any will be sent to other markets.

Butter Market is Weaker.
A weaker tone is shown in the local butter market. City creamery men still state that they are able to clean up their best quality at ruling prices but there is tremendous pressure on account of the great accumulations from outside makers. The creamery situation is weak, but no immediate changes in values are anticipated but the trade is of the opinion that the next movement of prices will be downward.

Brief Notes of the Trade.
No smelt being caught in the Cowlick.
A car of celery was among the day's rail arrivals from the south. Market firmer.
Poultry remains scarce and in some instances prices are higher.
Several cars of bananas arrived in. Were mostly green, but in good shape. Scarcity of ripe stock along the coast at the present moment.
Egg market is still tumbling; lower prices being in effect today.
Sales of hops continue quite liberal, with growers seemingly anxious to let go at the low prices now ruling. However, dealers are making every effort to land contracts on the com-

VOTES ALLOWED ON NEW AND OLD PREPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS TO DAILY GUARD ARE AS FOLLOWS:

	Now	Old	Carrier Mail
Three Months	600 votes	200 votes	1.50 \$ 1.00
Six Months	1,800 votes	600 votes	2.50 2.00
One Year	4,800 votes	1,500 votes	5.00 4.00
Two Years	13,500 votes	4,500 votes	10.00 9.00
Three Years	20,250 votes	6,750 votes	15.00 12.00
Four Years	28,125 votes	9,375 votes	20.00 16.00
Five Years	33,750 votes	11,250 votes	25.00 20.00
Ten Years	90,000 votes	30,000 votes	50.00 40.00

VOTES ALLOWED ON NEW AND OLD PREPAID SUBSCRIPTIONS TO WEEKLY GUARD

	Now	Old	Price Mail
One year	750 votes	250 votes	\$ 1.50
Two years	2,250 votes	750 votes	3.00
Three years	4,500 votes	1,500 votes	4.50
Four years	6,750 votes	2,250 votes	6.00
Five years	9,000 votes	3,000 votes	7.50
Ten years	18,000 votes	6,000 votes	15.00

The Daily Guard's Popular Ladies' Prize Voting Contest
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Cut out and fill in with the name of a married lady you wish to vote for. Send or mail to Contest Department, The Guard, and it will count for one vote.

Not Good After February 20.

The Daily Guard's Popular Ladies' Prize Voting Contest
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District

Cut out and fill in with the name of the young lady you wish to vote for. Send or mail to Contest Department, The Guard, and it will count for one vote.

Not Good After February 20.

ing crop around 11 c a pound.
Potato market is steady with dealers willing to buy ordinary quality around 50 @ 60c per 100 pounds. Some small demand for seed coming from the south.
Portland Livestock Market.
The livestock market generally is firm, with no changes from the quotations that prevailed yesterday.
Cattle—Best steers, \$4.00 @ 4.35; medium, \$3.50 @ 4.00; cows, \$2.50 @ 2.75; bulls, \$1.50 @ 2.50; calves, \$1.75 @ 2.25.
Sheep—Good sheared, \$4.25 @ 4.75; full wool, \$5.00 @ 5.50; lambs, \$3.25 @ 6.00.
Hogs—5.00 @ 5.50; lights, fats and feeders, \$4.75 @ 5.25.

PORTLAND MARKET REPORT
Creamery Butter—30c @ 35c.
Eggs—25 @ 27c.
Chickens 11c at 12c.
Wheat—Valley 53c; bigstem 57c.
Oats—Per ton, \$27 @ \$28.
Barley—Per ton, \$27 @ 28.
Hay—Timothy, \$18; cheat, \$15.
Grain Hay—\$14 @ \$15.
Mohair—Choice, 28 @ 30c.
Wool—Valley 1 1/2 @ 2 1/2c.
Hops—Prime, 1 1/2 @ 7.
Potatoes—60 @ 65c.
Onions—New, \$2.25 @ 2.50.
Chittim bark—5 1-2 @ 7c.

CROW NOTES.
(Special Correspondence.)
Crow, Jan. 29.—J. V. Jenkins is back from Corvallis where he went to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Wm. Leake.
Miss Ruby McFuskey of Eugene opened a school at the Palestine school house, January 29.
Some of the young people will go tonight to the home of Miss Grace Crow, to help her celebrate her birthday.
Misses Mary and Elsie McCulloch of Hadleyville were visiting Palestine friends last Friday.
Dean Crow has returned from Seattle. We hear that his proposed tour of Europe has been indefinitely postponed.

Hadleyville now has preaching each Sabbath. Rev's. Sutherland and Moore filling the pulpits alternately.
The many cases of measles in and around Crow and Hadleyville are nearly all convalescent.

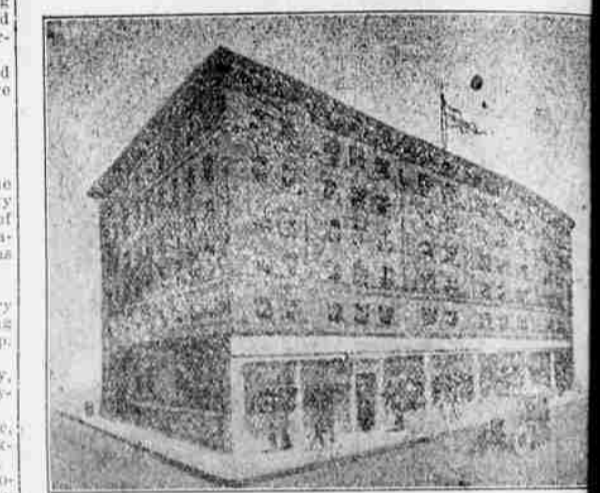
Teachers' Examination.
Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Lane county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the court house in Eugene as follows:

For State Papers.
Commencing Wednesday, February 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, February 15, at 4 p. m.
Wednesday—Penmanship, History, Spelling, Geography, Reading, Psychology.
Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar, Book-keeping, Physics, Civil Government.
Friday—Physiology, English Geography, Composition, Algebra, English Literature.
Saturday—Botany, Plane Geometry, General History, School Law.
For County Papers.
Commencing Wednesday, February 12, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday, February 14, at 4 p. m.
Wednesday—Penmanship, History, Orthography, Reading, Physical Geography.
Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar, Physiology.
Friday—Geography, School Law, Civil Government, English Literature.
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County Superintendent.

COOPER MET USUAL SUCCESS AT PITTSBURGH
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The following article, taken from the Pittsburg Press, describes the results of L. T. Cooper's visit to that city, and the effect of his new preparation as told by people who had become convinced of the soundness of Cooper's theories with regard to the human stomach.
Cooper believes that the human stomach in civilized races has become greatly weakened. He claims that most ill health of the present generation is due to this fact.
"L. T. Cooper is meeting with the same astonishing success in Pittsburg as in other cities. For the past few days many thousands of Pittsburg people have called at his headquarters to talk with him.
"Cooper's prophecy, made upon his arrival, to the effect that before he left Pittsburg thousands would realize that his theory is correct and would come and thank him for what his medicine had done, is rapidly being borne out.
"On Monday an astonishing number of people called to express their gratitude to Mr. Cooper. Judging from what some of these people had to say to a Press reporter, when in-

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