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# FOREST GROVE PRESS

The best developer of a community is a progressive and representative newspaper. Send the "Press" to friends whom you wish to welcome to this country.

The PEOPLE'S PAPER--Prints the news of Forest Grove and Washington County accurately and when it is news, endeavors to faithfully represent the interests of all, treats everyone with the same fairness, is ever at your service, belongs to you, is absolutely independent, is always progressive and urges your activity in the further development of this community's great possibilities. (The proof is in the reading).

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## JUDGE HOLLIS MAY RUN FOR GOVERNOR

Political Leaders Consider Local Man Excellent Timber For State Executive

## MADE RECORD IN SENATE

Well Known Throughout State As Moral Man, Independent Progressive Republican

Rumor has it that Judge W. H. Hollis is considering announcing himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of Oregon. It is not known how seriously Judge Hollis is considering the matter, but that he possesses all the qualifications of a successful candi-



date is gleaned from those to whom the rumor is due.

Other candidates announced for the Republican nomination are W. S. U'Ren, of Oregon City, A. M. Crawford, of Salem, Grant Dimmick, of Oregon City, William Carter, of Portland, and Gus Moser, of Portland. Others have been spoken of as possible candidates, but as yet have not announced themselves.

It is generally admitted that none of the candidates now announced will have a very general support from the party and it looks like the primary will be a big personal contest.

**Hollis Best Candidate Proposed**  
Should Judge Hollis be urged to enter the race it is admitted by many that he would be the best man for the job, and he has many facts in his favor that indicate he would be a strong candidate.

Mr. Hollis has been a resident of Forest Grove for 12 years, has twice served in the lower house of the state legislature, and is now joint senator from the four Northern Willamette Valley counties. His record in the legislature is one of progressive legislation and economical administration. He is a Christian man, and undoubtedly would uphold the moral statutes of the state. He is a man of mature mental development, and judicial in his actions. He is at once and a man in whom any and all could place their utmost dependence.

It is understood that a good deal of persuasion has already been applied to the Judge, some from very prominent sources, but as yet he has made no statement in regard to the matter. However, it seems that if his many friends can convince him that for the good of his party and the people of the state he enter the race, that he would become a candidate.

## DAY ELECTRIC SERVICE BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1

City Plant Will Furnish Current For Day Lights, Motors and Housewives Irons

Electric light users of this city will rejoice to hear that the municipal plant will give day service beginning February 1st.

The City Council has not taken definite action in regard to this matter yet, but it is definitely understood among them that such action will be taken at their meeting tonight or later.

There are many women who will install electric irons because of this fact, and those using motors and day lights will be greatly benefitted.

## Girl of Eagle Ranch Wednesday

The Columbia Players in "The Girl of Eagle Ranch" will on next Wednesday night, January 28, present a great Western comedy drama which has met with great success throughout the valley. The management aims to present a good clean bill to the public of Forest Grove once a month. The Columbia Players have made two successful trips through the Willamette Valley. The company contains a cast of eleven people.

## Fair Association Elect.

At a meeting of the Washington County Fair Association held in the K. of P. hall last Monday evening the following officers were elected: J. W. Hughes, president; C. O. Roe, vice president; J. W. McNamer, second vice president; W. K. Newell, third vice president; J. S. Buxton, secretary; H. J. Goff, treasurer.

Following committeemen were appointed: publicity and advertising, A. T. Buxton, C. O. Roe and H. J. Goff. Committee on grounds: Allen Rice, J. H. McNamer and H. T. Buxton. Exhibits: H. T. Buxton, J. A. Thornburgh and A. T. Buxton. Sports: J. H. McNamer, C. O. Roe and H. J. Goff.

## FACULTY WILL LECTURE

People of this city and vicinity will have the splendid opportunity of hearing the same extension lectures that are being given by Pacific University in Portland. The lectures will be given in Marsh Hall on Monday evenings during February and March.

The public is invited to attend the lectures. They are upon popular social and educational questions of the day and will serve to bring to the community at large some of the privileges heretofore only enjoyed by college and university students. The admission to all lectures in this extension course will be free. Following are the subjects and dates of the lectures:

February 2d. "Some Live Problems of Our Public Schools, Professor W. M. Proctor, A. M.

February 10th. "The Use and Misuse of Drugs," Professor G. H. Learned, A. B.

February 16th. "Can We Believe Our Senses," Professor H. L. Bates, A. M.

February 23d. "A Voyage Among the Unfortunate Islands," (illustrated) Dean M. F. Farnham, Litt. D.

March 2d. "Modern Life as 'Debtor' Also to the Greeks," Professor F. C. Taylor, A. B.

March 9th. "The Poetry of Rudyard Kipling, With Interpretative Readings," Professor W. G. Harrington, LL. B.

March 16th. "Great American Industries on the Trust Problem," (illustrated), President C. J. Bushnell, Ph. D.

March 23d. "Home Sanitation," (illustrated), Professor A. M. Bean, A. M.

March 30th. "Our Planetary Neighbors," Professor E. D. West, A. M.

April (Date to be fixed later), Playgrounds and Public Recreation, President C. J. Bushnell, Ph. D.

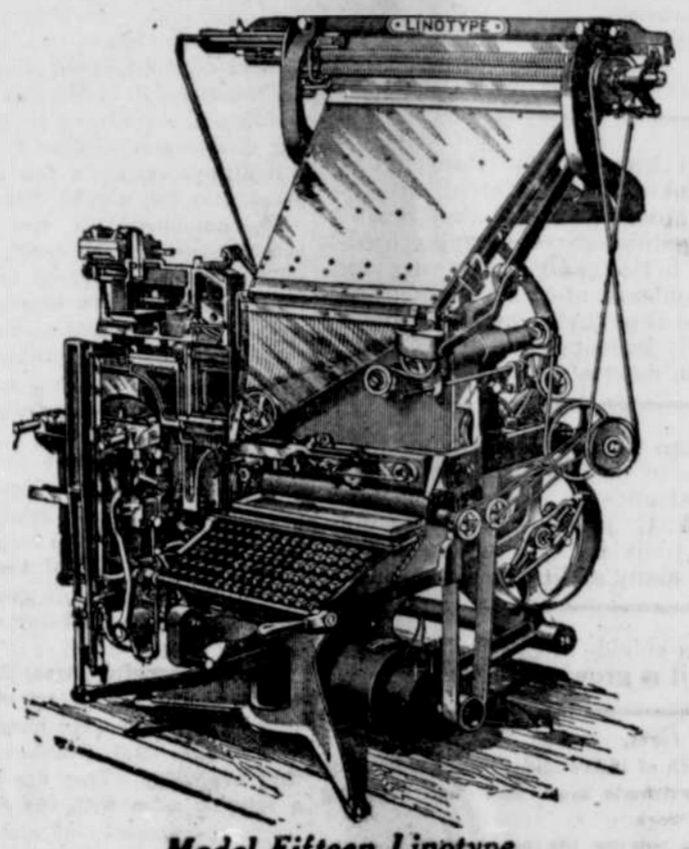
## RAILWAY MAIL CLERK EXAMINATION FEB. 21

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that an open competitive examination for railway mail clerk, for men only, will be held on February 21, 1914, for the purpose of establishing an eligible register from which to fill vacancies as they may occur in this position at \$900 per annum.

Applicants must have reached their eighteenth but not their thirty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

Persons who meet the requirements and desire this examination should at once apply to the secretary, Eleventh Civil Service District, Seattle, Washington, for application Form 304 and Form 1047.

## Detail Cut Of Linotype Now In Use At The PRESS Office



Model Fifteen Linotype

With the assistance of Mr. W. F. Barney, an expert mechanic of San Francisco, the new linotype received last week from New York has been installed and is now in operation in the PRESS Printery.

This machine is a marvel of Mechanical construction, containing many thousand parts, weighs equipped over 4000 pounds and cost \$2500.00. This machine is equipped to cast our different kinds of type, and others may be added as required. It will easily set three or four times as much type as a hand compositor. It makes its own type and casts it in line slugs, which makes the handling much easier than regular type. All are invited to call and watch it in operation at any time.

## THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD, GRAND PRIZE IN THE PRESS SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST

Contest Opens To-day--Any Young Lady Is Eligible To Compete For The Prizes--Nominate Your Favorite Lady.

### ALL WILL HAVE AN EQUAL SHOW

Six Other Prizes Will Be Given In Addition To Grand Prize--All Candidates Will Win a Prize In This Contest

**THE PRIZES**

GRAND PRIZE - - - \$300.00 IN GOLD

DISTRICT PRIZES - - Two \$80.00 Diamond Rings

- - Two \$25 Merchandise Orders

- - Two Handsome LaVallieres

The Forest Grove Press today inaugurates the greatest newspaper contest ever held in this section of the country, as a result of which THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD will be given as the grand prize. Besides the Grand Prize there will be given in each district one \$80 diamond ring, \$25 merchandise order and one LaValliere.

This is not a beauty or popularity contest. The prizes will be awarded solely on merit and the candidates who devote the most time and do the best work will be the victors. The race is not to the strong alone, but to the active, the vigilant, the hard-working. Any young lady can win one of these prizes if she puts a little effort forward during the next few weeks.

## THE FOREST GROVE PRESS VOTING CONTEST

Void After February 5, 1914  
This Ballot Will Count 20 Votes

For .....

Address .....

Good for twenty votes when properly filled out and sent to the Contest Department of THE PRESS.

\* No Ballot will be altered in any way after being received by THE PRESS. Ballots must be in before the date printed on them expires.

## Instructions for Voting.

Enter the name of the lady whom you wish to secure one of these valuable rewards in this contest at once. She may win the grand prize. Better still, get the lady to enter her name and then vote for her. Those who get in on the start have the best chance of winning, so it is desirable that the name be entered at once in order to get a good start. Candidates who enter the contest do not necessarily have to be subscribers to the Press. Enter your name and your friends will do the rest. You will be surprised to see how rapidly the votes will come in and what little effort is necessary to win one of the awards offered. Get in on the start and encourage your friends to vote for you. The rest will be easy. You will never know how popular you are until you enter a contest of this kind.

After the first announcement of candidates the votes will be counted every Wednesday and the result printed in the next issue of the paper. There will be a short writeup in every issue of the paper from now on until the close of the contest, and those entered can keep in close touch with the contest and competing candidates. Certain it is that five ladies are going to get these magnificent rewards and it is left to the leaders of The Press to decide.

### How to Win

Any young lady desiring to enter this contest and win one of the valuable prizes offered, should see that her name is sent to the Contest Department. All that is necessary to win a prize is to receive the largest number of votes, according to conditions mentioned elsewhere in this announcement.

Candidate should at once interest their friends in the contest and by united and energetic action induce as many people as possible to vote for them. The nomination coupon cut from The Press will count 1,000 votes from a candidate.

### How Votes Are Secured

In all cases where votes are issued subscriptions must be paid in advance. Votes will also be issued on back collections. The full amount of money must be sent or brought to the Contest Department of The Press

### Vote Coupon

A ballot good for 20 votes appears in this paper; clip it, and send it to the office of The Press and vote for your favorite.

### Nominations

Any person has the privilege of nominating one or more candidates.

You do not have to be a subscriber to The Press to take part in this contest.

All nominations should be mailed to the Contest Department at once, as the list of nominations will appear in a few days.

Candidates can be nominated after (Continued on page seven)

## CANNERY MEETING ATTENDED BY MANY

Basket Dinner Enjoyed By 150 People; Output Sold At Good Prices

SEASON'S BUSINESS \$14,000.

Payroll of \$3700.00 Growers Get Good Prices For Products

A special stockholders' meeting of the Cannery Association was held Saturday for the purpose of discussing the financial condition of the association and making some amendments to the by-laws, in the interest of greater efficiency of operation. A basket dinner was served at which about 150 stockholders and members of their families participated.

The president's report showed a prosperous business for the past season and an encouraging outlook for the future. Most of their output had been sold at satisfactory prices, the stock on hand consisting of broken lots which would be disposed of as soon as they could be assembled with similar lots from other canneries doing business through the same broker. Our association is fortunate in having in its employ a processor whose experience and skill in his line is recognized by the trade.

The percentage of swells has been less than that of any other cannery in the Northwest. The broker of the association was also a man of long experience in the handling of cannery goods, and had well earned his commission in the extra work of assembling less than car lots, which always compose a large percentage of the output of a small cannery. While the balance would be \$500 or \$600 against the management, it was to be remembered that the output was small and the overhead expenses relatively large and the growers had been paid as much as had been paid by any cannery in the Northwest, and had received more on some products. It was, therefore, no reason for discouragement that the operating department had not broken even.

The net returns of the season's business would show about \$14,000 and the payroll about \$3700, the balance representing returns to growers. It was imperative that the association should have \$3500 additional funds for the purpose of needed betterments.

## DEPOT AND POSTOFFICE LESS THAN 80 RODS AWAY

Consequently Railroad Will Deliver Mails For Dr. Hines And Uncle Sam.

Dr. Charles Hines, postmaster of Forest Grove, feels almost as gleeful this afternoon as he did when he was first elected to the Oregon State Legislature. And the cause of that good feeling is the close proximity of the postoffice to the P. E. & E. new electric depot.

The Southern Pacific people carry the mail for Uncle Sam and the Doctor must deliver said mail to the office where the distance exceeds 80 rods, the distance measured being the nearest door of the baggage room and postoffice.

The local office has been carrying the mail since the establishment of the depot up town, but Postmaster Hines has thought all the time that the distance fell within the 80 rod limit.

So this afternoon he and Albert Kirkwood took the steel tape and measured the distance. The distance from door to door was 1292.5 feet, which deducted from the 80 rods, or 1320 feet leaves 27.5 feet in favor of the Doctor and Uncle Sam. So the railroad will deliver the mail.

## ROSE MAIDEN CHORUS FRIDAY NIGHT, JAN. 23

Best Musical of Season Promised --Have Been Practicing Three Months

What is to be the greatest musical event of the season will be given in Marsh Hall Friday night. Remember the night! Not Wednesday as originally announced, but Friday January 23d. Prof. Chapman has been directing the practice of this great chorus for three months and it is now in readiness to be given. There should not be a vacant seat in the auditorium of Marsh Hall when the chorus begins to sing. In order that those coming from Hillsboro, Beaverton, and other outside points may hear the entire program the hour is set for eight o'clock sharp. The Oregon Electric train will be held until 19 o'clock, to accommodate visitors from other towns.

A quartet of accomplished artists will assist the chorus and a musical treat of the very highest order is in store for all who go. This is the last number of the Lyceum Lecture Course, and there is every prospect that it will be the best. General admission, 35 cents. Reserved seats, 50 cents.