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PRIMARY RESULTS FULL OF SURPRISES

The figures from last Friday's primary election are surprising to many, especially to those who had expected new men to be nominated on the republican ticket for governor and United States Senator. In the republican column Governor Withycombe was an easy winner over Simpson and Olcott, his nearest competitors and McNary easily defeated Robert N. Stanfield for the long term senatorship, with Fred W. Mulkey an easy winner of the short term nomination. Judge Thomas Ryan is slightly in the lead for state treasurer and John S. Coke has probably captured the nomination for supreme judge. C. H. Gram captures the nomination for labor commissioner and Fred A. Williams will be the party candidate for public service commissioner. Ralph Williams is the successful aspirant for national committee-man.

The vote on the republican county ticket is as follows:

Legislative—	
E. W. Haines	1438
William G. Hare	1987
B. P. Cornelius	1387
L. M. Graham	1414
County Judge—	
J. W. Goodin	1458
D. B. Reasoner	1188
County Commissioner—	
J. W. Cornelius	1396
Rodell Matteson	1140
Sheriff—	
Grant Mann	1021
Geo. Alexander	1027
County Clerk—	
H. A. Kuratli	2093
County Recorder—	
Wm. Nelson	389
Ed. J. Boos	500
Fred A. Everest	1752
County Treasurer—	
James H. Davis	874
E. B. Sappington	1765
Surveyor—	
C. G. Reiter	2274
Coroner—	
Geo. J. Limber	2269

On the democratic state ticket, Walter M. Pierce of Union county gets the nomination for governor; Oswald West is the candidate for U. S. senator, and W. H. Horri-brook of Linn county is named for national committeeman.

The only contest on the democratic county ticket was for county judge. R. O. Stevenson of this city received 263 votes and L. L. Crawford of Manning received 64 votes. The name of J. E. Reeves was written in for sheriff by 270 democrats and some republicans and enough voters wrote in the names of E. B. Sappington, H. A. Kuratli and Fred Everest to give these republicans the democratic nominations for county treasurer, clerk and recorder, respectively. There may be other democrats dominated on the county ticket, but the scattering votes had not been counted when the Express got its figures this forenoon.

The Conservatory of Music of Pacific University announces a second recital for Friday evening, May 24, in which the piano students of Miss Walker will appear. There will also be numbers from the voice department including a number by the Girls' Glee club. The violin recital by Prof. Graham's pupils which was announced for this week will be given on Tuesday evening of next week, May 28. Program to begin at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McGill and four-weeks-old son are expected out from Portland Sunday to visit Grandpa and Grandma J. F. McGill.

A son was born at the Forest Grove hotel on Wednesday of last week to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seabold of Schofield.

CONDENSED NEWS NOTES

A daughter was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McCurdy.

Flags and bunting of all kinds for Decoration Day. A. G. Hoffman & Co.

E. U. Cate, the Rainier Chevrolet man, had business in this city yesterday.

We have no cheap furniture, but we have good furniture cheap. C. E. Smith.

Orval Howard went to Portland Tuesday and rustled himself a job in a shoe store.

Workmen have started on a new cement walk between Marsh hall and the Carnegie library.

Miss Orma Finley of Hagerman Idaho, has been visiting in the J. S. Loynes home in this city.

Miss Beth Potwin entertained the P. U. sophomore girls at a dinner party last Friday evening.

The members of the Cherry Grove graduating class were in the city yesterday, having their pictures taken.

Miss Carol Phillips and two little nieces arrived Tuesday from Nehalem for a visit with Forest Grove friends.

Furniture will never be any cheaper until long after the war ends. Come in and let us quote you prices. C. E. Smith.

The K. of P. boys cleared a nice little sum for their war fund from their dance of Saturday evening and participants report a very nice time.

Miss Dora Baker returned to her home just east of this city Friday, from Douglas, Alaska, where she has been teaching school the past year.

The faculty of Pacific University has awarded Martin Bernards, a junior, the Witham silver cup, given each year to the student making the greatest progress in debate.

The U. S. Employment Service, 247 Davis street, Portland, is registering women and girls for berry picking and packing in the Hood River district. Picking will begin about June 1st, and the work will last about six weeks.

Johnny Mathews reports that his black horses, which were injured by a harrow last week, are recovering nicely under the ministrations of Dr. Coon. The horse which was thought to have received the worst injuries is almost ready for work again.

Having discovered that he is 20 pounds overweight and the photograph business being quiet at this time of year, Archie Bryant Monday went to work in a ship yard at Portland. Mrs. Bryant, whose school in the Thatcher district closed Friday, is running the gallery.

Pacific University students were hosts last Friday to graduates from several of the Washington county high schools. After a dance at the gym, the members of the party had a picnic at Duyck's grove, where large quantities of wieners, ice cream, coffee and salads were consumed.

Jesse G. Sage, who left this city three weeks ago with Washington county's last contingent of selectmen, writes that he is at Camp Fremont, Calif., and likes camp life first-rate, except that tents are rather chilly bedchambers this time of year. He speaks highly of the food served. He is attached to the 62nd infantry.

A number of the Methodist ladies last evening made Mrs. W. D. Haskell the victim of a surprise party, the gathering being a farewell for Mrs. Haskell, who is going to move to Portland, where her husband and son are employed. The visitors brought refreshments and also a nice jardiniere for their sister church worker.

Red Cross Quota Will Be Raised

Enough solicitors have so far reported to guarantee that Western Washington county will raise the \$4,500 asked of it for the Red Cross war fund, but complete returns cannot be published in this issue, as some districts have not yet reported. Following is the report at the close of yesterday:

	Quota	Subscribed
Forest Grove	\$2500.00	1967.55
Gaston	400.00	400.00
Ditley	300.00	517.80
Cornelius	400.00	400.00
Verboort	125.00	178.60
David's Hill	100.00	56.00
Thatcher	100.00	—
Kansas City	100.00	173.50
Gales Creek	200.00	—
Glenwood	75.00	80.00
Watts	100.00	112.00
Cherry Grove	100.00	—
Laurelwood	150.00	—
Hillside	100.00	—
Fern Hill	100.00	—
Blooming	—	73.00
and Iowa Hill	100.00	89.50

Some of the districts have only made partial reports, so the figures in the second column of the above table are not to be taken as final. Mrs. Chowning and Miss Mary Corl are looking after the clerical work in the office of W. H. Hollis and L. M. Graham, where persons who have been overlooked may contribute, if they desire.

Draft Board Calls for Sixty More Men

The Washington county draft board has called sixty men to appear at Hillsboro next Wednesday for examination. From these 49 will be selected to go to Fort McDowell, Calif., to join the artillery. Following are the names of those summoned:

John Olds, Jacob Coppens, Alvin Hunger, George Vincent, Elmer J. Williams, Herbert Syverson, Lester Davis, Benjamin List, Earl Gardner, Herman C. Schindler, John J. Boos, George Reiser, Russell M. Burrus, Silas J. Bechen, Louis L. Arata, Alvin W. Lull, Leroy Smith, Cletus Fitzgerald, Henry N. Christopher, John Shaw, John Zuercher, Clemens Camenzind, John Farthing Loynes, Roy R. Walters, Roy L. Mullin, Andrew Jackson Gasset, Andrew W. Brasesco, Julius Skoggs, Kenard Dixon, John Corrieri, Edward J. Rasmussen, Harry G. Boge, Albert Henderling, Roy Glen Simon, Andas Monstis, Earl C. Thurber, Jesse S. Baker, Alfred C. Harrington, Roscoe H. Jones, Alva P. Patton, Merle Grub, John Hess Jr., Dudley G. Knapp, Anthony B. Leis, Homer E. Mayes, Bradford Fowles, Milo E. Ballard, Fred Matthesen, Raymond A. Greene, Walter L. Davis, Fred Cradic, Chester M. Haskell, Hans H. Schaffenberg, Emil F. Seiffert, John George Findlater, George Jurgens, William Henry Lacy, Julius Caesar Koschnitzkv, John R. DeHaan, George Fitzlaff.

Don't forget we carry the apron authorized for use in the cannery. A. G. Hoffman & Co.

Art Caples the first of the week sheared his sheep and secured from 22 ewes 215 pounds of wool, which, at 60c the pound, will bring him about as much as 22 sheep would have brought five years ago.

Just received, the latest in white Oxfords, high and low heel. A. G. Hoffman & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lamb left yesterday for a visit to Iowa. Mr. Lamb will remain two or three weeks and Mrs. Lamb may remain in the east all summer. Their daughter, Florence, is living with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hutchens.

War Savings Report

Washington county is "Over the Top" in everything except War Savings.

What does it require to put us "over the top?" 1st. \$44,000 per month in War Savings. 2d. Every man, woman and child cutting out unnecessary expenditures and investing what he or she can in War Savings.

When are we going over the top? In June. The counties in order of amounts invested in W. S. S. are Multnomah—Marion \$168,000, Linn \$139,000, Clackamas \$133,000, Umatilla \$115,000, Washington \$114,500.

Investors in W. S. S. should consider coming in a little heavier. Those who have the limit take the limit for the other members of the family. Those who have not started buying don't delay another day. Buy Stamps.

Hillsboro and Forest Grove have each started a \$1,000 Limit W. S. S. club.

We earnestly request all persons who are willing to subscribe to the pledge and are able to invest this amount in W. S. S. this year to have already invested this amount to send in their names as members of the Limit Club or apply personally to M. P. Cady, Chairman of Hillsboro Committee or to W. J. McCready, Chairman of Forest Grove committee. Probably Banks, Beaverton, Sherwood might easily form Limit Clubs.

A big W. S. S. meeting of delegates and committee men from all over the state will be held at the Elks Hall, Broadway and Stark St., Portland on May 29, beginning at 9:30 a. m. and closing at 9:00 p. m.

N. A. FROST,

Chairman of W. S. S. Washington Co.

Local Masons Trying To Get Home Here

Messrs. W. H. Hollis, A. E. Scott, C. L. and D. D. Bump of the local Masonic lodge and Mrs. M. J. Abbott and Miss Christine Mackrodt of the Eastern Star chapter were in Portland last Saturday, before the Masonic home-building committee to endeavor to convince the committee that Forest Grove was the place for the home. How well the local delegation succeeded will not be known until the grand lodge meets, the second week in June. Portland, Gresham and Estacada are also out for the home and each has its arguments. L. M. Graham is a member of the board and he will, no doubt, put up a strong fight for his home town.

A Fine Program for P. U. Commencement

The trustees and faculty members of Pacific University have prepared an exceptionally attractive program for the College's fifty-sixth annual commencement exercises, which open at Marsh Hall at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, June 1st. Following is the program:

Saturday, June 1
8:00 P. M.—Anniversary of the Conservatory of Music.
Marsh Hall.
Sunday, June 2
11:00 A. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon: "Called to Service," Reverend Edward Constant of Portland. Congregational Church.
8:00 P. M.—Address before the Christian Associations, Reverend Herbert G. Crocker of Oregon City. Congregational Church.

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The Express hears that J. E. Lewton, who lost a son when the Tuscania went down and who has another son fighting in France, isn't satisfied with his sacrifices for world democracy, but has offered to the Army Y. M. C. A. his own services.

The Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense will meet in the Rogers library, Saturday at 3 p. m. All members please be present. By order of the president. Mrs. J. E. Pogue, Sec.

New arrivals in Petticoats. See our line of changeable silk and the new striped Petticoats. A. G. Hoffman & Co.

PREPARING FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Headquarters James B. Mathews Post, G. A. R., Forest Grove, Oregon.

We do respectfully solicit the City of Forest Grove, also all lodges, Boy Scouts, Girls' Honor Guard, school children and Forest Grove band to co-operate in the Decoration Day program, Thursday, May 30th.

And we would ask those having automobiles to contribute their machines to convey the old soldiers and the W. R. C. to the cemetery.

The Boy Scouts and the Girls' Honor Guard will lead the parade, facing west, and forming at the corner of A street and Pacific avenue, not later than 9:55 a. m. Following these organizations will be the school children, Forest Grove band and lodges.

The march will be continued to the monument to the unknown dead in the cemetery and there wait until the old soldiers arrive at the monument.

After the services the organizations will disband and the graves will be decorated.

In the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock organizations will re-assemble and march to Marsh Hall where a program of music and addresses by good speakers will be given.

Business houses are asked to be closed from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

The school children are especially invited to gather flowers and make wreaths to carry to the cemetery for at least 70 graves and the grave for the unknown dead.

Attested by

J. T. BUTLER,
Post Commander.
W. H. HAY,
Post Adjutant.
PAT CRONIN,
Patriotic Instructor.

The formation of the parade is as follows:

Mayor and City Council,
Boy Scouts,
Honor Guard Girls,
High School Pupils,
Central School,
Lincoln School,

Band,
Forest Grove Rifle Club,
Masons, Odd Fellows,
Knights of Pythias,
Other Lodges and Societies,
W. R. C. and G. A. R. in Autos.

All persons interested in the decoration of graves, please bring flowers.

G. E. Richards will have charge of the parade and the teachers will have charge of their pupils.

Memorial Services

will be held in the Congregational church in Forest Grove, Oregon, on May 26th, 1918, at 3 o'clock p. m. The G. A. R., the Woman's Relief Corps, the Boy Scouts, the Girls' Honor Guard and the Campfire Girls will attend. The Civic Societies, the congregations of all churches and the general public are cordially invited. Assemble at K. of P. hall at 2:30. CHAPLAIN.

High School Graduation

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the Forest Grove high school will be delivered by Rev. Patten at the Congregational church at 8 o'clock next Sunday evening.

On Friday evening, May 31, at 8 o'clock the graduation exercises will be held at the M. E. church. Program will be printed next week.

Mrs. C. S. Aydelott yesterday received a letter from her youngest brother, C. C. Newhouse, who is in France with the American hospital corps. Mr. Newhouse enlisted from Monmouth, where he was attending the state normal.