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## EASTERN WASHINGTON COUNTY VOTES

Political candidates are looking toward the eastern part of Washington County to decide who will be elected as Circuit Judge, State Senator, State Representatives and County Commissioner.

Representative J. O. Johnson demonstrated two years ago that the Eastern part of Washington County can elect candidates to office. This year there are several from this end of the county who are seeking election and who should receive a substantial vote according to their ability for the office they seek.

G. A. Cobb of Beaverton, who has only been in Washington County a few years has practiced law in Oregon for 20 years and is receiving much favorable support.

Samuel B. Lawrence attorney and substantial taxpayer has practiced law for many years in Oregon. He resides near Beaverton and has been active in local affairs for many years. He is well qualified for position of State Senator and should be elected by a substantial vote.

J. O. Johnson, present State Representative is also an attorney who ably represented Washington County during the past sessions of the legislature and by education, training and experience he is the best qualified candidate and should be re-elected upon his record.

Al Jannsen, Reedville, was a member of the Legislature in 1931. He is active in the local civic and fraternal affairs and a man of excellent reputation and should also receive a substantial vote.

H. R. Findley, Cedar Mills, also a candidate for state representative, has entered the political race for the first time. He has been a resident of Oregon for 55 years and being a successful farmer, is well informed along that line and can be of great service at the legislature to his fellowmen.

Oscar M. Taylor, candidate for County Commissioner from Hazeldeale district has had many years experience as County Road Master and will give honest service and fair consideration to demands of our citizens.

## MOTHER'S DAY

The second Sunday in May is generally observed as Mother's Day. It is generally recognized as an occasion for formal expressions of tender regard that men and women everywhere hold for their mothers.

The people of this community will, as usual, take advantage of this day to remember those mothers who have departed and to give to those living some tangible evidence of filial appreciation. While mothers are supposed to take many things for granted, they should not be expected to assume always that their children are conscious of a debt that they owe.

Surely, if any special day in the year deserves observation, it is Mother's Day, and we hope that every reader of this paper will participate in its observance this year.

## TAXES ARE ALWAYS PASSED ON

"I wish to heaven that we could once realize that every tax laid is a burden upon industry, upon agriculture, and upon commerce. I would that we could get out of our minds that we can lay a tax on a big bank, or a big corporation, or a rich man and run the government. The taxes are passed on, and always will be. If I understand the laws of the United States aright, they are intended to be passed on. They are described in the Constitution as imposts and excises, and imposts and excises are, in contemplation of law, always to be passed on."

That isn't a declaration of a "Big Business Man." It is found in the Congressional Record—and was said by Senator Bailey, Democrat of North Carolina.

It would be a fine thing if every worker, every property-owner, every investor, would read and ponder that. It is sound economic truth. No business, no industry, can pay a tax itself. It must get the money from its customers, or it must take it out of the pay of its employees, or out of dividends to stockholders—who, in most cases, are just average citizens, with a few hundred or thousand dollars of hard earned savings in investments which they rely upon.

Excessive taxes confiscate property. They confiscate jobs and savings. They close factories and foreclose homes and farms. They stand in the way of industrial expansion, and the investment of the capital that would provide more employment, more opportunities, more purchasing power. They are a barrier to recovery.

Efficient, economical government is essential to regaining and maintaining normal times.

## INTERESTING AND IMPORTANT

During 1933 the farm cooperatives of the county dealing in all kinds of products, handled a great deal more of the goods the farmer sells and buys than in previous years.

That fact is interesting. It is likewise vitally important.

It shows that the ideal of maximum agricultural organization is really being attained. It's a slow process. It takes a great deal of time and effort. Cooperative managements have given that time and effort—and for the most part they have been loyally supported by their members, who have brought in friends and neighbors. Education is as much a part of cooperative work as is actual buying and selling—it is every bit as essential to the success of the movement.

The government, through the Farm Credit Administration, is doing a good work in advancing cooperation, and still other plans are afoot. Industrial leaders, long experienced in cooperation in their fields, are among the strongest friends of agricultural organization, as is the thinking public in general. The movement is gathering speed continually—and unless the signs fail us, 1934 will be the best cooperative year the country has yet seen.

## Insurance Commissioner Sends Out Warning

Salem, Oregon, May 10.—(Special)—What appears to be one of the greatest insurance rackets attempted on the Oregon public has come to the attention of Insurance Commissioner A. H. Averill.

This game is being promoted by the Golden Hour Company of Minneapolis, which has organized five benefit associations for the purpose of attaching the dollars of the uninformed. These benefit associations, which are not licensed to transact business in Oregon are as follows: Golden Hour Benefit association; Family Benefit association; Protection Benefit association; Economic Benefit association; and Reconstruction Benefit association.

The commissioner warns the public to beware both as to purchasing membership in these associations and in the influencing of others to become members, as the latter is a direct violation of the Oregon laws and subjects the guilty parties to fine and imprisonment.

Confidentially, the report is that we have the bootlegger busy in this country. Apparently he has survived repeal.

## Concentration Being Centered on Junior Baseball Teams

Willamette University, Salem, Ore., May 10—A more concentrated American Legion junior baseball program for Oregon with efforts made to develop teams in all communities and even to start with the younger "mid-gets" in order to extend the benefits of the game, is the program announced here today by coach Roy S. (Spec.) Keene, director of athletics, state chairman, following a conference in Portland with members of the Legion committee.

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**MARTIN FOR GOVERNOR**

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- Greater development of Columbia River and Bonneville dam.
- \$5,103,000 in federal money for Oregon bridges.
- A general, frank, candid and above-board administration of Oregon affairs.
- Reduce taxes by rigid economy.

VOTE X MARTIN CHARLES H. DEM. (Pa. Adv., Martin Comm.)

## Poling Places in Washington County Primaries May 18

All citizens in Garden Home precinct residing south of old Southern Pacific right of way must cast their votes in West Slope precinct at J. E. Lahey's Bldg.

North Aloha, Grange Hall.  
 S. E. Aloha, Wheeler Hall.  
 S. W. Aloha, Buck's Building.  
 Banks I O. O. F. Hall.  
 N. Beaverton, Haulenbeck Bldg.  
 S. Beaverton, Public School House.  
 Blooming, School House.  
 Buxton, Grange Hall.  
 Cedar Mill, Union Chapel.  
 Cherry Grove, Depot Bldg., W. V. & C. R. R. Co.  
 Cornell, D. Wenger's Hall.  
 S. E. Hillboro, City Hall.  
 South Cornelius, M. E. Church.  
 Dilley, Artisan Hall.  
 N. E. Forest Grove, Library Bldg.  
 N. W. Forest Grove, No. 16 West Side of Main St.  
 S. E. Forest Grove, High school building.  
 S. W. Forest Grove No. 28 Main St.  
 Gales Creek, Community Hall.  
 Garden Home, School House.  
 East Gaston, Nelson Garage.  
 West Gaston, K. P. Hall.  
 Grabel, School House.  
 North Hillsboro, Basement Court House.  
 S. E. Hillsboro, School House.  
 S. W. Hillsboro, City Hall.  
 Kinton, School House.  
 Laurel, Community Hall.  
 Leisy, Mrs. Rice residence.  
 Manning, Manning Hall.  
 Metzger, Community Club house.  
 Middleton, School House.  
 Mountain, Meacham School House.  
 Mulloy, Carlon School House.  
 E. North Plains, School House.  
 W. North Plains, K. P. Bldg.  
 Orenco, City Hall.  
 Purdin, School House (Thatcher) Reedville, School House.  
 Roy, Moore's Store Bldg.  
 Scholls, I. O. O. F. Hall.  
 Sherwood, Library Room.  
 North Tigard, Tigard Bldg.  
 South Tigard, I. O. O. F. Hall.  
 Timber, Bang's Bldg.  
 Tualatin, City Hall.  
 Verboort, Forrester's Hall.  
 West Slope J. E. Lahey's Bldg.

## Thirty Percent of CMTC Registration To Be Basic

Vancouver Barracks, Wash., May 10.—(Special)—Beginners or basic students will again be accepted for enrollment at Camp Huriburt, the annual Citizens' Military Training camp here, according to orders received today.

The orders amend previous instructions, and specify that 30 per cent of the camp quota for this summer may be basics. During 1933 and up to today the camp has been limited to Red, White and Blue course men, meaning former students who attended one or more previous camps. However, the camp quota has not been increased, but through the partial change approximately 69 newcomers will have a chance to gain admission.

Enrollment for the camp, which will open July 5 and run for the customary four weeks, is now under way at camp headquarters, and application blanks already have been mailed to former students. New applicants must be able-bodied young men between the ages of 17 and 24. They may apply directly to CMTC headquarters at Vancouver Barracks.

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## VOTE FOR



MARK B. BUMP

CAPABLE  
 CONSCIENTIOUS  
 INDUSTRIOUS  
 IMPARTIAL.

Candidate for Circuit Judge

Paid Adv.



PORTLAND, OREGON

## FARM PARITY PRICES SLIP ONE POINT CROPS FORECAST

The purchasing power of farm commodities decreased slightly during the month ending March 13, according to the monthly agricultural situation and outlook report just released. During this period the index of farm prices remained at 76 per cent of the 1910-1914 level, while the prices paid by farmers rose from 119 to 120. Hence the purchasing power of farm commodities dropped from 64 to 63 per cent of pre-war "parity."

This decrease cancels one-fourth of the 4 point gain made the month previous when the purchasing power of farm commodities rose from 60 to 64 per cent of parity.

The report states that a winter wheat crop of nearly 492 million bushels is indicated by the April 1 condition of winter wheat plantings compared with a very short crop of 351 million bushels last year. The five-year average is 19.3 million bushels. Potato growers have indicated that they intend to plant about 3.4 million acres. If yields come up to the 1928-1932 average of 112 bushels per acre, such an acreage will produce about 357 million bushels of potatoes. A crop of this size would be about 38 million bushels above the average crop of the past five years.

Fruit prospects in eastern and north-eastern United States are the poorest in many years, due to cold weather in February. Peaches and pears seem to be damaged more than apples and cherries, but all have suffered heavily. The circular, which also contains articles on the farm real estate tax situation, the farm labor supply, the farm mortgage financing situation, and other information of current interest to farmers. Copies may be had free from any county agricultural agent.

Well, the astronomers tell us that the universe is much bigger than they thought it was, and they thought it was plenty big.

You will find many friends ready to accept favors and kindnesses without any intention or willingness to do likewise to your or others.

A. M. JANNSEN  
MEMBER 1931 SESSION

Candidate for Republican Nomination

## State Representative

Lower Taxes Whenever Possible  
 Fewer Laws, better enforcement of those on statute books.

Paid Adv.

## QUESTIONS AND PROBLEMS THAT SHOULD BE OF INTEREST TO EVERY VOTER AND TAXPAYER IN WASHINGTON COUNTY

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are now saddled upon us which we are unable to bear, as a result of this false and narrow-minded policy. Our farms and homes still carry the same valuation as during the war times, with no immediate prospects of getting our valuations lowered or equalized commensurate with our ability to pay. All our property carries this unequal and unjust burden.

We voters are in a measure to blame for this situation. If year after year we do not go to the polls and elect responsible resident citizens that will truly represent us, both in the Legislature and in County affairs, the situation will be no different. It is the bounden duty of every voter to study the various candidates that are seeking public office. Look over their qualifications. Is he or she qualified by education and training to fight for your interests? Does he live among you? Does he own his home? Does he take an interest in your roads and schools and your community problems, and is he willing to share his just burdens in these matters? Do his neighbors and friends trust and respect him? Does he pay his debts, or at least attempt to do so? By a little inquiry, these things may be found out.

The writer has lived in Washington County for the past 40 years. He has resided in the Beaverton community for the past 20 years. He owns his home. He and his wife are substantial taxpayers in the Beaverton community. For the past 17 years he has been a member of the Raleigh



FOR CAPABLE CONSCIENTIOUS  
 SERVICE IN  
 CONGRESS

VOTE

12 X

J. M. DEVERS

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES

Paid Adv. by Devers for Congress Committee, Custer E. Ross, Chairman, First National Bank Building, Salem, Oregon

school board. He has participated in all the community problems in this part of the County.

It is only within the last two years that he has sought public office, and one reason for his doing so at this time is that the people of this end of the County may have a little voice in how their tax money shall be spent. I believe that a public office is a public trust, and that a person should be as careful, or more so, in the expenditure of public money as he is in the expenditure of his own private money.

If the voters of this County should nominate and elect me to the office of State Senator, I shall endeavor to render to them faithful and efficient service. I shall try to see that the tax burden is equalized commensurate with the ability of our people to pay. The farm and dairy interests need every safeguard and protection in order to raise prices so they can pay their taxes and have a little something besides. I will always stand ready and willing to give earnest consideration to all the problems that confront the citizens and taxpayers of this county, and will attempt to solve them to the best of my ability.

Respectfully submitted:  
 SAMUEL B. LAWRENCE

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Mothers of Men, to-day we salute you  
 And humbly before you we pledge you our love  
 On earth and in heaven, ye Mothers now hear us,  
 And accept our proffers both here and above.

Mothers of Men, has there ever been hero  
 Among the creation of God's mighty hand;  
 Who near you could stand and say, I'm an equal.  
 In the strife and the stress of this battle-scarred land?

Mothers of Men, to you has been given  
 An honor untold by tongue or by pen;  
 For next to the army of God's consecrated  
 March valiantly on, the Mothers of Men.

Mothers of Men if the army moves onward,  
 If the heart and the word bring solace renowned,  
 If the wisdom of Ages brings light to the nighted,  
 Then, Mothers of Men, to you goes the crown.

Mothers of Men, the world has seen progress  
 Since first from the hand of the Maker it came  
 The sons and the daughters of earth's first transgression  
 Find smoother the path, and the rough ways more plain.

Mothers of Men, to you must be given  
 The palm and the glory of the good there has been;  
 For earth since creation has never yet boasted  
 Of heroes so valiant as Mothers of Men.

**FRANK J. LONERGAN**  
 Mothers Day 1934.