

Cars Collide on Main Street.

Two Fords, a roadster and a coupe, got their axles and fenders badly tangled up Wednesday evening about 7:30 on Main street near the library, the damage, it is said, being about divided equally. Eugene Welling, driving a coupe west on Fourth street, collided with R. L. Pitts in a roadster going north on Main. There seems to be some difference of opinion as to which young man was to blame, although it is conceded by all that Welling was traveling at a very moderate speed, while the Pitts machine was going through at a lively clip. Welling sustained a broken rear wheel, a bent axle, bent fender and body, also two tires were blown out by the force of the collision. A front fender was bent, also a headlight demolished in addition to other damages on the Pitts car. The accident was reported at once to Justice of the Peace Brown and it is thought an amicable settlement will be effected for damages.

Turn over a new leaf—to the Want Ads.

HURLBURT HAS GOOD IDEAS AS COMMISSIONER

"Impartial and unbiased consideration for the needs of each community," is the platform of Thomas H. Hurlburt, candidate for the republican nomination for county commissioner at the coming primary election. Mr. Hurlburt, in support of his platform, says that if nominated and elected it is his intention to personally visit each community in the county, and at first hand study their county problems, and not spend his spare time at a desk in the county courthouse. His experience in surveying, as a bank employe, as a farmer and business man, peculiarly qualify him for the office that he seeks, and if he comes in personal contact with the residents of the communities he will better understand their needs. He also says that if elected his office will be accessible at all times for residents and taxpayers to consult him on county affairs.

Don't lay down the paper till you have read the Want Ads.

PAUL STRUCK FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

If appearances count for much one of the strongest of the seven republican candidates for county commissioner is Paul E. Struck for he is a man of impressive, substantial bearing and a square, strong visage. Yet many kindly lines are seen and those who know him best say he is in other ways well qualified to hold a seat at the county commissioner's table.

Mr. Struck is a prominent Woodman belonging to Multnomah 77, the peer of all Woodman camps. With the mighty Multnomah back of him his election is all but assured.

A friend writing in the Multnomah Booster, organ of Camp 77, has the following to say about the office in general and candidate Struck in particular:

"A county commissioner should be a man of practical experience and not a theorist, and should be selected for this important office the same as a large corporation or business house would do it, making efficiency and service the first requirements, and not select a man merely because he is a good greeter and a skilled orator.

"The county commissioner's office deals with all the construction which comes within the jurisdiction of the county and the purchase of the needed supplies. Neighbor Struck having been for years engaged in large construction projects in the capacity of superintendent, foreman and estimator for federal and municipal as well as private enterprises he possesses qualifications which could only be obtained through practical experience. He is a practical draftsman and estimator.

"In recommending to the voters of Multnomah county the favorable consideration of Neighbor Paul Struck we are doing it conscientiously and basing it entirely upon merit and recommendations in his possession.

He has been a consistent republican, supporting the nominees regularly and wholeheartedly, and has given generously of his time and exceptional organizing ability in promoting worthy fraternal and civic movements. This is his first entry into the political arena as a candidate and his candidacy was brought about by the intercession of his friends who recognized his especial fitness for the office of county commissioner."

PATTERSON IS FAVORITE NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR

That Senator I. L. Patterson will be the republican nominee for governor is now generally conceded by leaders of both parties. Taking the lead at the start, Mr. Patterson, who is well known throughout the state, is gaining support from all sections.

Of the republican candidates Patterson is most likely to win the nomination one week from today. He is a favorite with the farmers, is well qualified and deserves the honor.

A remarkable feature of the campaign of Senator Patterson is that from the time of the announcement of his candidacy he has maintained a strong lead.

It has been generally conceded all the while that he would emerge triumphant in the Willamette valley, the only difference of opinion being as to the size of his plurality, and now that Seymour Jones has announced his support of Patterson, it is prophesied that he will carry the valley by a majority.

It is also predicted that Mr. Patterson will carry eastern Oregon.

The consensus of opinion throughout the state is that if nominated, Mr. Patterson would be stronger in the

JAY H. UPTON

Republican for Governor



He was raised in Portland and graduated from Woodlawn Grammar school and the old Portland High school.

A Spanish War Veteran. President State Senate in 1923 A Senator for four sessions. He is fair and tolerant.

He is the first candidate to come out firmly for the Direct Primary and is opposed to the return to the old corrupt convention system.

Paid Adv. by Upton-for-Governor Club. T. Walter Gillard, Mgr.

For State SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Republican Candidate



CHARLES A. HOWARD

Superintendent City Schools MARSHFIELD, OREGON

The following prominent educators of the State of Oregon are among the many endorsing his candidacy:

Hugh Boyd, Principal Washington High School, Portland, Oregon.
W. L. Verry, Principal Lincoln High School, Portland, Oregon.
T. J. Gary, Principal Buckman School, Portland, Oregon.
Grace Bridges, Grade School teacher, Portland, Oregon.
Julia Spooner, Grade School teacher, Portland, Oregon.
H. E. Inlow, Superintendent of Schools, Pendleton, Oregon.
Geo. A. Briscoe, Superintendent of Schools, Ashland, Oregon.
Susanne Holmes Carter, County School Superintendent, Jackson County, Oregon.
J. E. Myers, Superintendent Crook County Schools, Prineville, Oregon.
E. H. Hedrick, Supt. of Schools, Medford, Oregon.
Mrs. C. E. Mulkley, County School Superintendent, Coquille, Oregon.
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Republican for Representative from Multnomah County

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fall election than any other candidate. He, being a practical farmer, is in sympathy with the farmers' troubles, and will apply business methods for their relief.

Patterson is making the campaign on a platform of progressive and constructive principles, and making an unqualified promise that he will reduce taxes, and that he will apply business principles to the administration of state affairs.

Farm Reminders.

Color accents in fruit or foliage add to the attractiveness of any planting, says A. L. Peck, professor of landscape gardening at O. A. C. These accents in autumn are obtained by use of holly, dogwood, sumachs, madrone, mountain ash, and shrubs with flowers, fruit or bright foliage. Other trees valuable in adding accent at different seasons are vine maple, tulip tree, silver maple, Norway maple, black locust, honey locust and scarlet oak.

The rose saw-fly which attacks all roses in Oregon is controlled by spraying with lead arsenate, says the entomologist of the experiment station. The larva, a small, dark green, snail-like worm, feeds on the underside of the leaves in the spring. Dust made up of one part of calcium or lead arsenate and six parts of hydrated lime or powdered sulfur is also used for the control of this pest.

Native Oregon shrubs are in places gaining a natural effect or in places where their larger and rougher growth is in keeping with the architecture and the rest of the garden. Oregon grape is a good large hedge plant, but may be purchased from local nurserymen and transplanted with much greater ease than plants dug from the woods, the experiment station finds. Nurserymen carry the native plants that are best adapted to use on home grounds. In buying these, suggests A. L. Peck, professor of landscape gardening at the college, the plants are more likely to grow and the woods and highways are not robbed of their shrubs.

Painting and Papering.

See Wm. Earns for painting, tinting and papering. All work guaranteed. Hogan road. R. 1, Box 70-A, Gresham, Oregon.

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County

Commissioner

FRED G.

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REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

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Polson Earwigs Now.

The general alarm has gone out from the state board of horticulture that it is time to spread the earwig bait now. There are many places in this section that are badly infested with earwigs, many other places are slightly infested, but the property owners do not notice them, (as the bugs work mostly at night) until they get so plentiful that they begin destroying the crops.

If they are present, earwig bait should be spread immediately. It is best to apply it in the evening. If you are not sure, you can find where they are by using trap baits. Make a little sweet bran mash by using one part of molasses to six parts of water to moisten bran. Put small lumps of this mixture in different places around the premises in the evening about sundown. About midnight if you will examine these baits with a flashlight, you will find the earwigs feeding upon the bait.

The young are small at the present time and rather light of color and if you do not look carefully, you may miss them.

Earwig poison is handled by Gresham merchants.

Window Cleaning

For expert window cleaning see S. Tajima, or leave orders with John Brown, Gresham, phone 2501.

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COMING EVENTS.

Conference and special services at Zion Evangelical church closing Sunday.

Rebekah Welfare club bake sale, Saturday, May 15.

Junior-Senior banquet, high school, this evening, May 14.

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday afternoon, May 16.

Class night, exercises of 1926 graduating class, Wednesday evening, May 19.

Gresham Post American Legion slight-of-hand performances, Gresham theater, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, May 19 and 20.

County W. C. T. U. convention at Methodist church, Thursday, May 20.

Dorcas Circle picnic and all-day meeting, Wednesday, May 19.

Eighth grade graduating exercises, grade school, Thursday evening, May 20.

Commencement exercises of Gresham Union High school, Friday evening, May 21.

Primary election, May 21.

For Justice of the Supreme Court

X SHEPHERD, GEORGE S.

Republican, of Multnomah County

He is the only candidate from Multnomah county and if nominated and elected will be the only member from this county. There are seven Justices in the Supreme Court and three to nominate at the republican primaries.


Shepherd stands for simplified legal procedure and prevention of vexatious delays on appeal. The supreme court should be speeded up. In Oregon less than 350 cases have been decided since January 1, 1925, while Washington has decided 814 in the same time. WE NEED A CHANGE!

(Paid Adv.)

Clay S. Morse

Republican for

County Commissioner



More safeguards for accident prevention on the highways.

Better roads for outlying communities.

A system of arterial highways that will encourage the development, increased population and more wealth within the county.

A bigger and better county fair.

An economical administration of county affairs consistent with good business policy.

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