W. W. Banks, formerly assistant United States attorney for Oregon, is a candidate for re-election to the state senate from Multnomah county. He served as representative in the Oregon legislature in 1903. He is now serving his second term as state senator. He introduced and secured the passage of the first law in this state limiting the hours of employment for women and has always advocated and voted for laws pertaining to decency, progress and development of our industries and port.

VOTERS

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McCOURT OF GOOD FAMILY, EXPERIENCED

To be well born gives one half the boost he needs in life and to follow that up with conscientious and hard work will put him a long way ahead toward the goal of success.

This little homily is illustrated in the life of John B. McCourt, candidate for nomination on the republican ticket for the state legislature. He is the son of the late John McCourt for many years on the state supreme bench. John B. was born in Salem, educated in the state, and has been for some years an attorney in Portland. He was elected to the legislature two years ago and has gained the advantage of experience.

His slogan is, "Economy in step with progress."

ALLAN A. BYNON

Attention of voters in eastern Multnomah is again directed to a fine, alert, young man, candidate for the legislature, Allan A. Bynon. He was born in Portland 32 years ago and is an attorney of distinction. He devotes much time to civic affairs.

A few weeks ago, for example, in his capacity as president of the Portland Americanization Council, Mr. Bynon presided at the exercises in the municipal auditorium following the proceedings at which over 600 residents of foreign birth took the oath that made them American citizens. Similarly, his interest in education and his study of school affairs led him to accept the position of legal adviser to the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers. Furthermore, having recently served as a member of the executive committee of Portland Post No. 1, American Legion, it follows that he takes an active part in the affairs of the ex-service men.

All of the foregoing activities form a valuable background for the work of a representative in the legislature, the position for which Mr. Bynon is a canddate.

PREMIUM LISTS ABOUT COMPLETED

The preparation of the premium list for this year's Multnomah county fair has been under way for several weeks and is now in the hands of the printer. It is nearly complete and work on the printing will be hastened as much as possible to get it into circulation because of the early dates of the fair. Mrs. O. A. Eastman, assistant secretary, has had the preparation of the copy in charge.

The dates for the fair are July 25 to 29.

Tell it to One-Five-Six-One.

BUSINESS MAN ON LEGISLATIVE TICKET

Stephen A. Matthieu is a druggist of Portland and he is also an experienced and reliable legislator.

S. A. Matthieu

He is not an upstart in either line, having been in business for many years, building from the ground up, and having served in the legislature in 1917. In 1924 he was elected a delegate to the national republican convention at Cleveland. Mr. Matthieu is entitled to very favorable consideration by republican voters. He is a son of F. X. Matthieu one of Oregon's best known and beloved pioneers, who through his vote at the now famous Champoeg meeting was instrumental in keeping Oregon as a part of the United States.

Mr. Matthieu's slogan is, "a business man for a business administration," and he can be relied upon to represent his district in accordance with his slogan.

FRED MERRILL SEEKS LEGISLATIVE SEAT

Basing his claim for consideration on his many years of activity in the political and civic life of Portland, Fred T. Merrill is seeking nomination on the republican ticket for the state legislature.

Fred traces his ancestry back to Elder Brewster of the Mayflower and says he has been a constant advertiser and booster of Portland and Oregon for 45 years. He has made and spent over a million dollars in Portland. He served for two terms as a city councilman, and mentions many things of benefit to the city and taxpayers for which he says he was chiefly responsible.

"If nominated and elected, says Mr. Merrill, "I will strive for a safe and sane legislation, a reasonable auto tax and help stop the spending orgy,—be on the job constantly and at all times have on my mind the best interests of the people of this beautiful state of Oregon."

HANDSOME MAGAZINE FEATURES NORTHWEST

Several months ago solicitors took subscriptions in this vicinity for a publication called the Oregon Magazine and arrangements were made for an advertisement of this locality to be run in its pages. Time went on and no magazine appeared. An inquiry brought out the information that changes were contemplated in the magazine and the ad would appear in due season and all subscriptions would be made good and better than anticipated.

This week the new magazine has arrived and it is a beauty. It is named The Pacific Northwest and evidently supercedes the Oregon Magazine, as it has the same editor, Albert Rebel, though it starts back with volume 1, number 1. It consists of 44 pages in a handsome cover and the articles, well illustrated, feature portions of Idaho, Washington and Oregon.

The new magazine is certainly of high quality and engaging subject matter and should fill a niche in the heart of every lover of the northwest's natural and artificial beauties. The editor in a foreword says that it is his aim "to bring the Pacific northwest to you in a manner novel and engaging, never before attempted by any publication."

WILL HONOR MOTHERS AT TEMPLE SUNDAY

Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m. Sunday at the Undenominational temple. The pastor will speak in the afternoon service on a text that will be of special interest to mothers. A good song service will be held and special music, including a male quartet, will be given. The Rev. D. B. Weintz will speak in the evening at the service beginning at 7:30. Services in the afternoon will begin at 2 o'clock.

Prayer service will be held on Tuesday evening and young people's meeting on Friday evening beginning at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited.

VOTERS

The candidates appeal to you to consider their claims and qualifications. Do them the favor of an intelligent vote.

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Do You Owe a Letter to Your Mother?

There have been many sermons written for women. This is for men, and its text is: Don't Forget to Write to Your Mother. Women don't need this sermon, because they do not forget. But a man is liable to be neglectful of family ties and to forget how lonely and desolate are those who sit in the twilight of old age beside solitary hearthstones and who wander through empty rooms listening to the gay young voices that are silenced.

Too Busy!

This is not because men are lacking in natural affection. It is because they become so absorbed in their own affairs and are so swallowed up in their business and their interests in their own pleasures and their own wives and children, that they cease to realize there is another claim upon them.

Perhaps in the whole of human life there is no such ironic contrast between our noble ideals and our faltering deeds as is shown in the way the average man treats his mother. His affection for her is his profoundest emotion, least expressed.

Too Busy to Write.

He may not neglect her entirely. He may pat himself on the back and think he is a good son because he has given her the little house in which she lives if she is poor, and sends her a monthly allowance.

But he doesn't write to her. He leaves the correspondence to his wife, or to the children. Occasionally he may write a letter to her—a short, formal, concise, businesslike letter that has about as much heart in it as if he were writing to a broker to inquire the price of stocks.

The man's excuse is that he is too busy to write. Maybe so, but mother was never too busy to answer his call when he needed her. She was never too busy to hunt the spool of thread he wanted for his kite, or to wash the little shirt he needed when he wanted to go out with other boys.

Too busy to write to mother! But she, Mr. Man, was never too busy to do every possible thing for you. You forget to write to mother. But never for a single second in all your life has mother forgotten you.

Always a Child to Mother.

How empty such excuses must sound to the old lady who is waiting patiently and uncomplainingly for a letter from the son who is still a child to her no matter if to the rest of the world he looks a stout, bald-headed old gentleman. To her he is the world and all there is of interest in it. His success is her triumph. The smallest thing that concerns him is of greater importance to her than the rise and fall of empires. And if he does not take the trouble to write to her and let her share in his hopes and joys and plans and achievements her lot is desolate indeed.

Therefore, you who read these lines, sit down at once and write to your mother a long, human, gossipy letter, telling her all that you are doing and thinking and seeing.

Don't let your mother be one of those poor, neglected women who watch every day for the coming of the mailman, and when he passes them by turn sorrowfully and dejectedly away, wondering why the letter that they look for never comes.

In Mother's Footsteps

"My mother's smile was my first glimpse of heaven. If the heaven I experience along the way and find at the end of the journey has in it as little aversion and as much love, as little regret and as much joy, as little censure and as much mercy, as little despair and as much hope, that will be heaven indeed! Nothing I can ever do can fully repay the love she shed abroad in my life except I walk the way she taught me and meet her at heaven's gate wearing the smile she brought me. I am resolved to begin now and wear it and try to be worthy of it this Mother's day.—Claude Allen MacKay, in the Boston Herald.

Of All Things Beautiful

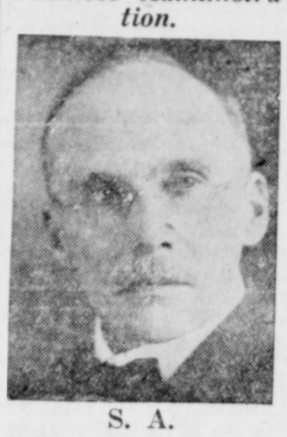
A faithful, loving mother stands at the summit of the beautiful. Climb the stairway of the beautiful, from the purple cup of the violet through the lily and the rose—from the witchery of the forest through the rugged grandeur of the mountain—from the simple beauty of the meadow lake through the silent majesty of the midnight heavens to a mother and her child, and the feet of beauty are ever climbing upward.

Mother's Day

THOUSANDS of years ago, when the world was young, prehistoric woman journeyed smilingly far into the shadows and returned with her child. With pain in her body, but with joy in her heart and a smile upon her lips, she huddled the new life to her bosom, that the warmth of her body might be transmitted to her child. Thousands of years ago a mother watched her baby grow to childhood. Stubbed toes, trivial hurts, baby tears—always that prehistoric mother offered her arms as haven and safe shelter. The baby grew to maturity. Life became a glorious thing, with battles to be fought, and nature to be tamed. In the background stood the mother, happy in her child's accomplishments, soothing him in his failures, always believing, always loving, always standing ready to protect. Through the centuries and forever, the story is the same.

Today the nation honors its mothers. Only a flower gives visible evidence that the Sunday is different from any other. But in the hearts of men there are tender memories and love for the saints, present or departed, who brought them into the world.

A Business Man for a Business Administration.



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Matthieu

Republican Candidate FOR

State Representative

Primaries, May 18

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Re-Elect McCourt

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JOHN B.

McCOURT

FOR

State Representative

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE, MULTNOMAH COUNTY

VOTE X 96

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RE-ELECT

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Republican Candidate for

State Senate

Born in Oregon — Believes in Oregon— Works for Oregon

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State Representative

—Good Citizenship

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CIRCUIT BENCH

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J. B. OFNER

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

—Less Laws
—Less Taxes
—More Payrolls
—Better Market for Farmers

VOTE X 102

Paid Adv.

Introduced and secured enactment of **FIRST** law in Oregon limiting the hours of employment for women.

W. W. Banks

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE for re-nomination for

STATE SENATOR

Primaries, May 18, 5 to elect **Senator Banks has always been a loyal supporter of the Multnomah County Fair.** Paid Adv.

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D. D. HAIL

Republican Candidate FOR

State Representative

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FUNERAL HELD FOR SOLOMON STENBERG

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Undenominational temple for the late Solomon Stenberg who passed away Tuesday night at his home on the Haley road a mile north of Boring, aged nearly 71 years. Interment was made in Douglas cemetery under the direction of the Gates Funeral Home.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Stenberg, and five sons, Fred of Raymond, Minn., C. W., Al A. and Ray of Albany, and H. L. of Tillamook. Twelve grandchildren also are numbered among the survivors.

Mr. Stenberg was born in Sweden and came to the United States in 1880, settling in Minnesota. He moved from Minnesota to Canada in 1906, and from Canada to Oregon in 1916, at that time locating on the home place where he resided until his death.

Mr. Stenberg possessed a stalwart Christian character, always embodying in his daily life the joy and happiness which came from whole-hearted service. He was a regular attendant at church worship and continued faithful in this regard until hindered by ill health. He will be missed by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

CONTRACT TO BE LET FOR FAIR BUILDINGS

According to developments taking place Thursday evening at a meeting of the executive board of the Multnomah county fair association, it is thought that by next Monday plans will be ready to submit to prospective contractors. It is expected that bids will be advertised for the construction work within a short time.

Three new buildings will be erected on the county fair grounds this summer, a machinery hall 50 x 172 feet in size, cattle barns 72 x 140, and horse barns 80 x 100 in size. The specifications for these buildings will call for their completion within 60 days. An appropriation of approximately $18,000 has been made in this year's fair budget with which to take care of the cost of construction.

S. B. Hall is chairman of the building committee, and O. A. Eastman secretary of the fair association. Mr. Hall will supply the needed plans and specifications to contractors upon request.

FREE METHODISTS ANNOUNCE SERVICES

At the 11 o'clock service of the Free Methodist church the pastor, the Rev. B. J. Yates, will preach from the subject, "The Second Greatest Gift that God has Given to the Human Family." This service will follow the Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

The young people's service will meet at 7 o'clock, followed by evangelistic service at 8. Prayer meeting will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

RAILROAD COMPANY PAYS HEAVY TAXES

Checks aggregating $150,129.74 were mailed to Thomas M. Hurlburt, Sheriff of Multnomah county, from the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company headquarters in Portland Thursday, May 3, covering the first half payment of the 1927 taxes levied upon the property of Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company and subsidiary companies in Multnomah county.

The total taxes levied against the railroad's property in Multnomah county according to J. W. Morrow, the railroad's general tax agent, amounted to $300,259.46, distributed as follows: School taxes $130,850.35; city taxes $88,343.54; county general taxes $29,669.03; road taxes $20, 467.01; Port taxes $14,573.30; state general fund $10,929.53; World War veterans' state fund $3,853.14; county soldiers' relief $924.71; state military fund $340.81; and water district taxes $308.04.

Hal Hoss is a candidate for secretary of state. He is the logical successor of Sam Kozer and merits your vote.