

SAMPLE BALLOTS READY FOR VOTER AT CLERKS OFFICE

Sample ballots for the general election to be held next Tuesday, in this state, have been received by the county clerk's office and are ready for distribution.

The ballot, the shortest in a score of years, contains 33 candidates for state and county offices, two constables, five city officers, two supreme court justices, and one circuit court judge.

There are three constitutional amendments to be voted upon. Most years there are from a dozen to a score of initiative measures. The current measures are: The Grange Power bill, the Tax Limitation measure, and the Healing Arts act.

The state ticket is as follows:

- Representative in congress, First District:
 - Emmett W. Gulley, Independent.
 - James W. Mott, Republican.
 - W. R. Richards, Socialist.
 - R. R. Turner, Democratic.
- Governor:
 - Harry J. Correll, Independent.
 - Joe H. Dunne, Republican.
 - Charles H. Martin, Democratic.
 - Abraham M. Silverman, Independent.
- Secretary of State:
 - Hank F. Wirth, Independent.
 - Peter Zimmerman, Independent.
- Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor:
 - Earl C. Steward, Independent.
 - Harlan Talbert, Socialist.
 - Horace E. Walter, Democratic.
- Superintendent of Public Instruction:
 - Charles A. Howard, Republican.
 - J. W. Leenhardt, Democratic.
 - Bianche H. Meyer, Socialist.
- Commissioner of the Bureau of Agriculture:
 - W. C. Gram, Republican.
 - Walfrid Shishum, Democratic.
 - Lawrence Waer, Socialist.
- Senator Sixth Senatorial District, Jackson County:
 - Geo. W. Dunn, Republican.
 - E. E. Kelly, Democratic.
- Representative, Nineteenth Representative District:
 - A. E. Brockway, Republican.
 - Glenn O. Taylor, Republican.
 - William Grembner, Democratic.
 - Moore Hamilton, Democratic.
- County Ticket:
 - For County Judge:
 - Paul B. Day, Republican.
 - H. D. Reed, Democratic.
 - For County Commissioner:
 - L. O. Carter, Democratic.
 - R. E. Nealon, Republican.
 - For Sheriff:
 - Syd I. Brown, Democratic.
 - Walter J. Olmscheid, Republican.
 - For County Surveyor:
 - Paul B. Rynning, Republican.
 - For Constable, Medford Justice Dist.:
 - Frank E. Anderson, Democratic.
 - Ed Hollenbeck, Republican.
 - Medford City Ticket:
 - For Mayor:
 - Geo. W. Porter.
 - For Recorder:
 - M. L. Alford.
 - For Treasurer:
 - Gus H. Samuels.
 - For Councilman Fourth Ward:
 - W. P. Stewart (4 Year Term)
 - Judicial Ticket:
 - For Judge of the Supreme Court:
 - Position Number Four:
 - John L. Hand, of Baker County.
 - Position Number Seven:
 - George Rossman, Multnomah Co. District.
 - For Judge of the Circuit Court, First Judicial District, Jackson and Josephine Counties:
 - H. D. Norton, of Jackson County.

Meteorological Report

October 30, 1934
Forecasts
Medford and vicinity: Unsettled with light rain tonight and Wednesday. Moderate temperature.
Oregon: Unsettled tonight and Wednesday. Light rains north and west portion. Moderate temperature.

Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 51; lowest, 40.
Total monthly precipitation, 2.31 inches; excess for the month, 1.09 inches. Total precipitation since September 1, 1934, 2.62 inches; excess for the season, .85 of an inch.

Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 60 per cent; 5 a. m. today, 87 per cent.

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:43 a. m. Sunset tomorrow, 5:07 p. m.

Observations Taken at 5 A. M., 10th Meridian Time

CITY	High Temp	Lowest Temp	Wind	Direction	Remarks
Boise	68	46	Cloudy		
Boston	50	34	Clear		
Chicago	45	32	Clear		
Denver	66	40	Clear		
Eureka	70	56	02	Cloudy	
Helena	52	32	Cloudy		
Los Angeles	66	56	Cloudy		
MIDWPTD	65	53	Cloudy		
New York	44	38	Clear		
Omaha	44	32	Cloudy		
Phoenix	94	64	Clear		
Portland	62	54	01	Cloudy	
Reno	78	48	Cloudy		
Roseburg	66	48	Cloudy		
Salt Lake City	70	44	Clear		
San Francisco	66	55	Cloudy		
Seattle	64	48	Cloudy		
Spokane	52	44	Cloudy		
Walla Walla	52	48	Cloudy		
Washington, D.C.	58	48	Cloudy		

erty owned by the tax payers of Jackson county and paid for by them to be used for agricultural fair purposes only, into a sportsman's paradise. The Grangers believe that there is much cheap land available in Jackson county that could be used by the sportsmen for this purpose, without appropriating the county fair grounds without any legal or moral right. We demand the immediate ceasing of all operations toward the development of this project at once, and appeal to the county court to see that it is stopped.

The Grange power bill was ably discussed by W. E. Davies, legislative committee chairman. Henry Conger reported for the agricultural committees. He requests that all Grangers who are interested in getting better prices for their hogs than they can locally, see R. G. Fowler, county agent, who is signing up shipments. A splendid profit has been secured by those who have already shipped. Mrs. Bertha Bursell also gave a very interesting report on home economics work in the Grange.

The Grange Gas Co-op was reported by Victor Bursell as doing a fine business at a very small overhead. However, he stresses that the overhead can be materially reduced with increased consumption. Every subordinate Grange should work to secure members for this co-operative agricultural project, as it is a means of reducing the overhead of their members considerably.

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DOG'S REPUTATION AIRED IN SUIT TO OBTAIN DAMAGES

The damage suit of Gertrude Ottinger against Lethal Stevens and Alice and P. E. Gerle for \$1500 for alleged slaying of an Australian shepherd dog, on September 22 last, was underway in circuit court today and expected to be in the hands of the jury late this afternoon.

The plaintiff alleges that the dog, a pet called "Bobbie," was "maliciously and wantonly slain." The defense alleges that the dog was a "chicken-killer" and was killed while raiding the Gerle chicken yard with two other dogs.

The defense announced that it would call Roy Parr, former game warden, to testify that the mother of the slain canine was "a habitual deer-killer, and for that reason was ordered killed two years ago."

The Gerles operate a chicken farm in the "Valley View" district near Ashland and allege that "Bobbie" was engaged in a raid, with two other dogs, when he was killed. The animal, they allege, was also suspected of other raids. Stevens is alleged to have fired the shot.

Testimony was introduced to show the Gerles had phoned neighbors advising them their chickens were being killed by dogs, and warning dog-owners of impending death to their dogs. Mrs. Ralph Coleman testified that Mrs. Gerle phoned such a message to her. Charles Brown of Ashland testified he helped bury the slain dogs, and gave directions and directions as to where the bodies lie from the chicken yard. Other witnesses testified that a coyote always carries away a slain fowl, but a dog and skunk devour them "on the spot."

The defense is represented by Attorneys William Briggs and Frank Van Dyke of Ashland, the plaintiff by Attorney Frank J. Newman of this city.

LOCAL STUDENT IN W. U. COMEDY

In a recent copy of the University of Washington Daily, it is made known that Harold GeBauer, who resides in this city and graduated from Medford high school, is taking part in the university's play, "Mrs. Moonlight."

GeBauer is cast as "Willie Ragg" in the comedy production, which was written by Ben Levy. The play is being presented each Thursday, Friday and Saturday for three weeks, having started October 25, in the university's new Studio theater.

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MARTIN CLEARS UP DOUBT REGARDING LOCAL IRRIGATION

Congressman Martin wired this morning that he had just received from the RFC a telegram reading as follows:

"Will expedite closing loan authorized Rogue River Valley Irrigation district, Jackson county, Oregon, upon receipt information heretofore requested of bond counsel for district regarding assessments available to secure payment proposed limited liability bonds if such assessments provide full and adequate security as required by law."

The RFC has already approved the security and allocated the money to this district upon a price and basis which the RFC fixed and determined.

Jones, in charge of this RFC loan, had heretofore wired Congressman Martin that the money had been allocated to the OTHER irrigation districts in this county. But in this wire Martin received within the last week, Jones had omitted to include the Rogue River Valley Irrigation district by name and Martin understood, to and did, straighten the matter out by wire with the department.

It is now believed that the loan will go forward as soon as the necessary documents can be certified to and forwarded, and this is being done rapidly.

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Grangers Oppose Tax Limitation

BELLEVUE, Oct. 30.—(Sp.)—Pomona Grange in session here Saturday went on record as opposing the 20 mills tax limitation, by a small majority. The Pomona Grange also voted opposition to the building of an artificial lake on the fairground.

It was said that an appeal would be made to the county court to halt further plans to this end.

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COWBOY ACTOR HANGS ONE ON CHIN OF OAKIE

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 30.—(UP)—The Hollywood film colony was treated to another of its famous "one punch" battles Sunday when Rex Lease, long known for his fistie powers, let one fly at Jack Oakie, drawing comedian.

The new "battle of the century" occurred in a Boulevard cafe where Lease and Charlie Chase, screen comic, were occupying a table.

Witnesses said Oakie sauntered in and began, as is his custom, to circle the tables, wisecracking with friends. His words at Lease's table were not overheard but apparently they displeased the cowboy film actor.

Lease, safe attaches said, rose and landed a straight right to the Oakie whizzer. Oakie took his head and drew back to retaliate when friends (as they always do in Hollywood) separated them.

Oakie left soon afterward, and explained later that "It wasn't really a fight." Lease said he didn't want to talk about it.

"I was only kidding Lease," Oakie said. "He wasn't feeling well and I guess he couldn't take it. He gave me a little push and told me to cut it out. I told him I was sorry if I had offended him, and then a little later I left. You can bet your life nobody clipped Oakie on the chin."

SINGLER HURT BY CRASH INTO DEER

August B. Singler of this city is recuperating at his home from injuries sustained when his motorcycle crashed headon into a deer on the Crater Lake highway Sunday evening.

While riding down through the park about 6:30 o'clock, Singler saw a deer dash across the highway in front of him, then swerve directly into his path. The impact threw him about 30 feet.

When Singler regained consciousness, 20 minutes later, his motor was still running. There was no sign of the deer.

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ELLIS A. CRIPPS RITES TOMORROW

Ellis A. Cripps, a resident of Medford for the past 22 years, passed away at his home, 518 North Riverside, at 10 a. m. Monday.

Mr. Cripps came to Medford with his family from Wisconsin. He was born in that state June 3, 1859. Besides his wife, Alta Cripps, he leaves one son, Oakley, who resides at Sedro Woolley, Wash.

Funeral services will be strictly private at the Conger chapel Wednesday afternoon with entombment in the Medford memorial mausoleum. Friends will please omit flowers.

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\$100 FINE ASSESSED FOR DRUNKEN DRIVING

Charles H. Hamilton of this city entered a plea of guilty to a drunken driving charge and was sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined \$100 and costs. His auto license was automatically revoked for a year. Commitment to the county jail was postponed pending good behavior.

Ralph Ginn, charged with operating an auto without a license, fined \$5 and costs and given 30 days in which to pay.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lawrence of Route 3,