

GRANGERS TO BALLOT FOR STATE SLATE

At the first grange meeting in April, Klamath county grangers will ballot on state officers for the new year.

Following is the slate of nominees:

For master: Ray W. Gill of

Multnomah county; J. W. Wilcox of Wasco county.
For overseer: Morton Tompkins of Yamhill county; Harry Schmeltzer of Washington county.
For lecturer: Blanch Pickering of Clatsop county; Mrs. G. W. Thiesen of Clackamas county.
For secretary: Bertha J. Beck of Linn county; Anna Hadley of Marion county.
For executive committee, three to be elected: Minnie McFarland of Morrow county; W. A. Johnson of Josephine county; L. Alva Lewis of Klamath county; Fred A. Goff of Douglas county; Henry Gustafson of Coos county; Peter Zimmerman of Yamhill county.
Results will be announced on May 5.

KLAMATH YOUTHS JOIN RESERVES OF U. S. ARMY

PORTLAND, Ore., April 5.—Earl C. Gwin, son of Mrs. G. H. Gwin, 816 Commercial street, Klamath Falls, was honorably discharged from the United States army on March 27 at Fort McDowell, Calif., while serving as a member of the coast artillery corps and enlisted in the regular army reserve on the same date, it was announced today by Lieutenant Colonel H. D. Bagnall, Portland recruiting officer.

Gwin, who recently returned from a tour of foreign service in the Hawaiian Islands, was accepted in the reserve in the same grade he held upon discharge from the regular army, Colonel Bagnall said.

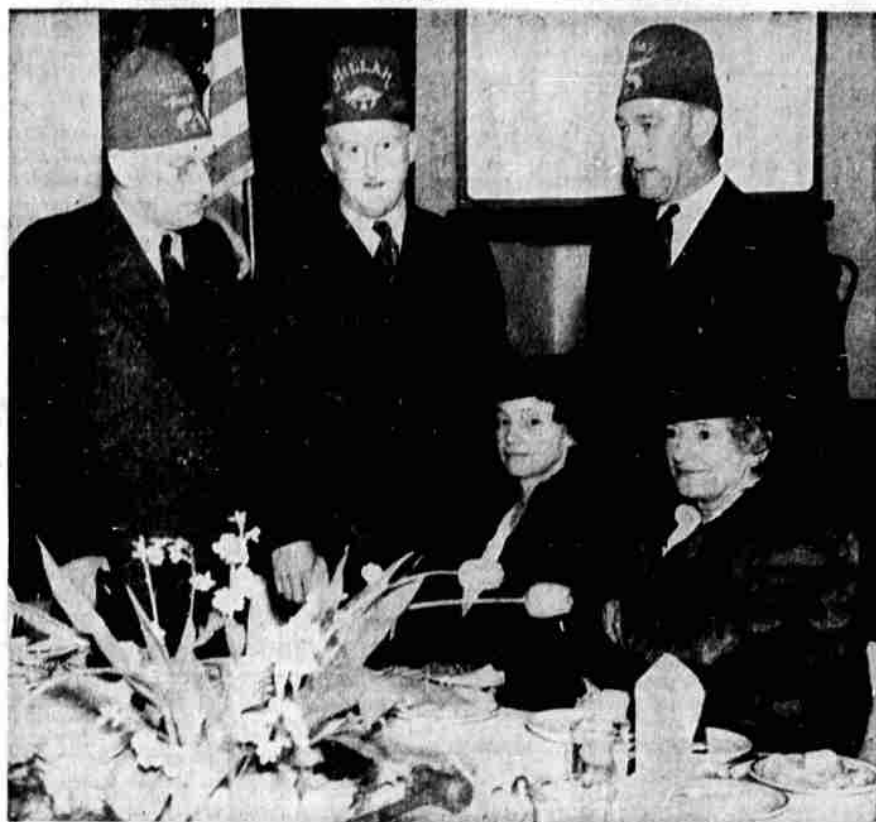
Gwin is a graduate of the army school for bakers and cooks at Fort Armstrong, Hawaii.

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Plans Made for Crippled Children's Dance



When Leatha Humphrey, for 14 years head of the Shrine hospital for crippled children in Portland, paid a visit to Klamath Falls on Wednesday, the Shrine club turned out 60-strong at the Willard hotel for dinner. Plans were discussed for the Shrine dance April 13 in the armory. Seated at the table, left to right, Miss Humphrey and her assistant, Paula Goettsch. Standing, C. A. Dunn, Past President Walter Wiesendanger and President Marshall E. Cornett.

Writer Describes Churchill As One of Britain's Great Geniuses; Premiership Near

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Britain's cabinet shake-up means to me nothing so much as that at long last one of the great geniuses of English history—Winston Churchill—has been accorded a political position which puts him close to level footing with the prime minister in prestige and may easily lead to the premiership soon.

In discussing Churchill one runs the danger of embarking on superlatives. Still, having studied him for something like a quarter of a century at close range, I venture the suggestion that his appointment as director of all the armed forces of the nation represents one of the most constructive moves towards

victory which could have been made for the allied cause.

The Churchill brain is a Magline for Britain and France.

One of the most striking features of this change is that it is the result of an insistent public demand that Churchill be given greater scope for his ability. Rarely indeed does such a situation arise, and perhaps only a great national crisis could produce it.

Beyond this cabinet change has no special significance in the sense that an immediate change of fundamental policy is involved. A drastic alteration in the plan of action would have meant the downfall of Premier Chamberlain.

There is no other man in England at this time who has the varied marks of greatness possessed by this son of the empire's bluest blood. Throughout his life—he is 65—he has been a jack of all trades, but never a dilettante.

Statesman, soldier, naval expert, air expert, financial expert, orator, writer, oil painter, bricklayer—there is nothing of any moment which he has touched that he hasn't mastered in a big way.

He has, of course, reached great heights, but always the supreme goal—the prime ministership—has eluded him. The answer probably is that while he has commanded respect in parliament he hasn't had the popularity necessary for leadership.

He has been more or less a lone wolf, delighting to use the

magic of his logic and tongue to drive his opponents to cover. His tendency has been to biting sarcasm which at times has become vitriolic.

Because of his skill few ever could answer him, and I have seen him stand in commons and lash cabinet ministers until they drooled in their seats. I have seen a man like the famous Premier Ramsay MacDonald sit with face blazing red under the punishment of Winston Churchill.

Churchill's appointment opens up a new and intensely interesting phase of the war. From the standpoint of Germany he is the most dangerous man who could be given this power of laying plans to circumvent the enemy.

Herr Hitler is well aware of this, which may account in good part for his intense hatred of the Englishman. The fuhrer dislikes a lot of Britons, but Churchill is his bete noir.

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HEAVY DOCKET FACES JUDGE IN POLICE COURT

A heavy docket faced Police Judge Carl K. Cook early Friday morning with nine defendants ready to enter their pleas of guilty or not guilty on drunkenness charges.

Tony Silas was charged with selling liquor to Indians, his case to come up later. Two men were charged with being disorderly, two with being both drunk and disorderly and three with vagrancy. Two traffic offenders paid fines.

Clyde John Cope, 421 Oak avenue, was charged with running a stop sign and L. M. Dunn of Bonanza, charged with operating a car with inadequate brakes and no operator's license, following an intersection crash at Sixth street and Oak avenue shortly after noon Thursday. Dunn posted \$5 bail on the no operator's charge, released on his own recognizance on the other charge, as was Cope. Mrs. Cope, an expectant mother, was not seriously injured in the crash.

COURT AGAIN APPOINTS YADEN

A. C. Yaden of Klamath Falls was notified Thursday of his re-appointment as referee in bankruptcy for Klamath county, the appointment also including Lake county for the new term.

The appointment was made by the federal district court.

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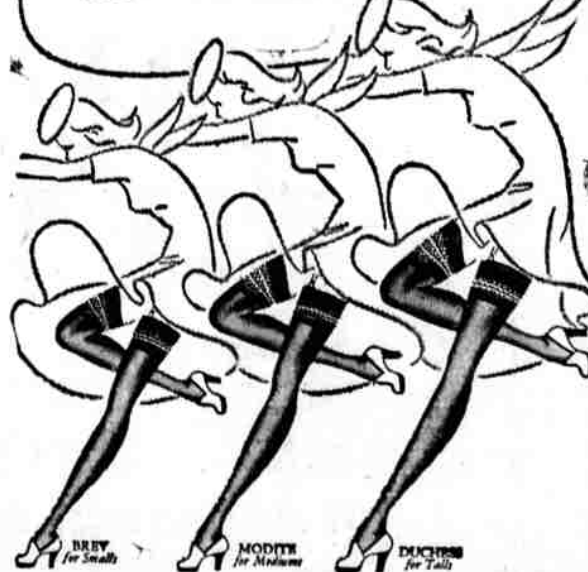
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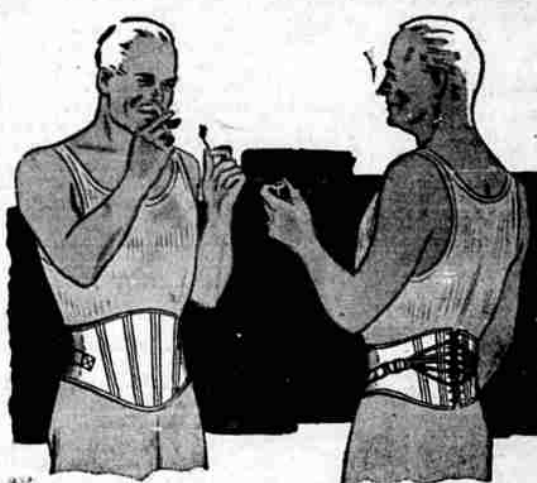
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