

Second Week of JOURNAL DIAMOND UNKNOWN NUMBER GUESSING CONTEST

\$150 TIFFANY DIAMOND RING FREE \$150

THE PLAN ENDORSED EDITORIALY.

(From Editorial in the Sunday, January 17, Oregonian.)

"The Salem Capital Journal has inaugurated a scheme by which it proposes to give away to its subscribers a \$150 diamond, absolutely free. The plan requires the payment of a dollar on subscription, which entitles the subscriber to a guess as to an unknown number. The person lucky enough to guess closest to the right number is entitled to the diamond."

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Your Choice of 975 Numbers, Any One of Which May Be the Unknown Number That Gets the Glittering Diamond ---No Possibility of Any Crooked Work.

The Unknown Number Formed by a Committee of Salem Gentlemen Who Sign a Certificate—Large Number of Guesses May Bring the Contest to a close Sooner Than Was Planned at the start.

The past week hundreds of receipts in The Capital Journal Free Diamond Guessing Contest have been issued to subscribers to the daily and weekly, and all are happy in the possession of a guess at an unknown number, and to be participants in a harmless, innocent amusing guessing contest. This contest is conceded by all to be perfectly fair—as fair and innocent as the children's game of "Button, Button, Which Hand Holds the Button?" Only in The Journal contest not even the publishers know in which hand the button is.

Offer Open to All.

A free guess on the diamond is made open to all—old and new subscribers—all who pay a dollar on subscription. The publishers have but few subscribers on their books who are in arrears and now propose that even those who pay up a dollar in arrears shall have a right to a Diamond Contest receipt—let all have the same opportunity of getting a free guess on the \$150 diamond ring who pay a dollar and get their money's worth in the brightest and best paper in the state for the money—and a free guess on a valuable gift, we make to all our patrons as an expression of good will and to stimulate payment in advance.

How to Participate.

For each receipt of one dollar for the Daily or Weekly Journal, to any address, the person to whom the receipt is issued, will be given an opportunity, absolutely without cost, to have a guess at the unknown number, and the person or persons guessing nearest that number will receive as a present and without any compensation whatever, and merely as an expression of good will on the part of The Journal toward its subscribers, the \$150 diamond Tiffany ring advertised in this paper and on exhibition at the jewelry store of C. H. Hinges, 28 State street, Salem, Oregon. The party paying one dollar or more shall receive a receipt for each dollar paid, and have the opportunity to guess a different number for each such receipt held. No commission is allowed to any agent or solicitor for securing subscribers, and the person so subscribing does it with the understanding that the Daily or Weekly Journal is accepted as payment in full for the money paid.

Unknown Number—How Prepared.

The unknown number that is to be guessed was made up in the following manner. The ten numbers from bought to nine were put on separate slips of paper and folded so as to be unseen, and a committee of subscribers was asked to conduct the assembling of the unknown number. This unknown number was formed at The Journal office on Monday, January 11, 1904, in the following manner: The ten numbers from naught to nine, inclusive, on separate slips of paper, in small sealed envelopes were placed in a box, shaken, and a blindfolded person in the presence of the committee drew out three of those ten numbers, marking the first one, the second two and the third three in figures, and they were then placed in a large envelope, sealed up and placed with the diamond on exhibition in the jewelry store show window each day during the guessing contest, and will not be opened until the contest is closed, when the diamond will be given to the nearest guesser. The unknown number will be formed by putting together the three numbers in the order as marked, one, two, three, on the envelopes in which they are contained. The unknown number will not be assembled until the guessing contest is completed, and publicly announced to subscribers.

The Number to Be Guessed At.

There it is, sealed up in an envelope in the window with the diamond, and there it will remain until the diamond is given away to the lucky guesser. Written across the face of a large white envelope are the words: "This envelope contains the unknown number in The Capital Journal Diamond Guessing Contest." This number was formed in exact pursuance of the plan advertised in The Journal, by a committee of business men and Journal subscribers, who came into the office Monday, January 11. Following is their signed statement on exhibition at Mr. Hinges' show window:

The Unknown Number.

We, the undersigned, were present at The Journal office January 11, and assisted in the forming of the unknown number, according to the plan published to be used in The Capital Journal Diamond Guessing Contest. Under the rules of forming the number, it is impossible for anyone, not even the members of this committee,

the publishers of The Journal, nor the jeweler who furnished the ring to know what the number is.

(Signed) N. J. JUDAH,
J. G. GRAHAM,
GEO. C. WILL,
HAL D. PATTON,
CHAS. H. HINGES,
FRANK C. FERGUSON.

Limited Competition.

The number of receipts issued in this contest will be limited to the number of guesses possible in the range of the numbers between 012 and 987, as the unknown number must be composed of a figure within those limits. The unknown number cannot be less than 012 nor more than 987. To be a perfectly harmless and innocent and amusing guessing contest the number to be guessed at must be and remain absolutely unknown. There must be no chance for any crooked work on the part of The Journal publishers, or the jeweler furnishing the diamond, nor on the part of any subscriber. The receipts for this guessing contest will be numbered in duplicate, but the stub will be only for the purpose of identifying the subscriber who is the successful guesser—each subscriber writing the guess number on the back of his receipt—each one making his or her own guess at the unknown number. As soon as the receipts are all sold the guessing contest will be over and the nearest number awarded the diamond.

How the Guesses Are Made.

On securing a receipt for one dollar or more, the person wishing to guess will write his guess between the above numbers on the back of the receipt in ink or indelible pencil, writing only one guess on each receipt, and depositing the same in the soldered tin box provided at The Journal office for that purpose. Subscribers out of town will be allowed to make their guess in the same manner. Receipts will be mailed them, and they can return the same, with their guess written on the back, in a sealed envelope plainly marked "Journal Diamond Guessing Contest," and they will be deposited in the box. The soldered tin box will not be cut open until all the receipts in the guessing contest are sold—\$75 receipts in all.

GRAND ARMY LADIES

Make a Successful Demonstration and Program

On the Occasion of the Visit of Their State and National Department Commanders

The ladies of the G. A. R. concluded very interesting patriotic exercises in honor of the visit of their national and state commanders. The occasion was one of great enjoyment and rejoicing. Department President Benedict, of Portland, made a beautiful address on the work of the state department. Mrs. Hutchins sang "All Hail the Flag We Love," in a very pleasing manner, and was liberally applauded. National Commander Bailey, of California, who is making a tour of the Northwest, was introduced by President Mrs. Fairbanks. She said their order was a growing one.

There were 23 state departments, with 21,672 women enrolled, 563 circles, and 17 department circles.

A number of homes for old soldiers and their wives were established and maintained. A cottage home would soon be built in California. It was not creditable to this nation to provide a comfortable home for the old soldier, and then permit his wife to go to the county almshouse.

She closed by reciting in an impressive manner Edward Everett Hale's poem "Star Spangled Battle Flag."

Mrs. Wands stated that three years ago Governor Geer had promised her a free pass to visit the old soldiers' home at Roseburg. Governor Chamberlain had also secured a pass for herself and another lady to visit the old soldiers at Roseburg. They had a very pleasant trip. Commandant Elder was a worthy successor to Commandant Hyars. The old soldiers had every comfort, and only missed the cheer of having a wife with them. Mrs. Wands did not tell it all, but she carried a large lot of canned fruit to the old boys.

There was an experience meeting following at which a number of speeches were made, and many expressions of good will were heard from ladies and gentlemen.

F. R. Fairbank considered that he was only an "ornery" member, and his only failure he said was that he was broken up too easily. R. R. Ryan said all had enjoyed the speeches and the good things said and eaten. He apologized to General Grant and Sherman, but they had never won a victory—it was the privates who did that. The mission of the flag was not yet fulfilled. The strife between capital and labor had yet to be settled, and he prayed that war might never again stain our fair land. The Associated Press was not as reliable as it was in the days of the 'sixties. One day war was inevitable, and the next it was peace.

Mrs. Bailey said she had been overfed and overheated ever since she had come to the state. She began to feel sympathy for those who had too much. There were interesting talks by others, and after singing "Marching Through Georgia" all went home.

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