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Our streets are crowded these days with happy people bent on remembering their friends with Christmas tokens.

The cry all over the land is "Car shortage". It must have some foundation, nevertheless "Car shortage" permits not a few of the roads to cover up not a few short comings.

Who did you say was to be president of the senate, when our legislature meets in January? There are several active candidates who would like to have the question answered.

It looks very much as tho the Timber and Stone law, will soon be repealed by congress. Not a few in this state no doubt wish it had been repealed several years ago.

It speaks well for Oregon apples to be selling at 90 cents per dozen in Eastern cities when the Middle and Eastern states are known to be unable to place their stock on the market at anything like remunerative prices.

There are so many long, light colored coats worn these days that the average man has difficulty to pick out his wife when attempting to meet her as prearranged plans, on the street, to jointly do some Christmas shopping.

Within a very short time the voters of this city will doubtless be called upon to vote whether or not they are in favor of issuing sufficient bonds to bring in the waters of Beaver Creek for city purposes. The amount of power that such a project is capable of producing, in addition to the water question, will receive no small consideration by quite a number of those who will vote upon this matter.

The county Good Roads Association can do much for the cause they champion and doubtless will. In the proper season if they would arrange for a county convention, on lines similar to the one held in this city this week and let our own farmers and tax payers exchange their views it would result in securing public opinion as to the wishes of those who actually pay the bills.

WE ARE INTERESTED.

This part of Oregon is very much interested in the fight Spokane is making to secure relief from excessive railroad rates. Spokane like La Grande, under present conditions is compelled to pay the through rate to the coast and then the local rate back, which is not based upon the law of right, but an arbitrary ruling, which Spokane is trying to adjust. If the railroads can haul freight to Portland or Seattle at the present rate they certainly can make still more money by stopping it three hundred miles this side for the same money. It certainly costs something to haul freight from La Grande to Portland, and for the present we would be glad to be permitted to pay the same rate that Portland pays. It only requires another step in the line of justice For many years the roads would not let such freight be unloaded here until it was first carried on thru to Portland and then hauled back. Finally they found away whereby they could collect the rates by unloading the freight here. That was no small accommodation for it meant a saving of at least one week in the time of receiving the goods. We have lived under these conditions for the last fifteen or more years and if Spokane wins in her fight, the Inland Empire will save thousands of dollars. This is a direct saving to the cousumer not to the merchant. In a general way it matters very little to the dealer what the freight rate is. He is compelled to add it to the cost of the goods. The only thing that interests him is to know that the rate is the same to every dealer. The fight is now on and justice demands that Spokane will be successful.

Mr. Bryan is exceedingly anxious to have the people take the President at his word, that he will not be a candidate for reelection. Of course he has no personal motive behind this desire. In other words the 1908 tickets headed by Roosevelt and Bryan would not sound just right to the Commoner.

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