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A Fool Proposition.
 Disgruntled because of Fulton's defeat and blaming Bourne for it, the Dallas Optimist proposes to "recall" Bourne, and elect Fulton in his place, under the "Recall" Amendment to Oregon's Constitution adopted at the late election.
 Does not the Optimist know that a U. S. Senator is the only officer of the state, or any state, that is not elected by the people? All that the people can legally do is to elect a Senatorial candidate, they can not elect him. This is done by the legislature as provided by the constitution and statutes of the United States, hence a Senator can not be recalled by the "Recall," and could he be, the people would rally to Bourne's defense in overwhelming numbers, because in all reform measures, Bourne is the truest representative of the people that this coast ever had in the U. S. Senate. Oregon was swung for Taft by a State Convention which did not represent her, for she was vastly for Bourne and the immortal Teddy.
 The Optimist should attend a legal and political kindergarten before firing its views.
CURRENT TOPICS.
 Editor TRIBUNE:—Paradoxical as it may seem, Bryan's strength is his weakness. His sterling courage and unending integrity are universally recognized, while his great ability none questions. Such a man in the Presidential chair could not be other than an insurmountable menace to the schemes of Predatory Wealth, therefore Predatory Wealth proclaims his defeat in advance for no particular reason other than that he must be defeated and it is not settled that the unions of graft will not encompass his defeat by the Denver Convention.
 And now comes Boss Murphy in command of his corrupt Tammany cohorts, and denounces Bryan as "impossible," which reminds me of the ignoble part played by Tammany under the lead of boss Kelly in defeating the renomination of Tilden in 1880. The fact is, that men like Tilden and Hughes and LaFollette and Bryan who, by no possibility can be used by organized predatory graft, must be put down and kept down at whatever cost; and it may be as well, since capitalistic Government has become impracticable and more and more intolerable, and hence the success of an occasional honest man can only result in prolonging the agony. The system is doomed to go down sooner or later.
 The heart rending tragedy at Cadillac, Mich., was enacted by Mrs. Daniel Cooper who had brooded over the impossibility of her husband securing employment until she became crazed at the sight of six hungry children and in unreasoning frenzy concluded to end it all, and proceeded to kill her husband, five of the children, mortally wounding the sixth, then herself.
 Thousands of wage earners who had purchased little suburban homes on the installment plan are being closed out for default of payments, the knowledge of which so preyed upon the mind of Frank Eggleston of Bellingham, Wash., who had been thrown out of employment by the closing of the shingle mills, and who lived in a home he had bought on the installment plan, and seeing that he must lose it, determined to kill his wife and child and commit suicide. The rifle aimed at his wife slipped, which gave her time to seize a small revolver with which

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The Oregon Senatorship.
 To THE PORT ORFORD TRIBUNE.
 Every native son of Oregon should be proud of his state. The voters of Oregon have done something.
 Oregon politics is the most interesting subject to all those people of the nation who can be interested in principles other than parties and men; for, in Oregon, the so-called election of U. S. Senators by popular vote is being tested.
 The people of Oregon have given Gov. Chamberlain a majority, a majority over Calk and elected a legislature which is practically unanimously republican majority which is formally pledged to elect Chamberlain, democrat, to the U. S. Senate, since the people of the state declared for him.
 Thus, we have a state which gave Roosevelt 42,934 plurality and whose legislature is almost solidly republican, morally bound to send a staunch democrat to the Senate. Will it?
 It must strike the ordinary observer that, since the actual election of the U. S. Senator lies with a legislature politically hostile to the people's choice Oregon has not yet fully arrived at direct election by the people of her U. S. Senators. There must be fine imprisonment for the legislator who goes back on the pledge upon which he was elected.
 Seven months must elapse before the legislature assembles, meanwhile, one of these things will happen: Either the legislator elect will live up to their moral obligation to stick by the people's choice, or he will sell out to some (no not republicans,) but men who have no party, men who belong to the daily ring, who, for once, has been wiped off the Oregon map at prices hitherto unheard of. Oregon's legislature is bound to give the country in this matter, a most splendid demonstration of morality and patriotism, or a most monumental demonstration of boodling. Why did the republican party leave this most important question out of their platform. Will the democratic party leave it out of their platform when they meet in Denver?
 The people of these United States, yes a great majority wants to elect their U. S. senator by popular vote, yet a few men who know the wish of the people leave this great question out of the party platform.
 F. B. TYGHEBOR, SPOKANE, Wash.

"Let joy be unconfined" remarked the Kentucky Colonel. "I'm pulling the stopper now" said his companion.
Cleaning Silk Fabrics.
 "Silk of any kind or color may be cleaned in the following manner," says Woman's Home Companion for July. "For every quart of water used in washing a dress, pure and grate one large potato. But the grated potato into the water which must be cold and soft; let stand two days with out being disturbed in any way, then very carefully pour off the clear liquid into a large convenient vessel, into which dip the pieces of silk up and down.
 "Of course, the silk must not be creased by wringing; let it hang and drip wearily dry, then lay it flat on the table, and wipe first on one side and then on the other. If necessary to press it, do so between a flannel with a moderate iron."

The Public Loan Advertising Men's Association will meet at the Alaska Yukon Pacific exposition some time the latter part of June, 1909.
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Curry.
 William P. Green, Isaac W. Green and Little M. Bonfield—Plaintiffs
 Versus
 Emily Leonard, John Leonard, George Shindler, Laura Shindler, Agnes Shindler, The Unknown Heirs at Law of Emily Leonard Deceased, Lucinda Byard, Fred Smith, William Gauntlet, J. W. Ostrander, Linnie Ostrander and all persons unknown, claiming any interest or estate in the property described in the complaint in this action.
 Defendants.
 To the above-named and described defendants:
 In the name of the State of Oregon; You and each of you are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint of the above-named plaintiffs filed against you in the above-entitled court and cause on or before the twelfth day of August, 1908; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint within said time, said plaintiffs will apply to said court for the relief demanded in said complaint to-wit: For the decree in Partition and Sale and Division of the net proceeds thereof among the parties to this action entitled thereto accordingly, of the following described real estate premises situated in Curry County, Oregon, to-wit: The South West Quarter of the South-East Quarter and the South East Quarter of the South West Quarter of Section Four and the East Half of the North West Quarter of Section Nine all in Township Thirty-nine South of Range Fourteen West of Willamette Meridian, and for the further decree of said court cancelling of record the mortgages of record on said premises held by said defendants Fred Smith and William Gauntlet respectively, and for the other general and special relief set forth and demanded by said plaintiffs in their complaint in said action on file in said court. The date of the first publication of this summons is July 1st 1908 and the date of the last publication thereof will be August 12, 1908, and this summons is published in the Port Orford Tribune once each week for six successive weeks by order of the Honorable E. A. Bailey County Judge of Curry County Oregon, made June 29, 1908.
 J. N. TRUE, Attorney for Plaintiff.
 S. C. JOHNSON, Of Counsel for Plaintiff.

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she defied herself by killing her husband.
 The pathetic tragedies mentioned above and thousands of others provoked by like causes, suggest the very pertinent query as to whether a financial and industrial system which periodically entails destitution and suffering and anguish upon the class that produces all wealth, ought to be abolished and a better one instituted? Taft's platform promises no relief, and Bryan's will only suggest palliatives.
 J. H. UPTON, Langlois, Ore.
Harbor Items.
ELITE-TIMBER!
 A raft of lumber under the Management of Harry Van Pelt left the Tolman saw mill last Tuesday and was successfully landed at C. Bravo's three miles below the mill, where the lumber is to be used in the construction of Mr. Bravo's barn. The same will be completed about the first of July.
 Miss Leland Tolman of upper Chetco is reported to be quite ill.
 There have been wedding bells ringing at Harbor of late. We wonder who will be the happy couple.
 Walter Jones of Crescent City, forest ranger of Siakiyou Reserve, is in this vicinity looking after the interest of the forest reserve.
 There will be a fourth of July celebration at Winchuck at the old picnic grounds and there will be a dance at the Harbor hall at night.
 A prosperous farmer of this section, called his daughter to ask why she allowed a young bachelor to hug her. The daughter said in reply, "I hated to tell him to remove his arm this being leap year you know, and I thought it might discourage him. How did you find it out pappy?"
 "Why your big brother Tom told me" replied the father.
 I suppose that the liquor dealers of Del Norte county are glad that Curry went dry, as they will profit by Curry's prohibition, and the Curryites will have to get their irrigation from you know where. Ir credible as it may seem, there is as much if not more liquor consumed in southern Curry as there was previous to its going dry.
 I noticed in an issue of the Tribune, from Gold Beach previous to the election when an old man told his son of a Democratic scheme to elect Gov. Geo. H. Chamberlain to the United States senate, but the scheme won't work said the old man. It seems that the old man was badly mistaken as dead things sometimes crawl.
 F. V. Vinpoux wife and sister in-law returned from the east on the 18th inst. They had a very nice trip going and coming, but the ways and customs of the people were so different from what they are here, they were glad to get back to their home in old Oregon, as old Oregon is good enough for them.
 Geo. W. Taylor who is now in jail at Crescent City, on a charge of fraudulent leasing in Del Norte and Curry counties declares that there are others and that if they had their just dues would be in the same boat. Law fraudling now a days is getting to be quite common. It is hoped that all such impostors as Taylor will receive their just punishment.
 A heavy rain storm accompanied by high wind occurred on the 20th inst. The rain commenced pouring down in torrents on Friday night at about eleven o'clock and continued till Saturday night with out cessation. The winds blew with as great velocity as at any time in last winter, uprooting fruit trees and scattering the fruit promiscuously upon the ground. Farmers and dairymen are jubilant over the late rains notwithstanding the fruit loss.

Verdict for Dr. Pierce
 AGAINST THE Ladies' Home Journal.
 Sending truth after a lie. It is an old maxim that "a lie will travel seven leagues while truth is getting its boots on," and no doubt hundreds of thousands of good people read the unwarranted and malicious attack upon Dr. R. V. Pierce and his "Favorite Prescription" published in the May (100) number of the Ladies' Home Journal, with its great black display headlines, who never saw the humble, groveling retraction, with its inconspicuous heading, published two months later. It was boldly charged in the slanderous and libelous article that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of woman's weaknesses and ailments, contained alcohol and other harmful ingredients. Dr. Pierce promptly brought suit against the publishers of the Ladies' Home Journal, for \$200,000 damages.
 Dr. Pierce alleged that Mr. Bok, the editor, maliciously published the article containing such false and defamatory matter with the intent of injuring his business; furthermore, that no alcohol, or other injurious, or habit-forming, drugs are, or ever were, contained in his "Favorite Prescription"; that said medicine is made from native medicinal roots and contains no harmful ingredients whatsoever; and that Mr. Bok's malicious statements were wholly and absolutely false.
 The retraction printed by said Journal they were obliged to retraction because they had obtained analysis of "Favorite Prescription" from eminent chemists, all of whom certified that it did not contain alcohol or any of the alleged harmful drugs.
 These facts were also proven in the trial of the action in the Supreme Court of the State of New York. The matter was, however, brought before a jury in the Supreme Court of New York State which promptly rendered a verdict in the Doctor's favor. Thus his traducers came to grief and their base slanders were refuted.

Special Correspondence
 From Portland.
 The Oregon Bankers' Association will hold their next convention in Salem on Friday and Saturday, the 26th and 27th. The program will be one of the most interesting ever presented and the business men of Salem are planning to have an entertainment in honor of the Association.
 On June 24th the business men of Portland will make an excursion to Eugene for the double purpose of participating in the commencement exercises at the University and witnessing the opening of the splendid new depot. Then a little later the Portland Ad Club will go to Albany as the guests of the Albany Commercial Club, the manager of which organization was a former president of the Ad Men's Club.
 Klamath Falls has been especially well represented at Portland the last two or three weeks. An interesting feature was a meeting of the Klamath Falls Chamber of Commerce in the rooms of the Portland Commercial Club, with luncheon following.
 1353 is the actual membership today of the Portland Commercial Club, and there are 22 applications to be considered at the regular meeting of the Board of Governors tomorrow. 1400 is a figure of early realization. Inquiries have come from all over the state relative to the membership of this organization, the interest probably being awakened by the recent housewarming held in the new eight story steel home of the Club.
 There is a hearty and healthy rivalry between the members of the Portland Commercial Club in furnishing flowers for its decoration. Each day a different member is the donor, and flowers are promised more than ten days in advance. The ladies, too, have become enthusiastic and have added much through their taste in floral arrangement.
 1908 will without doubt register the greatest crop of berries and cherries that Oregon ever produced. Quality is magnificent, quantity almost unlimited, and while humanity is enjoying this fruit the maturing hay crop insures a big dairy output, which has been as greatly benefited by the good spring pastures as were ever known in this section. Residents of the Northwest should take pains to see that their western country friends are made familiar with the unequalled conditions which make dairying profitable here.
 The Sixth National Conclave of the Phi Delta Kapp will meet in Portland from the 6th to the 11th of July, and the local chapter is arranging an elaborate series of the festivities.

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