outside of Portland.

NOT MORE THAN TEN HOURS' WORK.

SCHUEBEL WOULD GIVE MEN PROTECTION OF HORSES.

A BILL HE WILL WORK FOR.

Men, Humanity Would Protest.

Editor Courier:-

is confronting the American a healthy and intelligent citizen ed up, and there was some expeople today is the question of of Oregon. It is hereby declared citing talk. adequate protection for the labor- that the working of any person ing men of our country.

conditions and to report and draft bills in the interest of labor. physical health and well-being of draft bills in the interest of labor. Thirty-six states and territories him from acquiring that degree now have laws limiting labor to six days a week. Seventeen states have laws limiting the hours of labor in certain classes of employment. In the labor in the lab ployment. In 1905 Arkansas Section 2. No person shall be about "damned" than he did Soc- attaching a special coach to her passed a law limiting the hours employed in any mill, factory or ialism. of labor in saw mills and plan-ing mills to 60 hours a week. In this state more than ten hours style hard-shell hats set back on beams under the dogs car. ing the hours of labor to 60 hours sixty hours in one week, except gering appearance; he had a mills. Maryland has a law limit- pair of machinery, or in cases of sticking out of the side of his ing the hours of labor to 60 hours emergency where life and prop- face, his pants reefed up to the in the Lawrence woolen mills. a week in cotton and woolen fac- erty are in eminent danger.

a law limiting the nours of labor shall be in cotton and woolen manufac- offense, turing establishments to 60 hours a week. When hard times come the wages of the laboring man are the first to be reduced, and during good times the last to be Judge Beatin Oregon City, \$10.00 ialism. raised. If he expects to hold his position he is often compelled to J. W. S. Owens, Oregon City \$1.00 The writer never voted the Socialist ticket and probably he work such hours and under con- O. D. Robbins, Route 3....\$1.00 never will-only the future can it as they dare. ditions, that if a man should work A. E. Frost Oregon City. . . . \$1.00 tell. his horses in the same manner the Humane Society would have him prosecuted. We pass laws to protect the dumb brute but reproduct the

who are the producers and backbone of our country) from Or-ganized Capital and greed. Every man should be entitled to at least one day in seven for rest and recreation. Oregon as one of the progressive states should take a step in advance in the protection of its laboring men.

I wish to submit for suggest- A ions and criticism a law that I believe is a step in the right di-

Section 4. It is the public poli-cy of the State of Oregon to provide that no person shall be hired or permitted to work for wages under any conditions or terms Says if Horses were Worked Like for longer hours or days of service than is consistent with his health and physical well-being and promote the general wellfare One of the great problems that by his increasing usefullness as a dozen or two men were bunchmore than ten hours in one day ed what the excilement was. During the year 1910 five or sixty hours in one week in any state legislatures appointed commissioners to investigate labor mill, factory or manufacturing ist," one of the men replied with establishment is injurious to the a sneer.

1911 Georgia passed a law limit- during any one day or more than his head to give him the swagweek in cotton and woolen watchmen, mechanics in the re- tailor-made Turkish cigarette lion dollar necklaces as presents,

t ries, Chapter 463, Sec. 2 of the law of North Carolina is as follows:

Section 3. Any employer who of yellow shoes, with a beautiful shall require or permit any perful polish, which he kept looking son to work in any of the places at. Sec. 2. Not exceeding 60 hours mentioned in section two of this shall constitute a week's work in act, more than the number of could tell "A Damned Socialist" factories and manufacturing hours provided for in this act at sight. He hadn't heard a word establishments of this State. No during any day of twenty-four the man was saying, but he inperson under eighteen years of hours, or who shall permit or tuitively knew he must be a Socage shall be required to work in suffer any overseer, superintend, ialist, and as one he must be such factories or establishments ent, or other agent of any such damned-that is the only kind a longer period than sixty hours employer, to violate any of the there are to this stamp of a man, a minute. Stand without hitching work more than ten hours in one ture shows, in one week: Provided that this provisions of this act, shall be Like the Indian, the only good and just look over the awful day or more than sixty hours a There sh section shall not apply to engin- guilty of a misdemeanor, and ones are dead ones. eers, firemen, machinists, super- upon conviction thereof shall be intendents, overseers, section and fined for each offense not less he had said something, and the sources of wealth. That is a long yard hands, office men, watch- than \$50 nor more than \$500; laughter of two or three of his men or repairers of break downs. Provided, that each day's violat- like was full backing. In 1907 South Carolina passed ion of this act or any part thereof

> Yours respectfully, C. Schuebel.

The Wilson Roll.

COLUMN THAT MAY MAKE YOU THINK A LITTLE.

WHAT IS A REAL SOCIALIST? as .you and Republicans.

Do you Think the Man who was Damning them Knew?

A few nights ago on Main St.

A fellow came along and ask-"Nothin' but a damned Social-

ism. I don't know who he was, but

first joint of his legs and a pair

He sure was some noise. He

This apology of a man thought

But if someone had asked him considered a separate what the definition of Socialism was, I'll bet a hundred dollars against Taft's chances for election, he couldn't tell the first meaning of the word. Now this isn't a boost for Soc-

fuse to protect the laboring men, Total \$16.00 pressing it on him that this is

such articles.

You don't have to hunt a time and place for the truth, for fairness, for an even break. The fellow down the street

didn't give the matter much con-I hate to hear a man_advocate or condemn something he doesn't

know the rudiments of The growing Socialist party i being made up of just such men as you and I, of Democrats and

They are not Anarchists, they are not bomb throwers.

They are bred by the present conditions. They see the menacing power of the prodigious growth of wealth in a few hands. They see trusts growing greater Willamette, Ore. and more powerful each daytrusts that levy tribute on a man or woman from the cradle to the

They see in the present form of government conditions that permit Henry Clay Fitch, the Chicago millionaire, giving lawn lunches under obligations to the Corporthat cost \$20 a plate, while women and children are starving in

They see conditions that permit Mrs. Jennie Croker-Whitthe San Francisco heiress in, while men ride the break

They see men like Gary the steel trust King, give half miland men working for \$8 a week

Now here is telling you that no nation of white men can or will ong stand these things.

And Socialism has come up as formed, think it is the only so-And now fellows, just back up

'ism" and see what it really is. The municipalization of the

word-let's state it again in short words.

The state to own production, the necessaries now owned by the

others are preaching as much of Government central of rail-

Some of you men who say only a damned Socialist just take a day proposed pledges to the people?

Find out that there is no more onnection between Anarchism and Socialism than between a dog fight and a prayer meeting.

Socialism is as mild and as pleasant to take as castoria. It doesn't preach violence or revolution. It teaches evolution, a the people own the sources instead of the trusts-the country own the necessities the same as it owns the postoffices and the same as Oregon City owns its water

Political parties are promising places! supervision and regulation of the big interests that are closing in on us. Such means will help, but they are only steps to ultimate

So cut out damning Socialism.

The Other Side.

In regard to the resolution of the Milwaukee Grange to invest-igate the matters of bridge build-Walk along Washington street, igate the matters of bridge building in this county, we clip the following from the Estacada

W. H. Matoon, member of the court, said he didn't care to make an extended statement at this time, but that the court would be ready shortly, to meet the issues. The sources of this attack is and rubbish.

well known to the court" he said In other places this costly "but at present we will say noth-curbing is simply used to pile informed, and if you have any ing. In my district four steel four foot wood on, the cement bridges were built, three over curb wall at one end and the side.

Clear Creek and one over Eagle walk for the other.

Creek For two of these we asked. Creek. For two of these we asked

Then will come a home where bids, only one being received, the its owner has used this space for reason on abelian come a secretary also writes that women. It is a penitentiary ofme in Oregon City on Oct. 7. I fence, but instead of sending Coast Bridge Co's, which does what it was built for, for handmost of the country work. The
some roses and shrubs—and this
other two including the Ford other two, including the Eagle spot looks like an oasis in com-Creek bridge, were done without parison. bids, because they were in a dangerous condition and there was expensive curbing which might Tax measures to be voted on by no time to ask for bids. We have just as well have been built in the the people in November and opalso put in concrete piers in place woods for all the benefit and pose the measures you are supof rotten piling on certain ap- pleasures it gives anyone. proaches to to bridges. As to There are blocks and blocks of swearing to statements, I don't woode nwalks that are a disgrace

Write to the Sheriff.

Governor West is receiving in operation. Sheriff Mass is authority for the statement that sheriff would like to have the person writing the governor, tell him where it is located.—Estacada Progress.

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TWO QUESTIONS.

WHO WOULD MR. SCHNOERR HAVE BEEN TRAITOR TO?

Some Questions that Grew Out of the Recent Libel Trial.

Mr. Gus Schnoerr, Dear Sir :-

libel, you stated under oath that both sides. Mr. Schubel wanted you to sign voters of Clackamas County:

"It has been stated that I am point you do not understand, ate interests in Clackamas County and would work in their interests if elected as a member of the Legislature. It is a fact that Filthy and Dangerous Conditions Judge Gordon E. Hayes, B. T. McBain, Wm. Sheahan and other

legislation in the interest of the Corporations or otherwise. If And when you see the gatheren in his great much its germs to be convinced of his sincerity nominated and elected, I pledge take up your leaking box of vegemyself to the voters and tax- tation and leave a trail of dripwill at all times work for such think? legislation that will tax the waterpower and public service corporation franchise in the same corporation franchise in the same Its a nasty and a dangerous erhood he was asked to talk or manner as other properly; that I proposition, and one that our city the topic, "Light in Dark Places," a means of relief from such con- will at all times do all in my officials should take hold of. ditions. Men just as brainy as you power to pass such legislation and I, and a whole lot better in- that will help bring about better conditions for the laboring men

and said:

of myself. I can never do that." On that trial you did not deny trusts and favored interests—the railroads, coal mines, food, fac- the request of B. T. McBain, Wm. gather this swill until he provides some wagon that is leak proof to late the law every day. I know tories, telegraphs, the trusts, etc. Sheahan and Gordon E. Hayes, gather it in. No use of flouting this kind of doctrine for men like Bryan, Sheahan was Supt. and Mr. Hayes Roosevelt, Carnegie, Wilson and was political attorney of the Willamette Pulp and Paper Co.

To whom would you have made

What obligations or promises condition anywhere else than Ore_ will keep a man at the bar until they get his last penny, when did you make to the Paper Co., gon City.

THE MOTIVE.

No Sincerity, the Courier is Simply "Striking." It is reported to this office that

one of our councilmen made the change of thought, a peaceful so- statement the other day that the lution of a big problem by letting reason the Courier made so much noise about the condition of the sidewalks and parkings was because it did not get any of the city printing.

What pitifully small calibre of nen sometimes break into public

This paper is simply asking the ordinance he helped to make, and which he made such a Bull Moose bluster about.

It is asking that the parkings on the improved streets, which have cost the property owners Dear Sir:and taxpayers a lot of good money, be cared for and used for

along the south half of it, and see the condition this hansome street s being allowed to degenerate in-

couldn't find the cement curbing sidering your brag and bluster at without digging for it. It is buried under weeds, grass

There are blocks and blocks of

believe that has been done, but the bills and vouchers are all on file with the county clerk." woode nwalks that are a disgrace to a city of our size, and not only that but dangerous.

There are places where the briars almost meet across tue walk and where thistles and

weeds are the whole things.

ing at the hands of men of his mental calibre, and it doesn't ask

SINGLE TAX EXPOSED.

Charles Shields will Speak on this Subject Monday Night.

lamette hall, at 8 p. m., Charles Shields of Portland, Secretary of the Oregon Equal Taxation League, will speak on the issue of WHO WAS HE OBLIGATED TO? single tax, and against the pro- OUT AGAINST OFFICIAL CROOK posed graduated income amend

This is a subject that is of especial interest to Clackamas county, and it is one that any man should hear both sides of. Any man who has interest enough in the issue that he will vote on the proposition at all, should avail On your trial in September for himself of every chance to hear cording to rule,

the following statement to the the hall. Ask him questions-lobserve Hoyle in gestures, but courteous questions-

AND WE STAND IT.

that we Wink at.

When you see a swill wagon prominent citizens urged me to going through the streets of this day night, you could have heard it become a candidate for the Legis- city with a drizzle of filth leaking lature. They did not ask me for through the bottom and sprinkfor any pledge to support any ling the streets with its germs

payers of Clackamas County, that pings to his wagon-what do you you. He doesn't make a speech,

Or don't you think? If you don't, you should.

weather when you might just as prison policy: conditions for the laboring men safely draw a small pox patient in the mills at Oregon City so through the streets, or take a tythat no man will be compelled to phoid patient to the motion pic- governor. Now I am going to

There should be some official supervision of this matter, some You swore you refused to sign iron-clad city ordinance would apply both to the gatherer signing a check when he was "Christ, if I would sign this and depositor of this garbage, and drunk. They bring guards with paper I would make a traitor out them they should be literally enthem that he may not escape. It

forced. No man should be permitted to \$300 to \$500. And the saloon-

No family should be permitted metalic and with close covers.

And the man who has the job of ning the saloons, and I am going gathering it should be made to to teach them to run their own yourself a traitor by signing and get on the job and have stated and business, publishing the above pledges to punctual times to make the trips.

city ordinances which we enforce, nounced I will not run for gov-There is nothing too strict that ernor again. Now I am not play-

epidemics but what is economy. long as I am in office and long. The city officials or the health after. The only piece for the authorities should stop this other side will be to surrender. dangerous condition that is permitted in this city,

of filth filter along the streets and officers steam up and give more then see how your appetite is for for their money.

UP TO MR. SHIELDS.

this councilman to have enforced U'Ren Accuses Him of Cowardice and Dares him to Debate.

Oregon City, Oct. 2 Mr. Chas. H. Shields, Oregon Equal Taxation League,

In answer to my letter to you discussion of the tax measures before the people of Oregon, I am favored by your private secre-tary with a letter stating that perhaps you will favor me with one meeting after Oct. 25th, Conardly dodging. You are now on

the stump all the time, as I am from this time on to the close of and they have never been brought the campaign. I will pay half the to trial. expenses and maintain the Single

W. S. U'Ren.

DOUBLE WEDDING.

walk and where thistles and Miss Edith Clair Jackson and make a public utilities commis-weeds are the whole things.

Miss Edith Clair Jackson and make a public utilities commis-sion. Mr. Hedges said that while hers of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jack- we needed a public utilities comletters from somebody in Esta-cada alleging that blind pigs are printing, the Courier doesn't of Jesse Holland Settlemeir and was not the kind of law needed; ively Tuesday evening. The doub- and worked against the individ-

Portland, the Rev. Mr. Breck, rec- and was full of loopholes for the

FLASH LIGHTS.

Next Monday evening, in Wil- STIRRING TALK FOR A CLEAN-ER OREGON

Outlines Work Before Congrega-

tional Brotherhood. Someone has said Governor

West is not an orator. Well, perhaps he isn't-ac-

He doesn't thunder out the Go and hear Mr. Shields. Fill dramatic points, and he doesn't on any here's telling you that when men in a crowded hall will lean forward in their seats with intense interest for a straight hour-the man they are listening to is sure

some talker. If you had dropped a match on the floor at the Congregational Brotherhood meeting last Tuesstrike-so tense was the interest

in the governor's talk. yourself to be-if you will listen. In his plain quiet way he talks to but he sure shoots 'em in just the same, and keeps shooting.

At the banquet of the Brotherhood he was asked to talk on and here are a few of the flash-There are times of year and lights, after he had explained his "The law violators have been

keeping me busy since I have been keep them busy for a while. "The law officials will bring down from Crook county to Salem that a boy who has violated the law by

this. "The trouble with the saloonto deposit it in boxes other than men is they try to run the government when they should be run-

will cost the state of Oregon from

They won't play fair. They Why they wouldn't tolerate this can't let a dollar get away. They

that would conflict with the above They wouldn't tolerate it in the they know his family is in want. "People won't give me credit It's a hundred times more im- for being honest. They look for portant than many of the other a motive. That is why I have an-

> is for the protection of human ing any favorites.
>
> There is no ordinance for the prevention of sickness and quit. I like to fight, and I will as long as I am in office and long

"Unless the law violators can use a man in office they are not Just watch the leaking streams with him. I want to make public

> wishes of the majority must be respected. "In Huntington officials assured me there were no red light places. I settled the dispute by

"Law should be enforced;

showing them some. I know one when I see it."
"October 10 I will offer a standing reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the owner of a red light property.

"There is no good of arresting he women. Crooked men put inviting you to meet me in joint them wrong. To fine the girls is no use. They can't pay the fines, and they are paid by those who make money from them.
"It is foolish to try to clean out a yellow jackets' nest with a fly

swatter. Fire is the means. We have got to get the owners, not Hood River and other places this the girls; got to get the man who looks to me very much like cow- rents his property for such pur-"They say we must have a re-

stricted district, but I ask, who is

"An official in this state, when asked why he did not clean up the place said he would be hurt-

ing his own business. "All crooks look alike to me. I am going to try to clean them out. But it can't be done in 30 days, and you people must stand

Gilbert L. Hedges followed the governor on a plain presentation In Portland Tuesday evening of the initiative proposition to Frank Daniels O'Brien, respect- that it favored the corporations, has been notified by the governor patronage, we wouldn't take it if le ceremony was performed at ual; that it was the Wisconsin and has been investigating. It were rolled up in ten dollar St. Mathews Episcopal Church.

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