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THE JOURNAL is a recurrence to the centuries of years as at the beginning. AN ANDERSONNY NEWSPAPER.

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IN TWO WEEKS

is only two weeks till the primaries. In most instances, the primaries have more to do with the choice of officials than does the election.

There is constant charge that we A millage tax providing for all their not have good government. needs, economically administered, Whose is the fault? Who chooses should be adopted. Once in operathe officials that make the governtion is would provide for their ment? growth by the increase in the tax-

There is constant complaint that the law is unrespected and uncaforced. Whose is the fault? Who chooses the officials that enforce or fail to enforce the law?

There is perennial lament about high taxes.' Whose is the fault? Who nominates and elects the officials that make the taxes and eat the taxes?

The people nominate the officials. kind of government they vote for. exactly the kind of law enforcement taxes they vote for-and the main voting will be done two weeks hence.

Whatever'the shortcomings, whatever the weaknesses, whatever the blunders, however high the taxes, the whole blame is on the public. It has the power. It has the ballot. It has all the working tools of good government in its hands. If it elects unfits, scrubs and undesirables to office, it must both pay the piper and accept the odlum.

There is no convention system now. the second se

SOLID CREDIT

HE imperial Chinese government five per cent Hukuang system of having the educational ap- deaths per 100,000 was zero. railway's sinking fund gold propriations before every legislature. public subscription and were sold at plex way, an unsatisfactory way, a 1900 it was 35.2 years. vexatious way and a crude way, 97 and accrued interest.

After six months of revolutionwhen the Peking government has plan and an indefensible plan. lost its hold on practically every worthy of state-wide attention, and province, when not only the Peking treasury but the revolutionary treasnries are empty and actually without funds to pay their soldiers, when armed bandits overrun the whole country, when the imperial dynasty has retired with all its adherents into private life, when private business is throttled by anarchy, when stalks on the heels of famine-when, lastly, the whole structure of gov- der.

How about the man, A7 the middle ages, when a citizen of restriction publisher Bruges, or Antwerp, or Ghent, or bits working capital, that is, his of Florence, or Piss, or Milan, from earning power, is not less than 60 pure love of the city in which he per cent exhausted. All he has to weeks from tomogrow, don't howi was born or surtured where he show for his life work is that sum afterward about high passe and had ad had worked and grown rich-count | which he has saved from his wages government. It is the stay-at-homes ed it as honor to be allowed by the and invested. The rest of his cap- who help make had government and This rest of his cap-This rest of his cap-the the second and invested. The rest of his cap-fathers of the clip to build a mar-her the aperator what decorrected by the base of the clip to build a mar-her the aperator what decorrected by the second and investment value has disap-her the aperator what decorrected by the second and investment value has disap-her the aperator what decorrected by the second by fathers of the city to build a mar- ital or investment value has disap- high taxes.

whether Three by mail or is any address place whereon would be carven in had the profit of the work the days of faith, "for the glory of Durine the days the work the days of faith. the days of faith, "for the glory of During the time of service the man and his family have had to live. Lloyd George's saying recurs to the Frankrike Statements and Statements

A SPLENDED SUGGESTION

able property of the state. The in-

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legislation.

is the whose earnings have to be en-T a public meeting at Salem tirely spent in providing for his Tuesday, President Kerr of the family the bare necessaries of life. State Agricultural college sug- The surplus living for such an one gested that the best plan for as A only begins when the necesunderwriting state educational in- saries have been provided for and stitutions is on a basis of a millage anythes are begun

It would be a good idea if the There is no doubt of it. The educational institutions should not be a another circular showing the worth bleanini issue before the legislature, of the investment to A when he has Funds for them should not be decompleted his service, soberly, dillbated every two years, and every gently and sensibly, for the term of two years be a question over which his physical ability. votes are swapped and log rolling This suggestion should be recom-

mended more particularly to the It is as easy to have helr maintenance settled and remail, settled as recently on strike. to have them perpetually unsettled.

LIFE SPANS

HOMAS MOUNTAIN, for more than half a century a resident of Portland, celebrated his ninetieth birthday Monday The stitutions would know each year week before, Rev. John Flynn, also what to depend on, and would make a resident of Portland, passed his

up their budgets to fit. The plan would be far better for ville, James Blakely will, if he surthe institutions and far better for vives until next November, attain the taxpayers. The institutions the distinction of having lived a would not be starved one year and century.

rolling in funds the next, as is often There is high authority for the the case. They would know one belief that by proper living the aver-The people elect the officials. The year what to provide for as to fac- age length of life in the United people will get exactly the kind of ulty or equipment the next, for the States could be increased 14 years officials they yote for, exactly the amount of their income would be in a generation. Confirmatory evidefinitely fixed. Nor would there be dence is the fact that the Swiss. the biennial spectacle of referendum whose average life span in the sevthey vote for, exactly the kind of or threats of referendum of educa- enteenth century was only 21.2 tional appropriations, a fact that years, is now 39.7 years. The preswould afford infinite relief. ent average length of life in India

It would be far better for the tax- is 23. payers, for as long as legislators leg-The means of lengthening the life islate, they will log roll. It is as period is pure foods, pure water. natural for one legislator to ex- good sanitation and preventing change his vote for another legis- preventable diseases. An instance ferred. His wages should be sufficient lator's vote on their respective blus of what can be accomplished as for ducks to swim. The day that by combating preventable diseases the educational bills are taken out in the record of yellow fever of the legislature by use of the in Havana. In 1870 the nummillage tax system, one issue will be ber of deaths per 100,000 of taken out of the legislature and one population was 300. In 1896 unfurther step be made for bettering der Spanish occupation with miserable sanitation, it was 639 in every The plan is not even debatable.

100,000 of population. In 1902, un-There is literally no argument to be der American occupation and proper offered for continuing the present sanitary regulations, the number of In the United States the average ionn bonds were offered for It is an unbusinesslike way, a com- length of life in 1890 was \$1.1. In

BENIGHTED CORVALLIS

PPARENTLY, there is a great

the full cost and made the sift. It worth as much at the end of the 10 ten-thousand-dollar-a-year path an a two-thousand salary. All such ultimately take the tobogyan.

If you don't go to the polls two

Frequency approximation approximate and a statue in the city square, or to set cerned in the work he has done for Nobedy cares how the baseball for the section of the sect

Letters From the People

mind, that the man living in poverty The Minimum Wage Remedy. Portland, April & .-. To the Editor of The Journal-From your well merited praise of Mr. Asguith and David Lloyd-George, 1 infer that you favor the principle of the minimum rate of wages. n a limited way its affirmey has been recently demonstrated in England. Why not propose if to the operators and

union officials as a monne of settiling Rock Island people would get out the present coal strike? It is the preper remedy for the sottlement and prevention of industrial strife and the alleviation of the laboring masses.

will it tend to intensify class hatreds. The protective tariff policy, by prohibitive raiss, promotes trusts, oppressed labor and fosters class hatreds. The Do the pasted-up pictures of candid-minimum rate of wagas will succor in-dates help any of them any? Doubtlabor and fosters class hatreds. The English railroads whose men went her and dissipate class hatreds. adoption in England was only another Instance of the evolution and development of municipal law by the recognition and protection of a natural right of IDAN.

God made man a creature of conscious responsibility, and endowed him with a free will, which is essential to meritorious works, and thus evinced the keep clear divine fatention of rewarding man according to man's works. The disobedi ence of man made municipal law neces ninety-fifth milestone. At Browns- sary, and at the same time rendered man incapable of formulating a perfect system of law. This was made possible by divine revelation; but it devolves upon man to incorporate the

jural precepts of the divine law in a municipal code. By the adoption and enforcement of these fursi precents the life of a nation is preserved and perpetuated; by the adoption and enforcement of false political doctrines the life of a nation is manaced and destroyed. Before the fall of man God instituted the family and bleased it with fruitfulness which discloses the preordination of the human race to be governed by God in his providence and subjected to his order of justice. "In the sweat of thy face thou shalt eat bread," was addressed to Auam as a breadwinner. It imposes a duty and confers a right. The duty to work is enjoined, and the fruits of his labor, his wages, are conto maintain his family with the ordinary comforts of life. If judiciously a beautiful boy at the Restoration. expended it be insufficient for that purpose and the resulting distress be wideminimum rate of wages.

JAMES B. CARR.

Wants Roads But Not Bonds. Ritter, Or., April 1 -- To the Editor of The Journal-While I live in a country where we have nothing more than cow trails for roads, I am not in favor of any good roads bill that will bond our children or future generations. We throne against his uncle, James II. The spot in the forest where Mon-have now, it seems to me, gone the though nothing could have been for him-immit on bonding, and if future generalimit on bonding, and if future genera- self more ruinously unfortunate.

limit on bonding, and if future genera-tions ever pay what bonds are already standing against them I miss my guess. I am in favor of such good roads as I am in favor of such good roads as work for the I. W. W. to do to pay two or three times in interest familiar to the present generation by of personal neglect, starvation and ter-

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COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

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The building season in Percet Grove promises to he the best in the sewer intery, apporting to the News-Times, which says that it will require \$100,000 to pay the bills.

Albany Demoterat: The Albany Tro-orks poured they pounds of metter

tron from its brand new itoric of metted iron from its brand new itoric cupits. If special interest were drugs weighing 1906 and 1500 pounds to be used

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John C.

Pendleton East Oregonian:

OREGON SIDELIGUTS SMALL CHANGE. Margara spell publit ownership a 110-Margara spell publit ownership a 110-dual

Lia láise

The first issue of the monthly bulla-tin of the Baker Commercial club will be out on or before April 18, annerding to the Harald. Units lkey Stephenson will star but . .

How can Boss Dasr think of arbitrat-If a mark man gots a new Easter hat, setundy notices it.

As trouble makers the L W. W.y tan claim success.

Streets were not draigned for public spessing, anyway. Grays Harbor citles had their inugh at the L W. W.s ftest

A doctor says that there are a great

uselans doctors.

Bastern Oregon cought to have the sensior-if she can get him

It may take another 30 or 10 years Mexico to become stable again Woodrow Wilson is both matisfactorily

It is in no sense revolutionary, nor progressive and quity same and safe

nobody has the lack-knife with which Noah out plug who have been trapping on the east shops of the Cascadas came across the mountains from Bond via the McKensle route, carrying their packs. They re-port the snow 45 feet deep in some of tobacco in the ark.

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The Portland Y. M. C. A. has done wast amount of good in its 50 years of life . .

A man may smile, and smile, and not know enough to be an interesting villain.

at once begin. Children should also be taught clear of law and courts when . .

Big run of emelt in Bandy river. ut Troutdale won't change its name to But fimeltdals.

Guggenheim as a Taft delegate from alorado won't help the prosident in November. . . .

Medford Mall-Tribune: Jos Birdman. Congress hasn't had time yet-only Nevada prospector, who came to this onths-in which to pass a parcels fanr

Not a candidate of originality; who's that fellow that is sgainst the "Ore-gon system?"

SEVEN FAMOUS TRAITORS

James, Duke of Monmouth.

Monmouth's tragic history has re- | Meanwhile Monmouth advanced to deemed from contempt a person who Taunton, where, vainly thinking to at- when they do, will not vote unanimously was naturally a mediocrity and some- tract the nobility, he assumed the title for Mr. Rocsevelt? How are the whole thing of a fool. He was the eldest nat

Primaries From the New York World. The primaries in this city were a

The New York

fares, as Mr. Bloosvall declared. That the primary law associed last year by the legislature was not all that

it should have been was thoroughly understood in advance. The Hossevelt people by carrying their The Canyon City Easts has related the singles. "Swal the sputryes." It mayo that he red the county of this post is one thing they the residents should get ingether on.

grievances into the courts contributed w the confusion attending the first triat of the now primary system and delayed the necessary official preparations up to the last moment.

The board of elactions was altogether Inefficient in the performance of its duties. In a number of instances baliots were delivered at the wrong poliing places, or delivered too late, or not delivered at all. In certain localities linpublicans who would have woted if they had had the opportunity were unable to cast their ballots.

1506 and 1500 pounds to be used in connection with a contrast for gravel for But there is no reason to suppose that if ballots has been properly provided Cottage Grove Sentimel. The mer-chants of the city have decided to so-orde to the petition of the clarks, and at every poiling place in the city, if crything had gone smoothly. ords to the petition of the clarks, and il stores which formariy closed at \$ 20 Roosevelt would have fared any better. no far as the returns go, they are con close at 4, with the exception of clusive proof of the local weakness of Mr. Roosevelt's candidacy. Eugena Register: Two young men

The primarice were not a farce be cause Mr. Roosevelt was badly benten. It is farcical for his followers to not up any such claim. It is not necessarily "wicked" or "eriminal" that Mr. Roosevoit should be defeated.

So far as the count goes, it shows Camby Irrigator: The space set aside for a park by the Southern Pacific com-meny adjoining the track on Front street is being put in shape. The ornamental funce will soon be put up by the Bouth-ern Pacific company, and planting will at once begin. that of the Republicans who took the trouble to go to the polls, only about one in three supported Mr. Roosevelt in his third-term ambition, 11 was in this county that the Hoossvelt workers). concentrated their efforts, spent their

noney frealy and Mr. Roosevelt took Pendleton East Oregonian: John C. Zoller, government hunter and trapper out the north fork of Meacham creek, oama is with two iynx hides, one coon skin. three coyote pelts and several muskrat furs. The lynx hides are val-ued at \$25 aplece and in addition to the price for the furs he secures the regular bounty and a flat salary. the stump. In this county there was the least cause for complaint because of the distribution of ballots. The failure to daliver ballots affected principally the other beroughs, in which the Roosevelt faction made few contests. There are about \$0,000 enrolled Republioan voters in New York county. Only 16,000 voted at the primaries. Of these about 15,000 voted for Mr. Roosevelt

a Nevada prospector, who came to this mining district last fail, is reported to have made a rich strike on Wilson treek, in the Steamboat country, uncovering a pocket reported to be worth over \$1000. In addition to the pocket he is said to have located a rich vein. in 1905 the Taft vote in this county was 155,000 Only about half this num ber are enrolled Republicans and end titled to vote at the party primaries. Less than 10 per cent of the total number voted the Roosevelt ticket at Tuesday's primaries and barely 10 per cent voted the Taft ticket.

How is this city ever to have "a full expression of Republican opinion," for which the Roosevelt headquarters is clamoring, if Republican voters will not enroll, will not go to the primaries, and of king. But difficulties already be- people going to govern if an active cam such want of arms that, although rustic one fourth of the Republican voters exdidates at the primaries? How is "gen-

> Tanglefoot By Miles Overholt

Show me a guy with a whining voice

That the guy who writes it is somewhat

P. 8.-Take notice: And maybe drunk!

Pointed Paragraphs

A man may not be able to do his own

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charged the politicians with Adam's

It's easier to induce some men to

run for office than to walk a block to

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As yet the suffragettes haven't

cooking, but he can roast the cook.

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downfall.

secure a job of work.

ural son of the young exiled Charles gan to gather around him. He was in paign, liberally financed, results in only il and was brought into prominence as implements were converted into pikes, pressing their choice of presidential can-There was always a hankering notion volunteers. The militia were closing uine democracy and genuine popular that a secret marriage had existed be- in upon him in all directions. On the rule" to be attained when so small a spread and lasting, it then becomes the tween Charles II and Lucy Waters, the fifth of July, Monmouth was advised minority, not only of the whole people duty of the state to recognize and pro- mother of Monmouth. Charles took fur- to undertake a night surprise and did but of the Republican voters, takes an tect the right by the adoption of a mal steps for declaring the contrary to so on the sixth. The night was not interest in direct primaries? be the truth, but nevertheless, the love unfitted for such an enterprise, for the the king had for his handsome son, and mist was so thick that at a few paces perhaps a few suspicious facts, kept nothing could be seen. alive the idea in the young man's heart.

he expressed dissenters took one open, apprehended in the New Forest in the iegitimacy could be established, so neighborhood of Ringwood. He peti-was no wonder, when his essentially tioned abjectly for his life, but in vain, and Till tell you the reason why. Show me a woman who's gay and glad, And Till tell you the reason why. Show me a woman who's gay and glad, And Till name you the cause- or try. O, it's Easter time and she has her hat. But her husband's purso has lost its fat. should have set up pretentions to the July.

he was still obliged to send away many But fate was against the pretender,

The oppressed dissenters took him up he was put to flight and was shortly as one in whom they might have hopes, apprehended in the New Forest in the weak character is considered, that he He was executed on the fifteenth of

ernment is rocking still-what is the verdict of timid finance on the current value of Hukuang five per cent gold bonds? They are worth, and are standing firmly at 94.

This is the third miracle which to be given credit for quick and ef- ing themselves in the use of arms so history will record for ti is marvelous six months of Chinese history. slender clues that finally led to the and thereupon the stony-bosomed That the empire should be replaced arrest. There are so many failures Corvallis hosts of capitalism assaultby a republic and that the flag of in trailing down criminals that the ed him with a shower of cruel softthe republic should fly over the do- prompt work of Sheriff Stevens and nosed eggs. main of the empire, threatened but his men is especially reassuring.

yet uninvaded, at the end of the If Roberts proves to be the right strove to save the enslaved Corvalfirst miracle. That the women of will be made more apparent. Even Are they going to insist on following China should have made good their if he escapes conviction, there will the stars and stripes in servitude and equal claim to the hallot for the still be satisfaction in the diligent slavery when the red flag of an-

That the credit of securities issued by the defunct imperial government on a Chinese railroad at 5 per cent Interest at 97 should have withstood Pre HE Rock Island Railway Sysfor six months the upheaval of the country, with a loss of only 3 per cent-this is the third miracle.

If explanation of this last is an investment by his employers. It as a result of escapes since Governor as a result of escapes since Governor asked for there is but one. The chinese empire, province, city, rail-chinese empire, city, rail-chinese empire, province, city, rail-chinese empire, Chinese empire, province, city, rail- eering Review. The amount is ated, nearly a year ago. There were taken and to the point. It is nobody's petty thief lifts his kid over the fence your issue of yesterday I have gone to the not have to the lows of them. Now I want to over the numerous whereases and seem road, firm, business man-each and taken as the capital sum that would 28 escapes of prisoners from the fault but our own if we do not have road, firm, business man—each and taken as the capital sum that would 28 escapes of prisoners from the sold our own it we do not have to steal some of them. Sold government and honest officers to steal some of them "what rights I have in such a cont to produce annually the wages the ware before Covernor West as it to steal some of them and to steal some of them and the steal some of them and the steal some of them. The last one are just "smoke." The last one, however, and tation is all to them. To lose their of the man. So a wage earner of sumed office. So far, the record is good government and hontset officers aredit is to lose their face-to for- \$1000 a year is estimated to be decidedly in favor of the West plan, feit their right to see and to be worth \$25,000. seen.



and faculties of the man that earns WENTY bubbling fountains - the \$1000. with four mouths to each,

from which Bull Run water text is that the man by improving ple seem determined not to permit time, to "feather their own nests." shall flow for all time, as- his time and feeding sensibly both themselves to be bamboozled by un- men who hold office are trying to hold suaging the thirst of young and old body and mind-especially mind- fit candidates with flying, glittering down the office and also to aging the thirst of young and old body and mind—especially minu— fit candidates with trying, successful their nest" they will enforce the law platforms to inspire fear or carry can earn more money for himself platforms. Most platforms are torn or neglect to enforce it, according to up after election. They are usually which method will bring the most contagion, but clear, cool water from and thereby increase his investment up after election. They are usually which method will the durable bronze-is that not a worth for his employers." thanks-inspiring gift. But there is another side to this

lecting committees, no tags or rib- in the corporation service, which is run the government. If the citizen district attorney back of him and we bons, no fuss and feathers, no statue probably nearer the average fact. wants good government he can get will not need to lament over the lack or tablet on which S. Henson's name He earns it for the corporation on it. He has the ballot. shall be inscribed. There is no bid its showing and it values him as a

for future generations to read who 4 per cent investment at \$15,000. Every boy in Oregon should be a square deal for all is his guiding prin-It was to whom the idea came and The service-securing power of the impressed by the case of Temple ciple; his ability has never been queswho it was that stopped not to be \$15,000 remains constant for the Alexander. He is in prison now. It tioned: his official record, extanding over many years, is without a black the city of Portland requires that each not object to public extending is because he loved the lights, loved spot; he now stands ready to give this bid shall be accompanied by a certified can unload all their "water" at big county an honest, efficient and tax

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which it is the state of the THE SUSPECT

should at once be put into effect.

CAPITALIZING MEN

It is a needless plan, a wasteful

President Kerr's suggestion is

WO members of the auto party Planting his soap box in front of identify H. E. Roberts as the the town drill hall, an orator of the

assailant who shot George red flag began a thrilling bugle call Hastings and Donald Stewart. to revolution. He sounded the There is in addition, strong circum- alarm for the Corvallis slaves of the to go into the backing business. three million of the inhabitants are stantial evidence which seems to in- republic to throw off their chains, can elect our bank officials just the dicate that Roberts is the man want- and lo. the unfeeling bystanders ed by the authorities for the mur- laughed.

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He shouled to the down trodden court of justice to weigh the evi- smite the powers of pillage, but the dence and pass on the question of hard hearted Corvallisites jeered. guilt. The point here is to say that He pointed to the Corvallis militia-Sheriff Stevens and his deputies are men, declaring that they are school-

fective work in pursuing the very they could go out and shoot labor,

What a reception for one who new institutions, new men and new and laborious efforts of the author- archy temptingly offers them three will object to others doing? Why should

> er of working to pay for them? It is Corvallis, benighted Corvallis, that most needs missionary entem has very recently issued a bulletin to its employee in W. W.

> bulletin to its employes in which a man is regarded as Fourteen honor meu are at large

without taking into account the work government and honest officers, company willingly pays interest on oners.

\$25,000 for the use of the energy

The sermon to the men on this the best possible officials. The peo- force laws and carry out the duties of

a mere device to get in on. feathers to their nest.

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we have been allowing the favored few pelled him to flee England and take up to do for many years.

thing is done, that beautiful build, to some one who has nothing to

My plan is for the state of Oregon bonds, with or without interest;

posit them in the treasury of the United It is, however, the function of a to throw off the yoke of tyranny and States and get currency issued on them same as banks do at present; do a general banking business; loan money not needed immediately at 5 or 6 per cent and go-ahead with our road buildtng as we see fit.

> With this arrangement the interest on the money so loaned will take care of the bonds in 20 or 25 years, we will have our good roads built, and we will not be out a dollar for their construction.

I am aware that the banks and moneyed interests of the entire United States would throw all possible obsta- ture action. . This is the correct and six months' revolution, that is the man, the cleverness of the sleuths lisites from the jaws of the octopus. measure. But why should the public by each voter and we ask that you cles in the way to defeat any such only method which should be employed which has the bills to pay, consider the ploy this method in selecting a sheriff sire of trusts) and placing the property wishes of those interests? Are they and district attorney for this county. not getting their money the same way?

And doing the same business that they square meals a day without the both- we be compelled to pay the moneyed interests two or three'times what it will cost us to actually build our roads when we can do it without their money and assistance by using a little common sense? Yours for good roads at cost.

District Attorney and Sheriff.

To the Editor of The Journal-Your to enforce good government laws. The vast majority of the voters are for good The circular proceeds that the done for the state by the honor pris- many of them are blinded by glitter-

ing preelection promises made by many unworthy men; the forces are always di-

vided by enemies who work within their There are signs that Portland will vided by enemies who work within their method. If we are to have a city make an effort this time to select men to office who will make and en-

flowers.

ness in the most economical manner yond reproach; his personality is clean; paving trust a contract for \$6000 in ex-under. I have no use for the I. W. W. ble bldder.

The public service corporations may

d wrought upon his once graceful alonmouth's Rebellion is one of the form. The woman, Ann Farrant, who Show me a man with a smilling face, thing is done, that beautiful build to some one who has nothing to but naughty city is hopelessly lost to the great cause of revolution. the roads, and perhaps never know they fory of an attempt, by funce the lead-are getting a rakeoff from that source. to dethrone a king and place the lead-bays never the two never the peasantry to You've guessed the answer the first.

This idea will probably be called revo-lutionary, but it is nothing more than mouth's treachery against James com-act. He is the perennial candidate. The failure of Monmouth's attempt a residence in Holland. When it way to seize the throne was followed by the Show me a maiden with gracious mieu,

finally decided to undertake the demost terrible crucities. The number of throning of James, Monmouth started men killed is computed by some at for England, with a small following 2000 and others at 500; a disparity We throning of James, Monmouth started men killed is computed by some at for England, with a small following 2000 and others at 300; a disparity. What is the matter with her, you sign in a for a lung 11, 1685. He was well however, which may be easily recon- Nothing, by beck; not one blamed thing same as the stockholders of any bank landing on June 11, 1685. He was well however, which may be easily reconreceived and was not in England. 24 ciled by supposing that the one account hours before he found himself at the takes in those who were killed in bat-head of 1600 men. But though popular tile, while the other comprehends the among the common people, he received wretched fugitives who were massacred kinddo; issue \$10,000,000 or \$20,000,000 of received and was not in England. 24 ciled by supposing that the one account

no support from the upper classes. Even in ditches, corn fields and other hiding All of them march down the street. They can also tell when they read this the strongest Whigs thought his at- places the following day. tempt ill timed and fraught with dan-

Tomorrow-Count Julian,

saving administration. This is the kind as a bond of good faith and to guard of a man you want, Mr. Voter, and we against any loss occasioned should the stand ready to prove to you that this contractor fail to enter into a suitable is the kind of a man Mr. Bird is. contract. In making this demand it is The Journal has correctly argued in assumed by the contractor that the city its editorials that we should look to the man rather than to his platform and pledges its word to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder. When, should look into his past record in orhowever, such conditions arise in letder to get a correct criterion on his futing the contract, as on Malden avenue, ANDREW G. THOMPSON.

the honest contractor will cease to bid, thus stamping out competition (the deowners of Portland at the mercy of the paving interests. The result of which we know from past experiences.

I have been a reader of The Journal since I have been a resident of Oregon, Talent in the kitchen and a balance, in the bank should form a combination The Journal-The party who makes about three years. I have always adthis kick is a lover of flowers; has mired the attitude taken by your pafor generating domestic bliss. taken considerable pains to grow a nice per, in safeguarding the best interests bed of hyacinths which are now in of the public, and shall continue to be a

A good thing about summer is your appreciating it when the mercury F. P. RAWSON, flirting with the zero mark.

> A self made man is usually in such a hurry to finish the job that he neglects

The Beef Trust

(Contributed to The Journal by Wait Mnson, the famous Kansas poet. His prose-poems are a regular feature of this column in The Daily Journal.)

The foreign wrestlers seek this shore and say they've come to wade in gore. got him to champion their Delphic re-They want to show us what a botch is our great champion, F. Gotch, And Far-Just what Mr. Lea's attitude is on the tuberculin test is still somewhat of an open question, or so it seems to me. have to throw this husky Turk-so sheat

CITIZEN. your rags and get to work!" And then the foreign athletes stall, and say that your rags and get to work!" isn't fair at all. "My dying granny,

Coquille, March 27.—To the Editor of The Journal—I have to work. I was taught to work. I feel it a part of my religious duties. I have lived out the deed! I don't indorse his church or dorsing such a game if I climbed over Mahmout's frame." And scornfully the wrestler laughs, and poses round for photographs, and bands out threats both loud and deep, and makes the sporting public weep. I'm tired of lidus and their roars, the lions from the for-W. R. FOOTE. eign shores, who show, when the have growled a few, they'rs only

have growled a for rabbit stew. at big

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Has No Use for the I. W. W. ROSS STREET. Portland, March 31 .-- To the Editor of The Journal-I have read with much interest the several articles which have something for me to do yet. But I tell that he can hardly read or spell. To some of us, at least, the free-dom and spontaniety of the present adds greatly to its value. There have been no public meetings no col-Scole a very for the payled he stave have been no public meetings, no col-scon a year for the period he stays be the officials, and the officials, and the officials and clean men. Give us here and committees, no tags or rib-in the corporation service, which is here and comment. If the citizen here and comment. If the citizen here and comment here and comment here and comment here and the base of him and we here and committees and comment here an whose fault is it? Is it the man's fault, or the government's? Why, the man's consistent with the welfare of the pub- of course. This has been one of the of law enforcement. Mr. Bird is hon- lic, stand accused of granting to the best governments that man ever lived

I am thinking seriously of trying this solves, method. If we are to have a "City must be stopped, else they will get dis-

each office without trying, at the same gusted and raise weeds instead of

The Malden Avenue Job.

pened. Suppose I were to inject a lib- carefully framed, for its meaning is eral dose of fine shot into the above very successfully concealed and eral dose of fine shot into the above very successfully concealed and one mentioned petty thief, is there any law wonders whether the politicians did by which I could be either prosecuted not put one over on Mr. Les when they or persecuted?

L. F. RESING. mired by all who pass by. Last night a fellow comes along with

bloom; some are in a fenced yard out reader as long as these are your policles. of reach from the sidewalk, and are ad-

One Kind of Lawlessness.

Portland, March 30 .- To the Editor of

Thinks Lea Ambiguous. Portland, April 2 .- To the Editor of

"ase?" "smoke," The last one, however, and This is not the first time it has hap-