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Mathews Park will then be the only acreage for sale in acre tracts in the City Limits. These acre tracts do not cost any more than do city lots less than three blocks away, and an acre will make four regular sized lots. They are located on North Blair street and will be on the proposed Eugene-Junction City Electric Line that is to be built this summer. The soil in Mathews Park is rich river loam—there is none better for truck gardening or for orchard.

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W. C. T. U. NOTES

(By Josephine Hull.)

Well, what is the matter with Eugene?

O. Eugene is all right.

But why did not more people hear Mrs. Lula Shepard's address?

O, that was just a blunder, sending her out to that little church in Fairmount.

Of course, the house was full, but she is too good a speaker to be thus sidetracked for ordinary occurrences.

What about that list of Eugene "business men"?

"Business men?"

Yes; that list published by the Salem Journal. Said "business men," after four years of local option are tired of dry conditions and desired to return to open saloons.

O, those men always did oppose dry conditions, simply continue to, and likely will protest against dryness throughout all eternity.

But there were about 170, and under the general head of "business men."

O, well, there were at least half a dozen representative "business men."

Then the words "business man" and "merchant" are expansive terms and may refer to many kinds of jobs or plans; also may indicate that the person referred to is, or has been, or hopes to be at some future time willing to entertain propositions requiring minimum exertion and returning maximum profits. Yes, the words "business" and "merchant" also throw a mantle of respectability over callings not always considered the most exalted.

Well, did you write to Washington, D. C., for those rules and regulations?

To help enforce the law against bootlegging? Yes; got them all right.

That's interesting; are they satisfactory?

Interesting? Yes; no doubt they will be interesting to future generations. Yes, and they will be about as satisfactory to us as was that automobile appropriation to Speaker Cannon.

You were disappointed, then?

Scarcely. Had my curiosity satisfied; that was about all I expected. If they could have been of any possible use to temperance folk the late ruling of the Internal Revenue Bureau of the Treasury Department made them useless. No, we don't get disappointed much any more, especially where the government takes a hand. Ever since President Taft turned his glass down the W. C. T. U. spirits have been soaring skyward, and floundering back to earth, fluctuating around until our spirit's wings are worn to a frazzle—not even a respectable quill left. They positively refuse to catch a single breeze.

How about that ruling of the revenue bureau, anyhow?

The bureau seems to have surrendered to the Busch Brewing Co., of St. Louis, Mo. A representative of Chicago's liquor association appeared before it, backed by Senator Lorimer, and that disguised beer called "malt

nutrine" was permitted to be classed as a "medical extraction," instead of alcoholic beverage. The tax removed a clear bill of fare, a catch advertisement given by Uncle Sam, and with the Stars and Stripes wrapped securely around the blind pig, he lies down contented and happy in uncanny blissfulness. Now the Right Rev. Drs. Wasson and Hill, encouraged by the Oregonian, will please rise and protest against a few forcing upon the many a thing to which the majority object. Please explain why a few men at Washington should thus deliberately thwart the will of three-fourths of the people of the United States.

What did you say about Senator Lorimer? Is he the man accused of buying his seat in the United States senate?

Yes, and he is also accused of some other bribery case, concerning an anti-local option bill. But he is to be tried. Yes, sir, and by Attorney Wayman, too, of Cook county. Y-e-e-s—and Attorney Wayman is said to be a close personal friend of Levy Mayer, the famous liquor corporation attorney of Chicago.

Y-e-e-s, and the Oregonian correspondent says no other office in the state is perhaps so well prepared to handle large bribery scandal cases as is that of Cook County. And the liquor dealers and all their sympathizers say "Amen" and "Ah-men."

And the prosecution has started out with apparent zeal and flourish. Watch developments.

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NEWS OF COBURG

AND VICINITY

Mrs. Leslie Wallace and Miss Lenie Wigle were in Eugene on business Thursday.

Mrs. Loretta Simonsen spent a week with her daughter here. She has been at Eugene for most of the time the past year and her many friends here are glad to see her home again.

T. B. Garrow, who has been in the jewelry business here since last fall, left yesterday for California. This leaves Coburg without a jeweler.

C. E. Smith and family, who have been living in the Roach house the past three months and in Coburg since last fall, left for Eugene on Friday, where Mr. Smith has a position in a brick yard. Their many friends were sorry to see them leave, but as Mr. Smith is doing better all extend best wishes.—Journal.

JUNCTION CITY

ELECTS NEW TEACHERS

Junction City, Or., May 14.—The board of school directors has re-elected the entire list of teachers for the ensuing year. A. K. Mickey being re-elected superintendent for the third year in recognition of his faithful and enthusiastic work in the high school at this place. P. E. Baker, re-elected for his second year as principal, meets with the wishes of all the patrons of the school. The following grade teachers were elected: Miss M. Underwood, Miss Lethia Mae Tracer, Miss Eva E. Thompson, Miss Maude Hayes, Miss Mabel Hayes and Miss Ethel Shupe.

The past school year has been the most successful in the history of the schools of this place.

OBITUARY.

Hannah Minerva Starr was born near Monroe, Benton county, Ore. May 2, 1859, died in Junction City, Oregon, May 12, 1910, of heart disease. She was a graduate of the class of 1880 of the U. of O. She was a popular teacher of Lane county and was among the first teachers of the Central school of the city. She was a book-keeper for Olds-Wortman and King of Portland, Oregon, for seven years, was a member of the Episcopal church of Eugene and Evergreen Lodge No. 45, Rebecas, of Junction City. Besides her five brothers, she leaves a host of friends. O. H. Starr, of Waterville, Wash.; J. F. Starr, of Pascale, New Jersey; P. T. Starr, of Corvallis, Oregon; C. W. Starr, of Eugene, and S. O. Starr of Junction, Oregon. Her father died March 4, 1910. Her mother died August 29, 1907.

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