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DIED.

4:3) p. m. Jacob Raff, aged 46 stand? years, of cancer of the threat.

sas about a year zgo, and since that do the citizens stand? The funeral was held from the fam- time has followed his trade, that of time ago, when he became iii. He leaves a wife and two sons and a ren church officiating.

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REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET. For Mayor-Frank Waters. For Aldermen.

First ward-Robt. E. Downing. Second ward-R. A. Crossan. Third ward-A. Gesner. Fourth ward-J. Frank Hughes. Fifth ward-J. W. Young, Geo. F. Jacobs.

Sixth ward-E. C. Churchill, Frank

Seventh ward-Andrew Vass, Lee Atchison.

Not Personality, But Principles.

stand? SLATER -At the family home, cor RAFF-At the family home on North On the bicycle issue the Republi- apparatus been provided for the pro their voters out of the ranks of the mer of Chemekota and Church | Liberty street, North Salem, Ore- cans stand for fair treatment of the tection of the outlying districts? Do. Citizens' party, and win.

Deceased came to Salem from Kan- streets and sanitary conditions. Where The matter of providing fire protec nominges directly responsible to the

of the oten. 125-31* D. J. Fry, treasurer; F. A. Legg, sec. it, which would keep many good citi bosses of the Citizens' party down in only effect being to divide the vote. zens from voting next Monday. If the main portion of the city? provision is wrong, those who put it there should be blamed, and not the Republicans who voted against a poll tax qualification.

Against Vice?

them on the moral issue?

hone and Rev. Tufts? both the papers.

Just what those pledges are no one my of it. knows but the members of the committee who secured them from the individuals who gave them. But we know what was definitely outlined by Mahone and Tufts.

is termed vice They will demand of for your WHEELMEN. The Citizens

Suite 4 2751/4 Commercial St., or ed P. S. Knight, and a majority of the law enforcement, and thus sacrifice rests and prosecutions and jury trials of voting into power a continuance of gained? Does anyone believe there men, and no prumises. The Republiwill be one whit less of what they cans, from the candidate for mayor side, their crusade means tremendous have promised you nothing in the way bor, and nothing accomplished to get little or nothing. Are you in faany respect. At the end of the year improvements? Do you want side-

THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES ing torn up for theoretical reformation FOR MAYOR AND ALDERMAN that has never been a success any STAND FOR ALL POSSIBLE where, and those against whom the the Gittens' push. The suburbs be PROGRESS AND DEVELOPMENT prosecutions were carried on would OF GREATER SALEM CON- be stronger intreached politically than We shall add their \$17,000 to our own SISTENT WITH GOOD BUSINESS ever before. Have the business men interests, and help improve our own of this city any interest in these impracticable crusades, to please the vanity and theories of imported hired agitators?

> The Citizens Will Not Protect the on against great odds. New Wards.

promised fire protection when the to say in its favor. charter of Greater Salem was under So long as it adhered to its proconsideration, and in finent terms the gram of a strictly pon-partisan busiofficers of the Citizens' administration administration at knocked the tion discussed their plans for chemic. Republicans out. al engines, to be purchased before the | When it enacted ridiculous bleycle new charter should go into effect sc |legislation, adopted poll tax coercion, (These columns are conducted by far as the new wards were con and its leaders adopted secret bracethe Republican city press commit cerned, thus offering the new dis- game methods it failed. tricts fire protection that it is im- But on top of all it has formed a possible to give with the present fire coalation with the law-enforcement fighting apparatus in the possession league, that puts the temperance and It is conceded that the candidates of the city, which is too heavy to run church federation on its side. on both sides in this campaign are to the extreme limits of Greater Sa. It has the police and fire departlem in time to be of any use in fight ment. For the Young Republicans to On the question of improvement of ing a confingration so far from the pick up the fight in the way they did the suburbs the Republicans stand for city hall. What have the officers of was pretty plucky politics. They had progress. Where do the citizens the C'tizons' administration done to virtually to build a new organization, provide adequate fire protection? Has make new polls of the wards, take gon, Priday, December 5, 1903, at wheelmen Where do the Citizens the citizens of the new wards re. The Republicans began right. They tand? ... member the piedges made and the adopted Direct Nomination, holding. The Republicans stand for better course taken by the Cilizens council? no city convention, but making their tion to the new wards when they people. should come into the city was indeed. The Citizens' adopted closer cor-By residence at 2 o'clock this after earpenter, in this city, until a short Republicans Against Poli Tax Coercion taken up in the council, and after it porntion methods than ever before. was ascertained what the cost of a They make their campaign through The Citizens' ecuncil at its last small chemical engine would be, the the agency of a small committee. "One by one thy griefs shall meet daughter to mourn his untimely meeting ordered a deputy at each matter was dropped, and like some which, finally boiled down, is one death. Deceased was a member of polling place to enforce collection of other pledges this one was allowed to man. the local Carpenters' union, having the \$3 road poll tax. This has caused rest, and the new wards, some of the After hunting in vain for an availjoined that organization since coming a general discussion of the right of residents of which are nearly two able candidate, Mr. Boothby offered Shadows passing through the land" to Sulem. The funeral will be held the city government to enforce such miles from the city hall, where the the nomination of Mr. Knight, assur from the residence of Mrs. Miller, on wards, where such taxes have been get the assistance of the heavy en convention would unanimously ratify ms . Rev. Oliver, of the United Breth collected by the county road super- gines for fighting fires, in case of the nomination. It did so, visors. Many have lost their receipts, emergency, until it was too late, if the As the Republicans began right, ests, or any other influence, but the and would have difficulty in proving big engines could indeed be brought they have continued right, seeking common people. that they had paid. investigation out at all. What has become of the no alliances or endorsement of other At an election of officers, held last shows that all the members of the promise to provide a chemical engine organizations. evening by Salem Lodge, No. 4, A. F. charter commission who were Repub for the prompt extinguishment of The law enforcement league has & A. M., the following officers were licans voted against putting that ob- fires in the distant residence districts, shown unfairness in endorsing Repubelected to serve during the ensuing notions restriction in the charter, where the humble homes are more val. Ilcan candidates only in two wards Wanted.-A fresh milch cow. Jersey term: T. C. Smith, Jr., W. M.; W. H. and the Citizens' members all voted uable to their owners than are the where there are Prohibitionists up for preferred. O. W. Pearmine, R. Cook, S. W.; J. M. Lawrence, J. W.; for it, and are now trying to enforce palatial residences of some of the aldermen on the Citizens' ticket, the

The Bonding Issue.

Judge Judah in the Citizens' campaign column very adroitly seeks to protect the administration of which What Will Be Gained by Crusades he has been the head, front, tail and brains, by showing that while they The Citizens' are strenuously deny, are paying Mr. Bush five per cent on ing that their candidates are under the \$20,000 bonds he is carrying for or Law-Enforcement League. If that per cent to the city. This may be is true what is the use of electific true, but why did the Citizens' council not order a special election for a In reply to the charge of the Re popular loan on the list of June when publicans that Citizens' candidates they obtained the power to do so unhave been obliged to give pledges to der the new charter? Then they could another organization, they say: "No have floated a popular loan at 214 to pledges whatever have been exacted." I per cent, when now they will do well Now, isn't it a fact that a commit- if they get the popular loan at 5 per tee of the above league waited on the cent. Mr. Bush probably knew that candidates, or on most of them, and money would be closer in January exacted a pledge to do certain things than it was last June, and the city outlined at a meeting of Captain Ma- may have to pay dearly for the dilatory policy of the Citizens. Mr. Judah This committee reported to the says they waited because the new Law-Enforcement League at the W. charter did not take effect in the su C. T. U. rooms Wednesday evening, burbs until October 1st. What has ecommending the Citizens' candidate the suburbs to do with this old debt? for mayor, and all their candidates Absolutely nothing. They never crefor aldermen, and so advertised in ated a dollar of that debt. They should not be asked to pay one pen-

The Citizens Promise the Suburbs

Suburbanites! Are you aware the the city government they elect cru administration passed the unjust and sades for saloon closing, for raiding discriminating bicycle ordinance now places, and for prosecution of the so in force, not the Republican party. Can you afford to help continue this Let us assume that they have elect. administration, on a new theory of council, and begin a campaign of ar- your own interests? Are you in favor is their crusade against vice, and car prohibitive ordinances? The Citizons ry it on for a year. What will be campaign contains nothing for wheelcomplain about in this city after their down, are in favor of giving the crusade than before? Are they hen wheelmen every possible privilege, est in that belief themselves? Let us The Republican ticket now stands as hope they are, because, on the other the wheelmen's friend. The Citizens bills of expense for the taxpayer, in [16] improvements, yet you will pay injury to every business interest of Sm to the city treasury over \$17,000 in em, neighbor arrayed against neigh-hard-carned coin, for which you will Ladico 75c Union Suits 45c Bargains in every department. make Salem really a better city in vor of this anobbery? Do you want the community would be tired of be walks? Do you want electric lights?

Do you want more car lines? Do you want water and gas mains out in your district, then vote for the party which is representing progress and improvement. You know what you have had during the past, vote for a change for the betten Greater Salem is the watch word. A few personal property interests NOW stands for the socalled Citizens' movement. This is easily sees in the column of abuse and personality indulged by the press committee of the hired columns of d- is the policy of the Citizens' push. streets, says the Citizens' push-

The Republican Campaign. The Republican campaign for the

city election Monday has been carried

The Citizens' administration for the The new wards in the city were past five years has had many things

The Republicans are to be congratcipies. Their candidates are subject

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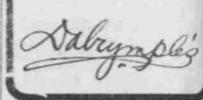


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