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#### REPUBLICAN TICKET STATE.

For Justice of the Supreme Court F. A. MOORE. For State Food and Dairy Commissloner.

J. W. BAILEY. For Presidential Electors. J. M. HART, JAS A. FEE GRANT B. DIMICK.

A. C. HOUGH.

CONGRESSIONAL. For Member of Congress-First District, BINGER HERMANN.

Second District, J. N. WILLIAMSON.

JUDICIAL, For Circuit Judges, Third Judicial District. GEORGE H. BURNETT, B. L. EDDY,

For District Attorney, JOHN H. M'NARY.

MARION COUNTY TICKET. County Judge-John H. Scott, Sheriff-W. J. Culver. Clerk-John W. Roland, Assessor-Fred J. Rice. Treasurer-W. Y. Richardson, Recorder-John C. Slegmund. School Supt .-- E. T. Moores. Commissioner-1. C. Needham. Surveyor-B. B. Herrick. Coroner-A. M. Clough. Representatives-Jos. Calvert, Hubbard; J. G. Graham and T. B. Kay, Salem: John Ritchle, Scotts Mills: Jesse H. Settlemeler, Woodburn. Salem District Ticket.

WHAT WOULD BE A JUST DIRECT PRIMARY LAW? The Journal is asked what would be

the right kind of a direct primary

UNION

Well, all political institutions are a United States was over a hundred years getting into existence. So a change in the nominating sys-

tem must be the gradual substitution of a better system. Begin by precincts and cities,

Leave direct nomination optional with the party in any county of the state. If the Republicans or Democrats of

this city or county want to make their ticket by direct nomination, let them do so.

ENACT A LAW IN THAT FORM. AND THE PEOPLE WILL GROW INTO USING IT FROM NECESSITY, AND COUNTY AFTER COUNTY WILL ADOPT IT.

Some counties might never adopt it. That has been the case in Iowa and Ohio. But most countles have.

The whole proposition of some persons with wheels getting up a bill all on his own hook, and imposing it upon a whole commonwealth is rot.

A just direct primary law would leave the people all the present ways of expressing themselves, and give them an additional way.

The present proposed direct primary law is revolutionary, and would be a dead letter, just like the Mays law for electing senators.

#### A CLEAR RIGHT.

people, but that is passing.

in the constitution.

along the streets.

sections.

the streets.

and act.

trimmings on the street,

sightly advertising signs.

your lot and burn them,

up his tumble-down premises.

The supreme court has declared that an eight-hour law is constitutional.

statters are carried before legal tri-

bunals today to be tested that would

not have been thought of nfty years

ago. Until quite recently no one

would have doubted the right of the

legislative body to make a law con-

cerning which there was no reference

HOW TO IMPROVE THE TOWN.

Prohibit people from dumping la vn

Sprinkle the streets in the business

Remove the slabwood scattered

Stop defacing the bridges with un-

Rake the loose rock and rubbish off

Pick up pleces of old board along

Ask your wealthy neighbor to clean

Salem can be made the most beau

tiful city in the state if you say so,

An exchange pays a fervent tribute

to the kicker. It likes the kicker be-

cause he makes things lively in his

vicinity and relieves the monotony.

but let that pass. Once upon a time

One of them sank and was drowned.

legs and paddled and paddled until

The same might be said of the mule,

**X-RADIUMS** Eugene is to have a new bank backed by a capitalist, J. W. Donohue of Bird Island, Minn.

It is believed in some quarters that

Jimmie Culver has his eye on the sheriff's office. Well, he will line out for a home run.

Tom Kay is all right in demanding that the present registration law be changed. It is a fright,

Astorian: There is said to be a man in Astoria who does not want to go to heaven, for fear of meeting his first wife there,

We and the Japs had Port Arthur captured Saturday. But, It seems that it got away again.

. . .

Was loud shouting ever known to accomplish anything since the walls of Jericho went down before it. . . .

There is nothing unusual about an editor being the brightest man at the Methodist conference. The Lord has to reach out and use one of the unholy professions once in a while. ...

If the committee to select a form of improvement for Court street would growth. The constitution of the take a drive over the brocken rock road to Liberty they could see just how farmers go to work to do things and they might be able to make up their minds before 1905. . . .

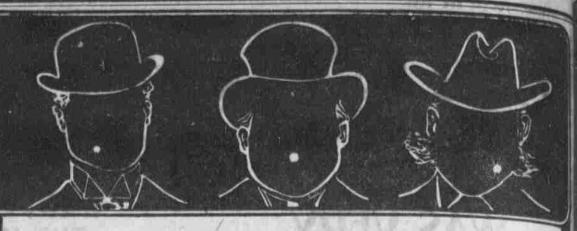
> Anyone with a thimblefull of gray matter who will go and see what kind of a road broken rock makes, by riding or walking over the road to Liberty, summer or winter, and then not conclude the dirt or river gravel roads are not up to the intelligence of an ostrich, ought to ask to have his intellect put to soak or have a receiver appointed,

By all means, build a monument for Sacajawea; incidentally, once in a while improve the public school a little and do something for the generations of today.

....

Of course, the honorable conservatives on the school board may not be aware that they are giving Salem a reputation for going backwards with our public schools that it will take years of advertising and enterprise on the part of the people who are not dead yet to overcome,

Bryan's outspokenness is in whole some contrast to Parker's close-monthedness. . . .



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brother who is a minister, and that is about as near perfection as the people will ever get in that office until the Prohl's get into power when nothing but ministers will be put on the tlcket.

Printer's Ink. No, we never read it. It is a grafting proposition. It is dishonest. It never tells the truth about anything. It quotes newspapers that flatter Geo. P. Rowell and his newspaper directory. All it tells about the circulation of newspapers is what it is paid to tell.

One of the speakers at the Liberty rally Saturday night eulogized Jim Culver, the Republican candidate for sheriff for his nerve in getting married before election. He wanted to be sure of one job, but that nerve was characteristic of the man. He would drop a man with a winchester or hang a man in the course of duty if the law required him to. Nerve is a



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Member State Central Committee-Hal D. Patton, Salem.

Chairman County Central Committee-Chas, A. Murphy; B. Frank Meredith, secretary, Salem.

Republican Joint Canvass. Turner, May, 26, 10 a. m. Jefferson, May 26, 8 p. m. Aumsville, May 27, 10 a. m. Sublimity, May 27th, at 3 p. m. Stayton, May 27, 8 p. m. Gates, May 28, 11 a. m. Mehama, May 28, 8 p. m. Macleay, May 31, 2 p. m. Silverton, May 31, 8 p. m. Scotts Mills, June 1, 10 a. m. Mt. Angel, June 1, 2 p. m. Woodburn, June 1, 8 p. m. Butteville, June2, 10 a. m. Hubbard, June 2, 2 p. m. Aurora, June 2, 8 p. m. St. Paul, June 3d, at 10 a.m. Brooks, June 3, 2 p. m. Gervais, June 3, 8 p. m. Pratum, June 4, 2 p. m. Salem, June 4, 8 p. m.

Dates of Events,

May 18-21-1. O. O. F. grand lodge, Astoria.

June 6-General election in Ore- two frogs fell into a full milk can. gon.

June 15, 16, 17-Oregon encamp The other struck out with his hind ment G. A. R., Hood River. June 15, 16 and 17-Department of he had churned the milk into butter.

Oregon, G. A. R., in annual reunion at Then he got on top of the butter lump Hood River. August 22.27-American Mining and hopped off. Moral: Keep kicking

Congress, Portland.

Hair Vigor Sold for sixty years. You must know about it. It must have merit. Must be good. Ask any of your neighbors.

Port Arthur was again taken in Very few people ever doubted it, although there were many who strived keep on taking it on paper until the to make the world believe it unconsti-Japs do get it in reality. tutional. Some very good authority ... on constitutional law has declared

Of course, it would be too much that all rights not reserved by the constitution are still inherent in the to ask the state government of Ore-

gon to sprinkle the streets about the state house grounds where clouds of dust have been ruining the beautiful shrubbery and flowers and lawns. We must save a few dollars a week if we ruin the property. ...

I. L. Manning is doing the editorial work on the Salem Statesman in the

absence of Ex-Gov, Geer, in addition to his duties of handling the Statesfederal appointment in connection with the Panama canal. Having been is accustomed to the climate and understands the prevalent jargon in that Louis several weeks, . . .

to vote freak propositions. The local America.

. . . If that delegation of Mayors really tar and kindling and pitch and turpen-...

Eddy for circuit judge ought to pulling a half-cooked African deckand sat there until he was rescued. make a good run. He is not entire hand off the top of the holler where ly a tax-eater. In fact he has held no he had him sitting a-straddle of the and you'll land somewhere, all right. lucrative office. He put through a safety valve to hold it down while he bill that is putting \$100,000 a year in got up more steam than the boilers the treasury. This is a little unusual, were entitled to hold. "I'd a won that Generally the more a man gets out of race if I'd a cooked the whole bottom the crib the less he puts in. We are off from that nigger,' 'said the excited going to vote for Eddy.

> As a candidate for sheriff. Jimmie tor sits on the safety-valve and trou-Culver is well connected. He has a sers hold out.

Saturday's dispatches. Well, we will and no one believes for a minute that quality that is important in a sheriff Jim Culver has a particle of yellow streak in him. He is cool-headed but don't imagine for a moment that he wouldn't shoot. The Deschutes Improvement Com-

pany will open two banks immediately, one at Bend and another at Lytie. These will have a paid-up capital of \$50,000. The president of both banks is W. F. Guerin, Jr., who is now at Lytle.

The new reporter, did you say; well; the managing editor always has man's political news in this campaign to keep an eye on him. He is apt Mr. Manning is understood to have to be too slow or too energetic, Some very flattering endorsements for a of the news that an industrious local scavenger will drag into an office is more dangerous than dynamite. For for the past ten years in Nicaragua he Instance, there are always several juicy sensations on tap in the community, that are hanging on the lower country. Gov. Geer is to be at St. branches of the tree-of knowledge, getting good and ripe before they are ready to pick. The strenous novice The people of Oregon will do well on the staff gathers them in green and the whole community would be option bill and the direct primary bill grabbing at the unripe fruit of his prewere probably the work of one per- mature industry while the managing son for each-one person with wheels editor, would have to leave town for on the subject on which he got up a a few days, or keep an outlook on the bill. The time has hardly come for mizzenmast for a month as he walked any one man to dictate public policies the street to see who was coming which no one petitioned for, and for around the next corner with a smile which there was no crying demand. and a six-shooter, saying, "there's that Colorado has adopted all these freaks, villian." The new reporter reminds and is the worst hoodoed state in us of a darkey in the steamboat race on the Mississippi described by Mark Twain. The crew were heaving in

want pointers on modern methods of time to get up steam, and to the surcity government they should come out prise of all the smaller boat of the and take a look over Greater Salem. two won out. When she landed the mystery was explained by the captain

> captain. So the new reporter will make it all right if the managing edi-



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