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For Sale—A good team, weight 1050. Inquire of H. P. Cleaver, Liberty, Or. 4-4-31*

Found—A milk dealer's account book. Call at Journal office for same. 4-4-31*

For Sale Cheap—Several good farms, also city and suburban property. Capital National Bank.

Seed Potatoes for Sale—Fancy Gresham Burbank and Early Rose seed potatoes by Capital Commission Co., Salem, Or. 4-4-31*

Found—A Fox Terrier bitch pup on Court street. Owner can have the same by calling on F. A. Sutton, at the Capital Bakery and paying for this notice. 4-4-31*

Is Still in Business—The undersigned has not gone to work for the Capital Improvement Co., as represented. He is running a wagon, and is still in the transfer business, to fill orders as heretofore. Phone 492. Leave orders at Ferguson's restaurant. T. M. Eckhart. 4-4-31*

Alabama Young Baptists in Convention—Gadsden, Ala., April 4.—Several hundred delegates to the annual convention of the Alabama Baptist Young People's union were in attendance when the session was opened here this morning. The convention will last two days and there will be sessions every morning, afternoon and evening. Many prominent Baptist workers from all parts of the state are in attendance and some excellent speakers will address the convention.

Money to Loan

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There Is Little Real Trouble

In this world most of it is imaginary. We allow ourselves to become nervous and fretful. Weeds of care overrun the garden of the heart when they should never be allowed to take root.

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Candidate for Joint Representative From Polk and Lincoln Counties.

To the Editor:

In view of the fact that there is a difference of opinion among the voters on the direct primary law, particularly as to statement No. 1 thereof, and as the press of the state of Oregon also differ as to what the voters should do in regard to statement No. 1, and as I have only seen one side of the question presented by the Lincoln county press, and being deeply interested in this statement No. 1, having signed the same, and being a candidate for nomination at the nominating primary election April 20th, will you please allow me space in your valuable paper for a few remarks.

The direct primary law was passed by a direct vote of the people at the June election, 1904, the vote being 56,285 for the law and 16,354 against it, being a vote of nearly 3 to 1 in favor of this law. Oregon's being all the way from 15,000 to 40,000 Republican it would seem that nearly every Republican in the state favors this law. This law was submitted and championed by the direct primary nomination league of Oregon, composed of the best men in the state, from all parties. Following were the officers of the league, representing 22 counties of Oregon:

A. L. Mills, of Portland, president; G. M. Orton, of Portland, vice-president; F. McKucher, of Portland, treasurer, and W. S. U'Hen, of Oregon City, secretary. The executive committee were U. S. Senator John H. Mitchell, H. W. Scott, editor Oregonian; W. M. Ladd, Judge Henry E. McGinn, Judge Thos. G. Green, W. H. Hillery, Jonathan Bourne, H. G. Kundret, of the Labor Press; Charles E. Lockwood, Frank Williams, T. T. Geer, C. S. Jackson, C. H. Gram, C. E. S. Wood, A. R. Lawton, Judge L. T. Harris, Henry Hans, John C. Young, C. B. Thomas, George W. Riddle and J. T. Weisch.

Among the prominent members of the league were Governor Chamberlain, Hon. B. L. Eddy, J. W. Furnish, James A. Fee, C. G. Houtley, Geo. A. Harding, R. J. Hendricks, Salem Statesman; G. W. Holsom, T. G. Halley, C. A. Johns, now candidate for governor on Republican ticket; Otto O. Krogsstadt, of Toledo; Percy Kelly, R. H. Kincaid, P. N. Lathrop, Charles E. Ladd, Robert Livingston, Mayor Lane, of Portland; Stephen A. Lowell, candidate for U. S. senator on the Republican ticket; Charles B. Moore, Judge J. C. Moreland, ex-Congressman Moody, Judge T. A. McBride, Judge Thos. F. Ryan, A. E. Reames, Hon. J. M. Shelley, J. W. Teal and Albert Tozier, ex-President of the National Press Association, and many others.

At the present time there are five candidates for the office of the U. S. senator, asking for the votes of the electors of Oregon under the direct primary law and section 1 thereof. These five men are all well-known Republicans of the state of Oregon, and each one has pledged himself to abide by the vote of the people for U. S. senator.

Some newspapers have tried to con-

fuse the voters with the statement that if five or more men are candidates at the direct primary election, the vote would be divided so that no one would get a majority, and the Democrats having only one candidate, Senator John M. Gearin, would nominate and elect him, the Republicans being divided. This is misleading. There are five Republican candidates for U. S. senator any may be a dozen more, to be voted on at the direct primary nominating election April 20th and only one can be nominated. That one that receives the highest number of votes will be the choice of the people, and there will be only one Republican candidate running for this office, and only one Democrat.

Under the old system, if five men went into the convention for the nomination for governor, or any other office the one receiving the greatest number of votes would be declared the regular nominee of the party; therefore, there is no difference in this proposition, for the candidate now receiving the highest vote will be the regular candidate.

Every newspaper in Oregon advocated this law, and Senator John H. Mitchell had tried for years to get this through the United States senate. The history of the holdups in Oregon for the past 20 years has been the cause of the adoption of this law in Oregon.

The United States senate is composed of millionaires, many of them having bought their seat, and all, or nearly all, are opposed to the election of senators by a direct vote of the people. If the people choose their senator at the primary election, all the legislature has to do is to ratify their choice, and they will have plenty of time to enact some good, healthy laws for the people. As it is now, whenever there is a senator to elect, the whole session is taken up in a big fight, and all kinds of combinations are formed, and all legislation depends upon who has the most votes for U. S. senator.

Up to date there are 60 Republicans who have filed their petitions for nomination at the primary election who have signed statement No. 1, and a number who have signed it in a qualified manner. There is no question but that the next senator from Oregon will be the people's choice. The Oregon legislature has repeatedly petitioned congress for an amendment to the constitution permitting the people to elect senators by a direct vote of the people. Both Republican and Democratic platforms have for years demanded the election of senators by the people.

A person sent to the legislature is only an agent of the people, and why should he not be instructed as to whom the people want to serve them in the U. S. senate, just the same as if he were an agent for a party or corporation, or any other commercial body. It seems to me that it is very inconsistent for a candidate to ask the people for their votes, and then, after he has received their support, to swell up and say that the people do not know what they want.

Union Wins a Victory.

San Francisco, April 4.—Not only are the employees of the Oakland Traction Consolidated satisfied in every detail with the written agreement with the corporation, but now there is a fair understanding, mutually, of the work-

ing conditions between all interested, said A. D. Mahone, president of the national organization of street car employees, in an interview this morning. "The union has won a decided victory. Practically the union is fully recognized by the Oakland Traction Consolidated."

Improvements in the RACYCLE

Not in any other make of bicycle. These improvements are of great value to the rider in making an easier running and more durable wheel.

FIRST.—THE MAGAZINE OILED CRANK BEARINGS.—The Racycle is the only bicycle made in which the bearings in the crank-hanger run constantly in oil, there being sufficient oil put in when the wheel is assembled to last for 10,000 miles.

SECOND.—THE DUST PROOF CRANK HANGER BEARINGS.—The Racycle is the only bicycle made that has dust-proof crank hanger bearings. This is done by the magazine sleeve filled with lubricant, and felt washer being placed at the entrance to the recesses of the cranks.

THIRD.—CHAIN PULL BETWEEN THE CRANK HANGER BEARINGS.—The Racycle is the only bicycle in America that has a set of ball bearings on each side of the chain pull. This is done by recessing the cranks—thus placing the bearings wider apart than they are in any other bicycle.

FOURTH.—CRANK DRIVE OVER THE CRANK HANGER BEARINGS.—The Racycle is the only bicycle made in America in which the bearings are placed in the center of the cranks, giving a support at the point wanted and cutting off the leverage found in other bicycles.

FIFTH.—BI-PLANE SPROCKETS.—This is a feature that the Racycle originated and has always used in the making of sprockets. It assures the rider more durability and less friction in the chain and sprockets, which must result in a more easily running wheel.

SIXTH.—LARGE SPROCKETS—FRONT AND REAR.—This is another feature characteristic of the Racycle, as it was the first bicycle to use a larger than a 22-tooth front sprocket. By the use of large sprockets the rider has less friction in his chain, less friction on the sprockets and less pull on the chain in doing the same amount of hard riding.

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BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

The trial of Charles B. Harris, who is charged with outraging public decency, and the procuring of girls for a dancehall in Astoria, was held this afternoon in department No. 1 of the circuit court before Judge Burnett. Harris conducted his own defense, and showed considerable nervousness. The witnesses who were examined were: J. J. Longcore, night policeman; Deputy Sheriff Eech, Miss Lucy Walker, Annie Sutton and Sam Minner. The testimony given by the officers was identical with that formerly published in the newspapers March 26. How the women were promised \$200 a week for work in the dance hall. The two women related the manner in which they were approached by Harris, and told the jury about their conversation with him. Sam Minner stated that Harris promised him \$25 for each woman he would get to go to Astoria. The two women whom Harris interviewed testi-

fed that they were of age. The trial in progress this afternoon.

Harris was found guilty as charged at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the jury taking less than ten minutes.

New Light Rates.

The Citizens' Light & Traction Co. has made a new schedule for its electric lights. It leaves it optional with the consumer to pay under this schedule or retain the old one. The rates will run on the meter system, and are identical with those in Portland. The Journal will have a full statement of the new rules tomorrow.

The Plaintiff Won.

In the case of P. Anderson vs. Elizabeth Claggett, in the circuit court this morning, the jury returned a verdict of \$14.90 and costs, the amount asked by the plaintiff. This suit was over a contract to cut wood, and was taken on appeal from the justice court of Salem precinct.

License Issued.

A marriage license was granted today to Carrie V. Cox and Edwin Hobart.

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