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ELECTION DATES TO REMEMBER.

Last day for filing nominating petitions for county offices May 19.
General election June 4.

TO ELECT THE WHOLE TICKET.

That is the disposition of the Republicans of Oregon, and it is their duty. To fail to elect the entire ticket when it is composed of fairly good men means suicide.

The Republican party in Oregon has no real cause to commit suicide or any other foolish act.

THERE HAS BEEN ENOUGH FOLLY AND UNWISDOM IN THE PAST, AND THE CAUSE HAS BEEN REMOVED BY THE DIRECT PRIMARY.

While the ticket is not what it might be, it is a good, clean, first-class ticket, as politics goes.

While the Democrats have captured some of the best offices at Portland and in the state, what have they done but play politics?

They claim to have accomplished every step of reform in the whole state, and the rest of the people have no credit whatever.

In the final analysis it will be found they deserve some credit for doing things, but not all the credit for reform belongs to the Democrats.

There is no good excuse for a Republican to scratch a man on the ticket in Oregon this year.

SOME OF THE CLOSED STREETS.

All over this city are closed streets that should be opened and pieces of streets that were sold.

THE MAN WHO NEVER OPENED A STREET, WHO NEVER GAVE AN INCH OF LAND TO THE PUBLIC, OR WHO HAS PREVENTED STREETS FROM BEING OPENED IS MET WITH.

There are also half streets in the city, where one land owner opened a street, and the other half has never been dedicated.

There are tracts laid off with streets, where every other street was never dedicated, and then sold, making closed streets.

ALL THESE THINGS ARE HINDRANCES TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CITY. THERE SHOULD BE A COMMISSION CREATED WITH POWER TO OPEN STREETS BY LEGAL STEPS.

There are persons in every community who have drawn large revenues out of the public, and have always resisted every step of progress.

They oppose street improvements, resist putting down sidewalks, lie awake nights to discover how they may escape civic responsibility, and at the same time invent a new graft on their neighbors.

They are the poor in spirit mentioned in the Scriptures whom the Saviour said we would always have with us. One good thing is probably true, of such is the kingdom of heaven.

HELP FOR COOS.

(Eugene Register.)

The Coos Bay people are busy with arrangements for the big meeting of the Farmers and Shippers Congress which takes place there on the 23rd and 24th of this month, and the entertainment which they are providing will eclipse anything which the development meetings have heretofore encountered. It is unfortunate that the convention takes place at a time when the "Made in Oregon" exposition will be held at Portland, yet the people of that territory wish to pull off the event

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THE PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

Independence West Side.)
The yearly salary of the president is \$50,000. In addition he is allowed \$36,000 to pay salaries of his subordinates and clerks. His private secretary is paid \$3250, his assistant private secretary \$2250, his stenographer \$1800, five messengers (each) \$1200, a steward \$1800, two doorkeepers (each) \$1200, four other clerks at good salaries, ranging from \$1500 to \$2500; one telegraph operator, two ushers, \$1200 and \$1400; a night usher, \$1200; a watchman, \$900, and a man who takes care of the fire, who receives \$864 a year. In addition to this there is given him about \$8000 for incidental expenses, such as stationery, carpets and the care of the presidential stables. And under another heading there is given him nearly \$40,000 more. Of this \$12,500 is for repairs and refurnishing the White house, \$2500 is for fuel, \$4000 is for the greenhouse, \$15,000 is for gas, matches and the stable. The White house all told costs the country in connection with the president considerable over \$125,000 a year.

TELEPHONE FOR YOUR VEST POCKET

Puffers Messages from Wires Three Miles Off; Is of the Wireless Variety.

Charles E. Alden of New York, who has been pursuing experiments here since last fall in wireless telephoning, has, he says, solved the problem of wireless telephoning, and the result is so simple that it is likely to create a sensation in the business world as well as in scientific circles.

Mr. Alden, while studying the problem, constructed an instrument so small that it can be put into a vest pocket, which, attached to a wireless battery such as is used by the Marconi system, at once begins catching conversations carried along ordinary telephone wires, the distance depending only upon the energy behind the telephones that are sending the messages.

It was one stormy night a few weeks ago, when Mr. Alden had perfected his little receiver and set it up in his studio here on Martha's Vineyard Island, that he sat smoking his after-dinner pipe and wondering where he had better set up his sending apparatus, that he was startled by the sound of a voice in the room, in which he was the only occupant. Outside the storm howled along the coast and beat the waves against the rocks of the island.

"Hello! Hello! Is that Mrs. Smith? Yes! Come over this evening if you can."

"All right. Good-bye!"
Mr. Alden sat bolt upright. Then he got up and went to the door. There was no one there. The little instrument on the table began to buzz again, and then came another voice, a different one this time, asking the price of eggs and ordering a grocerman to send up some potatoes first thing in the morning.

Like a flash Mr. Alden realized the situation. His little instrument was not waiting for his sending instrument to be set up, but was pilfering messages from the New England Telephone company's wire which ran along a road three miles away. Wild with delight, Mr. Alden rushed across lots and got some of his friends to come in and witness the success of his discovery. When they arrived the little apparatus was still busy disclosing neighborhood gossip and all sorts of messages that were buzzing over the wires of the island.

To a reporter who called upon him Mr. Alden told the story of his discovery and how the voices of the night came to him unsolicited, like the talk of spirits.

"I was sitting in my room one night when it dawned upon me that with the wireless telegraph comparatively simple the wireless telephone must be equally simple. I jotted down on paper my ideas as they came to me and the next morning went to work upon my machine. I was merely experimenting, not having the remotest idea that I was anywhere near success. Suddenly, when I did not dream, I had perfected the machine, I received the messages from neighboring ordinary telephones as I have told you. The revelation took me off my feet."

The basis of the system is like that of the wireless telegraph. But a small invention, the details of which he does not make public, completes it. This is called the "new dictator." It is this machine, attached to the wireless batteries, which is responsible for the results.

No wire was attached to the receiving instrument, the latter simply being

placed on a table in a room. At present Mr. Alden is working on the sending parts of the apparatus.

The possibilities are almost limitless. With his new invention one may yet be able to carry around in his pocket a private telephone, with which he can call up his house and talk with his family wherever he may be. Persons sitting in the grandstand at the race-track may telephone to their friends in the city the results of the races undisturbed.

Messages sent by telephones keyed to ordinary tension may be received to any one within miles who has a pocket telephone. And the perfection of the attuning apparatus by which individual telephones are keyed to any fraction of a "note" or degree of tension, and make it possible to have comparative secrecy, as receivers will take the messages only when attuned to perfect accord. And the wireless telegraph experiments have shown that there can in time be thousands of these fractions of tension.

San Francisco's insurance foots up about \$120,000,000. That is a pretty good-sized amount with which to commence rebuilding. Probably half of it will be spent for labor in and about the city. Figure out what that means. Allowing an average of \$2.50 per day for labor, the \$60,000,000 would employ 3000 men 3000 days, the working days of nearly seven years. It would steadily employ 100,000,000 men at \$2.50 a day 240 days, the working days of over nine months. The Bay City in ashes is of course in greatest despair, but with the work of rebuilding the losses will be forgotten, at least not hold the first place in their minds.—Ex.

Eminent Doctors Praise Its Ingredients.

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