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## SHOULD BE KNOCKED OUT IN THE COURTS.

## would not take a Philadelphia lawyer to knock out the

 Oregon game law.It is about as full of holes and legal contradictions as it
is possible to make a law.
is possible to make a lextile fabric doing duty as legislative brains that enacted such a malformity must be thinner than cheese-cloth The law imposes a tax of ten dollars on a citizen of another state and onlv two dollars on an Oregonian. Yet the constitution of the United States forbids just such legislation as that and so does the Oregon constitution. females, the law attempts to tax females are citizens, the Oregolen constitution would knock the law galley-west right there.
Laws raising revenues and Imposing taxes must originate in the house, and this obnoxious, bifurcated, misdemeanor in the form of legislation originated in the senate, the home and birthplace of legislative idiocy in general.
There are other reasons why the law would be knocked out in the courts and it should be done before the people
lose all respect for legislation and become a commonwealth lose all respect f
of law breakers.
A fund should be raised to take it into the courts and The Capital Journal will publicly advocate the repeal and nullification of the features known as the fisherman's angling li cense tax

REGULATION OF VICE IN SALEM.
Those who are impatient with conditions of vice in this city should consider a few hard, cold facts.
In every state in this nation and every other there are laws against vice.
laws against vice.
In every city in the state and nation there are stringent ordinances against vice.
Yet in spite of such laws and ordinances there is vice and flagrant violation of such laws.
Mayor Lane gave his best energies for two years to the suppression of vice in Portland and accomplished some things.
He tried a restricted district and then tried driving vice
out of the city, and what was accomplished? out of the city, and what was accomplished? He scattered vice wider and wider until no one could tell whether he lived in a vicious district or not. and only a small part of that one side.
The habitues of that district have been kept off the streets and the red lights and red curtains removed. city, where it is within easy call of the police. Those who wish to drive these houses and their inmates elsewhere do not reckon fully on the consequences. They do not dispose of the men who go to these places to gratify their mistaken appetite for lust.
Those persons would still be in the community and if these houses are closed, others will be opened. If all are suppressed the vicious el
and will still be coming to Salem. will attack decent women and girls.
Assaults will be committed on decent women, and if such the suburbs.
Let all who have knowledge of human nature and it weaknesses and errors consicer an things and then reme the Pacific northwest.

THE FARCE OF HOLDING ELECTIONS IN OREGON.
With a registration law that is absolutely prohibitive of
manhood suffrage, and with a complicated red-tape ballot law, it is a wonder any one goes to vote in Oregon.
The shameful condition of things of large wards in this oity castin
can city. Manfiood suffrage, based upon citizenship is suppressed in the interest of a political ring that does not want people to exercise the right of suffrage.
As a result a cifty of twenty thousand people casts six hundred and fifty votes, and they are cast in a manner that leaves the election open to contest.
In some wards one rule is followed, in other wards another rule, and the whole result is to have less and less voters taking part in elections.

At the 11 o'clock train Monday were a dozen voters

[^0]PIMPLES




leaving the city on an important election day without voting The writer talked with a contractor, with a planing milf All three said it was too much trouble, and at one place the polls had not been opened at $10 o^{\prime}$ clock. the time of business men who want to vote and go about
their business is taken up swearing in voters who franchised by the registration law.

## franchised by alleged laws to regulate him from coming

 the people of Oregon have a habit of submitting tam outrages that no other free electorate would endure. It is done in the name of legislation but is part of a deep-laid plan to keep the number of persons participating in
elections down to the lowest possible number.
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