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PERVANT IN LOVE.—Above all things being fervent in your love among yourselves, for love covereth a multitude of sins.—1 Peter 4:8 (R. V.).

THE OFFICE CAT

PLAYER PIANO
They sat on the piano bench. With one hand on the keys. "Now play with both your hands," she said.
Why did the music cease?

THESE DAYS
"Dearest, you are the light of my heart; the angel of my life. You are the only woman I ever loved!"
"Darling you are the best man on earth. And now that we've tied to each other, let's pretend we're awfully happy!"

An idealist is a man who can look at a pretty girl and not think about how much she costs.

Shoot the whole works, remarked the movie director, to the new camera man, as he aimed at the factory set.

Women have two weaknesses—Fortune tellers and fortune hunters.

"Lightnin'" struck us as being a thundering good show.

Love never keeps a debit account and whoever keeps one never loves it.

Wealth may be a disease, as Mr. Bryan says. We know a man who took it and was confined for three years.

The greatest need of the present day is shorter hours of labor so we can hear all the radio programs.

WHY HE IS CRABBED
I went fishing in the Warrior With a tackle newly bought, But crabs, crabs, crabs, Were the only things I caught.

BULLETINS

TWENTIETH CHILD BORN
EL PASO, May 25.—Physicians attending Mrs. Lara Valles of El Paso, said Thursday her daughter, born Wednesday has a good chance to live. The child is the twentieth born to Mr. and Mrs. Valles. All the others died at birth or soon after.

MURDERER REPRIEVED
SALT LAKE, May 25.—George Gradner, alleged slayer of two men, sentenced to be shot by a firing squad at the Utah state prison Friday, was granted a reprieve until the next meeting of the state parole board, by Governor Mabey late Thursday.

TO HOLD PIONEER REUNION
The mails are carrying over the state notices of the 51st reunion of the Oregon Pioneer association, to be held in the Auditorium, Portland, on Thursday, June 21.

Although each year the ranks of the old timers thin before the attacks of time, the officials of the association are urging the survivors to close in the files and march in solid formation to the rendezvous.

All persons who were born in the

old Oregon territory before or during the year 1850, or who came here in that period, are eligible to membership. The territory includes Washington, Idaho and parts of Wyoming and Montana. Anyone coming to any part of the Pacific coast in that period, now residents of Oregon, also are eligible.—Baker Democrat.

CHAMBERLAIN ON WAY HOME
(By Associated Press)
PORTLAND, May 25.—Portland friends of Senator George E. Chamberlain are in receipt of word from him to the effect that he and Mrs. Chamberlain will leave Washington Saturday next for Portland.

The senator is coming home on personal business, while both he and Mrs. Chamberlain desire to visit with the members of their family residing here. It is not stated how long the senator intends to remain in Oregon.

RAILROAD CONVENTION
(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, May 25.—The first national conference on railway valuation, attended by approximately 300 including "progressive" congressmen, railroad labor union heads and representatives of agricultural associations, opened today with Senator La Follette in the chair.

Mayor Hyland, of New York and Governor Sweet, of Colorado, attacked the proposed

methods of valuation by the Interstate Commerce Commission allowing railroads of a combined valuation of \$25,000,000 instead of a tentative valuation of \$18,000,000 as announced three years ago. Pro-unionists contend that increased valuation would cost the people \$1,500,000,000 annually in increased rates.

CUTS OFF U. S. SAILINGS
NEW YORK, May 25.—The Spanish royal mail steamship line, operating between Barcelona and New York, has ordered discontinuance of all American sailings, Luis Llanso, local agent for the company, announced Thursday night. The discontinuance was ordered because of the recent supreme court decision forbidding foreign vessels bringing liquor into American territorial limits, he said.

The house by a vote of 91 to 60 recently killed a bill to protect the migratory birds. This looks like animosity toward migratory birds, as the house already has killed the free feed

Chamberlain's Tablets are Mild and Gentle in Effect
The laxative effect of Chamberlain's Tablets is so mild and gentle that you can hardly realize that it has been produced by a medicine.—Adv.

Rank Injustice to Taft

This newspaper was never a strong supporter of William Howard Taft when he was in politics, but, like many other Americans, we know Mr. Taft represents a high standard of citizenship. When we read insinuations from some of the slinking press relative to Justice Taft being unduly influenced by money, it is time for all who believe in fair play to stand up for Taft.

The American Bar Association Journal reviews this matter in a way that should be read by every citizen. That journal says:

"It has been stated in the public press that Chief Justice Taft is 'receiving a \$10,000 annuity from the Carnegie Corporation of New York' and 'the income comes from \$200,000 in mortgage bonds of the United States Steel Corporation.'"

"It is apparent that this is a part of the propaganda to limit the power of the court to declare legislative action void when it transgresses the prohibition of the Constitution, for the articles above quoted from, refer at length to such decisions and expressly disclaim personal animus toward the Chief Justice. One of them says:

"Mr. Taft's long record in public life, his spotless reputation, make any question of his motives, character, or patriotism impossible."

"Notwithstanding this broad disavowal, great injustice has been done by the tacit innuendo of the articles referred to, and the simple facts should be set forth and dispassionately considered."

"Andrew Carnegie contemplated the creation of a fund to be administered by the Carnegie Foundation, for the payment of pensions to all ex-presidents and their widows, but abandoned this project and by his will provided for the payment of annuities to the widows of ex-presidents Cleveland and Roosevelt and to ex-president Taft. This will has been duly probated and there is not now pending in any court any question as to its validity. At the time of the making of Mr. Carnegie's will Mr. Taft occupied no judicial or other public position. He was then a private citizen. At the time of his appointment to the position of Chief Justice there was no possibility of any question coming before him for decision in which the interests of the testator or his estate or of any of the beneficiaries of the will of Andrew Carnegie would be involved."

"It should be remembered that those legacies were made by Andrew Carnegie as an individual and that they were made in favor of individuals for whom Mr. Carnegie had high regard. His personal friendship for William Howard Taft was well known, and the legacy in question was a natural expression of that friendship. No man can hope to reap any personal benefit from gifts which cannot take effect until his death. It is, therefore, absurd to attribute any improper motive to Mr. Carnegie in the making of this bequest."

"But suggestions have been made that there was impropriety in the acceptance of this annuity by Mr. Taft after he became Chief Justice because the bulk of Mr. Carnegie's wealth was derived from the United States Steel Corporation, and because litigation involving that corporation might come before the United States Supreme Court. Before his death Mr. Carnegie had ceased to be the owner of any stock in the steel corporation and was not interested in its profits or losses. He had converted all his interests in that corporation into bonds of the corporation, or for its separation into its original constituents would affect only the value of its stocks and indirectly, perhaps, the amount of its earnings, but no court would or could, by judicial decree, destroy the property on which the bonds were secured. What basis can there be for any criticism, therefore, of the Chief Justice in continuing to accept the annuity provided for him by his personal friend in his will?"

"Changes of wrong-doing should not be made without full knowledge of all the facts. When they must be made they should be clearly set forth in plain language, without covert implication, so couched as to awaken the too ready tendency of the uninformed to entertain suspicion."

"It is believed that the overwhelming majority of the members of the bar, trained to orderly and logical mental processes, lovers of justice and fair dealing, and those gentlemen of the press who sincerely believe in the principles recently enumerated in their code of ethics, will not approve the methods employed in this indirect and undeserved attack upon the Chief Justice."

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