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1776-1918.

The descendants of the compatriots of Washington and Paul Jones are fighting once again side by side with the descendants of the compatriots of Lafayette and Rochambeau. The time and opportunity have come for a nation to pay a great debt of gratitude for service rendered in great national need and America is paying France the debt she long has owed.

In the Revolutionary War for the freedom of America the French fought on American soil under the command of an American. Today in the war for the freedom of France and for the preservation of liberty to America, and indeed to all the world, Americans fight on French soil under the supreme command of a Frenchman. The honors are even and the honors are great.

No true American who knows the history of his country and loves the honor of his country but thrills at the thought of the American Army in France. The invincible Americans will turn the tide of the war; they will bring to France and her allies a victory for liberty such as France assisted us to win and repay with interest a debt to liberty and to France long owing and honorably acknowledged - Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

Your Kind Of A Man.

We don't know much about Josiah Gilbert Holland, but we do know that he is the author of a grand little poem called "Wanted" which runs something like this:

"God give us men! A time like this demands
Strong minds, great hearts, true faith
and ready hands,
Men whom the lust for office does not
kill,
Men whom the spoils of office cannot
buy,
Men who possess opinions and a will,
Men who have honor, men who will
not lie,
Men who can stand before a demagogue
And scorn his treacherous flatteries
without winking.
Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above
the fog
In public duty, as in private thinking,
For while the rabble with their thumb-
sworn creeds
Mingle in selfish strife; Lo! Freedom
sleeps,
Wrong rules the land, and waiting jus-
tice sleeps.
The age wants heroes—heroes who shall
dare
To struggle in the solid ranks of truth,
To clutch the monster Error by the throat,
To bear opinion to a loftier seat,
To blot the era of oppression out
And lead a universal freedom in."

It is so applicable to present day needs, particularly to national affairs that we can't help believing that it pretty much sums up the qualifications of the men we need as United States Senators and Congressmen at least. There are many candidates who have announced themselves for these vacant positions but viewed in the light of this demand they, most of them, seem very puny. We believe there is one man, however, who in the eyes of the average humble Oregonian measures up magnificently to the ideal, and while we shall have to apologize to another candidate for appropriating his slogan, we believe this candidate can aptly be termed "Your Kind of a Man." He has announced his candidacy for the office of United States Senator on the Democratic ticket—it is a foregone conclusion that he will receive the nomination. There is every likelihood that the Republican nominee who will be his opponent will be R. N. Stanfield. His name, of course, is Oswald West, a household word in Oregon and we believe it will soon be a name to be very much respected in the United States Senate.

Bent But Not Broken.

We regret exceedingly that it appears necessary for us to go back to the four page paper again after a trial of the six-page sheet for about ten weeks. This step is necessary purely for financial reasons; we have been unable so far to secure enough additional advertising and subscription patronage to meet the additional expense involved. We trust that our retrenchment, like that of General Haig, may be only temporary and that the time may soon come when by a counter attack we may not only retrieve the ground lost, but may push the fight into the enemy's territory and issue the long-hoped-for eight page paper. We would like to whisper that lack of ammunition caused this strategic retreat. If all our subscribers who are in arrears would come in in a body and pay up simply the back subscriptions which our books show are due we could soon counter attack. If in addition they renewed their subscriptions a year in advance the advance step could also be taken. If, in addition, some of the Lents firms, whose businesses we are boosting by boosting the financial and other conditions of our community and who are not now boosting us, would commence, or renew their advertising appropriations with their local paper who knows but what we might even be able to pay our own grocery bills, perhaps get a much needed new suit and otherwise squander a few reckless shekels with our local merchants in addition to giving our subscribers a more newsy local newspaper. While there's life there's hope! P. S. Mrs. Brown suggests that a suitable "counter attack" would be for our subscribers to stream in to our counter!

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Who is L. J. Simpson

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE for the NOMINATION for **Governor** Primary Friday MAY 17, 1915

Born, September 1, 1877.
Son of the late Capt. A. M. Simpson pioneer shipping and lumberman.
Educated at Mt. Tamalpais Academy and University of California.
Worked as a laborer in 1889, at \$1.50 per day, in the ship yards on Coos Bay, Oregon
Rose from the ranks to executive head of a large lumber and shipping industry, employing many thousand of men.
Started the town of North Bend, 1901.
Fostered community progress, founded and developed many enterprises.
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