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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY
OREGON CITY, NOV. 15, 1901.
H. W. SCOTT FOR SENATOR.

Though we may often condemn the policy of the Oregonian, any fair-minded person, familiar with the current history of the state, must admit that its editor-in-chief, Harvey W. Scott, is one of the ablest men in the Pacific Northwest. "Some republican papers," says the Times-Mountaineer (democratic), "are as rare at the East Oregonian because it mentions H. W. Scott as a suitable candidate for United States senator. They give no reason, however, why Mr. Scott should not represent Oregon in the United States senate, or why the East Oregonian should not show his fitness for that position. In fact they cannot produce such argument. With the large majority of republican holdovers in the state senate, it is hardly likely that the republican majority in the Oregon legislature can be overcome at the next election, hence the senator to be elected will likely be a republican. In this event why should not Mr. Scott be choice of the party, and why should not a democratic paper like the East Oregonian advocate his election with perfect sincerity? In ability Harvey Scott is head and shoulders above either of our present senators. His entire life has been spent in Oregon, and he has been a close observer of the state's growth and well knows its needs. In every way he is fitted to make an able representative of the state in the nation's legislative halls.

"More than this Scott is not a kid-gloved politician—one of those pliant partisans who change views with the wind to meet the approval of party bosses. In short, Scott is a man of brains, firm convictions and steadfast purposes. There is nothing superficial about him. In the United States senate he possibly might not be sufficiently pliable to meet the approval of politicians, but certain it is he would stand for what he believed to be right, and no offers of party preference would influence his vote. There are many things Mr. Scott advocates which we do not approve, but we admire his ability." The senatorship to Mr. Scott would not be an elevation to a wider sphere of influence; it would be a burden placed on the shoulders of a man who has earned surcease of life's toil. But no republican could be of greater service to Oregon in the United States senate than Mr. Scott.

Socialism is, by its very nature, opposed to war, pillage, lawlessness, brute force, falsehood, and violence. It here and there some dull-witted socialist, made sullen by poverty and pain, cries out for vengeance, his violence is no more to be attributed to socialism than the savage cruelty of a Torquemada is to be imputed to Catholicism. Socialism does not beget atheism any more than chemistry begets infidelity. Socialism is an economic science, not a religious creed. We must look elsewhere for the causes of atheism than in socialism. The so-called father of the democratic party, Thomas Jefferson, was an infidel; and Robert Ingersoll, the agnostic, was a leading republican in his day. The early fathers of the church were, as a rule, socialists, and they showed no tendencies toward atheism—Father McGrady.

In his address at New Haven, Conn., Justice Brewer of the U. S. supreme court, asked, "Is this centralization tendency of the trusts antagonistic or healthful to the republic? Is it consistent with popular government?" Then the justice answered himself: "Apparently it is antagonistic; against republican thought of equality of right, each man a ruler and equally sharing the responsibilities and powers of government." Justice Brewer's remedy is, as he stated it: "Appeal must be taken to the great court of public opinion whose decrees are irresistible. In that court each man is counsel and each man is judge. The court may not stay the movement, but will control it. It can make the movement with all the wonderful things attending it subservient to the higher thought, ennobling the individual."

Before the last county election, Levi Stehman, candidate for county commis-

sioner on the citizens' ticket, was requested by two men from the south western part of the county to pledge himself in favor of constructing a bridge over the Molalla at Canby. Without denying that a new bridge might be desirable at that point, at some time, he refused to make any promises to them or any one else. The result of his refusal was that those who exacted the pledge electioneered against him and drew enough votes away from him to accomplish his defeat. Whether or not the building of the bridge now, when the county is deeply in debt and the old bridge is yet serviceable, is the payment of a campaign promise by the republican candidates, is a question each person may answer to suit himself.

On October 27th, says the Chicago Record-Herald, "President Roosevelt put his finger on the button which moves most of the wires in the United senate. Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, is the button. He is the greatest wire-puller in the upper branch of the American congress. In all matters pertaining to tariff and finance he is by long odds the most influential man in the senate. He is the acknowledged prince of the politicians of that body. He has fixed more tariff schedules to suit interested parties, defeated more legislation than some one of wealth and power did not want, achieved a greater success as a managing editor of the dignified senate, than any other man in all its history."

The question of the relation of sun-spots to the weather is receiving considerable attention in view of the fact that we are now believed to be at the beginning of a new maximum sun-spot period. The observations of Prof. E. Bruckner indicate that there is a periodical variation in the climates over the whole earth, the mean length of the period being about thirty-five years. Mr. W. J. S. Lockyer believes it has been demonstrated that there is a variation in the intensity of sun spot phenomena also having a mean length of about thirty-five years. The spot maximum, whose beginning is now at hand, will, according to Mr. Lockyer, resemble that which culminated in 1870, and which was remarkable for its intensity. A cycle or hot, dry weather corresponds with this type of maximum.

On Wednesday, November 13th, began at Lewiston, Me., the 35th annual session of the national grange. The Pine Tree State has a grange membership of 30,000. The order has grown remarkably throughout the union during the past 12 months. The national grange will do all in its power to secure national legislation not injurious to the farmers. Petitions in favor of the Groat butter bill and against the ship subsidy bill, bearing many hundreds of thousands of names, will be placed by the national grange before congress.

Discussing the question of the best varieties of wheat for cultivation in different parts of this country, Mr. Carlton, of the U. S. department of agriculture, who has made a special study of the subject, says: "Considering all qualities, the best wheats in the world are of Russian origin, coming particularly from Eastern and Southern Russia." These varieties, he adds, resist cold and drought, are more or less resistant to leaf rust and have the best quality of grain.

PRESIDENT JAMES J. HILL, of the Great Northern Railway, is preparing to operate a 66-mile section of that railroad through the Cascade mountains with electricity instead of steam. If the project proves successful it is proposed to operate an entire division from tide-water at Everett to Wenatchee on the Columbia river, a distance of 141 miles, with electric motors. This accomplishment, railroad men believe, will be but the beginning of the equipment of the entire main line with electricity.

About 25,000 pairs of glasses will be purchased by the state committee in Maryland for use in polling booths. Politicians have found that both in the city and country districts a large number of voters of the poorer classes can read sufficiently well to ballot, but their sight is so defective that in the dimly lighted booths they are unable to read the long list of contestants on the ballot. Capable men will be provided at every polling place to adjust the glasses for the voters.

The bankers now want the privilege of issuing bank notes on their assets. The Chicago Tribune says of this scheme: "Big bankers and little bankers, bankers in office and out of office, may argue and plead for authority to make the currency for this republic. They never can get it. They talk of educating the people." The people have had their education. It has taught them that asset currency is unsafe and federal currency safe. On that knowledge they will rest."

GENERAL CHAFFEE is not enthusiastic about the Philippine Islands. He has written to a friend that 30,000 soldiers will be required for perhaps a quarter of a century, and that "Governor Taft may resign his position at almost any time. He has not said so in as many

words, but the climate is not to his liking, and I am sure he is disheartened with the way things are going on his lines."

The large foreign element in New York city did its part toward the purification of local politics by the election of Seth Low, the fusion candidate, for mayor. In Philadelphia, on the other hand, where the foreign element is but a small fraction of the population, the malodorous Quay gang was reelected, given another opportunity to steal millions upon millions. Immigrants make pretty good American voters.

The election of Schmitz, the labor candidate, as mayor of San Francisco, over the candidates of the two "old parties"—as the populists say—who worked together to some extent, is a victory achieved by labor in a great city which is probably without a parallel in the history of politics in this country.

At No. 1 Beacon street, Boston, the Christian Register is receiving donations for the hundreds of starving and ill-clothed captive Boer men, women and children miserably housed in tents on the island of Bermuda, who are closely guarded while perishing from want and misery by a British garrison.

A PETITION asking that Cuba be annexed to the United States is being circulated among Cuban business men, and every effort is being centered upon annexation, as business men generally, it is alleged, believe that the reciprocity movement will amount to nothing.

WRITERS in the London National Review, who are close to the government, advocate an alliance between England, Russia and Japan, Germany and France being deemed hostile to England.

Iowa produces more foodstuffs than any other state or country of equal area. Yet this season she has paid 70 cents per bushel for hundreds of car loads of Wisconsin potatoes.

The capture by France of Turkish harbors on Mitylene island, to secure the payment of money, creates uneasiness in the European powder magazine.

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