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THE PASSING OF THE TURK.

The situation in Turkey is grave. After a period too long of waiting the European powers have given warning to the sultan that protection must be given to Christians in Armenia, and that law and order must again be maintained in that portion of the Turkish empire. The task of the sultan is daily becoming more difficult. He has delayed and temporized, making promises and breaking them, till the civilized nations consider his word of less account than the promised faith of the Carthaginians. It is probable that things have gone too far for the old order of government long to continue. Foreign complications are not all that are bothering the head of the Turkish government. Domestic dissensions have arisen which threaten to tear the empire from within, while the pieces will fall into the hands of the powers on the outside. The members of the sultan's army and navy, who long have been waiting for a chance to revolt against their decrepit master, see an opportunity in the present complication to gain their desired end. The soldiers and even the attaches of the sultan in the imperial palace are showing signs of revolt and today's dispatches convey the intelligence that an outbreak is liable at any moment to occur among those upon whom the sultan is most dependent for safety.

It is now beyond doubt that before the century shall close, the map of Europe will appear different from what it does today. There is no ally strong enough to support the tottering ruin of government, once so powerful, but now so weak and it is doubtful if any nation would want the task even if it were able. The present situation may be compromised and the cringing sultan given a longer lease of life, but the body politic is too feeble to regain its lost vitality and at the best the day of dissolution is but a short while delayed. When the Turkish government shall have fallen a great drama of history will be closed and the crescent placed above St. Sophia in 1453, will be replaced by the standard of some other nation. The passing of the Turk, while of historical importance, will create little sympathy from the world at large.

THE DALLES' FUTURE.

The Goldendale Sentinel has the following article upon the future of The Dalles, which is written in a friendly vein, and enables us to see ourselves as others see us:

We had hoped that the little squib regarding the future of The Dalles would not only be amusing but contain sufficient facts that would make the citizens of that community realize that the opportunities to make The Dalles a large city may soon be gone forever. The fact is The Dalles is now so prosperous it is hard for some to see why she should not always be so. As long as she is at the head of steamboat navigation and can pay prices that other shipping points cannot, thus bringing trade to her that would naturally go elsewhere, she will thrive and grow; but the Columbia will be opened clear through, for as yet but two counties, Klickitat and Wasco, are receiving any benefits from the river. Therefore the time is not far distant when it will not pay to haul wheat to The Dalles, for nearer markets will offer such prices that the farmers cannot afford to go that distance.

We agree with the Chronicle that "It is true there are some things The Dalles could do to increase its commercial importance, such as the building of some new roads and the repairing of old ones." This is good as far as it goes, but our citizens will not be content to sit idly by

and during their whole lives have wheat hauled thirty miles over a rocky mountain to The Dalles. If we can have nothing else, a wagon road can be built to Lyle that will be free of boulders and sand and on easy grades. What The Dalles must do to become a shipping point of importance for all time is to build branch lines into the interior, one tapping the country north of her and the other south. These would make of her no mean shipping point and would bring to her each coming year increased wealth and prosperity.

As we have said, The Dalles is letting the opportunities pass and perhaps has already done so. This applies especially to the loss in the near future of the major portion of the trade of Klickitat county. We are doing what we can to bring greater prosperity to our community, and if we succeed in having a railroad built from Lyle into this valley and for that reason The Dalles is notable, in the near future, to handle the immense product of Klickitat county, she will have no one to blame but herself. 'It was in her power to inaugurate a movement which would build a road from The Dalles, pass through the Klickitat valley and tap the Northern Pacific,' and our citizens would have assisted her in this enterprise.

If the Chronicle classes us for one moment among the "worst enemies" of The Dalles, it knows not what it does. We would like to see The Dalles as prosperous in the future as she is at present. We have only good wishes for her welfare, for we share to some extent in her prosperity. She is our near neighbor and a municipality of our sister state, whereof the editor of this sheet was a resident for almost a quarter of a century; and why, therefore, should we be an enemy of her whose drowsiness is stunting her future growth. What we wish is that Goldendale were as well located for a great city as the village at the head of steamboat navigation on the Columbia.

The congressional contest has opened in earnest. If the ratio of increase in budding candidates keeps up with the number that have been announced the last week, there will be almost as many candidates as delegates to vote for them. The extreme eastern portion of the state is prolific in aspirants. Umatilla county has Judge Fee; Morrow presents her favorite son, Congressman Ellis; Baker county wants John L. Rand and now Union county comes to the front and says John A. Wright, its representative in the legislature, would make a good congressman. He is championed by the East Oregon Republican, who says of him, "He is one of the brightest republicans in Oregon and the party would make no mistake in nominating him for this honored trust." As a nomination next spring is equivalent to an election in June, the office will not go begging. There are several counties yet to hear from, not among the least being Multnomah and Wasco.

Through the carelessness of one man in Detroit forty people have been hurled to eternity. Although the culprit may escape punishment for his criminal negligence, he will have a load to carry through life which will never become lighter. It is to be hoped this flagrant act will not be allowed to go unpunished. Society needs protection from the almost willfully careless man as well as it does from the designing criminal.

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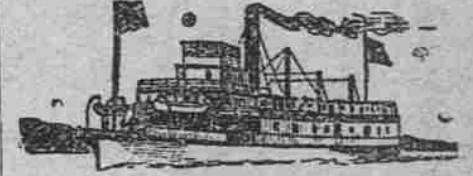
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