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FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1903.

Is it worth while that we jostle a brother, bearing his load on the rough road of life? Is it worth while that we leer at each other? In blackness of heart that we war to the knife? God pity us all in our pitiful strife.—Joaquin Miller.

THE DRUNK INDIAN ISSUE.

The city council is wrestling with one of the gravest questions that is now before the people, when it undertakes to lessen the drink evil among the Indians, by compelling them to leave the city before night. This rule will help matters, but an Indian has an appetite for whiskey at all hours of the twenty-four and the criminal disposition of the white man will devise some daylight method of selling his vile stuff to these people.

The council, the efficient police force and the federal officers are all to be commended for their efforts to eradicate this growing evil. The taxpayers, in whose interests law and order is maintained for whose protection laws are created and enforced, and whose hard-earned cash pays for keeping the disorderly Indian white in jail, must go deeper into this whiskey evil than to drive the Indian out of town.

Pendleton enjoys a most lucrative trade from this people. Their incomes are spent in this vicinity and swell the volume of business in a remarkable degree. The community owes the Indian protection from the moral leper and mercenary law-breaker who wantonly and boldly parades his crime before the people.

This is the man to whom the people should say: "Before sundown, go." This is the real danger; this is the element which maliciously trifles with the peace and safety of the citizen and this is the man who should be sought out and punished.

The Indian will soon become a good citizen if the vicious-minded white man will permit him to do so. Remove the temptation and the disorderly Indian record of the past two months will not be repeated.

In every city is an element which panders to the vile instincts of the community. This element often enjoys the deceiving possession of a good appearance and is blessed with intelligence enough to conceal its viciousness. But it cannot long thrive in a good environment. If its steps are closely followed the real object of its existence is seen.

Pendleton can handle this subject with the same ease that has graced her other moral achievements of the past year.

Let the tax-payers give their undivided support to the council and the officials, and the effect of public sentiment combined with efficient discharge of duty will soon clean out the guilty whiskey peddlers and change the moral surroundings of the Indian.

SUMPTER VALLEY RAILROAD.

The Sumpter Valley railroad has now declared that it will not build an extension next summer, on ac-

count of the probability of the forest reserve being finally established along the route it would follow. The people of Grant county have long been praying for better communication with the outside world. They have an empire of wealth which lies behind the barrier of a mountain range and which badly needs railway facilities.

Sufficient traffic originates in the interior of Grant county and districts that would be tributary to a railway terminus at Prairie City, or some nearby point, to pay handsome dividends on the investment necessary to build a road into that region.

The great herds of stock that annually load trains at Huntington and Ontario, the immense wool clip that is tediously hauled hundreds of miles by wagon, the increasing productiveness that yields hay, grain, fruit and cereals of all kinds, would all enrich the road that taps the interior.

The Sumpter valley has enjoyed enormous profits from the present line on the natural business of the community, in addition to skimming the cream from the best body of timber that was ever shipped out of Oregon.

It now denies the people of Grant county the blessings which they have been led to believe they were to receive in the near future, because of the proposed reserve. This lays bare the inner design of this company and reveals some of the strong reasons for local opposition to a preservation of the forests.

Because the future of Oregon is taken into consideration, and the exploitation of the priceless forests, by private enterprise is stopped, this company says it will not build further. It is the old story. "The people be damned." No matter how badly Grant county needs a railroad, or how handsomely that railroad would pay, the private interests of two or three millionaire mill owners control the situation. If the country is not delivered into their hands, soul and body, they are ready to stop progress and deny the people their natural opportunity. When will the people see it?

ITALY'S GIFTS TO THE WORLD.

In every field of endeavor, Italy has given the world some of its choicest actors. The rare culture of that splendid race of conquerors has left its mark on every age.

Raphael and Michael Angelo, touched into life the canvas of art; Savonarola gave the world some of its best thought; Petrarch and Dante wove for the world its rarest garlands of poetry; Stradivarius and Stradella, the old fiddle makers, are known yet in every corner of Christendom; Bruno and Galileo coined sentiments that are watchwords wherever liberty is known.

Columbus, son of a Genoese candle maker, gave what is now more than half the world to his tormentors; Adellina Patti, an Italian born in Madrid, was the greatest singer of the nineteenth century, and Marconi, the son of a jolly Italian merchant of Bologna, spans the great oceans with the wireless telegraph, and thus opens the twentieth century with the most wonderful achievement of modern times.

ABOLISH THE KINGS.

In every age of the world, in every country of the world, the cunning

have grown rich by exploiting from the poor.

Like robbing a bee hive of its honey, it has always been done by blowing smoke in the eyes of the workers while the robbery proceeds. People who rob bees do not take all the honey, else the bees would die, and could not produce more honey for future robbery, so the people who rob the workers do not take all they produce, else they would starve and there would be no more workers to produce wealth for future depredations.

You know well enough that the royal families of Russia live their useless, extravagant lives on the results taken from the workers. You know the royal families produce nothing yet consume what it takes millions to produce. An how do they do it? By levying a tax on the people for the use of the land, water, food, clothing and other necessities. You will agree with me in this, I know.

You have been taught to hate kings and courts and royal snobs. But what you cannot see as clearly is that our men of great wealth and their extravagant families are living by exactly the same methods. Are the people in this country not taxed for the use of lands, city property on their food, clothing, steel, oil and every article, by the men who have secured control of those things?

And is that not just exactly what the czar and his methods do? Because it is done in a different method does not change the real game at all, it would make no difference to me whether it was a czar living in luxury off monopolizing my food, or a Rockefeller without a title.—Appeal to Reason.

THE YEAR.

What can be said in New Year rhymes, That's not been said a thousand times?

The new years come, the old years go, We know we dream, we dream we know.

We rise up laughing with the light, We lie down weeping with the night.

We hug the world until it stings, We curse it then and sigh for wings.

We live, we love, we woo, we wed, We wreath our brides, we sheet our dead.

We laugh, we weep, we hope, we fear, And that's the burden of the year. —ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.



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PERRIN'S PILE SPECIFIC

FOR DESSERT, SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 1903.

Try JELL-O, prepared according to the following recipe:

JELL-O WITH TAPIOCA
Cook one cup of tapioca in the usual way, and when done pour into a mould. After it cools pour over it one package of Jell-O, any flavor, prepared according to directions. The Jell-O should be cool before pouring over the tapioca. Serve with soft custard or whipped cream.

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