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So should we live that every hour
May die as dies the natural flower—
A self-reviving thing of power;
That every thought and every deed
May hold within itself the seed
Of future good and future need;
Esteeming sorrow, whose employ
Is to develop, not destroy,
Far better than a barren joy.
—Richard Mouckton Milnes.

BUILD FOR THE FUTURE.

The true development of Umatilla county has not begun yet. The country, like all Western communities, is in the formative period, and must divest itself of the pioneer and primitive customs which have served good purposes, it is true, in their day, but which are outgrown. One of the first things to be done by the county to bring about the best developments, is to utilize the idle streams for power and lighting purposes.

The small beginning made by the organization of the company at Weston for the transmission of power and light from a central plant on the Walla Walla river, to the various cities in the county, is a promise of the true period of utility. This idea must grow into a fixed principle. The plan must be extended through all portions of the state, until every city has a cheap power and lighting plant of its own.

One of the most gigantic schemes ever attempted in the West is the establishment of a power plant at the head of the Puyallup river, on Mount Rainier, from which the cities of the Sound are to be supplied.

The plant is to be the largest in the world, except that at Niagara Falls, and the initial cost of the plant is practically all the expense there is to it as the source of power, the rushing torrent of the river, is perpetual and inexhaustible.

The people are to be furnished power and light so much cheaper from this plant, than they can be generated by steam, under the advancing cost of fuel, that there will be but one power company, after this is fully established, and that will be the Mount Ranier company.

While the natural advantages do not exist in such magnitude in the Blue mountains, they are to be found in sufficient magnitude to supply the needs of all the country adjacent for hundreds of miles.

Twenty miles of transmission wires would bring to the city of Pendleton one of the most tremendous volumes of power and light to be found in the Inland Empire. The streams are running idly to the sea at present, and the cities of this county are standing in awe of the future, on account of the constantly increasing cost of fuel, with which all the present power and light are produced.

A permanent plant on the source of one of the Blue mountain streams and a line of wires to this and neighboring cities, would certainly settle the questions of manufacturing and home conveniences in this county.

With such a plant owned by the city of Pendleton, there would be no limit to the growth of the city. Cheap power would invite industries that cannot now come. It would insure to the humblest home the luxuries now confined practically to a

limited number of homes. It would mean the fullest development of the resources of the country by inviting industry to convert the raw material produced in the country into finished product and would build up Pendleton and settle up Umatilla county at a much faster rate than now possible.

The city should acquire a power plant on the head waters of some of the idle streams—even at the head of the Umatilla, or on the river at a point convenient for such an undertaking, and as other public questions are disposed of, build and equip a modern power plant, which will be serviceable for all time to come.

This is one of the missions of municipal government. It is one of the missions of all organized society. It is one of the missions of the taxpayer, and this very plan must be put into operation in the West before the full fruition can come from the blessings of nature.

It will cost money, it is true. What valuable acquisition does not? It will cost pains and management and ingenuity, but are they not always forthcoming on any day of need in the West?

The city council and the Commercial Association should not fail to make a note of this plan. It means more for Pendleton than any other one plan that might be suggested. By this method of development, industry will crowd upon the city, and the borders will extend, in spite of other disadvantages. It is the basis of the true commercial era, and until something of this nature removes the fear of high priced fuel and power, the manufacturing interests will remain stationary.

SPANISH WAR PENSIONS.

The pay roll of pensioners on account of the war with Spain, now approximates \$2,700,000. The war with Spain employed fewer than 275,000. The losses by death fell short of 3,000, and yet today, when the war with Spain is not yet five years past, the number of pensioners created by that war are estimated to exceed 14,250.

The civil war engaged the services of 2,313,000 men and of these only 1,727,000 survived the contest. Five years from the close of the civil war the disbursements for pensions were a little more than \$29,351,000 and this included the pensioners of the revolution, the war of 1812, the Florida war and the war with Mexico.

The pension roll in 1866 contained but 126,722 names, and the total number of pensioners created by all our wars, down to the outbreak of the Spanish war, and still on the roll, is estimated at 950,600.

If the list chargeable to the Spanish war grows in like proportion with the increase of the civil war pension roll in 38 years, we may expect a pension list in 1937, due to the Spanish war alone, of 111,007, or about four pensioners to every 10 men engaged.

As a result of the war with Spain, there are now on hand about 45,000 applications; 10,500 have come in within the last six months. Nearly 8,000 claims have been rejected in a single year.

To continue the excellent health which Pendleton has enjoyed during the present summer, it will be necessary to watch the irrigating ditches and surface sewer deposits in different portions of the city. There are some standing pools of water and other germ-breeding filth, which should be removed, in order to insure a continuation of the matchless health record of the season.

The woolgrowers are doubtless preparing their speeches for the coming state convention, which is to be held in Baker City on September 14-15. One of the fruitful topics for discussion will be how to get wool out of Oregon and salt in, at cheaper rates than at present.

The plans for the new Commercial Club building are still hanging on the wall of the club rooms. In keeping with its past record, the association should transfer this building from the blue-print to the block of ground awaiting it.

The president of the Southern California Automobile Club, who is now in Portland, on a tour of the Northwest, has some severe things to say about Oregon country roads. And it is no wonder. While it is not the aim of the county courts of the state to prepare automobile boulevards in the farming districts, it is the aim

of the law to make country roads somewhat better than pack trails. It may not be necessary to make them perfect enough to admit of heavy auto traffic, but it is necessary to make them passable to grain wagons, and all farm conveyances from the rubber-tired buggy to the 30-horse combined harvester.

Mr. Roosevelt's roseate prospects in the North, are somewhat darkened by his position on the negro question. No matter what other qualifications a man possesses, he must be right upon this momentous issue, before he is acceptable to the South.

A MORTUARY JINGLE.

Some wish to die in springtime when
The flowers are in bloom
And all the air is redolent
Of heavenly perfume,
Where birds will seek their tomb and sing
Their sweetest notes to them,
And o'er their heads no wintry blasts
Will howl a requiem.

Some wish to die in summertime
Beneath the sun's hot glare,
When heat-waves quiver on the ground
And dance upon the air,
But these are those who've never trod
Life's pathway with Christian feet
And who would much prefer to die
When they're injured to heat.

Some wish to die in autumn when
The earth with sadness teems;
To catch the season's spirit and
Lie down to wakeless dreams;
To pass away when every breeze
For them will seem to mourn
And heaven look sad-faced as they go
To that mysterious bourne.

Some wish to die in wintertime
When howling blizzards blow,
When tempests rage and poets sing
Of beauties of the snow,
When whiskers of the passers-by
Are stiff with frost and ice
For then 'twould be a happy change
To warmth of Paradise.

By far the great majority
Care not a whisk of hay
What season holds the center stage
When they are called away.
They only wish that when they're called
Upon to get a hump
Upon themselves and climb the call
May come from Gabriel's trump.
—James Burton Adams in Denver Post.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S WEALTH.

Out of a total male population of 100,000 in Newfoundland, 55,000 catch fish for a living. With hook and trap more than 150,000,000 pounds (dry) of cod are taken out of the sea every year. Of this amount, one-fourth is consumed by the natives, while the remainder is sold, bringing in a revenue of \$4,450,000.

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—Boyce's Weekly.

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LETTERS FROM WOMEN.

Miss Anna Prescott's Letter.
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—Anna Prescott.

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—Florence Allan.
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—Miss Marie Coats.
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