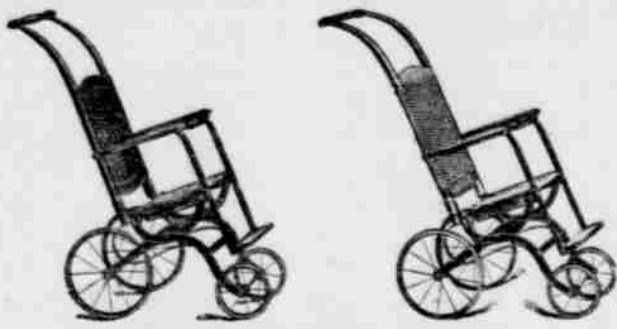


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Ohio is the last to respond to the roll of dishonor. The story of that Springfield mob is horrible. It is sad enough when one man does a murderous deed. But the revolting savagery of the multitude is infinitely worse. To look into the heart of that beastly mob is like looking into the mouth of hell. When the tiger leaps forth in the man, that is terrible. The tragedy is not in the loss of life. It is in the loss of reason—it is in this sudden transformation of the man into the fiend; it is in the revelation of the baseness and brutality that lie so near the surface of the human heart.—Herbert S. Bigelow.

STAND FOR PENDLETON.

The school board has now met the demands made upon it for school room in different parts of the city.

Three modern buildings will be erected in three principal residence districts of Pendleton, thus accommodating the bulk of the school children by bringing the school house home to them.

This arrangement has been made after a careful canvass of the public school patrons. The board has conformed to the letter of public sentiment in distributing school facilities over the city.

It can do no more until you authorize it to proceed with the buildings. It is for your children the board is working. The overwhelming tide of school population is crowding on them. They can neither check it nor turn it aside—so they must bravely meet it by your ballots.

There are a very few people in Pendleton who are opposed to the public school system, because of private schools they are helping maintain. To these people an especial plea is made.

The public donations from Pendleton and vicinity have largely built and equipped the private institutions here.

When these donations were taken no questions were asked as to the private uses to which the money was to be put. It was to be devoted to education, and that was sufficient inducement for Pendleton to give.

Now be as fair as those who have given to you in the past. You will need and solicit help in the future. Join in this effort to build up the public schools and with the same measure with which you give it shall be meted out to you in future.

WHAT MAKES MEN TRAMP?

He celebrated his 19th birthday by dying the death of a tramp, mangled under the wheels of a train.

He left a good home, voluntarily and started to see the world. He had read several yellow-backed novels, telling of the wonders of trampdom and the glory of being a daring

hero, and he was tired of work, anyway, so he decided to learn the "mysteries" of the brake-beam.

He made the first 2,000 miles all right.

He was just beginning to pride himself on being an expert dead-beat—when crash! He slips under the cruel wheels, and they carry back a mangled boxful of flesh and bone to the widowed mother, who is wondering and praying in the old home.

Boys, any kind of a home is better than the tramp campfire. Any kind of a job beats bumming.

When you think about leaving the home and the imagined drudgery of the farm, just imagine yourself coming back a crushed and mangled corpse.

Better for you that you never see outside the county in which you were born, yet live to be a useful citizen than that you get a glimpse of the world, yet become a tramp in doing so.

Half the men tramping today are doing so without a just cause. Two-thirds of them refuse to work longer than a few days in a place. They are forcing employers to turn to foreign labor in order to have a sure source of labor with which to carry on their enterprises.

Boys, be something permanent in the community. Better a thousand times a steadfast, faithful laborer, than an adventurer in clover today, in pauperism tomorrow. Stay at home.

And yet, if workmen could afford to buy tickets, many of them would do so in preference to tramping.

If fares were one cent per mile in this country, millions more people would ride than do today. A lack of sufficient money causes the laborer at times to take the risk of tramping.

Cheaper fares would induce men to work more and travel like gentlemen. It would enable thousands of poor families to take trips for pleasure and education and would bring all parts of the country closer together.

There are fewer tramps in Europe today, in the countries where the governments own the railroads and cheap fares prevail than in this land of boasted liberties and high wages.

It is a subject worthy of thought. It comes home to every thinking person.

The campaign in Umatilla county promises no exciting features. Politics will cut but a small figure in the county offices. The people care much less for party than for good government economically administered. They want to see the graft eliminated and the same business principles applied to county affairs that would be applied to private affairs. County expenses have been reduced over \$5,500 from 1902, and while a saving has been made by all of the officials, the most noticeable reduction of expenses has been made in the office of assessor, which cost \$900 less in 1903 than the average cost for the past seven years has been. There has been an absence of costly county litigation, also, which has materially reduced the expenses, and if the county court will now cut down the extortionate county printing bill from over \$700, as presented, to \$250, the actual commercial value of that printing, the general expenses will have been very light. The taxpayers are watching these signs and will be guided more by business interests than by politics in the coming election.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

The banker's wife sat at the window wondering what could have detained her husband usually so methodical.

At last she saw him stop slowly from the car. This in itself was disquieting. Why had he not come home in a cab? What could have happened? She hastened down the stairs to the front door and reached it just as he did.

"Henry, what is the matter? Why are you so late? And why did you come in a car?"

"Oh, my darling, can you bear bad news?" said he.

For answer she gave him her hand.

"Mary, my darling, I am ruined. Cabs are for the rich. The failure of Sampson & Co. has pulled me down, and when all my debts are paid I shall have but \$500 with which to face the world." It was a terrible shock, and what wonder the little woman fainted. Only \$500. Ruin! Abject poverty! Sorrow's cup full!

The artist's wife sat with her face at the window of their tiny room wondering what had happened to detain her husband. Artist though he was, he was generally very methodical in his movements.

While her fears strengthened a cab drove up to the house and with-in it—wonder of wonders!—she descried the form of her husband. This was indeed disquieting. Why had he come home in a cab? Was he ill?

He sprang from the cab, dismissed the driver with a gratuity and ran with joyful face up the steps.

His wife hastened into the hall to meet him.

"What is it, dear?" she cried as he came springing up the stairs two steps at a time.

"Come inside, dear, and I'll tell you, although I feel like taking the world into my confidence."

"Oh, what is it, Paul? Have you sold the water colors?"

"Better than that, my dear. I have sold the oil that I did last summer! And what do you suppose I received for it?"

"Oh, I don't know. Fifty dollars?"

"Pouf! I received every cent of \$500, little girl! Five hundred dollars! Now I can face the world."

And the twain went dancing around the room like crazy marionettes. Five hundred dollars! Prosperity! Plutocratic wealth! The cup of joy bubbling over.—Charles Bittel Loomis

THE LARGEST TUNNEL.

The Simpson tunnel in the Alps, one of the greatest works in the world, is rapidly approaching completion. Its total length will be a little over 12 miles, of which distance six and upward have been penetrated on the north, or Briegau side, and four and upward on the south, or Italian side, leaving only a fraction over one mile yet to be completed. It is expected that the two sections will be joined together in the coming May or June, and it will not be long thereafter when trains will regularly be running through. The organization of the work is of high efficiency. No sickness exists among the men; the use of the Brandt drill immediately suppresses all dust and there has not been a single case of miner's phthisis, although some 3,000 men have been at work for five years.

Detective Hawley rescued Josephine Scott and Nellie Russell from a north end saloon in Portland, Monday night. They were of respectable families and their parents thought them out at an innocent party. They were drunk with a couple of hoodlums.

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THE COMING OF RAIN. Was, widowed fields beneath a cloudless sky Look out across a summer sea in vain; And in their loneliness they seem to cry: "Where are the lost ships of the Wind and Rain?" When, of a sudden, Bob White, whose eye is true. As any pilot's, and who cannot fail, Pauses a startled instant in the blue Then shouts to all the fields, "A sail! A sail!" —Boston Transcript.

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WHAT HAPPENED TO IT? "Oh, the old story. Horse shied, bolted, rattled—bang—smash! You see the result. Fix it up, old man, the best you can and as quickly as you can." Our friend had his wagon back in short order, staunch, solid, not a weak spot in it, and looking "as good as new." Follow his example when in like trouble. Examine our Winona wagons, hacks and buggies. They have steel hubs, run easy, made from dried timber and warranted to be superior to all other makes. We have them in stock. NEAGLE BROS. Big Brick Blacksmith Shop.

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