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My soul, like wheeling swallows in the rain. Flies low—flies low— Unto the roofs wherein desires remain. And earthly lusts, like slow-fed embers, glow. Nor skies beyond gray clouds aspire to know. My soul, like wheeling swallows in the rain. My soul, like swallows, builds her nest and bides. Under low eaves, Within whose shelter, guarding love resides. And, careful, tender fledglings broods and feeds— Changelings, that flesh by fettered spirit breeds— My soul, like swallows, builds her nest and bides. —Louise Driscoll, in Literary Digest.

BEST FOR EVERYBODY.

The selection of Judge James A. Fee to be the only candidate for mayor of Pendleton has prevented a bitter municipal fight which would have been disastrous for many interests, and which would have retarded the forward movement for better morals perhaps indefinitely.

As it is everybody has shown a spirit of fairness, and the co-operation of business interests for better morals and better government is assured.

But the work is not begun yet. Friends of good government and law enforcement must not think that because the selection of a candidate for mayor has been decided upon that the fight is over.

Good, solid, clean business men must be elected in every ward, and to this end everybody must bend their energies.

Business men who have tested the sentiment of the city know that unless some regulation of the saloon is enforced, that prohibition is the sure fate of Umatilla county. With wise and practical city government assured, the prohibition sentiment will be checked.

Put with saloon candidates elected in every ward and a strong opposition to better morals and cleaner conditions forced upon the city, that sentiment will continue to grow.

Pendleton is the pivotal point in the prohibition sentiment in the county. The country people are watching the situation here as nowhere else and the very fate of the business interests of the entire county depends upon the outcome of the city election.

WILL UMATHILA WEAR OUT?

D. James Withycombe, in a lecture before the Oregon State Academy of Sciences in Portland Saturday night, said that eastern Oregon soil is being impoverished by the changeless system of raising wheat, without a rotation of crops to rest and enrich the soil.

With other countries, this is known to be true.

Where the soil is thin it must be turned and fertilized and rested.

Where the clay streaks crop out on the surface and the black soil is spotted over the surface, it is necessary to give it the most careful and painstaking attention.

But there is a 100-foot layer of soil covering the wheat belt of Umatilla county.

Has Dr. Withycombe reckoned with this condition?

Will it be possible to wear out 100 feet of soil growing wheat upon it? Does the general theory which is applicable to thin soils with clay streaks in it, apply to Umatilla county, whose 100 feet of volcanic ash seems to promise continual crops for thousands of years?

In Italy where the soil is of exactly the same composition as in the wheat belt of this county, wheat has been grown continually with painful and unbroken monotony for over 2000 years.

The 1905 crop was better than the crops raised before Christ.

And the methods of farming there are vastly inferior to those of Umatilla county.

For various reasons Umatilla county farmers should diversify their

crops. They will profit by it. Dairying, alfalfa, forage feeds and corn and hogs should all be encouraged. They pay. They enrich the land and yield profits.

But there is considerable doubt in the minds of Umatilla county people that their soil will wear out within a few years, although nothing but wheat may be grown upon it.

This is not questioning the theory advanced by Dr. Withycombe, in the least, for it is absolutely true, as applied to nearly all kinds of soil.

But if the Umatilla county farmer plows a little deeper and cultivates a little more each year, it will be some time before he wears out his 100 feet of volcanic ash.

THE NEW JERUSALEM.

The Zionist movement contemplates the settlement of the Jews of the world in Palestine, under a government of their own, which will bring the scattered people together in a nation, so that all Jews may have a country.

Whether this dream is ever realized or not, it is evident that a new Jerusalem is being builded on the old city of David. The tourist travel to Jerusalem is enormous and constantly increases. It leaves so much money there that the people are getting rich, and a trade is springing up of such dimensions as to attract the attention of the commercial nations.

In the long list of new articles in demand there are machines, sewing machines and others used in the domestic arts, iron bedsteads and metal furniture, modern mattresses and bedding, and household goods and articles of luxury, bath tubs and plumbing.

The natives, grown rich, have taken to building modern houses in place of the square houses with flat roofs of the Bible times. These modern houses require modern mechanics in construction and much imported building material and furnishings.

It is said that the hotels and lodging houses required to take care of the travel make one think of Los Angeles, where the art of caring for tourists has been fully mastered. It jars one's sense of reverence somewhat to hear "bawlers" soliciting passengers for Calvary and Gethsemane, but that it what the travelers want to see, and so it is business.

If Jewry assemble in Palestine, it is possible that the temple will be rebuilt, just as it was built by Solomon, and one of the world religions will renew there its glories in rivalry of Rome, Lassa and Mecca.

The United States has a consul at Jerusalem, Selah Merrill, and it may be worth while for our merchants and manufacturers to enquire through him about the opportunity there for American trade. Our countrymen figure

largely among the travelers and are as good spenders as any, so that there is much American money left in the city to be used in trade.

PLEA FOR HIGHER LIFE.

President Butler, in his address to the students of Columbia university, has sounded the keynote of a campaign that should be taken up by all who have the welfare of the nation at heart.

His arraignment of a large part of the American people for an inordinate love for money and a lack of high moral principle is severe, but no one can say that it is undeserved.

Words like those uttered by Dr. Butler and the startling disclosures that have recently been made are, however, tending to produce a better sentiment and arouse the dormant consciences of many who knew that evils existed but were too timid or too slothful to do anything to exert themselves against the tendencies of the age.

It is to be hoped they will arouse in the student body, in those who a few years hence will have commercial, industrial and professional affairs in their own hands, ideas of something nobler and better than those now generally prevailing.

It would be vain to try to eradicate from the human breast the love of money and of the power which possession of money gives; but it would be painful to be forced to admit that mankind is so lost to all sense of distinction between right and wrong that present conditions must grow worse instead of improving.

Several of the saloons of the city are violating the Sunday closing order of the district attorney. They are doing this in the face of a growing demand for saloon regulation and they are not making any friends for their business by their actions. Most of the saloons are obeying the order and are thus showing that they recognize the laws of the land and are willing to obey. Those which are keeping open should be detected and fined heavily for their offense. As long as the law in on the books it should be obeyed, not by a willing few, but the unwilling many whom it affects. Gambling is running in defiance of the district attorney, the police, the court and the people. This should be stopped, no matter whose interests are affected. It is against the law. It is detrimental to Pendleton and must go. If the police cannot find gambling, if they cannot see what is being done under their very eyes, what is the use of paying salaries for policing the city. The Law Enforcement league can find games and has been the cause of adding several hundreds in fines to the school fund recently. It is doing this service without pay, for the good of society.

A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.



Many other women are afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source. Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medicine for any suffering woman to use."

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ness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible to see. The money which they pay to doctors who do not help them is an enormous waste. The pain is cured and the money is saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Experience has proved this. It is well for women who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. In her great experience, which covers many years, she has probably had to deal with dozens of cases just like yours. Her advice is free and confidential.

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