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I am tired of planning and tolling In the crowded hive of men; Heart weary of building and spoiling, And spoiling and building again. And I long for the dear old river, Where I dreamed my youth away. For a dreamer lives forever, And a toiler dies in a day. I am sick of the showy seeming Of a life that is half a lie, Of the faces lined with scheming In the throng that hurries by; From the sleepless thoughts' endeavor I would go where the children play For a dreamer lives forever, And a thinker dies in a day. —John Boyle O'Reilly.

STATEMENT NO. 1.

For the second time in the great and progressive state of Oregon, the principle of the popular election of United States senators has been emphatically indorsed by the people. In the next legislature, at least 52 statement No. 1 members will hold office, a majority of five for popular election of senators.

The republicans of Oregon have had ample warning on this subject. If the party is to remain in power it must get into the band wagon with the people. It cannot stand in the attitude of being afraid to trust the people and still win.

Had Senator Fulton indorsed the popular election of senators and statement No. 1 in his Corvallis speech, outlining his policy, last fall, he would have swept the state and would now be the nominee of the people of Oregon for the senate.

As it was he repudiated that principle, defied the people in a sense, and consequently turned the state over to a democratic wave which has elected the next United States senator.

The statement No. 1 members will elect Governor George E. Chamberlain next winter within 40 minutes after assembling for the senatorial election. Neither disruption, corruption, bribery, crookedness or prejudice can swerve these men from their purpose. They have given their pledge.

There is no reason in the world why a republican should not be elected to the senate from Oregon. It is a republican state, has plenty of republican timber, and should be represented by republicans.

But the leading republicans of the state have defied the people's wishes, have sought to thwart progress, to hold the state in the hollow of the hand of a few leaders, and the result is that it is now a democratic state, and such it will remain until republicans get right on a number of big issues now agitating the sovereign people of Oregon.

THE NEXT BIG REFORM.

The next few years will see magnificent reform work done in the United States. The country is adopting prohibition everywhere, simply because the liquor traffic is an economic waste. Taxpayers have come to the conclusion that the income from the business does not offset the expense which it causes.

And so, everywhere, in city and country, prohibition is being adopted and will be a permanent policy. It will be permanent simply because it pays. It is money in the pockets of taxpayers, as a whole. It keeps down expenses.

The next great reform, after nationwide prohibition, will be the removal of the tax exemption from church property. The church is engaging in business everywhere, giving public entertainments for pay, serving dinners

and conducting fairs and sales for pay, thus invading the business realm and people will soon say if it is a business institution that it must bear its share of taxes.

And so the East Oregonian sincerely believes that within a few years, the billions of dollars of church property of the United States will be paying its just share of taxes in the support of the government.

Where the church organizations take an active part in business, politics and the economic life of the nation, they get away from the original conception of religion as held by those old patriots who exempted church property.

The modern idea of religion has changed its status in government and so government will be forced to change its attitude toward religion and instead of exempting billions of dollars worth of magnificent property the government will say to this property that it must bear an equal portion of the burden of government.

It is also an economic waste to allow magnificent property in the heart of cities to escape taxation while the toiler with but a pittance, the widow with a small home, the hard working tradesman with his meager income, must all pay taxes to support government. Justice and sound economic principles will be applied to this subject next, and it will be changed to suit changed conditions of society.

HELP THE CITY COUNCIL.

The mayor and city council of Pendleton are to be heartily congratulated upon the courageous manner in which they are meeting the new conditions imposed upon the city by prohibition. The income from liquor licenses is suddenly cut off leaving the city budget woefully "short" temporarily, but the condition will be met and disposed of.

The taxpayers and business men must and will co-operate with the city council in devising means to meet expenses. The East Oregonian, as one of the taxpayers of the city, assures the city council of its most hearty co-operation and will cheerfully pay whatever increased tax the new condition may impose and it believes that it voices the sentiment of every other business institution and taxpayer in saying this.

Pendleton is here and is going to stay here. This is our home and business location. Property is worth as much today as it was yesterday or last month and conditions will adjust themselves. All that is needed is the cheerful and intelligent co-operation of business men and property owners to successfully tide the city over the temporary confusion of conditions to a safe, substantial and permanent financial condition which will forever be independent of liquor licenses and tribute from vice.

Let us encourage and co-operate with the city council. It is a new and perplexing situation. For 40 years Pendleton and every other western town has depended upon the liquor license to meet expenses. But counties have not done this, and vast improvements have been made. States have not depended upon this source of taxation and think of the vast systems of state government maintained.

And so cities need not depend upon this source. The change will be confusing, to be sure, since we have been accustomed to the old way so long, but every good citizen will do his part in helping adjust conditions. Pendleton is the best town in the inland empire and will remain such.

Let every Pendleton man be a patriot, be loyal, fair-minded citizen and soon conditions will be settled and the present predicament will be laughed at.

MASTER OF DREAMS.

They stripped me bare and left me by the way To pine forsaken in a lonely land; They gave me to night frosts and burning day, To griefs none understand.

They took my silver from me and my gold, The changing splendors of my rich array;

Night's silver rain of dew escaped their hold, And the find gold of day,

On the world's highway in vain pomp they tread; By paths unknown I stray and hidden streams;

They took all else and left me there for dead; They could not take my dreams.

Still morning comes with marvel as of old; Still in soft rose descends the evening tide;

Still in the castle of my heart, grown bold, The sweet swift thoughts abide.

Pass by, pass by, O clamorous folk and wild! To this last fortress of the soul I cling;

Men game me Winter weather from a child; But God has given me Spring. —Robin Flower in Spectator.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE AND LEPROSY.

"The Journal of Man" reprints the following from Dr. George W. Barrett's account of his cure. As this has been alluded to briefly in the news columns, it is well to get the entire story clearly in mind, as it shows that so-called miracles are still possible.

Dr. Barrett declares that he was "a physical wreck, suffering from enlargement of the liver, indigestion, ulceration of the bowels in the most aggravated form, heart trouble and that most dreaded of all diseases called leprosy, which had been contracted when called to see a patient who was afflicted with it.

"I kept my own counsel and prepared to settle up my earthly affairs, for I felt that my days were few. Then a former patient of mine said she had been cured by Christian Science and urged me to try it. Having failed in the use of the strongest medicines, I scoffed at the idea she presented, but finally consented to an interview with the healer who had treated her.

Well do I remember that interview. The first question I asked was: 'Do you pretend to say that Christian Science can cure all diseases without any medicine whatever?' Her answer was: 'I do, sir, and I am here to demonstrate and prove it to you.' I told her I had telegraphed to New York for some medicine, but that if she wanted to experiment on me while waiting for it she could call in; that I had to die but once and she could do no more than kill me, and I would just as soon die as not, for death would be preferable to the condition I was then in.

"She gave me a treatment, and talked with me for an hour or more. As she was going to leave, I inquired about my diet—what would she recommend me to eat, etc., as I had not dared to eat any solid food for months. She laughed and said: 'Just eat anything you like and all you want of it; it cannot hurt you.'

"Soon after she left the pain began to disappear and in the course of half an hour it was all gone and I began to feel hungry. By the time dinner was ready (just an hour and a half from the time she left) I was as hungry as a bear that has been 'holed up' all winter. 'But I did not dare say anything as my family were ignorant of what had been done, and knew I was opposed to anything of the kind.

"When I sat down to the table I said to myself, 'I am going to see if you (the scientist) can keep this dinner from hurting me.' Boiled beef, cabbage, turnips, potatoes, onions, pickles, bread and butter disappeared as if by magic, and I finished with a quarter of a good-sized pie and a cup of coffee. In fact, I ate till I could eat no more. The pain failed to appear and never has appeared from that day to this. Other signs of leprosy had nearly vanished and words could not express my feelings of joy and gladness."

MAN WITH MONKEY WRENCH.

There is somebody else besides the man Who sits at the steering wheel And sends along on its mad career The merry and 'mobile.

When the car is stopped with a broken spring, Or skids in a ditch to stay, Oh! then the man with the monkey wrench

Is the hero who saves the day

The chauffeur looks at the cheering crowd With a calm and a haughty face, Away he flies like a shooting star

In the dust of the whirlwind race, But a tire may burst or a cylinder crack.

And he goes to sit on the bench, While the man of the hour, the man of power,

Is the man with the monkey wrench. —New York Press.

At Matches.

Velma V. Smith, 3 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard E. Smith, living at Hazelwood, on the east shore of Lake Washington, ate the heads off a box of sulphur matches Saturday and died Monday morning from the poison.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

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