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**FOR THE TRUTH.**  
 They call us aliens, we are told,  
 Because our wayward visions stray  
 From that dim banner they unfold,  
 The dreams of worn out yesterday.  
 We fling our answer back in scorn:  
 "We are less children of this clime  
 Than of some nation yet unborn."  
 The generations as they rise  
 May live the life men lived before,  
 May hold the thought once held as wise,  
 We leave the easy peace it brings,  
 One golden charge we give to youth:  
 Against the sceptered myth to hold  
 The golden heresy of truth.  
 —Extract from a poem.

There are indications of a fight against the additional bond issue needed to complete Do They Want the gravity water To Waste Money? system. Why there should be such opposition is difficult to account for. If the additional money is not voted it will be impossible to complete the work. We will be forced to use the old water system during another summer and perhaps indefinitely. At the same time the city would have \$200,000 invested in the Thorn Hollow project and would have to pay \$19,000 a year interest on the water bonds. We would also have to continue paying the electric company \$4000 a year for pumping water. In other words to delay the gravity system for a year would simply cost the city \$14,000 in cold cash and the money would be absolutely wasted. Is that what the "ants" are after?

Some people who have been investigating the subject declare that if American wool clips Grading Wool were graded before Before Selling, placed on the market, as are the Australian wools, the growers would be in line to receive about three cents per pound more than they do for their wool. The Australian wool is graded at the time of shearing and the men who do the grading are familiar with the basis of grading wool for manufacturers uses.

Whether the adoption of the Australian system by American growers would bring the results predicted is a matter for conjecture. It is an interesting point however. It is a fact that wherever uncertainty exists the buyer plays safe and the grower loses out. When ungraded wool is purchased it is certain the buyer will not overestimate the quality of the wool. When tariff changes were in prospect the buying interests were never backward about making the fullest allowances for possible reductions and the prices offered for wool were lowered accordingly.

Anything that will more fully determine the exact merits of wool that is ready for the market is a good thing for the grower. A system that causes the true worth of wool to be surrounded with doubt works to the advantage of the buyer.

The remark has been made that Pendleton will be cleaned up morally and remain clean when the Businessmen Stand. business men want such conditions brought about. That is an unjust reflection on our business men. It is an insinuation they have been responsible for lawlessness within the city. The East Oregonian does not find such to be true and this paper knows the situation. The East Oregonian has been an outspoken champion of law and order. In that attitude this paper has had warm commendation and encouragement from the largest and most influential business men in the city. The same is true of our attacks on bootlegging. The blame for

law conditions in Pendleton belongs on officialmen, not on businessmen. There is too much of a tendency to charge everything wrong to "the businessmen." Our business men are not in league with the devil. They are very honorable men, as a rule; they live clean lives and want a clean town. The responsible businessmen of Pendleton have not approved of gambling and have wanted it stopped. Those who think the merchants and other business leaders of Pendleton want a dirty, vice ridden town don't know whereof they speak. Our business men may not all be saints but they are fairly decent men. They are not upholding lawlessness and crime. Any insinuation they have been responsible for conditions here is unfair and untruthful. Those who cast such reflections do not know the true calibre of the businessmen of Pendleton.

According to a Paris dressmaker, "it is American, not French, women who have created Corrupting Paris. The demand for indecent dresses French women initiated the mode but Americans degraded it." To have corrupted the Rue de la Paix is a good deal. But is not this history repeating itself on a small scale? comments the New York World. It was by foreign influences that Athens and Rome were corrupted, just as today Paris is being corrupted by New York, and New York in turn by Pittsburgh and Chicago. There is reason to believe, indeed, that Paris of itself and free from the deteriorating effects of outside viciousness would be the most moral of capitals. It is well understood that its "French novels" are published not for French but for foreign readers; that its Moulins and cabarets are for the entertainment of visitors, and that its most salacious attractions are provided to meet a foreign demand. And now it seems that it is only for export that it manufactures slit skirts and transparent corsets. No doubt Paris dressmakers will stifle their moral scruples and continue to make gowns for American wear. It is enough to have pointed out the impropriety. Yet it is saddening to think that the Rue de la Paix is confessedly succumbing to the deleterious influences of Fifth avenue.

**BY THE SCISSORS**  
 CONTENTMENT.  
 My mind to me a kingdom is,  
 Such perfect joy therein I find,  
 As far exceeds all earthly bliss  
 That world affords, or grows by kind;  
 Though much I want what most men have,  
 Yet doth my mind forbid me crave.

Content I live—this is my stay;  
 I seek no more than may suffice—  
 I press to bear no haughty sway;  
 Look—what I lack my mind supplies.  
 Lo! thus I triumph like a king,  
 Content with that my mind doth bring.  
 I see how plenty surfeits oft,  
 And hasty climbers oft do fall;  
 I see how those that sit aloft  
 Mishap doth threaten most of all:  
 They get—they toll—they spend with care,  
 Such cares my mind could never bear.  
 Some have too much, yet still they crave,  
 I little have, yet seek no more.  
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 They lack, I lend; they pine, I live.  
 —Ancient Song.  
**GREAT GOLD REGION.**  
 Report by United States Geological Survey on the Yukon-Tanana Territory, Alaska.

The first gold deposits found in inland Alaska, were in the Yukon-Tanana region, which comprises an upland diversified by broad valleys stretching westward from the international boundary to the great bend of the Yukon. The earliest of the pioneer prospectors crossed the Chilkoot Pass about 1880 and six years later began mining in the interior of Alaska after finding gold in the Yukon-Tanana region. Since then this region has produced gold to the value of about \$22,000,000. The United States Geological Survey began its survey of this field, which embraces some 40,000 square miles, in 1898. With the issuing of the report on the portion of the region known as the Circle quadrangle, published recently as Bulletin 533, geologic and topographic reconnaissance maps, together with a description of the mineral resources of this area, became available.

The town of Circle, from which the report takes its name, is one of the oldest white settlements on the Yukon. It was located before the surveyor had determined that the town was not on the Arctic Circle, as supposed, but 50 miles south of it. Lest the nearness of the Arctic Circle be regarded as indicative of ice and snow, it should be noted that there are neither glaciers nor permanent snow in the Yukon-Tanana region. It is, indeed, a land of fertile valleys and grassy slopes, and during the short but warm summers vegetation thrives, many grains can be ripened and vegetables grow luxuriantly. Of course, the establishment of adequate railroad transportation facilities may be expected to greatly develop this entire region.

The Circle quadrangle owes its chief present importance to the placer mines of the Birch Creek district, which though worked in only a small way, have produced gold to the value of nearly \$5,000,000. Bulletin 533 was written by L. M. Prindle, of the Geological Survey, and a copy may be obtained on application to the Director of the Survey at Washington, D. C.

**Lands Restored to Entry.**  
 Nearly \$8,000 acres of land from a former oil withdrawal in Wyoming were restored to entry by the president during February on the recommendation of Secretary Lane, examination of the land by the United States Geological Survey having shown that it is non-oil in character.

In Idaho about 2000 acres of land heretofore withheld from entry in powerite reserves, were found to have no power value and were therefore restored.

**RIDDLES AND ANSWERS.**  
 When the clock strikes 13, what time is it?  
 Time for the clock to be fixed.  
 What became of the man who stole the calendar?  
 He got 12.  
 What did Lot's wife turn to?  
 Rubber.  
 Why didn't the dog want to go into the ark?  
 Because he had a bark of his own.  
 In a race with time why should a singing master win?  
 Because time files and the singing master beats time.  
 Why is coal the most contradictory article in commerce?  
 Because when purchased instead of going to the buyer it goes to the cellar.  
 Where were the first doughnuts fried?  
 In Greece.  
 In what place did the cock crow when all the world did hear him?  
 In Noah's ark.

**CATARRH OF THE PHARYNX.**  
 Clearing out your throat every day, all day. That is what you have been doing for months. Possibly years. A little mucus covers the pharynx. If you were to go to a doctor he would tell you that you have pharyngitis. If you were to look into your own throat you would find just back of the soft palate a red, lumpy, granular appearance of the back part of the throat. Pharyngitis the doctors call it.  
 Perhaps he would call it follicular pharyngitis. It causes you constant annoyance. You are always making slight disturbances when seated in an audience. Can't hold your throat still. Stringy mucus bothers you. Worse in the morning.  
 A-hem! A-hem! A-hem! That is the way you are going nearly all day. Sometimes in the night when you wake up. You ought to gargle your throat with salt water every morning. Cold salt water. That clears out the throat perfectly and makes it ready for treatment.  
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