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THE CLIMB TO IMMORTALITY.
Immortal life is something to be earned
By slow self-conquest, comradeship with pain,
And patient seeking after higher truths.
We cannot follow our own wayward will,
And feed our baser appetites, and give
Loose rein to foolish tempers, year on year,
And then cry, "Lord, forgive me, I believe!"
And straightway bathe in glory. Men must learn
God's system is too grand a thing for that.
The spark divine dwells in our souls, and we
Can fan it to a steady flame of light,
Whose lustre guides the pathway to the tomb
And shines on through eternity, or else
Neglect it till it glimmers down to death,
And leaves us but the darkness of the grave.
Each conquered passion feeds the living flame;
Each well-borne sorrow is a step toward God.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox

THE CALL IS FOR HONORABLE MEN

There are few towns in Oregon more in the public eye than Pendleton. This is due to the central location of the city and to the tremendous crowds that come here each year to see the Round-up.
What sort of conditions will we have to present when they come next fall, the prohibition law being then in effect? Shall we have a clean government that enforces the law and administers the business affairs of the town in a businesslike manner; shall we have a city government of which the citizens of Pendleton will be proud?
Or shall we have a state of affairs under which there will be bootlegging, graft and bedlam—a situation concerning which the general run of citizens will be ashamed?
It is up to the citizenship of Pendleton to determine this matter. It is a real problem, not an imaginary one, that confronts the city. We are facing the most important city election in years. The welfare

of Pendleton and the good name of the city here and abroad call for attention to business on the part of the voters. There is need of a clean, honorable mayor and a clean, honorable membership in the city council. There is need of men concerning whom there will be no mistrust as to purposes or ability; there is need of men upon whom people may rely for honesty and good faith with reference to law enforcement.
Men and women of Pendleton, meet your duty in this matter.

TOO MUCH CONCEIT

WITH reference to military affairs there is too much conceit on the part of British and German alike. Each nation likes too well to pose as the "cock of the walk." Since the war broke out much has been published showing the excessive feelings of German militarists with reference to who is able to whip the world.
The English are just as conceited, though their thoughts are of sea power rather than of strength upon the land. "The King's Highway" is a favorite rhyme with the English navy.
"In a fair light air, in a dead foul wind,
At midnight or midday,
Till the good ship sinks her mids shall drink
To the King and the King's highway."
The boast is that the sea is the personal property of the English monarch. "Britannia rules the waves" is another slogan. Such notions are not becoming in any nation. The world is large and wide and there are many nations having rights upon the sea. The Lord did not make the oceans for the exclusive pleasure of John Bull or anyone else.
In upholding the welfare of the United States President Wilson has been forced to call both German and British to account and to remind them that there are other people on the globe aside from those at war. It is a needed line of action, not only from our standpoint, but from a world standpoint.

THEIR GAME IS UNDERSTOOD

FINDING the general sentiment of the public is antagonistic to its personally conducted "western waterpower conference" the Portland Oregonian tries to say the conference did not uphold giving water rights in perpetuity to private corporations.
But with some sugarcoating so as to make the pill more palatable that is exactly what the waterpower conference advocated. The "conference" voted down Senator Walsh's resolution favoring the leasing system and having done so may be logically regarded as favoring the other course because there are only two lines of action under consideration. The simple explanation of

the matter is that the conference and the Oregonian favor water power grabbing for monopolistic benefit but wish to be smooth about the matter. The public, however, is fairly awake to such business and is calling a spade a spade. It is no longer possible for the interests and their subservient newspapers to hoodoo the people with their old-time claptrap.

Within a short time the country will have something better than submarines to read about when the Boston Americans and the Philadelphia Nationals make their fall drive to settle the world's championship.

You still have time to register if you make haste; don't be one of the disfranchised on election day.

Something spectacular was expected of Baker but who would have thought of their arranging an earthquake?

Pendleton women will play an important part in the coming election; the first step is to register.

CURRENT THINKING

NOT OUR LOOKOUT.

(Atlanta Constitution.)
If merchants in Copenhagen, or any other neutral European port, order goods from the United States, and particularly merchandise which cannot be classed as war contraband, why should American merchants be made to suffer because of English belief that the Copenhagen merchants intend subsequently to ship them into Germany?
From a standpoint of justice and international law it is impossible to account for that feature of the recent English prize court decision, declaring forfeited to the crown some \$3,000,000 worth of American meat and other products shipped from this country upon orders received from Copenhagen, a recognized neutral port. Concerning this phase of these cases, the English prize court says: "It was plain that these ships were carrying towards Copenhagen, when captured, thirteen times the amount of goods which, under normal circumstances, would have been taken to that port."
That may have been very true, and yet it does not justify seizure and forfeiture of our goods, simply upon belief that although bound for a neutral port, they were destined for England's enemies.
It strikes us that the problem of the disposition of these goods is one for Great Britain to take up with Copenhagen. Our contract is concluded when we have delivered them to the consignees in that neutral port. It is none of our lookout if Copenhagen orders a hundred times as much meat in one year as she would ordinarily take; neither is it any of our business what she does with it after it is received and paid for.

But it is very much of our business to see that our commerce with neutral ports is not interfered with upon the high seas, in violation of the laws of nations, and because of somebody's belief about its ultimate destination.
It is not a question of ultimate destination with which we have to deal, but of direct orders from merchants in neutral ports for legitimate articles of commerce which they are privileged to order in any extent they see fit.
In rendering its decision the English prize court has placed British expediency above international law and treaty agreement. The court has conspired with the government in the violation of solemn treaty obligation, and American producers become the victims of this subversion of law and justice.
It is the clear duty of the American government to enter vigorous protest against this unwarranted attack upon American rights. We have no question that when the proper time comes President Wilson will put it as clearly up to England as he has done in the case of Germany.
The majority of the American people undoubtedly sympathize with England in the present conflict; but England cannot hope to hold that sympathy by practical deprivations upon American commerce.

UNUSUAL WHEAT MOVEMENT.

(Portland Journal.)
The Pacific northwest is to be envied by the grain producing world this season as showing the only quality wheat grown during the year. With the greatest wheat crop ever produced on the territory east of the Rocky mountains, the Atlantic coast states and the middle west are buyers of supplies in the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho and industries from there are increasing daily.
Europe has tried with an iron hand to move the crop of Pacific northwest wheat at extremely low prices, but has failed. Now the trade

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of England and France as well as other European countries is asking for Pacific northwest wheat.
Some business has passed for European account recently, but the called inquiries are coming forward so freely that the outlook is for liberal export as well as domestic business within the immediate future.
European stocks of wheat were never so small at this period of the season. The buying movement from the other side was delayed for an unusually extended period in the hopes of inducing American producers to accept the low price offered. The growers failed to respond to these offers and Europe therefore faced the necessity of either immediately purchasing wheat or facing famine later.

THIS MAY ENTERTAIN

BLUFFING THE CRANK.

The tired little waitress approached the blond head waitress with tears in her eyes.
"That fellow swore at me because he didn't like his steak," she said.
"Where is he?"
The tired little waitress pointed to a small man seated 15 feet away. The blonde approached Mary, a red-headed Irish girl weighing at least 200 pounds.
"Over this way, Mary!" she said.
The two stopped immediately behind the cranky eater.
"Now, listen, Mary," said the blonde. "I want you to quit throwing dishes at the guests. You might have knocked that man senseless this morning."
"But," said Mary, knowingly, "he swore at me."
"Oh, that's different," came from the head waitress. "By the way," she continued, "Lizzie isn't feeling well. Will you look after this gentleman?"
Mary leaned over the cranky actor. He had heard every word.
"What'll ye have done to yer steak?" she asked.
"Nothing, my dear," he replied. "It's an excellent piece of meat." And then he lit in and ate every bit of it.

GOT SATISFACTION.

A motorist was stopped by a policeman for speeding, whereupon he became angry and called the policeman an ass. After he had paid his fine, the judge reproved him for what he had said to the officer.
"Then I mustn't call a policeman an ass?" he said.
"Certainly not," said the judge. "You must not insult the police."
"But you wouldn't mind if I called an ass a policeman, would you?"
"Why, no. If it gives you any satisfaction," answered his honor with a smile.
The motorist returned to the man who had arrested him. "Good day, policeman," he said, and immediately left the courtroom.

TRY IT, BROTHERS.

Two men were talking of hard times.
"Does your wife ever grieve because she threw over a wealthy man

in order to marry you?" queried Hall.
"Well, she started once," was the reply, "but I cured her of that without delay."
"I wish you would tell me how," said Hall.
"I started right in grieving with

her," replied the other, "and I grieved harder than she did!"—National Monthly.
Condon Man is Suicide.
CONDON, Ore., Oct. 4.—J. E. David, about 75 years old, resident of this county more than 39 years, rep-

resentative from this district for two terms, committed suicide at a Condon hotel.
From the fire escape he hanged himself. Several months ago he was injured, blood poisoning necessitating the amputation of a leg. The cause for suicide probably was worry.

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Next week October 11 to 16, is the time and every merchant is urged to be ready for the great demonstration.

Make a list of all the articles in your store that are advertised by the manufacturers in this and other good newspapers.
Put these articles in your windows next week and put up a couple of the signs which this newspaper has sent you. If you want any more of these signs we shall send them upon the receipt of a card from you or a phone message.
This is a good time to reach out after more business.
The window display plan will be a business-getter.
It will bring customers who read of these standard articles in newspaper advertisements into your store to buy them.
It will encourage manufacturers who do not advertise their products for your benefit to use newspaper space to create popular demand for the goods you sell.
Any time a man or woman comes into your store to ask for an article advertised in newspapers you have an opportunity to make a permanent patron.
It means money in the cash register to join in the window display movement.

Beginning Monday Morning, October 11th, See that Your Windows Are Alive with the Products of National Distribution Advertised by the Makers in these Columns