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### WHERE THE STAR STILL SHINES

EUROPE knows no law but the law of the sword. Their boasted civilization is a shattered dream. One after another the little nations have to join forces with their powerful neighbors. It is a wild, insane scramble for existence. Men have been killed by the very millions and the work of destruction is only fairly started. No one knows when it will end but when it does victor and vanquished will both be victims. Sorrow, ruin and debt will encumber the whole continent.

There is but one country over which the star of civilization really shines undimmed. We have peace and plenty while Europe has death and dismay. The situation will not be changed because the man in the white house has the foresight, the ability and the courage to keep the nation out of war. In the great duty he has to meet he is entitled to the prayers of all who have hearts of humans.

Petty, partisan criticisms of President Wilson are out of place. It is a time to lay such stuff aside. Politics is generally only skin deep at the most; war reaches the very foundation of social and national life.

### BRING OUT CLEAN MEN

TWO years ago the local registration was for both the city election and the special state referendum election. A total of 1600 were registered. In that number, however, were included those of Asylum precinct who vote here at state elections but not at municipal elections.

Appearances today indicate there will be a city registration of 1500 or more. It is correspondingly greater than the 1913 registration because as mentioned above the registration at that time was for both state and city. The registration this year is not as heavy as it should be yet amazing progress has been made in the last week. One week ago only 350 voters had enrolled. When the books close this evening there will be

four or five times that many names upon the books.

The next step is to bring out desirable candidates for office. It is a line of work in which the good citizenship of Pendleton should cooperate. The right sort of men seldom seek office for themselves. Generally they will not go into the game unless their friends strongly urge it upon them. Get busy and see that men of proper calibre enter the race. There was never a time when local politics deserved attention more than at present.

### A SANE LINE OF EFFORT

THE Pendleton fire chief is working to lower the city's record for fires and to that end cautions against carelessness on the part of local people.

It is work in the right direction. From a cold blooded business standpoint Pendleton could do nothing better than cooperate in an anti-fire movement.

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Signed: F. W. LAMPKIN, Manager.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of October, 1915.  
L. D. DRAKE, Notary Public for Oregon.  
My commission expires February 27, 1916.

Insurance costs are continuing upon insurance risks. A town that takes effective precautions against fires reaps a reward in lower rates. This was shown when local insurance rates were substantially reduced following the establishment of the gravity water system and the paid fire department.

But we can go farther than that. Rigid anti-fire regulations may be urged upon the people and right minded men will cheerfully fall in line with such a program. Those who do not should be forced to take precautions.

If Pendleton will follow a consistent policy of fire prevention and will closely scrutinize fires of possible incendiary origin the answer to that line of effort will be a further lowering of insurance premiums.

### 875,000,000 PEOPLE

ONE fourth of the people of the United States, or 25,000,000, live in the four states of New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Massachusetts, according to the government estimate just compiled.

These states, however, are but one-thirty-fifth of the area of the entire country. If all our territory should be as densely populated as the four named, Uncle Sam would have a family of 875,000,000 persons.

What is more to the point the best part of the nation is the most sparsely settled. The west is richer in natural resources and has a better climate than the east or the middle states. It is wholly logical to expect that in time the west will be more populous than the east.

After the war has closed and the world equilibrium is restored the northwest will witness great gains in population. It is not safe to anticipate this change will come about with a rush. The development will be gradual but it will be as certain as the law of gravity.

### PROMINENT CHURCH WORKER CANDIDATE FOR COUNCIL

#### SI REETZ ANNOUNCES HE WILL RUN FOR OFFICE FROM THE FOURTH WARD.

SI Reetz, proprietor of the Alta street barber shop and prominent in church work in the city and county, today announced his candidacy for councilman from the fourth ward. "Justice, economy and equality" is his platform reduced to a few words. Mr. Reetz stated that he will make a clean race for the office in response to repeated urgings from friends. "Those who know me at all know for what I stand," he said this afternoon, "and I do not see any need of making a long worded platform."

Mr. Reetz is the second candidate to announce himself from the fourth ward, Lee Meate having previously declared himself. There is some talk of other candidates from this ward.

### Russians Claim Success.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—German troops are pouring a hot fire upon the Russian forces in the Dvinsk region, according to an official Petrograd report, but have failed to get more than a temporary advantage. Russian shellfire compelled them to abandon the positions occupied. Elsewhere the Russians claimed success.

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A crystal and a cell,  
A jellyfish and a saurian,  
And caves where the cave-men dwell,  
Then a sense of law and beauty,  
And a face turned from the God,  
Some call it evolution,  
And others call it God.  
"A haze on the far horizon  
The infinite tender sky—  
The ripe, rich tint of the corn fields,  
And the wild geese sailing high,  
And all over upland and lowland  
The chorus of the golden-rod—  
Some of us call it autumn,  
And others call it God.  
"Take life on a crescent sea beach,  
When the moon is new and thin,  
Into our hearts high yearnings  
Come swelling and surging in,  
Come from the mystic ocean,  
Whose rim no foot has trod—  
Some of us call it longing,  
And others call it God.  
"A picket frozen on duty,  
A mother starved for her brood;  
Socrates drinking the hemlock,  
And Jesus on the rood,  
And millions who, humble and nameless,  
The straight hard pathway trod—  
Some call it conservation,  
And others call it God."  
—William Herbert Carrutt.