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HIS GORY VISION

(By Frank L. Stanton.)

When we get up there in glory, what the saints are at their best,
Will we want see all the good things goin' round?
I rather think, my brother, that we'll jes creep in an' rest,
An' say jes' next to nuthin' 'bout a crown!

We'll never ask reserved seats for to hear the choir sing
In the mansions that are wonderful an' fair;
An' as fer milk an' honey—if we're needin' sich a thing—
We'll never crowd the famished fellows there!

Oh, we'll jes' creep in an' rest us from the burden of the day,
From the sorrows that were troublesome an' sore,
An' jes' keep quiet in the halleluia way,
For twenty-five eternities—an' more!

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A PROGRAM FOR PEACE OR A PROGRAM FOR WAR

THE League of Nations constitutes the one great issue of the presidential campaign. This view is held by the leaders on both sides. Senator Harding has joined with Governor Cox and President Wilson in asking that the election be a referendum on this subject.

Governor Cox stands for ratification of the treaty and the league covenant with any reservations necessary to make our position clear and safe.

Senator Harding is flatly opposed to the league covenant and asks that it be rejected. Harding advocates a disgraceful separate peace. He publicly said that at Des Moines and many other places and he has never retracted those words.

In view of these conditions there is no call for a vote along party lines. The election becomes something bigger than the candidates. It is bigger than the parties. The people are asked to express their sentiments on what is justly termed the most tremendous subject they have ever voted upon.

We must choose between a program for peace and a program for war. We can join with the rest of the world and insure future peace or we can go it alone and prepare for war that is sure to come and may be upon us sooner than we think. If we reject the league the only safe course will be to arm as never before. This is the view expressed here by Col. Charles W. Whittlesey of the Lost Battalion and his view is sound.

Prior to 1914 this county never dreamed of having to fight in a world war. We don't know how the next war will arise but if each nation is forced to go armed and with a chip on its shoulder more warfare is inevitable.

Right now we have a serious difference with Japan. The trouble is deep because it is racial. The Japan of today is one thing, the Japan of tomorrow is another. If Japan absorbs China as she will do if the Treaty of Versailles fails or if Japan should form an alliance with Russia, Germany or another big power the United States can look for trouble.

All that menace can be avoided by our joining the League of Nations. The league covenant gives each country the right to regulate its own immigration and guarantees a country against an aggressor who seeks to violate that right. We can join the

league and safeguard our interests; we can stay out and take our chances.

Don't be deceived by the claim we will join the league even if Harding is elected. The election of Harding will be a mandate for our government to stay out of the league and that mandate will be obeyed. Nor is there any sane hope of a "new association" such as Harding talks about. The 43 nations now in the league are under pledge not to join a counter league. This has been explained by Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state, and his words have never been challenged by Mr. Harding or any other responsible authority. But even if we did get into an association such as Harding speaks of it would be valueless. A league without article 10 or its equivalent would be nothing more than the Hague tribunal. It would be a travesty—a policeman without a gun; a fire department without any water.

Some claim the country will be more prosperous if Harding is elected. But the cold facts disprove the claim. No political party is the custodian of the nation's prosperity. Besides, under the Wilson administration we have been more prosperous than ever in our history. Bank failures and tramps have been abolished. Roger Babson, the premier authority of the nation on business conditions is openly supporting Governor Cox and says our permanent prosperity can best be served by his election. He predicts an explosion if Harding is chosen.

We are an integral part of the world and the world cannot be prosperous and happy if it must always think of war, talk of war and prepare for war. If this country must continue to spend nine tenths of its national income on war we must kiss good bye to irrigation, to a soldier bonus, to federal road work and to other federal internal improvements. We cannot constantly feed our wealth to the war god and still have it.

There is no attempt to impute lack of patriotism to Mr. Harding. But his attitude has been peculiar to say the least. He said in a campaign speech in West Virginia that he was not present when the war resolution was passed but that this country did not go to war to safeguard democracy nor even for humanity. He said in a senate speech that much of our war talk was "balderdash." He said the liberty loan campaigns were "hysterical" and "unseemly." He is an apostle of a separate peace that means a breach of faith with our allies. He voted in the senate for a separate peace. His opposition to the League of Nations is a breach of faith with our dead. He is the beneficiary in this campaign of the hyphen vote which was against the war and now wants to repudiate our best war aims.

We have it from soldiers, from good loyal fathers and mothers that they resent the Harding attitude. We had that from "Go-to-Hell" Whittlesey, a republican, and from Herbert Parsons, former republican congressman and an overseas veteran. We have it from 29,500 disabled veterans in California hospitals who have expressed themselves for Cox and the League of Nations.

Under which flag will you travel tomorrow?

The people of Umatilla county gave President Wilson a majority of nearly 1000 votes four years ago. Are they sorry they did so; are they sorry that America entered the war and won the war; are they sorry that President Wilson used his wholehearted efforts in a wonderful move for permanent peace; do they approve of the malignant, scornful attacks made upon the president while he lies shattered in body because he overtaxed his strength fighting for the nation's honor and the peace of the world? If you believe in Wilson show your faith by voting in his vindication by the election of Governor Cox.

While his political foes have been spreading various sorts of palaver against him Sheriff Jinks Taylor has been busy capturing outlaws, averting lynchings and raiding moonshine stills. As guardian of the peace of this county, do the people want a politician or a sheriff?

J. B. Saylor is the calibre of man both republicans and democrats wanted to see run for county judge. He is entitled to election.

Don't fail to vote Yes on the three city measures; they are meritorious and a part of the campaign for a greater Pendleton.

Always Good

Always Good—Tastes Like More
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SUGGESTIONS TO VOTERS

(Continued from page 1.)

bill if adopted would drive money away from Oregon and could easily bring bankruptcy to farmers, businessmen and industrial plants.

DIVIDED SESSION BILL.
VOTE 318 YES—This measure is intended to insure some deliberation in the legislature and prevent last minute railroading of bills.

COUNTY HERD LAW BILL.
VOTE 322 YES—This measure provides for protecting landowners against unherded stock and has every appearance of being just and fair.

PENDLETON CITY MEASURES.
Amendment to Increase Amount of Water Script.

VOTE 400 YES—This measure will give the city water commission more latitude so that it can do necessary work when needed on the water system and install new pipes on streets that are to be paved. It is essential to the city's continued growth.

Amendment to Increase Indebtedness for Purchase of Five Engine and Truck.

VOTE 402—YES—The city needs better fire equipment and it will be common business prudence to provide it.

Amendment to Increase Indebtedness for Purchase of Block 61.

VOTE 404 YES—This is the vacant block by the Catholic church and is

offered the city at a low price. Its purchase will mean the beautification of the block and provide more playground room. It is planned to secure a similar block in the west end of town as soon as terms can be made with owners. Pendleton needs such parks.

Eruptions of the Skin Cause Torturous Itching

If you are afflicted with any form of skin disorder, you are well acquainted with the flaming, burning itching that these diseases produce.

Skin diseases are caused by an impurity or disorder in the blood and there is no real and genuine relief within your reach until such impurities are removed.

S.S.S. has given great satisfaction in the treatment of these disorders, because it is such a thoroughly satisfactory blood purifier. It cleanses the blood of all impurities, and thus counteracts the effects of the germs that attack the skin.

Begin taking S.S.S. today, and if you will write a complete history of your case, our medical adviser will give you expert advice without charge. Address: Chief Medical Adviser, 158 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

VOTE YES X on 312 ANTI-COMPULSORY VACCINATION

If You Are Against Compulsory Vaccination--Vote Yes on the Anti-Compulsory Vaccination Amendment

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

No form of vaccination, inoculation, or other medication shall be made a condition in this state for admission to, or attendance in, any public school, college, university or other educational institution; or for the employment of any person in any capacity, or for the exercise of any right, the performance of any duty, or the enjoyment of any privilege.

THE PURPOSE

The purpose of this Amendment is to remove compulsion, and not in any way to interfere with the right of the individual to be vaccinated if he so desires. The compulsory vaccination of children or adults violates the principles of democracy and is antagonistic to American ideals.

The amendment is not an anti-vaccination measure, as it has been too often called, either ignorantly or maliciously. Nor is it anti-quarantine nor anti-sanitation, nor anti-anything but what it states—ANTI-COMPULSORY vaccination, anti-COMPULSORY inoculation, and anti-COMPULSORY medication, and "medication" can legally mean only "medication of like kind," i. e. like vaccination and inoculation.

The Allopathic School of Medicine is now in the "Vaccine and Serum" era, just as it once was in the "Bleeding" era. Time will prove the fallacy of this cure—all systems of injecting poison and disease into pure blood to cure a disease one hasn't got and may never get, just as it has made ridiculous the old system of curing a headache with vinegar and brown paper, and the giving of "nanny tea," made from sheep's droppings, to children to bring out measles.

Vaccination was made non-compulsory in England in 1898. In the 22 years since then England has not been wiped off the map by epidemics.

North Dakota, Montana and Utah have had similar laws in force for years and no serious results have followed.

Over 35,000,000 people in this land employ drugless physicians and a frightened allopathy seeks to nail its falling halo to its wobbly head with legal nails.

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"Experience in the recent outbreaks in New York City, contrary to the general opinion, has shown that the majority of cases occurring here are not in unvaccinated persons, but in those who have been vaccinated successfully some years previously."

DR. HERMANN M. BRIGGS,
Chief Medical Officer,
New York City.

DR. ERNEST J. LEDERLE,
Commissioner of Health,
New York City.

FACTS taken from the United States public health reports: During the influenza epidemic of 1918, for a period of ten weeks running from September 20 to November 29, among the 1,500,000 soldiers in the camps in this country, the flower of American manhood, medically inspected, seruminized, vaccinated and under absolute control of allopathic doctors in sanitary camps, there was a death rate of 14.66 a thousand, while among the entire civil population, including many rejects, city slums, the ailing and aged, fully one-third not having regular medical treatment, the death rate during the same ten weeks was only 8.18 a thousand. In other words, among the compulsory medicated soldiers the death rate was about four and one-half times as great among the non-compulsory medicated civilians.

Citation from the decision of the Supreme Court of North Dakota:

"Were vaccination to become general, it would be certain to cause the sickness or death of a thousand children where on child now sickens and dies from smallpox. Of course, a different story is told by the class that reap a golden harvest from vaccination and diseases caused by it. Yet, because of their self-interest, their doctrine must be received with the greatest care and scrutiny."

Here is the proposition: If Americans have the capacity—as they have proven they have—to grasp and hold their political freedom, and if Americans have the capacity—as they have proven they have—to grasp and hold their medical freedom? Freely they choose their government, freely they choose their religion, and why shouldn't they freely choose their school of healing? Let the flame of reason burn and by its light read the answer.—Sam H. Clark. Paid adv.