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"NO MUD SLINGING"

The plea of Mr. Ulrich that "he hoped there would be no mud slinging" in the recall campaign is a paradox to say the least. Mr. Ulrich is a good deal like the boy who has plastered his opponent with mud and then objects to retaliation.

When Mr. Ulrich qualified as a candidate for the recall nomination he likewise became a mud slinger, and it will be passing strange if Judge Robinson turns the other cheek. It may be the biblical injunction, but it is against human nature and the Judge is a real human sort of a fellow.

Mr. Ulrich and the men he represents are attempting to besmirch Judge Robinson's reputation. Our old friend Shakespeare considered this a very serious matter and opinion has not changed very much since he expounded his logical conclusion, "That he who steals my purse steals trash; 'twas mine, 'tis his; but he who filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him and makes me poor indeed."

In the estimation of the Enterprise the recall machinery is a good deal like a buzzsaw. It was put there for a purpose—essential, too, when there is a use for it. Still it was never intended that it should be "monkeyed" without just cause.

It is true that the Judge has made some folks "sore" and it is likewise true that some who are making the most noise are ones who wanted the Judge to do things which he could not legally do. The Enterprise is not pretending to intimate that their acts are due to a spirit of retaliation—far from it. It is just incidental that they are agin the Judge.

In view of the fact that Mr. Ulrich has made application to the people of Polk county for the job of county judge, the Enterprise is of the opinion that the public is entitled to know his qualification. He has said that Judge Robinson is not attending to the highways as they should be attended to. Very well. Will Mr. Ulrich please explain to his contemplated employers just how much experience he has had in road construction. How he proposes to finance his road construction program and what he proposes to do. These are matters in which Mr. Ulrich will find the public is vitally interested. And why shouldn't it be, considering the fact that it's the taxpayers' dollar which Mr. Ulrich proposes to spend—a few thousand to even get the job.

The people are usually willing to pay—provided that you can convince them that they are getting their money's worth. It will be up to Mr. Ulrich to take the people into his confidence—to convince them that he will make a better county judge than Mr. Robinson. He can't do this by saying he believes the people want a change. It's up to him to show that they want a change and that he can qualify for the job.

The Enterprise has been anxiously waiting for someone to give justifiable reasons for the proposed recall election. Will Mr. Ulrich please do so?

Plant Funeral

The funeral service of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Plant who passed away at her residence, Main Street, Independence, December 21, 1920, after only a few days illness, at the age of 76 years 9 months, was held at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Salem, Oregon, December 23.

The funeral cortege left the house at 12:30 and was met at St. Paul's Church by the Rev. C. H. Powell, who gave a very impressive sermon. Mrs. Carlton Smith sang two beautiful hymns, one, "Abide With Me," favorite of the deceased lady. From there, the funeral proceeded to the City View Cemetery, where interment took place.

The deceased lady was born March 14, 1844, at Burton-on-Trent, England. She was the widow of the late Mr. Joseph Plant of Glentworth House, Buxton, England.

She was the mother of ten children, seven boys and three girls, who all but one survive her, leaving seven sons and two daughters, three sisters and 15 grandchildren to mourn her loss. Three sons and three sisters in England.

The late Mrs. Plant arrived in this country Christmas eve, 1913, and has lived in this vicinity since her arrival. She was beloved by all who knew her, living a beautiful christian life and always willing to sacrifice for others.

The mourners were: Miss C. Pant, daughter; Harry Plant, son; Winifred Rose, granddaughter; Mrs. Rose, daughter; Major Rose, son-in-law; Mr. and Mrs. W. Plant, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. A. Plant, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rose, grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Brimley, Miss Mabel Trinwith, Mrs. M. Porterfield, Mrs. A. J. Richardson, Mrs. N. E. Tyler, Mrs. Homer Hill, Mrs. E. Wunder, Mrs. J. Robbie, Mrs. Sloper, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gaines, Mr. and Mrs. Chown, Mr. and Mrs. Chickuo, Japanese boys from Wigrich Rancho, Mrs. Kimberling.

Pallbearers: Mr. W. Gaines, Mr. Cockle, Mr. Kimberling, Mr. Fred Powers, Mr. A. E. Horton and Mr. Doc. Powers.

Awaiting at the church were: Mrs. H. Smith, Mrs. Parkhurst, Mrs. W. Jenks, Mrs. Frank Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cornoyer and others.

At the head of the casket was a beautiful anchor composed of violets, holly and carnations from her sons, sisters and friends across the water.

The floral tributes were:

Cross—To my own dear Mother from her loving daughter, Cissie.

Wreath—From Will and Charlotte, with ever loving memory of our darling Mother, (Asleep), White House, Wigrich Rancho.

Cross—To darling Mother from her loving Florrie and Walter.

Large Spray—In loving memory of Mother from Arthur, Nellie and family (Mother at Rest.)

Anchor—To our loving Mother and Sister from her absent sons and sisters. Tom, Jim and Joe, in England, Willie in Philadelphia; her sisters Rose, Annie and Charlotte, also Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Lindon and Dorothy Andrew, of Liverpool, England.

Spray—To Mother from Harry.

Spray—Grannie, from Lewis and Ruth, with fond remembrance.

Spray—To darling Grannie from her loving Gordon and Marjorie.

Heart—To my own darling Grannie, "Now in Jesus' care," from Winnie.

Spray of Carnations—To my darling Grannie from her "Little Major," (baby grandson)

Spray—In deepest sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. W. Gaines.

Spray—A life well spent a race well won. With loving thoughts from Ada and Ern.

Wreath—From Charlie and Mrs. Chickuo.

Wreath—From Japanese boys, Wigrich Rancho.

Spray—From Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Neal.

Spray—From Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Tyler.

Spray—From Mrs. M. N. Porterfield.

Wreath—With deepest sympathy from all at the Ace Garage.

Spray—With deep sympathy from Mabel Trinwith, Salem, Oregon.

Spray—From Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harman and daughter.

Cross—From Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hutton and family, with deepest sympathy and loving memory. The Ceders, Bracknell, Berkshire, England.

Piece—From Mrs. Homer H. Smith.

Piece—From Mrs. Parkhurst and Mrs. Lovelace, Salem, Oregon.

Spray—With deepest sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. E. Wunder and Mrs. H. E. Smith.

Wreath—With sincere sympathy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gillingham.

Wreath—Clifford W. Brown and G. E. Purvance, Salem.

Wreath—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Conroyer.

Wreath—Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Livesley, Salem.

Wreath—With sincere sympathy, Lillian Starr.

Wreath—With sincere sympathy, Mary Stiley.

The beautiful grey coffin lined with white satin, was enclosed in a steel water tight casket. The funeral arrangements were efficiently carried out by C. W. Henkle, Independence, Oregon.

In The Churches

Presbyterian Church

Regular service will be held in Calvary Presbyterian church next Sunday, with preaching at 11 o'clock, by the pastor, Dr. H. C. Dunsmore. Mr. O. A. Macy of Portland will sing. This being the first Sunday of the year, the pastor is very desirous of making it a special service, and

hopes to have a large percentage of the church membership present.

M. E. Church

Rev. John H. Ebert will begin a series of revival meetings at the M. E. church, Sunday, Jan. 2, 1921. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend these services.

The rendition of Christmas hymns and carols by the choir of the M. E. church last Sunday evening was much enjoyed by those present.

Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock every Sunday morning. You will find a welcome in meeting with us.

These Dangerous Days

Chug-Chug! Br-r! br-r! Honk! Honk! Gillig-illig-gilli-lug!

The pedestrian paused at the intersection of two busy cross streets. He looked about. A motor car was rushing at him from one direction,

WE thank you for the business entrusted to us the past year and wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Margaret E. O'Kelley, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and has qualified. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified together with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned administrator at his residence in the City of Independence, in said County, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated and first published December 31st, 1920.

WILLIAM N. O'KELLEY, Administrator of the Estate of Margaret E. O'Kelley, deceased. Swope & Swope, Attorneys. 31-24

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