



MY LAST FAREWELL

By DR. JOSE RIZAL.

Farewell, dear fatherland, clime of the sun caress'd, Pearl of the Orient seas, our Eden lost; Gladly now I go to give thee this faded life's best, And were it brighter, fresher or more blest Still would I give it thee, nor count the cost.

On the field of battle, 'midst the frenzy of fight, Others have given their lives without doubt or heed; The place matters not—cypress or laurel or lily white, Scaffold or open plain, combat or martyrdom's plight, 'Tis ever the same, to serve our home and country's need.

I die just when I see the dawn break Through the gloom of night, to herald the day And if color is lacking my blood thou shalt take, Pour'd out at need for thy dear sake, To dye with its crimson thy waking ray.

My dreams, when life first opened to me, My dreams, when the hopes of youth beat high, Were to see thy loved face, O gem of the Orient sea, From gloom and grief, from care and sorrow free; No blush on thy brow, no tear in thine eye.

Dream of my life, my living and burning desire, All hall'eries the soul that is now to take flight; All hall' And sweet it is for thee to expire! To die for thy sake that thou may'st aspire; And sleep in thy bosom eternity's long night.

If over my grave some day thou seest grow In the grassy sod, a humble flower, Draw it to thy lips and kiss my soul so, While I may feel on my brow in the cold tomb below The touch of thy tenderness, thy breath's warm flower.

Let the moon beam over me soft and serene, Let the dawn shed over me its radiant flushes, Let the wind with sad lament over me keen; And if on my cross a bird should be seen, Let it thrill there its hymn of peace to my ashes.

Let the sun draw its vapors up to the sky, And heavenward in purity hear my tardy protest; Let some kind soul o'er my untimely fate cry, And in the still evening a prayer be lifted on high, From thee, O my country, that in God I may rest.

Pray for all those that hapless have died, For all who have suffered the unmeasur'd pain; For our mothers that bitterly their woes have cried, For widows and orphans, for captives by torture tried; And then for thyself that redemption thou may'st gain.

And when the dark night wraps the graveyard around, With only the dead in their vigil to see; Break not my repose or the mystery profound, And perchance thou may'st hear a sad hymn resound; 'Tis I, O my country, raising a song unto thee.

When even my grave is remembered no more, Unmark'd by never a cross or a stone; Let the plow sweep through it, the spade turn it o'er, That my ashes may carpet thy earthly floor, Before into nothingness at last they are flown.

Then will oblivion bring me no care, As over thy vales and plains I sweep, Throbbing and cleansed in thy space and air, With color and light, with song and lament I fare, Ever repeating the faith that I keep.

My fatherland adored, that sadness to my sorrow lends, Beloved Filipinas, hear now my last goodbye, I give thee all: parents and kindred and friends; For I go where no slave before the oppressor bends, Where faith can never kill, and God reigns o'er on high.

Farewell, father and mother and brothers, dear friends of the fireside! Thankful ye should be for me that I rest at the end of the long day, Farewell, sweet, from the stranger's land, my joy and my comrade! Farewell, dear ones, farewell! To die is to rest from our labors!

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UPPER EAGLE CREEK

George Howlett and son, Rufus, of Dufur, were down this way last week, calling on relatives and friends at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglass, of The Dalles, were the guest of the former's mother, Mrs. Viola Douglass, recently.

Miss Mabel Beckett, of Portland, was an Upper Eagle Creek visitor Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Morgan, and baby daughter, of Wasco, were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Woodle, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Eddy and son, Bruce, and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lawrence, of Portland, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibson.

H. S. and R. B. Gibson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilcox and children, motored to Highland and back Sunday.

Walter Douglass, wife and daughter, Florice, were Chautauqua visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffmeister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoffmeister, were also Chautauqua visitors last Saturday.

Bobbie Cahill is sawing the wood for the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass and children called on Mrs. Viola Douglass Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gibson were calling at the home of R. B. Gibson, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Platt spent a few days at their farm home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Douglass were the dinner guests of Mrs. Viola Douglass, Sunday.

BISELL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey of Oregon City, motored out to their farm at George last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller and daughter Gladys of Portland, visited relatives at George, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joiner of Oregon City, visited relatives at George last Sunday.

Theo Harder returned last Sunday from Bend, Ore. where he has been visiting relatives for the past week.

Earl Bailey lost a fine cow last week.

Athletic Honors For the U.

The University of Oregon has the distinction of being the only college in the country to send two of its men across the Atlantic for the Olympic games this year, Bartlett and Tuck being chosen. In addition the University coach, W. L. Hayward, has been selected as one of the official coaches for the American team.

C. F. Howe spent Thursday in Portland.

Mrs. John D. Ragan, of Pell, Wash., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cahill for a week.

William Mikulecky of Sinacot, Alaska, returned home Wednesday morning, and will make his home here permanently.

J. W. Shafford returned last Friday from a trip to Seaside, where he had taken Mrs. Shafford.

Klamath county will, within a few years, lead the world in mint production, in the opinion of O. H. Todd, Oregon's pioneer mint grower.

Though it has been running only seven months, the manufacturing plant of G. J. Mallon of Portland, Ore., is now marketing its product throughout the Pacific Coast. The factory specializes in rolls and slides for the rapid handling of lumber on motor trucks.

Iceless refrigerators, manufactured in Portland, Ore., by the Iceless Refrigerator Company, have been on the market less than a year, but are already selling in large quantities throughout the northwest and middle west. The iceless ice-box works on a principle of water circulation and evaporation.

Maryland Visitors

Mrs. L. A. Sagle and Miss M. Elizabeth Bell of Baltimore, Maryland, arrived here Monday, stopping over till Tuesday afternoon. They are touring the west, having left their home July 6th, and have been to Vancouver, B.C., Seattle, Portland and are going to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Lake, Colorado Springs, St. Louis and home, where they expect to arrive August 21st. A reason for their visiting Estacada was that they know the sister of E. J. Stevens who lived in this vicinity some years ago and then went to Virginia, where he died. They got S. E. Wooster to drive them out to the former Stevens' ranch and took a picture of the house. They expressed themselves as much delighted with the west, which they were visiting for the first time, and also with the picturesqueness of Estacada and its surrounding country.

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