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**DISREGARD OF LAW.**

The impartial observer cannot but conclude that there has grown up in this country a disregard for law and a spirit of polite lawlessness which carries with it nothing but disaster for American institutions. The law has come to be held in supreme contempt not only by the criminal classes but also among the so called "respectable classes" whenever their political schemes or business ventures chance to run contrary to it. This has been shown every day during the last year or two in the newspaper accounts of municipal corruption, political chicanery, election crookedness, land frauds, bribery, perjury and many other crimes which have been and are still being unearthed in official and business circles. No one longer pretends to uphold the trusts, whose stockholders represent the ultra-respectable element of modern polite society, for their contempt of the laws of the land has grown to be notorious. Many good citizens who a few years ago would have been scandalized by the thought have been forced to the opinion that the men who wreck railroad companies in the the stock exchanges are as bad as the men who hold up and rob trains; that the men who steal square miles of government lands are as bad as the man who steals a spotted cayuse; that the men who steal an election should be punished as swiftly, as surely and more severely than the man who steals a chicken or a loaf of bread.

In certain sections of the west it has been known for years that thousand of acres of public lands have been patented fraudulently but the practice had become so common that many of the guilty parties did not realize that they were committing any crime when they allowed their names to be used by speculators and who, for a pittance, committed perjury in numerous instances. It was the custom of the country; men occupying high local positions did the same thing, so the other fellows concluded that it must be all right. It started in a disregard for the law and it grew.

Public officials who are elected and who swear to enforce the law, as a matter of fact have grown to be, in many instances, among its most flagrant violators until it has come to the pass that the executive officer who starts out with the intention of enforcing the law and living strictly up to the official oath to which he subscribed is looked upon not only as the exception to the rule but as a crank or knave to boot. Disregard for the law always grows.

It seems, however, that the limit has been reached. Great public emergencies always bring out some man who is above the common level and who has the stamina to defy and denounce the threatening evil and to bring the evil doers to justice. Folk in Missouri, Heney in Oregon and California and Roosevelt at Washington seem just now to be the men of the hour and the stand they have taken against law breakers indicates that the day of reckoning has come.

Any law that is habitually evaded or broken would better be repealed because every violation of the law which is allowed to go unpunished tends to sear the public conscience and to lower the stand-

ard of national, and individual morality.

Rome fell because of national, official and individual corruption. America will indeed be fortunate if the public awakening now in progress grows and strengthens until every grafter, public or private, of high or low degree, is given to understand that disregard of law will bring punishment as sure and swift and severe as his offense deserves.

A young married man in Portland wrote a long letter to a newspaper of that city last Saturday in which he stated that he had for months been hunting a job of any kind of honest work and had been able to find nothing. He was then down to a capital of \$1.20 and finished his letter by declaring that before another 24 hours he would either have a job that would support himself and wife or else he would "be a good judge of the hereafter" (evidently meaning that he would be dead) or would be a candidate for the rock pile. That evening a railroad train was held up inside the city limits of Portland and the robbers stated to their victims that they were driven to crime by hunger. There may be some connection between the unsuccessful job hunter and the holdup and if there should be plenty of pretty good people could be found in Oregon who would have less sympathy for him than they would for some big public official who may have not only robbed the people of thousands of acres of public lands but who willfully violated his oath of office while he was doing the stealing.

**NOTICE.**

Proposals for Drilling a Well—Sealed proposals will be received by the mayor and council of Condon, Gilliam county, Oregon, on February 1, 1905, for the drilling of one well to secure a water supply for said town.

Bids must be strictly in accordance with the written specifications, which will be furnished on application at the office of the city recorder. No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the mayor of Condon, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount equal to 10 per cent. of the aggregate proposal. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the council.

J. F. REISACHER, Mayor.  
 Address all communications to  
 W. A. GOODWIN, City Recorder,  
 Condon, Oregon.

John McConnell, of near Mayville, who sold his ranch to a Umatilla county man a short time ago, returned from Portland Saturday where he went to look for a location. He has decided to locate near Portland on the east side. Mr. McConnell will sell his stock, farming implements and household furniture on Saturday, February 11. For particulars see bills.

**Spilled Her Beauty.**

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salves." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at all druggists.

C. E. Devens returned from Portland Sunday where he spent a few weeks rustling away from the turmoil of city life as it is in Condon. Mrs. Devens, whose health has been poor all Winter, is visiting with a sister in Astoria and will not return to Condon for two or three weeks.

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