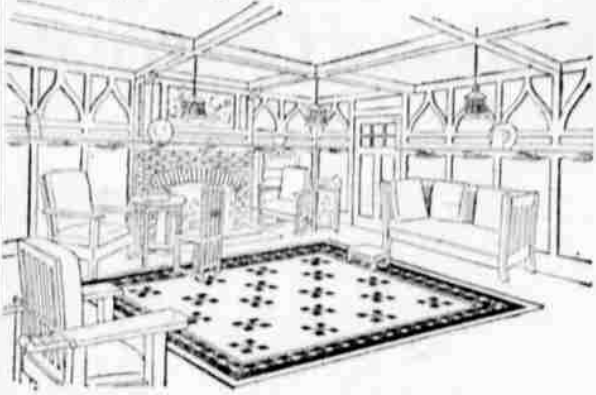


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AN OPEN LETTER

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chosen him to lead. We have followed with pride and confidence the results of his leadership. We have seen his crystal clear ideals of justice, liberty and the right of every people, of every big or little nation of the earth, to make its own laws, choose its own government and make it in fact a government of the people, for the people by the people, slowly but surely pull the foundation out from under every autocratic dynasty in Europe—a task that would have required many million more men, many millions more of treasure and blood and sacrifice and years of bitter warfare, to have accomplished by force of arms.

Yet Wilson, the prophet of democracy and liberty and justice, has done these things, with his diplomacy and statesmanship, cooperating with Pershing's crusaders.

And the vested interests, the inviolable government, and the politicians now want to destroy all his good work, all the tremendous influence of his statesmanship upon the destinies of the world!

Will we let these vested interests and the politicians so capitalize the death of our boys who have fallen upon the bloodstained plains of France, the tears of the mothers all over our land?

Will we? You and I, and the millions of mothers and fathers, in whose



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Optometrist

hands our boys have left the big job here at home?

We do not care very much about party labels, we common folks behind the lines. It has never, even in normal times, made very much difference to us which party was in power.

The self-seeking politicians are the same in all parties; and these have always been "the party," whatever the tag.

We have learned many things during the weary months of bloodshed. We have, in our stupid and inarticulate way, arrived at some rather definite conclusions.

We want a peace which shall remove the causes of war. We do not want another war in a million years.

We have seen what a cooperative effort will do, in war times. We have seen who does the fighting and who pays the bills of war.

We have discovered that political and military democracy are based upon economic and industrial democracy, and that commercial greed knows no country, no patriotism, no honor, no humanity; nothing, absolutely, but profits, even if coined out of the blood and the bodies of men.

We know that lack of the attack on our leader, and the desire to pull him down from his commanding international prestige, are the same forces which turned the Hun into a beast and started the Kaiser on his ruthless campaign to dominate the world—the ambition for commercial supremacy and the exploitation of the peoples and resources of God's world for the profit and power of the privileged few.

We do not want a peace which leaves the world an armed camp; which gives this nation, now the exemplar of freedom and fair dealing and democracy, a standing military establishment stronger, bigger and more dangerous than the military establishment which made a beast out of Germany, a menace to the world and to civilization.

And yet that is one of the things we will get, if the reactionaries, instead of President Wilson, have the deciding voice in the approaching peace crisis.

These are the darkest and most dangerous days of all the long dark days of the world war, oh! my countrymen!

Democracy at home and abroad hangs in the balance. And only the common folks can save the day.

When Lincoln called upon the people, you remember that all over the land went up the swelling chorus: "We are coming, Father Abraham! One hundred thousand strong!"

Wilson has called us. Not only the fate of the nation, but the fate of the world and the struggling and enslaved millions of all the nations of the earth hang upon our response.

What shall it be?

"We are coming, Father Woodrow! One hundred million strong!"

Let us go to the polls next Tuesday, and vote as Wilson has asked us to do. And then let us go home, and get down our little old "recall" hatchet, and grind it to a razor edge. And then let us keep a real close watch on these dear statesmen we elect.

All of the mwill walk straighter, if they know we are watching them. They need the discipline. And so do we.

And at the first hint of side-stepping the straight and narrow road to a Wilson peace, founded upon justice, liberty and freedom from the menace of future wars—may the Lord have mercy upon the political necks of any faltering statesmen.

Fraternalty yours,
C. C. VAN ORSDALL,
394 Taylor St., Portland, Oregon.

Etiquette in Mexico.

Travelers through Mexico report many peculiar customs which reflect the temperament of the people. Some of these are founded upon superstitions hundreds of years old while others date from more recent days. There is a prevailing belief in the country that there is bad luck in a sequence of threes and wherever possible the combination of three is avoided. This is shown very often to persons strange to the land in the lighting of a cigarette.

In the United States one often sees three men light their pipe from one match. It would be a gross insult in Mexico to offer a man a light from a match that had already started two cigarettes going. Instead one must blow out the match and give him a light from the ignited coffin nail.

Here From Portland—

Miss Lydia Luther of Portland is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Luther.

Visited Son—

Mrs. Sarah Sloan returned home last night after a visit in Portland with her son, Leo Sloan.

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Returned to Pendleton—

Fred Dohnert returned to his home at Pendleton this morning. Mrs. Dohnert remained for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wright.

Went to Portland—

E. P. Mason, candidate for state treasurer, went to Portland this morning on business.

On Business Trip—

A. Johnson went to Portland this morning on business.

Returned Home—

Mrs. I. M. Doughton and small son Wayne returned to their home in Astoria yesterday after a visit here with Mrs. Doughton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sprenger.

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