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RELIGION THE BASIS.

Men of every creed, even men who profess no creed at all, must agree with the declaration of Cardinal O'Connell in a recent address, that "the stability of this government depends, not upon learning and philosophy, but upon religion."

When one talks of "stability of government" one deals with the fundamental things in any nation's life. Stability of government is very largely a product of civilization.

We may then conclude, with reasonable assurance, that a Christian government and civilization was a necessary antecedent to a stable form of government.

When one attempts any summary of the essentials of a permanent and stable form of government, those essentials will all be found to proceed from the principles of justice, humanity and brotherhood which it is the function of the Christian religion to foster, just as it was the function of the Christian church to give them birth, and to make them world-wide in their application.

The world has witnessed governments attempted on a basis of learning and philosophy alone with religion left out, but the same world has also watched such governments decay.

We are aware that the Christian governments of Europe at this moment scarcely serve as examples of this theory, but in the final analysis the war in Europe is the exclusive product of the ruling classes, not of the people, and nothing can be more certain than that its greatest result will be the utter destruction of the element which made this awful cataclysm possible.

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The close of the commencement season suggests that through graduating orations the country has had some valuable advice about the best ways to offset the effects of the European war in America.

Billy Sunday took in more than \$100,000 during the first five months of this year. Billy dispenses the water of life free, but the pitcher costs something and Billy is the pitcher.

With the senior kid graduates flocking joyfully home the old man with the frazzled check book will soon be informed just at what station he is to get off.

THE PULLMAN UPLIFT.

The son of Abraham Lincoln, in his capacity as president of the Pullman company, is the apostle of the negro uplift, as practiced by his corporation. He testified in Washington not long since at a meeting of the federal commission on industrial relations. His testimony was on a social basis affecting the negro, rather than on constitutional slavery, and that he is the son of the great emancipator and employer of more colored people than any other concern in America adds to the ironic significance of it all.

Robert Lincoln conceded that the pay of Pullman porters is a maximum of \$25.50 a month and said that "the one element in the uplift of the colored race was its service with the Pullman company."

The shade of the martyred emancipator must have written when this testimony was made a part of an official record taken in the shadow of the White House by a federal commission as the most responsible officer in a corporation which has never paid less than 6 per cent dividends with net profits amounting to \$160,000,000, Abraham Lincoln's son asserted that the greatest thing accomplished for the betterment of the negro race has been its employment at a wage that has never passed the dollar mark for any one day, on a system which, in the eyes of the world outside the Pullman offices, does more to degrade the employe than any other allowed by law in the United States.

Nearly the Whole World In.

The greater part of the world is now directly or indirectly embroiled, and the war has attained stupendous proportions.

The population of the nations, together with their colonies, exceeds 900,000,000, and the area controlled by these nations embraces practically the whole of Europe, more than half of Asia, nearly all of Africa, and more than half of North America, not to mention the considerable area of the islands of the sea.

What the toll of life will be during the next six months no one can foretell. What the waste of capital will be must mount so high into the billions that the mind will scarcely be able to comprehend the aggregate.

There has never been such a war in the history of the world. It is inconceivable that there can ever be another approximating it in ferocity or waste of life and treasure.

History will pass a withering judgment upon the few men who brought about this unprecedented catastrophe to the human race.

It may be a century or two before a just and lasting verdict will be reached, but when the spirit of democracy shall have conquered the tyranny, selfishness, cupidity and bloodthirstiness that deluged the world in blood, humanity will curse the very names of the perpetrators of the monstrous outrage.

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It appears that ever other man in this country has a special brand of neutrality which he would like to see the government try out.

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The Ladies' Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. G. P. Lumsden Wednesday was well attended and was a profitable session. Mrs. L. A. Harlow was elected secretary to succeed Mrs. C. I. Raker, who is moving to Portland. Mrs. Raker was presented with a beautiful glass dish by the members of the society.

The Opportunity club will present "Lena Rivers" at the Masonic hall next Tuesday, June 8. This is a three-act play and will be supplemented with a musical program.

Mr. Livingston G. P. Lumsden, Miss Salena Fox, Edward Belmont, Albert Hensley, Lena Rivers, Miss Gladys Goin, Harry Graham, Clarence Parsons, Earl Kummer and Felton Murray came down from Corvallis last Wednesday for a visit with the latter's parents.

J. R. Knarr and wife have returned from Hamilton Creek, Washington, where they have been for several weeks.

Fred Lynch, of Portland, is visiting at the home of his uncle A. D. Kendall.

FAIRVIEW

C. N. Wonnacott, of Portland, will give his illustrated lecture on the Passion Play under the auspices of the U. S. class of the Sunday school, Friday evening, June 18.

The Women's society of the Presbyterian church held an all-day meeting yesterday at the church. There was a good attendance. The time was spent in quilting. The next meeting of the society will be on June 17 at the home of Mrs. John Bliss on the Base Line.

POWELL VALLEY

Powell Valley school baseball club played Cedar school Friday and won the game with a score of 19 to 6. They played the Gresham team of small boys Sunday and beat them 24 to 7.

SPREADING PEACE.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Shaw Smith, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Robert Shaw Smith, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah County, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at room 701 Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Oregon, with vouchers and duly verified within six months from the date hereof.

WILLIAM McALPINE, Administrator.

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