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BACK TO THE FARM

The Eugene Register rightly observes that in late years eastern papers and magazines discuss, with seeming pleasure, the fact that population which has heretofore centered in the cities, is gradually drifting back to the farms. This is an encouraging and wholesome sign that augurs well for the future of the nation. But when we come to think of it the population east offers very little inducement to those who would get back to the soil for the reason that land values are high, they have reached the limit; farms have been cut into small tracts and production, under diversified, intensive farming has about reached its height, so that there is little chance for investment that will produce unusual returns.

The west presents a different situation altogether. Here in millions of acres of soil that has hardly been scratched for crop production that awaits cutting up into small farms, especially through systematic cultivation, and made to divide and divide the content. Therefore, the west today presents the golden opportunity for those who forsake the rush of life in the busy centers and seek a quiet life which beckons to them. In fact, our sunset shore bids them come and share in the great progress that is to make in agricultural men to during the coming years.

Oregon, and the western states offer best inducements to the home-seeking class who have lived in comfort on the farm and this fact is rapidly becoming known throughout the nation and is being demonstrated every day by the extent to which investments are being made to farm lands, especially in this section of the Willamette county rural property selling more rapidly than ever before, with, within the past few years, hundreds of new farm houses dot the land, losses expenses that have marked the holdings of an individual farmer instance being set up into several farms with a result that, under more intensive farming the land has greatly increased its production and sustained a corresponding increase in value.

"Back to the farm" sounds better in Oregon than any state in the union for the reason that the opportunities for "making good" here are better than any where else.

WORKMEN TO ENLIST OR

A novel idea looking toward the ending of war has been advanced by the workingmen of Toronto, Canada, which is that the working men of all countries form a band of 30,000,000 to go on a strike if an outbreak of war threatens. The authorities in that case might have to accede, and then again they might turn the strikers and gatting guns on the workingmen with awful result.

There is no question but that nations rely upon the laboring class mostly for targets for the enemy, and the killing off of such men has had its effect upon posterity in leaving the weak instead of the strong to perpetuate the race, and if these men refuse to fight, or to labor to support the needs of the men to fight, it might have a deterrent effect on the propensity to settle disputes by clash of arms.

At any rate the seed is sown in the more of the labor council of Toronto, which has gone on record as opposed to war and in favor of a universal strike to prevent it. It was declared that if Germany and Great Britain flew at each other's throat the workers in both countries would go on a

strike. If a stoppage takes it was declared the war would have to be called off. The Toronto council proposes to take up this method of preventing war and enlist the working men of other countries with a view of bringing about concerted action in the event of war. The council passed a resolution which, in effect, declares that inasmuch as the wars of the past were commercial wars, either for the possession of new territory or new trading rights, and as those wars were in the interests of the wealthy classes and paid for generally with the lives of the workers, that the working men should be opposed to the enormous expenditures of money for warlike purposes of the sort of first class nations.

It was proposed to establish a universal agreement among the workers of Europe and America whereby the danger of war might be averted by the concerted action of the workers, either by their refusal to fight, or by setting those who make the quarrels fight in their own selves or by a general strike of labor in the countries about to fight.

This is the first time that working men have taken any active movement for world peace, but it strikes us that they have presented the most effective proposition yet suggested toward war. If the same spirit becomes international in scope, it may end in universal peace.

It is hoped that such will be the case, as General Sherman well and truly said, "War is hell," and it should have no place among civilized men.

There are three kinds of girls, says the philosopher of folly, "those who are pretty and foolish, those who are homely and sensible, and those who have nothing to perverse them from being old maids."

HOW PROPERTY IS SAFE

There is food for the night for John D. Rockefeller, and all our modern buccaneers in the words of Minister Churchill, member of the British Parliament who, in a recent address at Edinburgh said:

The best way to make private property secure and respected is to bring the process by which it is gained into harmony with the general interest of the public. When and where property is associated with the idea of reward for services rendered, with the idea of reward for high gifts and special aptitude displayed for faithful labor done, then property will be honored.

When it is associated with processes which are beneficial, or which at the worst are not actually injurious to the common wealth, then property will be unmolested. But when it is associated with the ideas of wrong and unfairness, with the process of restriction and monopoly, and other forms of injury to the community, then I think that you will find that property will be assailed and will be endangered.

China expects a visit from Theodore Roosevelt next year. While Col. Roosevelt was president he discussed such a visit with Tang Shao Yi, the imperial ambassador who came to Washington last winter to thank this government for its generosity in remitting the 7 million dollars against China.

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Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,
Notice is hereby given that all bridges, or culverts, ditches in all trout streams brought Lakeview, Oregon must be screened with a small mesh wire screening at their head or junction with the main channel of stream. Also all dams or obstructions on said streams must be provided with fish ladder, or the easy means of passing, at or near the middle of the main channel, so as to allow the passage of trout at all times of year, as provided by law. Said work to be done at low water time, or to be completed by Feb. 7, 1899.

By order of J. A. Borlum,
Special Deputy Fish Warden for
Lakeview, Oregon.

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