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THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1908.

**GOVERNMENT SPY SYSTEM**

We are going to have more investigations, more inspectors. The railroad companies are going to get it now. Only a comparatively small number of inspectors can be employed for the \$350,000 authorized in the sundry civil appropriation bill to be expended by the Interstate Commerce Commission investigating the railroad companies. Of course it was a very unrighteous thing to say anything against this proposition. Members of congress realized that they would be marked as corporation men when they raised their voices against enlarging the army of secret spies authorized in this appropriation. But the railroad companies must be investigated. The people know in their own minds that the railroad corporations have been doing great wrong and so we are turning loose inspectors to find out about this wrong doing. We are going to employ men who are willing to work for \$1,500 a year to pass upon the business methods and transactions of men who are drawing salaries from \$5,000 to 50,000 a year. I will not say because a man gets \$50,000 a year he is so much better than anybody else, but the corporations employing him think that his experience and knowledge are worth that sum.

To this extent the employment of the cheap man to investigate the railroad companies is a great deal like sending uninformed postoffice inspectors to investigate and pass upon the business methods and the condition of a great banking institution. There is a danger that the railroad company inspectors, like the postoffice inspectors, will feel bound to "make a case." It has been shown that whenever you turn detectives loose upon public or private business affairs they will make a case against the person or institution.

Another feature of this proposed expenditure which is interesting, although the people might not feel it, is that the expenses in the future will run into millions. The \$350,000 will not go very far in inspecting and investigating the books, the papers and business methods of the railroad companies of the United States. In five or ten years we will probably have a swarm of these inspectors that will cost as many millions as now expended for detectives and such operators in other branches of the government.

It is no doubt a wise provision that the Interstate Commerce Commission should have power to make investigations and compel the production of books and papers of railroad corporations. They are public service institutions and the public should be protected, but it appears to me that the method of sending uninformed men to make this investigation is a rather crude way of doing business. The general suspicion which attaches to the secret spy system has to a certain extent made people fear that the injection of a similar system into the Interstate Commerce Commission business of the country may prove very harmful.—Arthur Wallace Dunn in Woman's National Daily.

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**A Man of High Degree.**

[Original.]  
Arthur Leighton at school constantly led his classes. His father was poor, and Arthur's prospects for getting more than a school education were not encouraging when an aunt died and left him an annuity of \$2,000 so long as he remained a student in a university which she designated.

Arthur was eighteen and a half when he entered college. He passed a splendid examination and was picked out for head of his class. His friend Edwin Tyler, entered the same year, managed to scrape through the entrance examination and was picked out for the foot of the class. At the high school from which the two young men went to college was Beatrice Ford, a young lady of sixteen, to whom both were devoted. The brilliant Leighton, however, was far in the lead, and there was an understanding between him and Beatrice that when he was graduated they should be engaged.

During the first year Arthur Leighton took most of the prizes offered, while Ned Tyler barely maintained a small fraction over a rating which would throw him out of college. Tyler was somewhat prominent in athletics, but he was especially interested in class politics. Not being sufficiently scholarly to warrant his appropriating any of the "appointments" to himself, he distributed them among those supposed to be fitted for them. Indeed, he was what might be called the class "boss." But in the middle of the second year even this ignoble distinction was denied him, for he was caught one night hoisting a calf into the telfry and expelled.

Leighton was graduated at the head of his class. He had spent every vacation with Beatrice Ford, had corresponded with her and on his graduation they became formally engaged. Arthur was very much puzzled in the choice of a career. He was so versatile, he seemed fitted for so many different fields, that he was drawn in as many different directions. When the summer had passed he had not decided. If by the first of October following he did not return to college he would make up his mind as to his future course. Had there been a law school at his alma mater he would have become a lawyer, for he could have studied the profession there, receiving the annuity. But there was no law school at the university, and by the terms of the will he must study there, and there only.

Meanwhile Ned Tyler continued his downward course—so some of his friends expressed it—by hunting up scraps of news and selling them to newspapers. There seemed only one occupation lower than this, and he fell into that too. He became a political ward manager. He had the while been steadfast in his love for Beatrice Ford, though she was preoccupied with his rival. One day after an election she saw his name in the list of successful candidates for the legislature. "How fortunate," she said, "that I chose Arthur! I always feared that Ned would 'go down hill.'"

At the end of another year Leighton found himself in a position to lose the benefit of his course of study unless he finished it, which would take another year. Besides, the moment he ceased to be a student at the university his income would cease. He consulted with Beatrice, who declined to advise him. He continued the course, and when the second year was finished, being still in the same position, took a third year.

Beatrice did not lack decision, and when Arthur entered for the third year his postgraduate course she broke the engagement. This nearly broke his heart as well, but he was getting too old to study a profession, had no taste for business, and his only way of making a living seemed to be by remaining a student. The consequence was that when the seventh year of his studies expired he entered for the degree of bachelor of philosophy, which required an additional five years' course.

Meanwhile Edwin Tyler, being obliged to get up on his feet occasionally and talk to his fellow legislators, gradually attained the reputation of saying more to the point in fewer words than any of them. He was nominated for lieutenant governor and elected. The governor died, and Tyler became governor. While he occupied the latter office, hearing that his old sweetheart was disengaged, he proposed again.

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degrees for him to study for. He is getting gray about the temples and has bent over books so long that he stoops like an old man. The undergraduates maintain that he has been there ever since the institution was founded, two or three centuries ago.  
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**Republican Candidates**

U. S. Senator—Hon. H. M. Cke, aka U. S. Senator, is all that we can ask for in one candidate. Mr. Cke is a man of pleasing appearance, an eloquent speaker, a man that understands the political situation. While many regret that Mr. Fulton was beaten, yet we realize, by the vote Mr. Cke received in his home county that he is as popular there as Mr. Fulton was here. Mr. Cke is deserving of his party vote.

Congressman—W. C. Hawley points to his past record with pride; in fact his record is his platform.

Justice of the Supreme Court—R. S. Bean needs no special mention.

Dairy and Food Commissioner—J. W. Bailey is also a Winner.

R. R. Commissioner—T. K. Campbell is a man for the people and is entitled to the support of the entire party.

Prosecuting Attorney—D. V. Kuykendall, as Prosecuting Attorney, is practically without opposition. He is well qualified and Klamath and Lake Counties are to be congratulated on having been able to place so competent an attorney in nomination for the place.

State Senator—Geo. H. Merryman, as State Senator, is a rising young Statesman having served one term in the Lower House and demonstrated his ability.

Representatives—Our State Representatives, H. P. Belknap and H. A. Brattain, are strong candidates and will more than poll their party strength.

Sheriff—W. E. Barnes is well qualified to fill the office, having served as assessor of Lake County, also as deputy sheriff. He has a good education, is an active man, well acquainted with all the surrounding county and make an efficient officer. Vote for him.

County Clerk—C. R. Delap, as County Clerk, is well known to you all, having served this county as School Superintendent in a way that is a credit to himself. He is now serving as Deputy Sheriff of this county and is known to be a thoroughly competent man.

County Treasurer—L. Alva Lewis, as Treasurer, is well known to you all and he points with pride to his past record.

School Superintendent—J. G. Swan is a man that has been conspicuously before the public for the past five years and has accomplished wonders in educational lines. He is well fitted for the place.

Assessor—Bert E. Withrow, as Assessor, is the right man in the right place, having served a number of years in the Abstract Office and having a complete abstract of every piece of deeded land in the county, puts him in a position to better judge the value of real estate than any other man we know.

County Surveyor—M. D. Williams has been conspicuously before the public during his term of office. His work speaks for his efficiency.

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John Koonitz plaintiff, vs. Amanda Ella Koonitz defendant, suit in equity for divorce.

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This summons is served by publication in the Evening Herald, by order of Hon. Henry L. Benson, Judge of the Circuit Court for the first judicial district of Oregon, dated May 1st, 1908, which order requires summons to be published once a week for six consecutive weeks from the 1st day of May, 1908.

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