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CHAMBERLAIN'S CHANCES.

The chances of Governor Chamberlain are variously considered. Democrats close to the governor figure that he could be re-elected over Geer or Johns.

Against Dr. Withycombe they are not so sure of success, but do not concede his election.

Republican managers, or those who "used to be managers," say any man who is named can win.

Chamberlain's friends figure he can carry Multnomah county against any Republican nominee.

But efforts are making to unite the Republicans of that county more solidly than ever before.

Multnomah Republicans are in sackcloth and ashes over recent defeats of mayor, sheriff, and district attorney.

It will take the strongest possible state, district and county nominations for the Republicans to make a clean sweep.

Good campaigners will have to be put up on the congressional, state and county legislative tickets.

MR. MOORES' WITHDRAWAL.

B. Frank Irvine, who was a classmate of Hon. C. B. Moores at Willamette university, has this in the Corvallis Times:

C. B. Moores, of Salem, has withdrawn from the field as a congressional possibility. Though genial and warmhearted to a remarkable degree Mr. Moores is a man to whom the toadying, hand-grabbing and prostration of self, incident to vote-hunting, was hateful, and his intimate friends know that this had much to do with his withdrawal. In his letter announcing his purpose in Wednesday's Oregonian Mr. Moores ascribes ill health and other reasons, all of which doubtless have something to do with his determination to reform. An inference that is the outgrowth of his withdrawal is that Willis C. Hawley of Willamette university is likely to enter the field.

CHRIST AMONG HIS FELLOWMEN.

This is the title of a beautiful art booklet published by Gustav Stickley, editor of The Craftsman, Syracuse, New York.

The article was printed in the December number of the magazine and is from the pen of a new writer, Harriet Lorr.

It will be a revelation to many of the professed followers of the Christ to know that his life was altogether among the working people.

The booklet has been published at 25 cents, postpaid, and following is some of the comment on the work:

From Dr. Henry Van Dyke, Princeton, N. J. "The article entitled 'Christ Among His Fellowmen' seems to me so good in its simplicity and sincerity and depth of feeling that you are quite right in proposing to print it separately in a little book."

From Jacob A. Riis, Richmond Hill, N. Y. "I certainly never read anything that touched me more, or seemed so to lay hold of the inward spirit of our Saviour's mission to mankind 'that is heavy laden.' It came like a benediction at this season, in the strife of so many selfish interests that clash on every hand. It is a great blessing to us all."

DO NOT BURDEN THE CHILDREN.

At this season of the year, under various pretexts, there is a tendency to load charitable jobs on the school children.

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charitable institutions at Portland, UPON THE SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The Portland institutions are nearly all helped by the state, and are supported by that city, and by the churches and by rich people.

It is manifestly wrong to take the time of the children and of the teachers of the public schools for such purposes, no matter how laudable.

It is also wrong to allow the public schools TO BE WORKED FOR ADVERTISING, or correspondence schools or picture houses, OR ANY PRIVATE GRAFT.

Let us all clear our minds on this subject and regard the public school as the most important of American institutions.

Let us not allow them to be grafted any more than we would allow the American flag or the constitution to be dragged in the mire of commercialism.

A STRENUOUS GOVERNOR.

Governor LaFollette, of Wisconsin, is a man who is earnest, and believes the things he believes.

Elected senator of the United States, he refuses to qualify UNTIL HE HAS CLEANED UP THE DESK AT HOME.

He calls the legislature in special session and says to the members, gentlemen, honors do not swerve me from my sense of duty.

He demands that certain reforms be enacted before he leaves his post as governor.

He has no theories about the relative importance of the different departments of government, but WANTS THINGS DONE.

It is a fact that this government to be lifted to a higher plane of success does not need more laws and machinery but men. IT NEEDS MEN.

Men who can think, who can reflect, who can read, who have intelligence, and then men who have the nerve and the courage to act.

REMEDIAL ACTION OF ODORS.

According to the Medical Record the time is approaching when odors of all kinds, agreeable and the reverse, will be made use of in therapeutics. Already experiments of an elaborate nature have been carried on to ascertain the effect of perfumes on the human organism, and they have been found to act with great intensity on nervous individuals, "producing nervous reflexes and even vertigo." The digestive apparatus is strongly affected by odors, according to the writer, and nausea is a common symptoms of this action. Several examples are given of the action of odors. For example, "severe faintness is sometimes observed to overcome persons upon their entrance into a room in which tuberoses are kept. Headache is often produced by the odors emanating from the honey-suckle, lily, rose of Sharon or carnation. The odor of betony, in flower, is said to have caused intoxication in those who gather it. The making of insect decoctions and the triturating of roses, pinks, walnuts or colocyynth are often accompanied by attacks of syncope. Snakeroot, or black cohosh, has a faint, disagreeable odor which sometimes causes headache and nausea. The odor from freshly ground coffee produces in some individuals a sickening sensation, followed by nausea, and in rare instances vomiting, but usually it is agreeable and appetizing."

Outing for December.

At Christmas time one naturally looks for something out of the ordinary in magazine production. The illustrated magazines of America lead the world, and how near the top stands the Outing Magazine we will leave you to judge after you have looked over the December number. With its six full page color plates, it is the best and handsomest number ever issued. Every article is brilliant, full of the rugged flavor of outdoor life and intensely American.

The regular departments include Caspar Whitney's review of outdoor events with comments on the same under the title, "The View Point"; "The View Point of the Pacific Coast" by Ralph D. Paine; "The Straight Road to an Open Game in Football," by Walter Camp; "Making the Country Home," by Eben E. Rexford, and "How to Build an Altar Camp Stove and a Clay Oven," by Dan Beard.

A Hard Job.

"But," said the insurance collector, "you should do something to provide for your family after death."

"I'd like to, and will if you can show me how to provide for them while I'm living, and at the same time help to support the officials of your company in the style to which they have been accustomed."—Chicago Record-Herald

The Aftermath.

Mrs. Ferguson called her husband out to the dining room.

"George," she demanded, "who are all those strangers you have brought here to dinner?"

"The boys down at the office," he said.

"I'd like to know what this sort of performance means!"

"It means, Laura," answered Mr. Ferguson, with a look of cast iron determination on his face, "that there isn't going to be any of it left to serve up at every meal for the next six days—not this year, by jinks!"—Chicago Tribune.

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