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THE JOURNAL STANDS FOR PROGRESS, DEVELOPMENT, GOOD GOVERNMENT, AND NO DEGRADED LABOR.

LOVE.

Love's a bunch of swaying daisies bound around with ribbons blue,
Love's a peephole into heaven with you tiptoe looking through,
Love's a jar of milk and honey in a fair, enchanted elme—
You can drink from it forever and be thirsty all the time.

Love's a world-big flower garden where are butterflies a-wing,
Love's all forest aisles and shadows where enchanted songsters sing,
Love's a launching, gooing baby with the sunshine on its hair,
Love's a passport into heaven and a good-bye to all care.

Love is God's own "Open Sesame" to the good things of the earth,
Love is all things created of the most transcendent worth,
Love is born of dew and moonlight in a far-off Eden night,
Love is—love is—love is—love is—well, you bet that love's all right.
—Judd Mortimer Lewis in Houston, Texas Post.

SALEM SHOULD HAVE A CRACKER FACTORY.

This city has all the raw material, flour, water and fuel, in the cheapest form to make a cracker factory a success here.

Salem is a fine distributing point and consumes nearly enough of the products of such a factory to make it a success.

This is a class of home industries that any city can afford to help establish as they grow after once started.

The Salem Commercial club could give the matter a boost by helping secure a location and power for the plant.

All of western Oregon could be supplied with crackers from this point as a center of distribution.

Salem makes the beer and the butter and should supply the crackers to go with the rest of the free lunch counter goods.

Our city having survived the session of the legislature has a great future by establishing a few small industries of this kind.

GET IN OUT OF THE SHOWER.

The press and the people have a right to discuss the conduct of the legislature.

It has been treated very kindly and should not lose its temper IN THE SHOWER THAT IS FALLING JUST NOW.

That there was a highly organized machine dominant in at least one branch of the legislature is apparent to all.

While The Capital Journal has not agreed with all that Governor Chamberlain has done in way of vetoes. It has taken the position that it was a fortunate thing that a machine governor of like disposition with at least one branch of the legislature was not in the executive office.

If Governor Chamberlain had not withheld his vetoes until the legislature adjourned, AT LEAST ONE HOUSE WOULD HAVE PASSED ALL HIS VETOES OVER HIS HEAD.

There are Republicans who love good government outside of those who happen to be temporarily placed in position of power.

That an irresponsible machine has placed the Republican party of Oregon IN A POSITION OF DISADVANTAGE ANYONE CAN SEE.

That the machine has put the Republican party on the defensive before the people no one will dispute.

That the effect of this class of thoughtless and impulsive machine politicians will tend farther to put the Republican party out of business if not checked is plain to any man.

The conservative and anti-machine Republicans should take heart and not be swept into the vortex of irresistible partisanship—WHICH IS ALWAYS MOST MANIFEST BEFORE ITS FINAL DEFEAT.

There is a basis of good government in city, county and state affairs that can be held by the Republican party. But it is outside of the machine.

It does not sympathize with machine greed and machine domination—in the frantic desire to wield power for the sake of power and without regard to future responsibility to the people.

This is not said to reflect personally on the motives of any man but to point out that TOO MUCH MACHINE POLITICS MEANS DEATH TO THE CAUSE OF REPUBLICANISM.

The party in Oregon must travel a bit in the other direction.

HOME FOR OVERWORKED CLERKS.

An institution is needed at Salem for the poor overworked, broken-down legislative clerk.

The members hit themselves away to their homes and RECUPERATE AS FAST AS THEY CAN.

Little do they think and less do they care what becomes of the unfortunate beings who have toiled night and day to make legislation possible.

Toiling as they do for a mere pittance, wearing themselves away to the bone, WHAT ARE THEY TO DO WHEN THE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS?

No one will pay them \$5.00 a day now as experts and for all their experience, with smiles and pleasant looks thrown in.

A state institution job should be provided at least on half-pay with no work, as THEY HAVE BEEN ACCUSTOMED TO HALF-WORK WITH FULL-PAY.

It would not be safe to pass such a bill at present, but we look for such a home to be provided some day by a legislature that will do its duty.

The people are tired of being held up by a job of CHEESE-PARING AND PARSIMONIOUS LAW-MAKERS.

Oregon should send more young men to the legislature who will make provision for the down-trodden impoverished and over-worked clerk.

They should not be compelled to go to work for a living AS MANY OF THEM WILL NOW BE COMPELLED TO DO.

The grange should take up this movement to provide a resting place for these victims of legislative industry!!!

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN OREGON.

At the close of the session a member of the house of representatives asked the editor of this paper to tell him frankly how that body compared with previous ones.

It was a direct and leading question and could not be answered in justice to the feelings of the gentleman WHO HAD ASKED THE QUESTION AND SO IT WAS EVADED.

Of the sixty members 59 were Republicans. Yet on all vital issues like the appointment of the railroad commission, the normal schools, and other live wire propositions THEY DIVIDED ALMOST EVENLY.

This shows that the Republican Party is just as capable of following good leadership in the direction of economy and popular government as it is of going the other way.

This is not saying that the legislature was not an honest, honorable and well-meaning body of representatives of the people.

But there is a wide range of opinions as to what should be the limit

of political action, and WHETHER SUCH ACTION IS BROADLY UN-SELFISH OR NARROWLY SELFISH.

Now it is easy to imagine a Republican governor who would sit in the executive office and do very much as Governor Chamberlain has done.

The machine part of the party that is looking for places and plunder would roar at such a Republican governor just as they roar at Chamberlain, called a Democrat.

Yet the right kind of a Republican governor would win the support of the people JUST AS GOVERNOR CHAMBERLAIN WINS THEM FOR DOING RIGHT.

The Republican party has learned from afar off that new standard of political honesty are being erected in the interest of the people.

The Capital Journal wishes to quote to Oregon Republicans a few words from the lips of Governor Hughes of New York.

They come across the country by Associated Press, and no one can say THEY ARE DEMOCRATIC EDITORIALS IN A REPUBLICAN PAPER.

Now let all Republicans who love good government better than mere political grafts, take Governor Hughes appeal to heart.

(Associated Press Report.)

In the course of a speech at the dinner of the Albany County Republican organization Governor Hughes warned the Republican party with special reference to New York state. AFTER SHOWING HOW REPUBLICAN PLURALITIES IN THIS STATES HAD DECREASED UNTIL AT THE LAST ELECTION THE ENTIRE REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET WITH ONE EXCEPTION WAS DEFEATED. Mr. Hughes said the Republican who fails to realize the significance of these figures is paying little attention to the demands of the people and the relation of these demands to party success. It was clearly evident, he declared, that on state issues the Republican party would be doomed to defeat unless it gave

NEW ASSURANCES TO THE PEOPLE OF ITS CAPACITY TO GOVERN IN THEIR INTEREST. He continued:

If the Republican party expects to succeed in this state, it must support every effort to give efficient administration. No man is a friend of the Republican party who asks me or anyone in authority TO APPOINT A MAN OR TO RETAIN A MAN WHO IS NOT EQUAL TO HIS JOB. If you want a strong party organization, let it be insisted on that no man can expect the support of the organization WHO DOES NOT MAKE GOOD.

I make no request for personal support. As far as I am personally concerned, my interests lie in a profession to which I should be glad to devote myself. But I am desirous that THE REPUBLICAN PARTY SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ITS OPPORTUNITIES to convince the people that it can be trusted to meet their demand in furnishing competent administration of every department of government and in the enforcement of the laws and in the enactment of the legislation that is required TO PROTECT THE PEOPLE AGAINST THE MISUSES OF THE PRIVILEGES THEY HAVE BESTOWED.

Let us put an end to graft and to favors to special interests; let us all seek to secure an administration of which all the people may be proud, and the party which has given the nation Lincoln, Grant, McKinley and Roosevelt need not fear defeat.

PUBLIC EXTRAVAGANCE.

(Daily Eugene Guard.)

There is no use wasting editorial space denouncing the late legislature for its extravagance. Nobody expected anything else, and there is consolation in the fact that only three and a half millions were appropriated WHEN IT MIGHT JUST AS WELL HAVE BEEN FIVE MILLIONS.

The taxpayers will "cuss" and toil and sweat to pay the bills, and the Portland Oregonian will print heavyweight editorials of denunciation for a time—but at the next election they will nearly all be working to send the same kind of men to Salem, leaving out probably those who voted against the biggest grafts, BECAUSE THEY ARE MINUS THE "PULL" OF BIG INTERESTS SO ESSENTIAL TO POLITICAL SUCCESS.

There is but one remedy; honest, independent voting absolutely outside of the old political parties. This can never be counted on, however, until people come to realize that graft is wrong, even though they are themselves benefited by it. A government of the people can never be better than the people themselves, AND WE HAVE BECOME A NATION OF GRAFTERS. We think it is all right for the government to do something for our own interests, or that of our relatives and friends if we are shrewd enough to put it through. It is the other fellow's graft that we want to knock into the middle of next week. TAKE SALEM'S PAPERS AND LEGISLATORS FOR INSTANCE. They were fierce watchdogs of the treasury until some Marion county appropriation came along, when they became a pack of ravenous wolves, eager to rend the taxpayer. Then there were the normal school men, who could see no virtue in appropriating money for the state university, but demanded LARGE SUMS FOR THE TRAINING OF TEACHERS. And even the governor seems to swing his glittering veto ax with more or less discretion, seldom hitting a board or commission that one of his friends would like to grace.

But these things we all know. WHAT WE NEED IS NATIONAL, AS WELL AS STATE, REGENERATION. Commercialism, with its sharp tricks and shrewd practices, is being applied to government, and increased and unequal taxation is the natural sequence. HONEST, INDEPENDENT VOTING WOULD BE AN EFFECTIVE REMEDY, but this is just as impossible a performance to a majority of the electors as regular bathing or steady work to the average hobo.

Iron Ore Discovered in Canada.
Ottawa, March 1.—A very remarkable discovery of iron ore has been made about twenty miles east of Port Arthur. The iron-bearing area,

according to geologists, averages about three miles width and six in length. It is in sheet formation and lies near the surface, so that it can be quarried, and no underground work will be necessary. Much of it lies without covering of any kind. A large number of test pits have been sunk at different points in the district, and they have shown a thickness of stratified vein running from eight to twenty-five feet. According to Thomas E. Wells, an experienced miner, who visited the place, the district can yield 200,000,000 tons of high grade ore.

A LARGE INCOME

Is not essential to success. Many of your acquaintances have received large incomes for years, yet have little or no property to show for it.

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Not of the People.
The total amount of money appropriated by the recent legislature was \$3,725,672. After paying this big bill, Oregon won't have much change left out of four million dollars. These "people's" legislatures are certainly free with the people's money.—Dallas Observer.

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Mail Carriers Resign.

Butte, Mont., March 1.—The mail carriers of this city will quit work in a body this afternoon as the request which they made for increased pay met with a point blank refusal at Washington. Two weeks ago they tendered their resignation to Postmaster Irwin stating they would quit work today unless the government saw fit to raise their pay being unable to live on the present wages. The salaries for carriers in this city are \$400 to \$500, the latter figures being the maximum obtainable after a number of years service. The carriers in their petition to Washington stated that the cost of living in Butte was higher than in any other city or town in the United States and that the cost was increasing instead of diminishing.

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Electric Chair for New Jersey.

Jersey City, March 1.—Governor Stokes having signed the bill authorizing under-sheriffs to act for sheriffs in executing the judgments of the court in capital cases, when the penalty imposed is death by hanging, announces that the law only applies to capital crimes committed prior to today, as after this date the death penalty will be electrocution conducted by the head keeper of the state prison. The latter law though passed last year did not become operative until today as no appropriation to carry into effect was made by the legislature.

Alice Roosevelt Wedding.

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