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"PUSH—DON'T KNOCK."

Upon the door I saw a sign; a wiser I never saw—
 No Median or Persian law
 Should be more rigidly enforced
 That this, from verbiage divorced—
 It's logic firm as any rock—
 Push—don't Knock."

'Twas simply meant to guide the hand
 Of those who wish to sit or stand
 Within the unassuming door
 This weight of sermon that bore.
 'Twas never meant to teach or preach
 But just to place in easy reach,
 The ear of him who dealt in stock—
 Push—don't Knock."

But what a guide for life was that—
 Strong philosophical and pat;
 How safe a chart for you and me
 While cruising o'er the restless sea;
 Push—always push, with goal in view;
 Don't knock, avoid the hammer crew;
 This rule will save you many a shock:
 Push—don't Knock."

When the door I see the sign
 I say, "Great motto, you are mine!"
 No stronger sermon ever fell
 From human lips; no sage could tell
 The hot-headed youth more nearly how
 To point his vessel's pushing prow;
 There are no wiser words in stock:
 Push—don't Knock."

—Stricklan Gillan.

SEASONABLE SENTIMENTS.

There are mighty few heroes when there are no crowds around to applaud.

A cook in the kitchen is worth two in the employment agency. It takes a clever woman to say cruel things in an agreeable manner. The more you try to please some people, THE GREATER WILL BE YOUR FAILURE.

What would the result be if we all followed the advice we give to others?

Some men are prompted to look for work merely out of idle curiosity. Drinking to drown your sorrow is feeding a fire with alcohol. Opportunity goes to come no more; but his sad ghost will haunt you to the end of your days.

WHAT MOST MEN NEED IS A SPRING TONIC FOR THE INTELLECT.

Adam could not have been a poet because poets are born, not made. It is gratifying to know that we won't need cooks in heaven.

When women hate the world, life will be one long unending house-cleaning.

How easily can we bear the sorrows of others. A jest is often the thing that will stop on the toes of truth.—The Gray Goose for March.

IMITATING OREGON.

The new state of Oklahoma is starting out right. SHE IS IMITATING OREGON.

The constitutional convention of Oklahoma adopted, in full and without change, the initiative and referendum law now in force in this state.

Thus are the sturdy reformers of the early nineties gloriously rewarded for their labors! Fifteen years after the seed was first sown by the rugged populist agitators, it is blossoming into full fruition, NOT ONLY IN OREGON, BUT IN OTHER STATES.

The names of Joseph Gaston, Dunham Wright, W. H. Galvani, W. W. Myers, Nathan Piercee and other staunch Populists who, IN THE POPULIST STATE CONVENTION AT OREGON CITY IN 1892, formally launched populism in Oregon, may not have been written in the official roster of Oregon, yet those old pioneers gave to the state its first upward impulse, from a political point of view and THE SEED THEY SOWED IS NOW RIPENING IN A MOST SUPERB HARVEST.

So lucidly reasoneth the ever-enterprising Independent Democratic East Oregonian.

CONGRESS ADJOURNED.

The Fifty-ninth congress has ceased to exist. The most important measure enacted into law during the short session was the immigration bill which was got out of limbo AS THE RESULT OF THE JAPANESE SCHOOL INCIDENT.

It happened that the bill was in conference and likely to die there as the senate was disposed to insist on an educational qualification for immigrants, which the house would not agree to.

The situation of the bill permitted its prompt passage if the two houses could agree and the agreement was reached by the abandonment by the senate of its educational clause and the insertion of the new matter empowering the President TO EXCLUDE ALIENS ATTEMPTING TO ENTER THIS COUNTRY WITHOUT PROPER PASSPORTS.

Presumably it is against the rules of both houses for entirely new matter to be inserted by a conference committee, but if so, the sentiment in congress prevented the point being raised.

Among other measures which will attract attention was the passage of THE SERVICE PENSION BILL FOR SURVIVORS OF THE CIVIL WAR, by virtue of which any soldier who served ninety days in that war can now draw a pension of \$12 a month if 62 years of age, and a larger one if older, as most of them are.

As there are no attorney's fees allowed, the applications for increase will not come so rapidly as hitherto upon the enactment of a new pension law.

EVERY OLD SOLDIER MUST LOOK OUT FOR HIMSELF, BUT THEY CAN ALL GET PENSIONS IF THEY ASK FOR THEM.

This has practically been the case since the President's order making age presumptive evidence of infirmity.

Some other measures of interest have become law at the short session, but the main record of the Fifty-ninth congress was made up in the long session, at which more important measures of constructive statesmanship were passed than at any other session of congress since the close of the reconstruction period.

Those measures have met with general approval, and the congress which has just expired will rank as one of the strongest which we have ever had.

It has been a congress of which the Republican party has every reason to be proud.

It has furnished less ammunition to opposition orators than any other congress in recent years.

Boston Auto Show.

Boston, March 9.—What is considered to be the largest and most interesting show, both of automobiles and motor boats, opened in Mechanics and Horticultural building here today. Its mammoth size is not realized until the visitor has walked from hall to hall and sees the tremendous extent of space occupied by exhibitors amounting to no less than 125,000 square feet. All available space was chartered months ago and all corners are packed to accommodate the rush. The show is attracting widespread attention among dealers in the trade and the attention of dealers and the general public is very large. It was the object of the governing board of the show to stage the exhibition more tastefully than any other show in this country and in this they have succeeded. Great sums of money were spent to attain this object, and while the total amount used for this purpose was less than that expended on the recent New York show, yet the effect is far better and much more pleasing to both the exhibitors and the visitors. Flowers are used in profusion and Miss St. with the electric lights giving for a pleasing effect to the eye that as a teachepression will long remain with a visitor. Grand hall is a veritable apple orchard, for all the cars in this department are shown beneath apple trees in full bloom. These trees were brought in from the Newton nursery and their branches are covered with masses of pink apple blossoms. The band stand in the center of the hall is supported by the trunks of apple trees. Rising from the center of the top of the stand there is a large apple tree with spreading branches completely covered with beautiful apple blossoms. Lines of electric light twine themselves around the trunks of the trees and hundreds of incandescent lamps enclosed in clusters of pink apple blossoms are suspended from the arches of the stage and around the balconies. The walls of the hall and floor are covered with shades of green, while signs are in white and gold letters. Railing are of ivory finish, with mahogany top rail, and the posts at the division of spaces support large pots of flowers electrically lighter. The power boat section of the show is very interesting for all the builders put forth their best efforts to finish the highest class boats. The western manufacturers who exhibited at the Chicago show from March 2 to 9 have duplicated their exhibits. All kinds of motor cars and wagons are to be seen and taking everything into consideration there is no doubt but the show will prove to be the most successful of its kind ever held.

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 Portland, Or., March 9.—Final locations for the Oregon Eastern, the Southern Pacific branch across Central Oregon from Natron to Ontario, have just been completed. The route selected is thoroughly practical, with easy gradients. Across Central Oregon it is 450 miles long. It is expected that construction will be begun in a few days. The line will pass through 250,000 acres of prime agricultural land waiting to be opened up.

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Washington, March 9.—The general deficiency appropriation bill carries a total of \$9,847,396 of which nearly half is for expenses incurred in the occupation of Cuba by U. S. troops. One million dollars is appropriated to meet the increased expenditures under the pension law, and \$1,921,866 is added to the budget of the postal service. For preparing plans for the new public buildings already authorized, \$300,000 is allowed, together with \$105,713 for deficiencies, other deficiencies appropriated for are: Expenses of United States courts, \$339,035; solicitors home, \$112,031; naval estimate, \$306,611; awards on Spanish treaty claims, \$258,934; judgments court of claims, \$159,157; department audited accounts. The portion of items of \$417,085 for the house of representatives and \$75,000 for the senate, is to pay the senators and members, the speaker and the vice president the increases in their salaries. Because of the salary increase the committee inserted a provision reducing the mileage allowance of senators and representatives from 20 cents a mile each direction to 8 cents.

For Morgan Testimonial.

Boston, March 9.—The performance for the benefit of the Morgan memorial which took place today was highly successful. The Methodists and Unitarians of the city joined in the project and the church, with its diversified branches, such as a co-operative store, shoe shop, carpet weaving factory, day nursery, musical and social clubs make it quite unlike any other institution in the country. The fact that it is carried on by these two denominations give it a peculiar interest and the announcement of a public entertainment met with a very ready response.

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