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THE HOME OF SPRING.
Original Spring poem by A. L. Orr.)

Says Spring to the Earth I am coming,
And I hope those dear queer little men,
Those people who call themselves poets
Will all begin scribbling again.

"Old Winter has used them so badly,
No wonder they laid down the pen,
With my warm kindly breath in their faces
They'll cheer up and praise me again.

"And when I reach beautiful Salem,
Where everyone loves me the best
Of course I will tarry and cheer them
Much longer than I do the rest.

"Willamette's my favorite valley
'Tis hard to be up and away
I mean to rout Winter entirely
Make there my headquarters and stay."

THE HOUSE OF MIRTH.

This is a book that should be expelled from the Salem public library. IT IS DEVOID OF ANY LITERARY OR ETHICAL MERIT WHATSOEVER.

The women in it are social degenerates of the fast set. The men are most lecherous cads.

The women gamble, smoke cigarettes and use drugs. THE PSEUDO-HEROINE DIES UNDER A DOSE OF CHLORAL.

They are absolutely childless immorality as it prevails in high society.

It requires the digestion of a horse to read it AND NOT BECOME DYSPEPTIC.

There is not a thrill of honest human impulse in the whole work. Scarcely near the end a fagged-out society woman has a baby put in her arms by a washerwoman.

For a wonder the child does not curl up and perish from the contact.

THE PROBLEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN OREGON.

No one can deny, from a study of the past, that the people of Oregon are willing to do what is right and just to support higher education.

The way they have supported the institutions of higher education IN THE PAST PROVE THIS.

But they have protested against the increase in the number of these institutions.

If steps had not been taken to check these institutions there would be a normal school now in HALF THE COUNTIES OF THE STATE.

The people have protested at the number and expense and educational character of these institutions.

This state has not today a first class, high-grade state normal school. THEY ARE ALL DOING MORE OR LESS OF PREPARATORY AND HIGH SCHOOL WORK.

The demand for the past four years has been to reduce the number and raise the standard.

There was no pledge so freely and commonly made by candidates for legislative offices and for state offices last spring at that.

The demand to restrict the number of these institutions at state expense found expression in the legislature of 1905 in several ways.

The Vawter bill to put all under one board of regents, put them under a business administration, AND RAISE THE STANDARDS PASSED THE HOUSE.

But in the senate the bill was killed by the senators from the normal school counties, AND LOBBYING LOCAL REGENTS FROM THE FOUR DIFFERENT SCHOOLS.

Those regents didn't want their petty local grafts abolished and helped kill the bill.

Next the people took the referendum on the appropriation bill which carried appropriations for all these institutions.

When it was submitted to a vote last spring the educational institutions made a campaign for the bill and the people in many counties VOTED IGNORANTLY TO SUSTAIN THE APPROPRIATION.

The way the bill was worded on the ballot was to maintain the state asylum, the state prison, reform school, etc. Normal schools not named.

Then the state university got out a bulletin in the fall upholding the plan of having four normal schools. THAT BRINGS THE MATTER UP TO THE LEGISLATURE OF 1907.

In that legislature the institutions that were under question were put in the saddle.

THEY WERE GIVEN CONTROL OF THE IMPORTANT COMMITTEES ON EDUCATION AND WAYS AND MEANS.

The only public institutions about which there was any question, on which the people had taken the referendum two years ago, were made houses of the situation.

THEY WERE ABLE TO DICTATE TERMS TO ALL THE OTHER INTERESTS IN THE STATE.

The state university boldly walked in and demanded and took a quarter of a million without any explanations or bill of particulars.

The agricultural college demanded more but finally knocked off about fifty thousand to escape a veto.

THE NORMAL SCHOOLS WERE VERY MODERATE IN THEIR FINAL DEMANDS. They did not get half what they first asked.

The president of the state university is busy travelling over the state trying to persuade the people that they should not resort to the referendum.

NOW THE COLD FACTS ARE THE PEOPLE OF OREGON ARE IN FAVOR OF A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF STATE AID FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.

They always have been and always will be. But they demand good business administration, and appropriations limited to actual needs.

They demand that some of the support of these institutions shall come from the tuition, as they are largely patronized by those able to pay.

The people of Oregon are not opposed to maintaining a first class normal school, or several of them, if the work IS KEPT ABSOLUTELY DOWN TO THE TRAINING OF PROFESSIONAL TEACHERS.

They realize that the state needs better public school teachers. But two-thirds of the work done at these state normals can be done at the public high schools.

THE PEOPLE OBJECT TO THE TEACHING OF GRADES AND THE DOING OF COMMON HIGH SCHOOL WORK AT THESE NORMALS AT STATE EXPENSE.

The people object to the state agricultural college and the state university doing duplicate work in engineering, mining, pharmacy, book-keeping and other branches.

They say let the state university BE THE CLASSICAL SCHOOL and the agricultural college be THE PRATICAL AND SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL.

In the mean time it might be a good thing to take the referendum on the state university appropriation just to teach them a lesson to be a little more specific in their demands for public money.

JUSTICE TO MR. TRILL.

The Capital Journal does not hesitate to declare that a rank injustice has been done to Wallace G. Trill, of Willamette University.

Without proof he was branded before the world as a falsifier and pretender. A PURLOINER OF STOLEN IDEAS.

He was heralded in the newspapers as having confessed to committing the literary offense of having taken 300 words by false pretense.

SO FAR NO PROOF HAS BEEN MADE PUBLIC. The committee that accused him of this have not been willing to submit the matter to the public.

Yet a young man, without proof, and without confession on his part, IS PILLORIED BEFORE THE PUBLIC AS A MALEFACTOR.

The Portland newspaper that has done this should be sued for libel. It advertised Mr. Trill before the world in a most libellous manner.

That is an outrage on a private citizen whose good name and reputation should not be thus degraded before the public.

Such a newspaper will never retract, will never undo the injury done this young man. IT HAS OUTRAGED DECENCY IN THIS CASE and will not restore to him the good name and reputation that have been destroyed.

It has done so in many instances and has never retracted a libel or slander it has once promulgated. It should be compelled to "make good" in hard cash.

HELP EDIT THE PAPER.

The editor of this paper is not proud. He does not know it all.

New Books at Salem Public Library.

General Sherman—Memories, two volumes.

Reed—Spinner in the Sun.

Malet—For Horizon and Sir Richard Calmady.

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Barrie—Sentimental Tommy.

Neymay—A Gentleman of France.

Norris—Union of the Lady Letty.

Kipling—Many Incentives.

Crane—Red Badge of Courage.

Allen—Reign of Law.

Jackson—Nelly's Silver Mine.

Blackmore—Purlyerons.

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Von Suttner—Lay Down Your Arms.

Irving—Bracebridge Hall. Tales of a Traveller. Conquest of Granada.

Legend of Sleepy Hollow.

Crochett—Lilac Sunbonnet.

Phillips—The Tart.

Deland—Oakleigh.

Ward—Lady Rose's Daughter.

Hubert—Inventors.

Greeley—Explorers and Travelers.

Smith—Wealth of Nations.

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