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

THE TIME AND PLACE.

Here in the heart of the world,
Here in the noise and the din,
Here, where our spirits were hurled
To battle with sorrow and sin.
This is the place and the spot
For knowledge of infinite things;
This is the kingdom where thought
Can conquer the prowess of kings.

Plunge in the thick of the fight,
There in the street and the mart,
That is the place to do right,
Not in some cloister or cave,
Not in some kingdom above.
Here, on this side of the grave,
Here should we labor and love.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

MAKE IT A POPULAR LOAN.

The city charter amendment carried by a big majority and the council are now authorized to issue $300,000 in bonds with which to install a municipal water plant.—Engene Daily Register.

Having employed the initiative and referendum to amend their charter to secure public ownership of their light and water plant, the people of Eugene should **GO A STEP FARTHER AND LET THE PEOPLE OWN THE BONDS.**

That plan has been tried three times at Salem and has worked perfectly. The people will take the bonds of the community if given a fair opportunity and the interest will remain at home.

Money is cheaper today right at home in the cities of Western Oregon than it is in New York or Boston.

There is so much money in the banks of the western Oregon cities that people do not know what to do with it.

The banker knows what to do with it. He carries daily balances in the larger cities of the east **AND GETS INTEREST.**

It is really wisdom for the western banker to thus place his surplus funds and scatter them.

He has them where he can draw on them when needed, but the eastern banker uses the money **TO BUY WESTERN BONDS.**

Then the western depositors are taxed to pay interest on bonds bought with their own money, and the interest is sent east.

The popular loan reverses this and the money of the depositors is invested in the home bonds **AND THE INTEREST STAYS AT HOME.**

IT IS AS PLAIN AS THE NOSE ON A MAN'S FACE.

While the people of Eugene will probably have to pay six per cent interest on their own bonds if sold in New York, they can carry them themselves at five per cent and keep the interest at home.

Their non-interest-bearing bank deposits can be made to earn them something and **STRENGTHEN THE CAUSE OF HOME GOVERNMENT.**

They will become stake holders in their municipal affairs and interested in the good working of the enterprises they have launched.

If the interest bearing bonds are placed in New York the non-resident bond-holder will only resort to the courts if his interest is not forthcoming.

HE HAS NO LOCAL INTEREST IN GOOD ADMINISTRATION.

In twenty years Eugene will pay $320,000 interest to New York. If sold at home at 5 per cent in twenty years they will receive $30,000 interest at home, distributed to the the smaller capitalists.

A GOVERNMENT RAILROAD.

A special from Oottawa says the Canadian Intercolonial railroad will close this fiscal year with even a larger surplus than last year, though the wage increase has added $200,000 **TO THE COST OF OPERATING THE ROAD.**

THE EARNINGS HAVE GREATLY INCREASED.

The station houses on the Intercolonial are constructed on a grand scale.

If the city of Salem were on that government owned railroad it would have a station house **LIKE THE SALEM POSTOFFICE.**

Yet with an increase in wages of employes the Intercolonial railroad earns greater sums than ever.

The people of Canada were very wise to build their own transcontinental railway.

Instead of allowing men like Harriman to hold them up for fabulous sums, **THE GOVERNMENT EARNS REVENUES.**

The example of a few roads like the Intercolonial will go far to bring about government ownership.

NOW IS THE TIME TO STRIKE FOR SALEM.

The eyes of the whole northwest are upon Salem, Oregon.

Thousands upon thousands of immigrants are coming to the coast **AND ALL ARE ASKING ABOUT SALEM.**

Now is the time to strike for the building of the best interior residence and school city on the Pacific coast.

Salem is the finest residence city **IN THE NORTHWEST—NATURALLY.**

Salem has the finest school system in the northwest.

Salem has the best and most perfectly equipped high school **IN THE NORTHWEST.**

Willamette University has a better law department, a better medical school and a better school of music than any college or university in Oregon.

THERE ARE NO VACANT HOUSES OR STORES IN SALEM.

All new ones building are spoken for in advance.

ALL REAL ESTATE IS ADVANCING. But much is still to be had for a song.

Members of the city council who take progressive views make no mistake.

ALL SALEM NEEDS IS TO STAND FIRMLY FOR PROGRESS.

Have confidence in yourselves and your city, gentlemen.

Pave at least **THREE PRINCIPAL STREETS FOR AT LEAST TEN BLOCKS EACH** this coming year.

Vote down obstructionists and knockers.

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Put men in the city offices who pay their bills, who do not have to work pulls to make a living or keep in office.

Make Salem the greatest and best **RESIDENCE CITY ON THE PACIFIC COAST.**

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Napoleon Bonaparte

showed, at the battle of Austerlitz, he was the greatest leader in the world. Ballard's Snow Liniment has shown the public it is the best liniment in the world. A quick cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, Burns, Cuts, etc. A. C. Pitts, Rodessa, La., says: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family and find it unexcelled for sore chest, headache, corns, in fact for anything that can be reached by a liniment." Sold by D. J. Fry.

Afflicted with Sore Eyes for 33 Years

I have been afflicted with sore eyes for 33 years Thirteen years ago I became totally blind and was blind for six years. My eyes were badly inflamed. One of my neighbors insisted upon my trying Chamberlain's Salve and gave me half a box of it. To my surprise it healed my eyes and my sight came back to me.—P. C. Earle, Cynthiana, Ky. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

It is Different Now.

We do not know whether the Japanese have a sense of humor. Our jokesmiths have taught us that the English have not. As for ourselves, we know that that sense is highly developed.

It is only a few weeks since the fire-eaters of Japan were spouting blue blazes and brimstone fumes over the barbarous treatment of their countrymen by the American savages of the Pacific coast. These savages refused to allow full-grown Japanese men to attend schools where they would sit beside little girls and boys, but provided for them a separate school, where they might be educated at public expenses. A few of them went so far as to break a window in a Japanese restaurant and to call docile and peace-loving Japanese hard names.

All Japan was in a ferment over these barbarities. Many were demanding that the nation be called to arms to tame the savages of America and to teach them a needed lesson in international good manners and justice.

Then a mob appeared in the territory of the friend and ally of Japan, attacked Japanese residents and destroyed thousands of dollars worth of their property. It was a mob composed of subjects of Great Britain, and it carried its racial prejudice to greater violence than did the stone-throwing hoodlums of San Francisco. By comparison, in fact, San Franciscans were mild mannered in their treatment of the Japanese.

Instead of setting the Japanese nation aflame with indignation the news from Vancouver, we are informed, was received with calmness and there was no talk of war. Far from it.

The subjects of Great Britain were not to blame at all for the unfortunate affair. The whole fault was with the bad Japanese, who would not behave. We learn this from one of the Japanese newspapers a short time ago so bitter even to warfare against the barbarous Yankee.

This newspaper quotes a high Japanese official and assures its readers that the Japanese of Vancouver are the "roughest and rowdiest he has ever seen." They are "totally ignorant of common politeness, and he did not wonder that they had become objects of hatred." The "presence of such characters could only arouse the enmity of their neighbors," he declared.

If the honorable Japanese will be so gracious now as to pardon us, we shall continue to laugh.—Pittsburg Leader.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guranteed by J. C. Perry's drug store, 50c and $1.00 Trial bottle free.

Just Suited Him.

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Americans Fail as Athletes.

"The Failure of Americans as Athletes" is the somewhat surprising title of a contribution to the October number of The North American Review by Charles E. Woodruff. The American team won more events at the last Olympic games as will be remembered, than the team of any other nation, and(in view of that fact, it would seem that Mr. Woodruff's contention has no support in fact. But he examines history and relations of the members of the team, and finds that, where the successful members were not actually born in other countries, as some of them were, they were in many cases, sons and grandsons of immigrants. In light of these facts, he questions whether we are in this country to evolve a new type of humanity of exceptional physical vigor, and he expresses the opinion that, if we are to keep pace with other peoples, the blood of the nation must be constantly recruited from northern Europe. He says;

"Of the native-born, the majority of the families are of short residence and should be really classed with the foreign-born, as their ancestors had so recently arrived in America. For instance, W. H. Kerrigan, third in the running high jump, was born of Irish and English parents; Archie Hahn, winner of the 100-meter sprint, was born of a German father and a native-born mother of Welsh parentage; James D. Lighthody, winner of the 1500-meter run and second in the 800-meter run, has a Scotch father and a native-born mother of Welsh parentage; C. M. Daniels, winner of the 100-meter swim, is native-born of the second generation, his grandfathers having been Scotch and Welsh; Edward C. Glover, third in the pole vault, is native-born of the second generation, his grandparents coming from Wales and Scotland; Ray C. Ewry, winner of the standing broad and high jumps, is of the third generation, two great-grandparents being foreign-born; F. R. Moulton, second the 100-metre sprint, is a native-born Kansan of the fifth generation, and R. G. Leavitt, winner of the 110-meter hurdle, is a New Englander of the ninth generation from England."

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Mutilated by Kick of a Horse.

With his face horribly disfigured, his front teeth sticking into the roof of his mouth, with blood smeared through his hair, and in a half conscious condition, says the Walla Walla Bulletin, La Vern Edson of Pasco, walked into the Walla Walla hospital this morning, the victim of a bad horse, having sustained his injuries yesterday afternoon while at work with a threshing crew in the Eltopia country. The young man was taken to his home in Pasco late last night and was brought to this city this morning for medical treatment. Although he was carried from the Northern Pacific depot in an ambulance, he refused to be carried into the hospital on a stretcher, and walked up the long flight of steps unflinchingly.

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