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JOE SIMON A VETO MAYOR.

Mayor Simon of Portland is to be congratulated on making a record of vetoing bills to raise salaries of city officials.

He has just vetoed a bill raising a lot of deputies from \$150 to \$175 a month.

Not one of these tax-eaters could get over half that in private life for his services.

Portland has to support a city, school and county machine of officials.

When a Machine politician plays out anywhere from a state house janitor to an United States senator, he goes to Portland and gets on the payroll.

Extravagant habits of life require three times what he is worth.

This mania to force the public to pay two prices for political services is the modern genteel holdup game of stand and deliver.

It is the profession of alleged political principles for the purpose of robbing via spoils politics.

It is a dishonest scheme to sell your time to the community at two or three prices.

There are certain offices that are indispensable and of great responsibility that should be well paid.

But when it comes to employes, clerical help, assistants, chair warmers, hangers-on and social parasites generally they should be priced in the open market, and not paid 1 1/2, 2 or 3 prices.

Mayor Simon deserves great credit for sitting down hard on further attempts to pension the rank and file of Portland's ever-growing political Coxey's army.

It will not make him popular with this class but this never-ending leeching the life out of the taxpayer has got to stop sometime.

NOT A CHRISTIAN ATTITUDE.

Dr. Rader of the Pacific Coast Christian Advocate told a number of Methodist ministers that Christian Science was one of the modern substitutes for the Christian religion.

The other ministers agreed with him in this condemnation.

He followed his charge with an argument of an abstruse metaphysical character, that was at once clear, lucid and ambiguous.

This claiming to have a monopoly of what is "true religion" is as old as the hills.

The Methodist gentleman who is also editor of a newspaper has two cracks at the rest of the world on this matter.

He can preach in the pulpit without refutation and then write down all other religions as false in his denominational paper without contradiction.

His utterances are "obiter dicta," and his "dicta" must be accepted as orthodox and thus the Christian Scientists are swept off the face of the earth, theologically speaking.

We have never heard or read of Christian Scientists condemning other religions or churches.

In this mental attitude they are more truly Christian than those who condemn them.

The main facts and truths of Christianity are so well established in this age that they require no self-constituted vice-regent or self-appointed pettifogging for their protection.

The main stock in trade of some so-called theologians seems to be condemnation.

Yet the Bible tells us to judge not lest we be judged, and "to hold no man in condemnation."

If there is anything unchristian, or unlike Christ, it is to condemn other seekers after Truth.

Even to the woman taken in sin Christ said: I condemn thee not; go thy way and sin no more.

The secret sins of her accusers he wrote in the sand and they fled.

He did not even name them. He did not connect sin even with the Pharisees.

He spoke gently to the erring one, and his only censure was for the hypocrites and the Pharisees.

It is to be regretted that in this day and age of the world there is so much display of bigotry and intolerance in matters of religious opinion.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

An Eastern Oregon fruit grower has hit on a novel scheme to insure a peach crop this season. He intends to decorate his trees with Christmas candles, and then if by any chance a late frost should come, he figures that the frost will pass them by, thinking they are Christmas trees.

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ASTRALIAN CHAMPION TO FIGHT HERE

Bill Lang, the Australian champion heavy weight, will be given his first bout in America here by Louis Blot, the new fight promoter of San Francisco, says Blot that he is planning to match Lang with either Sam Langoford or Al Kaufman.

The Australian is on his way here and is expected to arrive next month. Blot has been trying to bring Billy Papke here for a battle, but Papke has a little engagement in Paris, and now Blot is figuring on pulling off a heavyweight mill with Lang as a drawing car.

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SALVATION ARMY EXPECT TO SUPPLY WIVES FOR FARMERS

New Westminster, B. C., Jan. 26.—Hundreds of settlers on the prairies of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are to be supplied with wives if the efforts of the Salvation Army of Canada are successful, according to Commissioner Coombs, head of the organization, who is here today. Coombs states that the trained officers of the Salvation Army are now in Great Britain, engaging young women to emigrate to the Dominion, ostensibly to become servants, but in reality to become the

wives of lonely bachelors on the plains. Ten officers, he stated, had been sent to the mother country for the purpose, and the girls would come out in the spring.

"There are said to be a million more women in Great Britain than men," said Commissioner Coombs, "and we will draw on this great surplus. On the prairies of Western Canada there are many more men than there are women. The girls will be given employment in the homes of the married settlers, but

if they should happen to find husbands before long, that would be a happy circumstance for all concerned, except, perhaps, the mistress, and we would make it our business to supply her with other girls."

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