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### THE MACHINE WON

L. J. Simpson of Coos Bay was defeated in his race for governor, but he made a splendid fight and a showing of which anyone might well feel proud. Had he got in the race a month earlier instead of at the last minute the story might have been different the morning after election. His campaign met with enthusiastic reception everywhere and the element of time was all he needed to bring him in ahead of the string. As it was he was but a few thousand votes behind Olcott and had half the vote given Withycombe. The latter had everything in his favor and his manager whoever he was surely did some fine political work. Besides, the governor has been devoting most of his time since the last election in building up a machine to re-elect him. He built a strong one, and it carried him through. His defense of Kerr, by his refusal to expose him or to act in the interest of the state by refusing to grant him a \$1,400 raise of salary, made Kerr and his strong machine solid for him, its appointees as county agricultural agents whom the county courts pay and Kerr appoints, missed no opportunity to work as diligently at least for the re-election of the governor as they did in the interest of the farmer. On top of all the well circulated falsehood that the "boys in France wanted him" had a great effect. No doubt some of the boys in the trenches, favored Withycombe, just as the citizens at home did, but there was no great demand for his re-election coming from them. It was a clever bit of political trickery and it helped. It remains to be seen if he can run the second heat as well.

### SOME IGNORER ITSELF

"The campaign having come to a close and the war news being stale, dull and unprofitable, we find casual diversion in the antics of the mad mullah of the Capital Journal." So says the Oregonian and after quoting an editorial from the Journal criticising it, it adds in concluding its effort: "But the Salem writer is happiest when he may deal only with his strange fancies and vicious prejudices and ignore facts." The last sentence coming from the editor of the Oregonian is the limit. Ignoring facts is the special prerogative of the Ahkoond of Swat, who reigns supreme under the big tower. An example of this is still fresh in the public mind when after putting up a job to help President Kerr of the O. A. C. get his salary increased \$1,400 a year, or at least being responsible through its news columns for the movement, it suddenly became as silent as the tomb concerning the matter when the camouflage was torn aside and the dirty trickery exposed. It ignored this damning fact from the time it was made public, and has never mentioned it since that time nor has it answered charges that it was connected with the scheme. The trouble with the leading writer of the Oregonian is that he has the autocratic traits of the kaiser, and the system of terrorism employed by the Huns, of making itself feared by the balance of the state press by ruthless, sneaking submarine tactics. It fires its torpedo and dives to hide under its own silence.

Jess Willard has gone back to his farm and there is no fight in him. He is the most thorough fake champion that ever wore the belt and disgraced the title. What a difference between such a "champion" and Sullivan, Sam Langford, Dempsey, Corbett or Johanson. These were not afraid to defend their title and were ready to meet all comers at any time. Willard has dodged ever since winning on a fluke and he is still dodging.

The democratic ticket was short and easily voted. In this county there was not a candidate for any office below the governor until that of justice of the peace was reached.

Oswald West wants a campaignless election. Why not go the limit and make it voteless.

## LADD & BUSH, Bankers

Second Installment of Twenty Per Cent on Third

Liberty Bonds will be due May 28, 1918.

## Rippling Rhymes

by Walt Mason

### THE HATRED STUNT

They tell us not to hate the Teut but rather pity the galoot. And when this grisly war was young, some rhymes along that line I sprung; I said that hatred is a crime, and boomed a charity sublime. I fear I'm not so saintly now; I have no halo on my brow. There's so much evidence that Teuts are heartless and inhuman brutes who butcher children with their blades, and strike down dotards, wives and maids, that I can't love them as I should, if I were really, truly good. I cannot say, "Their hearts are right, though like the cheapest sports they fight." That was the line I took at first, ere I swore off on liverwurst; I said the poor chaps were misled, by Wilhelm, with his willow head, by all the military hordes who strut around with clanking swords. "The Teut himself," I used to say, "is but a sentimental jay, who's fond of music, art and song, and dreams mild dreams the whole day long." Now, donnerblitzen and gee whiz, we've seen the Teuton as he is, the Visigoth of ancient time, come back to wade in lust and crime. I cannot bid my doubts depart, and take the ruffin to my heart. I hate him quite as much as he, in his cheap way, is hating me. Perhaps I'll see his points again when he gets done with slaying men, but now I loathe the bloody skate, so please excuse me while I hate.



WALT MASON

### The Woman Who Changed

By JANE PHELPS

IN NEW YORK

CHAPTER LXXXII

We traveled at night. George had to be in Morelands in three days, so he said we would save time that way. Upon our arrival, he took us to the Holland House, a Fifth Avenue hotel and installed us in lovely rooms on the fourth floor. Then he said: "Have a good time—go where you please. Sleep a little, if you want to, I'll try and spend the evenings with you, but I won't be able to see you through the day. You better handle the cash, David, if you are to be the escort," he handed David a roll of bills that made the boy's eyes pop. "You don't expect us to spend all this!" he asked. "I shall be surprised if you don't need more," George replied in the tone he always used when speaking of money. "As though it didn't amount to shucks," David once said. We started right out, David and I. We visited the museums; we rode on the buses; we lunched at Sherry's; and then we took a taxi and drove through the park. When we reached our own hotel at five o'clock, we were so tired we could hardly speak. I found a note on the dresser. "I shall be able to join you, tonight. I have left theatre tickets for you at the news stand."

"David!" I called. "Come in here a minute." "What is it?" "George can't be with us, but he has left theatre tickets for us. Let's have dinner up here, then we won't have to hurry to dress." "That's the idea. We'll eat now then take our time handooming up. I wonder if he has a box, again?" "Call down and have the tickets sent up, and we'll see. If he hasn't, we won't fuss very much—oh, yes we better," I added. "We might see some of his friends and he wouldn't like it if I wasn't properly dressed." "Just as you say, Sis. I think it is silly to tog out like that, when it's just you and me. But you're the doctor."

We had just the nicest, easiest dinner imaginable. We ordered just what we liked, with total disregard for the fitness. George had given as his reason for going to the Holland House, that it had a good cuisine, even though it was an old house. We each had two dishes of ice cream after we finished, then we started to get dressed. We had plenty of time, and were rested because of the comfortable way we had had our dinner. About five minutes before we started, the telephone rang and George told me: "I'll try and come for you, Helen after the play, and we will go to some gay place for supper." "You see how right I was to dress," I said to David, after I put down the telephone. "George would have been furious if I hadn't."

"So I see."

After the Theatre.

We had two good seats in the eighth row in the orchestra. The play was lovely—a musical extravaganza. David enjoyed it immensely. George was waiting for us and took us to the Palais Royal to see the cabaret. Neither David or I had ever seen anything at all like it. It seemed so odd to have such a big show where people supposedly went for food. The place was packed, and when the people at the tables danced, I begged George to let me dance either with him or David. "No, you will not dance in any public place," he said so sternly that it almost brought the tears to my eyes. He had really been so kind for two days that I felt the sting in his tone more than I did when he was consistently severe. "He don't make you do what please him, or anything," David remarked as George left us a moment to speak to an acquaintance—a man accompanied by the loveliest woman I ever had seen. "That woman's a lolly-pop!" David said, following my look. "What a name for a woman!" I laughed. "She's lovely!" "A lolly-pop's sweet, and she's sweet enough to eat. So what's the matter with the name?" "What a lovely woman!" I said to George, when he returned. "She is as charming as lovely," he said. I knew he meant her manager. (Tomorrow—Sight Seeing Again)

### AMAZING CALM

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the Oise. These comprise two thirds of their entire army and total in round numbers 1,080,000 men, including 7,120,000 infantrymen. This mass, which includes all the divisions the Germans were able to reorganize and reform after their March offensive, is divided into five great armies as follows: The Fourth Army, comprising seven divisions (84,000 men) between the North sea and Ypres, commanded by Von Armin; the Sixth Army numbering 27 divisions (324,000 men) between Ypres and Givenchy, commanded by Von Quast; the Seventeenth Army, between Givenchy and Buequoy, commanded by Von Buelow; the Second Army between Buequoy and Moreuil, commanded by Von Dermarwitz, and the Eighteenth Army, between Moreuil and Noyon, commanded by Von Butler.

The last three armies, comprising 48 divisions (576,000 men) make a total of 82 divisions (984,000 men) in the front line between the sea and the Oise. Fifty eight divisions (696,000 men) are stationed in reserve behind these for the purpose of feeding the attack—when once launched—and filling up the losses.

There is every indication that the coming resumption of the offensive will have the same objectives as the first—to threaten Amiens; to cut the Amiens-Clermont railway; to force the evacuation of the Ypres salient and to separate the main British and French armies, thus forcing an evacuation of northern France and permitting the establishment of a new line from the mouth of the Somme to Noyon, by way of Montdidier.

The Germans thus would realize their long cherished dream of submarine bases on the channel from which they could menace the allies' maritime traffic. Against this dream the allies united command has taken every precaution and is awaiting with supreme confidence the coming drive.

**Australians Win**  
London, May 20.—Australian troops captured the village of Ville-Sur-Are, north of the Somme, in a surprise attack Saturday night, taking 250 prisoners and twenty machine guns. The Australians casualties were light. Field Marshal Haig said in his night report: "Regarding this operation, the Ger-

### West Proposes Campaign Without Any Campaign

By Oswald West

Democratic Nominee for U. S. Senate  
The light vote cast at the recent primaries should convince any one with a reasonable amount of intelligence that the ambitions of any candidate for office are commanding the attention and thought of the great mass of the people. The thought and activities of the people are centered on winning the war for they are fast coming to a full realization of what a failure of our arms would mean. They are rightfully demanding loyalty and patriotism to the fullest measure.

**Fits Duty Owed Country**  
Those who have gone to the front and are offering their lives on the field of battle have a right to demand and obtain from those of us who, by reason of age or other causes, have been left at home every possible aid and assistance. In view of this we should regulate our activities so as to render the best possible service to our country, our flag and our president. No candidate for office can free himself from this obligation and it should govern his conduct in the campaign.

**Are Lifelong Friends**  
Senator McNary has been honored by the republican party with the nomination for United States senator and I have received a like honor at the hands of the democratic party. While of the opposite political faith, we have been lifelong friends and although a chain of circumstances has made us opposing candidates for the same high office I am sure neither wishes to ride in the glittering chariot of success over the fragments of a shattered friendship.

**Neither Can Afford Campaign**  
A long and active campaign calls for sacrifices in time, money and health, which neither of us can well afford. The time and money had better be spent in other directions. When dollars are so badly needed to care for our sick and wounded on the field of battle, it seems almost criminal to scatter them to the winds in a political campaign. We have both served the people in public office. Friendly newspapers have spoken kindly of our good qualities, and unfriendly ones have pointed out our weaknesses. The people therefore are fairly well advised as to our qualifications.

**Do Away With Campaigns**  
In view of this situation, let us join in making this a unique senatorial contest. Let us be able to report no receipts or expenditures, either by our selves or by our friends. To this end let us do away with personal campaign headquarters and political managers, also with advertising and speechmaking. Such an arrangement would let the senator free to devote his entire time to his senatorial duties and me to engage in some war activity. We both would thus be rendering the best possible service to our country.

Should this proposal meet with approval at the hands of the senator, I will be pleased to join in carrying it out. The people would thus be left free to choose a senator in their own way.

### SENATOR SMOOT

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cleared or until they were found to be involved in some wrong doing. The present plans call for separating the air service from the equipment service and this will involve a considerable reorganization of personnel in the equipment section, the creation of separate finance and supply divisions in the air division.

The flying group will determine the types of planes required and the equipment division will see to it that they are equipped and produced.

**New Diver Boats**  
London, May 20.—The greatest portion of the German submarine and torpedo craft, formerly operating from bases in Flanders, has been mobilized in Bruges, the British admiralty announced today.

The announcement is accepted as meaning that the blocking of Ostend and Zeebrugge harbors by the sinking of concrete filled ships has locked the German craft in the basin at Bruges—the interior base connected with Ostend and Zeebrugge by canals.

**Successful Raid**  
London, May 20.—Our troops conducted a successful raid in Albert sector yesterday, taking a few prisoners. Field Marshal Haig reported today: "An attempted enemy raid of Hing was repulsed with heavy losses. Hostile artillery fire increased considerably last night on the Albert-Bucquoy front."

**Russian Towns Burn**  
Moscow via London, May 20.—Towns and villages in Ukraine are in flames. General Skoropaski, self styled "Hetman" of Ukrainians, is ignored by the population which is fleeing to great Russia.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### OH! THAT AWFUL BACKACHE IT'S YOUR KIDNEY

An unhealthy body, and the unhappiness and misery which follow, may be prevented by ordinary judgment and care. Keep your stomach and kidneys in shape and you will have good health. The kidney's work is to throw off the poisonous matters which enter the body. If they perform this work regularly and automatically the other organs will take care of themselves. Diseased conditions of the bladder or kidneys are indicated by nervousness, sleeplessness, that tired, worn-out feeling, dizziness, nausea, backache, lumbago, rheumatism, pain in the lower abdomen, many so called "female troubles," severe pain and discomfort when urinating, bloody, cloudy and stringy urine, too frequent or suppressed passages. All these are nature's signals to warn you of diseased kidneys or bladder, which may lead to fatal Bright's disease.

Don't wait until the danger is upon you. Go to your druggist at once. Get a trial box of GOLD MEDAL Haarleem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarleem Oil, the kind your great grandfather used. About two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the imported age.

### German Airplanes Attempt London Raid

With the American Army in Lorraine, May 19.—Lieutenant Douglas Campbell of Mount Hamilton, Cal., brought down his second German airplane this afternoon. The fight took place at a great height. The German plane crashed into the American lines northeast of Toul.

### American Aviators Downs Second Plane

London, May 20.—Four German airplanes are reported to have been brought down during an enemy air raid on London last night. There are no details concerning casualties. Considerable damage was done to residence property, the statement said.

### NEW DRAFT BILL SIGNED.

Washington, May 20.—The president today signed the bill providing for military registration of all men who have become 21 since the first selective service enrollment.

The adjutant general's office has announced enrollment day will be June 5.

How would you like to be a mail clerk on an aerial mail train? May we soon expect to read announcement of civil service examinations for such positions? purpose of forming a protective alliance against possible German aggression in the Far East.

Every candidate for every office on the ballot is either due for a shocking disappointment or is a most cheerful and optimistic prevaricator.

### DELICATE GIRLS IN Business or School who have thin or insufficient blood or are physically frail will find

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

a rich blood-food and strengthening tonic. It is so helpful for delicate girls it should be a part of their regular diet.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Ladd & Bush Bankers

Ladd & Bush, Bankers, at Salem, Oregon, in the State of Oregon at the close of business, May 10, 1918.

Resources	
Loans and discounts	\$2,056,941.78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	174,005.54
Bonds and warrants	189,300.17
Banking house	80,000.00
Due from approved reserve banks	1,096,322.62
Exchanges for clearing house	148,147.63
Cash on hand	458,163.89
Other resources, documentary stamps	155.00
Total	\$4,113,036.53

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 500,000.00
Surplus fund	25,990.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	46,235.84
Due to banks and bankers	209,147.99
Individual deposits subject to check	2,495,725.82
Demand certificates of deposit	9,380.06
Cashier checks outstanding	1,120.55
Certified checks	13,971.30
Time and savings deposits	812,574.34
Total	\$4,113,036.53

State of Oregon, County of Marion, ss,  
I, Wm. S. Walton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. S. WALTON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of May, 1918.  
Notary Public, residing at Salem, My commission expires Nov. 23, 1919.  
Correct Attest:  
A. N. BUSH,  
ASHAEL BUSH,  
Directors.