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O Earth! Thou hast not any wind that blows That is not music. Every weed of thine, Pressed rightly, flows an aromatic wine; And every little hedgerow flower that grows And every little brown bird that doth sing, Has something greater than itself, and bears A living word to every living thing. Albeit it holds the message unawares, All shapes and sounds have something that is not Of them. A spirit broods amid the grass; Vague outlines of the Everlasting Thought Lie in the melting shadows as they pass; The touch of an Eternal Presence thrills The fringes of the sunset and the hills. —Richard Realf.

FOR PENDLETON'S WELFARE.

Here is something for Pendleton capitalists and property owners to remember, always: (Pendleton should be the center and objective point of any electric line system constructed in Umatilla county. This county is so situated that one system of electric roads can cover it and accommodate every settlement in the county, but the logical head and center of that line must be Pendleton.)

No plan should be adopted by which Walla Walla or any other point would be the headquarters and center of a system penetrating this country. Any scheme for the development of electric lines in this county should have its center in this city. Umatilla county will always support one good city with a dozen or more small towns as at present, and Pendleton capital should see that Pendleton is made the pivotal point.

This fact is so plain that it needs no further exploitation. An independent system of electric lines having its center in this city should be started to checkmate any tendency which would draw Umatilla county people elsewhere. This is Pendleton's duty and salvation.

UNCLE SAM'S KINDERGARTEN.

Cabrera, the unhappy president of Guatemala, seems to be between two fires, says the Spokane Chronicle. His conduct of his country's affairs at home has caused the formation of a revolutionary party, and recently an attempt was made to assassinate him.

His conduct of his country's foreign relations is said to have roused the ire of Mexico. And now, of course, finding himself between the devil and the deep sea, he has set up a wall, and asked Uncle Sam to help him out.

In the politics of the two Americas the United States is called upon to perform services much like those of a nurse or kindergarten teacher. If one of the little republics has "a pain in its little insides" Uncle Sam is asked to administer the remedy, and if two of them get to pulling hair he has, perforce, to intercede and arrange a peace.

Unfortunately he has not the privilege of administering a spanking where one would be of benefit.

WOMEN AND DEPRAVITY.

Somehow there is always a revolting suggestion in the depravity of a woman. People expect men to be depraved, it seems and the sting of their debasement is dulled by the expectation.

But somehow, whether it be through the mother-love of the races, the worship of humanity at the shrine of woman or through the idealized estimate placed upon the sex, men

expect women to be pure and high and noble and there is always an unexpected pang in the knowledge that a woman has fallen from her high pedestal.

There is something revolting in the thought that a woman could be connected with a gang of counterfeiters, as is charged against Mrs. Gordon, who was shot at Marshfield yesterday. This sort of crime seems to belong to men. This form of debasement was not intended for women.

The world has held women up so high, has surrounded them with such ideals of purity and nobleness that it seems unbelievable that they could stoop to the common depravity which curses the lives of so many men.

And yet they say a mean woman is the meanest thing on earth.

HIS FAITH IN UMATILLA.

Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, who has become identified with the development of Umatilla county through the purchase of a half interest in the Furnish irrigation project, is backing his faith in this county with his money.

He has purchased an 80-acre tract under the Furnish project, paid full price for it just as any other purchaser, and will set out the entire tract in peach and pear trees.

This land was formerly sagebrush, producing but little grass and no vegetation except the sage. It is high, dry and unimproved but lies under the Furnish ditch and needs but little leveling to make it ready for alfalfa or other forage crops.

It seems unbelievable to the old pioneers to think that this high ridge between Fosters and Hermiston should produce crops and fruits, but that is what it is doing. That very sandy loam is now being sold in small tracts and within a few years will smile with verdure and orchard bloom from end to end.

Peach and pear orchards will thrive beyond belief in that rich land and will yield thousands of dollars per acre after once at maturity. Berries will yield a handsome income and truck gardening will make fortunes for those who have the nerve to engage in that business.

The best inducement for settlers to go upon that land, however, is the fact that one of the proprietors, himself, will plant an 80-acre peach and pear orchard there and will show his faith by spending his money.

There is no way in the world by which anybody can make a mistake by settling on any of the rich lands now open for settlement in the west end of Umatilla county. The land, water, soil, climate, transportation, seasons—everything is in favor of that section.

IMITATING PENDLETON.

Talk about advertising Pendleton! Pendletonians do not need a publicity fund to secure valuable and far-reaching advertising!

Every move made by Pendleton business men for the advancement of their city and county is readily imitated by every other progressive city in the inland empire. The Pendleton stamp placed upon a movement is a sure guarantee of its worth.

Before the real estate men's organization of this city and county cooled off sufficiently to permit it to be handled, Baker City organizes a real estate men's association on the same lines. La Grande takes steps to unite her real estate dealers in a like organization and Walla Walla quietly imitates Pendleton's excellent plan.

Before the echo of Pendleton's market day auctioneer had died away on the first market day, La Grande, Dayton, Waitsburg, Baker City, Caldwell, Eugene, The Dalles, Ontario, Vale and every town of any consequence in the state and northwest, had started a market day.

THE MONEY CRANKS.

People are looked down upon because they go crazy on religion. They are ridiculed because they become cranks on invention, pet theories, literature, wine, women or song.

A good roads crank is laughed at; a fine horse crank is pointed at as a sort of excusable lunatic; a camera crank is tolerated because he is harmless; other cranks are looked upon with pity, but no one ever seeks their society or their favors.

But the money crank is never despised no matter how demented he may become. A 12 per cent money lender who talks hard times, scarcity of money, pessimism, high interest, bad notes, dishonest debtors and all such stuff continuously day after day is considered a financier of great wisdom and foresight and nobody thinks of classing him with the other cranks.

If money is a man's mania he is not considered dangerous although others far less absorbed in their fads are watched and feared.

The inexcusable extortion of the

paper trust is shown by the letters submitted to the congressional committee now investigating the prices of paper. Out of 200 papers giving evidence in the matter it is shown that nearly every one has experienced an advance of from 60 to 80 per cent in the price of newspaper since the first of the present year. These advances have been made with no other object than to extort unjust tribute from the newspapers. The price of wood pulp or any other paper making material has not advanced. It is simply a bare faced robbery on part of the trust.

The 50,000 acres of land now being brought under irrigation in the west end of Umatilla county are now worth \$5,000,000 in their present state. In five years from now they will be worth five times that sum or \$25,000,000. Are you going to share in that great increase? Are you going to enjoy a portion of that additional wealth?

No, the entire democratic party of Umatilla county did not accompany Governor Chamberlain in three automobiles to the east end of the county. "Uncle" Dick Powers remained at Weston.

HIT NEWSPAPER MEN.

It is the habit to speak of President Harrison as the "coldest" man who ever lived in the White House. Time is mellowing the bitterness of Harrison's critics, says the Editor and Publisher, and each year he grows a bigger figure in our history. It was said he could not take a joke or give one that would make men laugh with genial warmth. It is becoming known that Harrison had a fine sense of humor.

It is related that he was called upon for a speech at the first Gridiron dinner he attended. He looked around at the assembled newspaper men and observed in a quiet way: "This is the second time this week I have been called upon to open a congress of American inventors."

The shaft went home and a shout of laughter went up. Mr. Harrison went on: "I will say this for you—I have often been impressed with the accuracy with which you predict what I am going to do and still more with the accuracy with which you subsequently explain why I didn't do it."

SHORT ON JUDGMENT.

A Pittsburg judge recently threatened to prosecute the publisher of a paper because the headlines, "Blank's Lies Read to the Jurors," appeared in his paper while a trial was going on in which Blank was a witness. Although the evidence offered showed pretty plainly that Blank was a liar. The judge held that it might influence the jury. Bosh! A jury that can be influenced to form an opinion contrary to the evidence in a case simply because of a headline in a paper, is not sufficiently intelligent to serve, and a judge who does not realize that hasn't any judgment to spare.—Buckeye Informer.

No More "Soul Kisses."

A "soul kiss" of more than one second in duration will not be tolerated in Prospect park, Brooklyn, this summer, says a New York dispatch. Police Inspector O'Reilly has given imperative instructions.

"Love making in its proper place and done according to the strict code prescribed by Cupid is all right," he says, "but I object to hugging and kissing when it is carried to excess."

Captain Lawrence Murphy says he is worried over the delicate position in which his men will be led. The police are instructed to be gentlemanly on all occasions and not to be harsh with lovers. They are instructed to walk very heavy when they believe it time for a "soul kiss" to stop and may whistle, cough or slap their hands as if attempting to scare a squirrel.

Do You Think For Yourself?

Or do you open your mouth like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you?

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