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A LIVE PAPER IN A LIVE TOWN.

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IT MEANS A LANDSLIDE.

There is no gainsaying the fact that the republican leaders in New York, Ohio and Indiana are panic-stricken, and are making frantic efforts to stem the wave of sentiment upon the crest of which William Jennings Bryan is fast being carried into the presidency.

The reasons are multifold for this, but chief among them is the demand on the part of organized labor for simple justice, and that demand has been insultingly spurned at the hands of the republican party, although the demand only embodied a request for a modification of the practice of the federal courts that will permit organized labor to carry out its true aims and purposes without being haled into court, fined and imprisoned without even the right of a trial by jury, when only the national rights of peaceable assembly, freedom of speech and of the leave work or to patronize whom they wish are involved.

A second pertinent reason for the sentiment in Bryan's favor is that the time has arrived when something besides arsenic, bones, dandelions, the balm of Gilead and ice is placed upon the free list. A reform of the tariff is demanded everywhere, and what can be expected at the hands of the republican party, whose every revision in the tariff has been made at the instance of American trusts, and in each instance has been raised. Virtually all products of iron, steel and tin are today sold from 20 to 40 per cent cheaper in foreign countries than in the United States, where they are made, a state of affairs that must be changed.

The republican party has come forward with an argument which when boiled down is to the effect that the grand old party makes prosperity, but that God makes hard times. The recent industrial depression and resulting panic are militating strongly against the republicans. A million are out of work, and of these 600,000 are voters. Will the republican painted picture of a cozy home and a full dinner pail suffice to induce these voters to change their mind?

There are other reasons as pertinent, such as the bank guaranty law, election of United States senators by popular vote, Taft's personal weakness, Roosevelt's interference, dissension in republican ranks, lack of an enormous corruption fund and above all the tremendous personal popularity of the Commoner.

SOME WATER QUESTIONS.

What kind of a title does Mr. Hamilton agree to give Medford to Fish lake water, quit claim or warranty deed?

What kind of an agreement has Mr. Hamilton with the Fish Lake company authorizing him to sell its water?

Will Mr. Hamilton publish his agreement with the Fish Lake company for the sale of its water?

Will the Fish Lake company guarantee the title of its water and insure the city against loss and litigation resultant from purchasing its water from Mr. Hamilton?

Will Mr. Hamilton guarantee the title of the water he wants to sell and insure the city against litigation and loss?

Do not the Eagle Point ditch owners and other users of Little Butte water have a better title to the water than the Fish Lake company, and does not the company have to shut off water from its present ditch at the demand of these ditch owners?

Has the Fish Lake company any valid right to any more water than it is actually using beneficially, and can it give title to even this water until it has been used for ten years?

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

300 Jackson county Improvement company to Lottie L. Pelton, 8 E 1/4 of 8 W 1/4 section 15, township 36, range 2 W... 10 L. T. Burnett to Alta E. Sanders, lots 1 and 2, block 7, Ross addition to Medford... 200 Robert Whelpley to James McClanahan, 216.96 acres in section 6, township 23, range 2 E... 150 United States to Wellborn Benson, 129 acres in section 10, township 39, range 1 W... patient W. J. Warner to R. H. Taft, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 2, Kendall addition to Medford... 10 Martha Seaman to A. D. Holmes, 27.22 acres in D. L. C. 39, township 36, range 4 W... 2750 A. D. Holmes to John R. Hair, land in section 21, township 36, range 4 W... 10 M. Parlin, receiver of Medford Distilling and Refining company, to M. G. Thomas, property in Cottage addition to Medford... 3010 John H. Stewart to F. M. Stewart, half interest in lots 1 and 2, block 3, Cottage addition to Medford... 1 Ellen Sanders, guardian, to James section 6, township 33, range McClanahan, 216.03 acres in

GREATER MEDFORD

People of Medford Wake Up! Grasp the Opportunity Which Is Knocking at Your Door

Medford is now growing faster than ever known in its history. More than 100 residences are now in course of erection and many business blocks are now being erected.

There is not a vacant house or store room in town, and the demand for both is increasing daily.

Medford's rapid growth is due largely to the enormous acreage of fruit coming into bearing and the thousands of acres being planted each year.

The future growth of Medford depends largely upon the productiveness of these thousands of acres of orchards surrounding.

A failure in the fruit crop, or even a shortage, will cause widespread depression not only with the orchard men, but with the business men of Medford, whose prosperity is dependent upon the products of the orchard.

What is needed to insure magnificent crops of fruit, of good size, flavor, quality and quantity?

The answer is given by hundreds of fruitgrowers—WATER.

How is this water going to be supplied most economically and where it is needed?

Owing to the different elevations of the land and foothills surrounding Medford, there is only one practical and economical way of supplying this water and that is by PUMPING.

Owing to the enormous amount of WATER needed for irrigation, there is only one source of supply that is large enough to supply the demand in the country surrounding Medford, and that is the ROGUE RIVER.

Gravity Ditches.

Gravity ditches cannot cover all of these orchards.

First—Because it is impossible, owing to the different elevations.

Second—Because no ditch company has sufficient water.

The Condor Water & Power company can irrigate all these orchards.

First—Because it is possible to pump water to any elevation needed.

Second—Because it has plenty of water to irrigate with—the whole Rogue river.

Third—The Condor Water & Power company rates will be cheaper than any ditch company.

Opportunity.

The city of Medford has an opportunity seldom offered, a chance to get water, pure water, in larger quantity and cheaper than any other proposition.

You have only to build a ten-mile pipeline to Rogue river.

For a gravity system you have to build a line over twice as long.

The Condor pipeline will cover thousands of acres between Medford and Gold Bay and the land owners will not have to pay \$29 per acre to get it.

The water rates of the Condor company will be less than any ditch company.

Bear in mind, the prosperity of Medford depends on the orchards.

Careful, serious, conscientious investigation of the Condor Water & Power company proposition will prove that it is better for the people of Medford and the surrounding country than any other proposition.

COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editor: The reason for not signing my former communication was that I am only one of the common people, and not accustomed to expressing my opinion in public. Although at present living outside the city limits, I pay city taxes.

I would like to be shown how the \$300,000 bond issue will help me. We have spent nearly \$100,000 already, and what has the common people got out of it? Not even a job digging the ditch, and the pipes extend less than three blocks from the postoffice in our direction.

We can afford to pay a little extra, if necessary, to maintain a flame, if we get plenty of work.

What is the good of the Commercial club spending thousands to bring people here if when they get here they find they cannot get work? They go away and give the town a black eye.

If the knackers will give us more factories, etc., and fewer interviews, they will be more benefit to the town. Last spring when a canning factory was proposed they sat down on it so hard it never wiggled. Mr. Hafer is the only party in town who ever advertises for workmen. A man who will give employment to several hundred men is certainly more of a benefactor to a town than a great many knackers.

EMERY J. EASTMAN.

'JUST OUT' 48 PAGE CATALOGUE & CULTURAL DIRECTIONS WHEN-WHERE-HOW BULBS-TREES-SHRUBS SUGGESTIONS ON SELECTING SHADEBERRY...

FARMERS DISCRIMINATED AGAINST

The farmers pay more for a plow made in American factories than the European farmer pays. The workmen pay more for an American-made sewing machine for their wives than a European pays. It is a criminal discrimination against you, but it is true. Look at this list of the prices in the United States and the European prices of goods made in American factories by American trusts:

Table with 3 columns: Item, United States Factory Price, European Factory Price. Items include Cultivators, Plows, Axes, Kettles, Wire nails, Table knives, Barbed wire, Horseshoe nails, Rivets, Typewriters, Sewing machines, Pine, Medium, Cheap.

There is not space here to tell it all. It is a long story of how you are wronged. On thousands of other articles you are similarly discriminated against. The tariff, now the highest ever known, enables the trusts to rob you by charging you much higher prices for their goods than they charge the foreigner.

Why vote money out of your own pocket and into the pockets of the trusts by continually voting for a high tariff candidate? Is it not time for you to vote for yourselves, your family and your home? What chance have you to get ahead in the world with the trusts sapping your substance?

Mrs. Irene Hampton Isaacs Instructor of Piano. Liszt Method Studio at Residence, North Orange Street

ANGLE OPERA HOUSE MONDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 26. The Greatest Dramatic Sensation of a Decade The Devil Presented by Mr. Oliver Eckhardt and Company Seats on sale at Haskins' Drug Store Saturday forenoon.

I am now Located with Martin J. Reddy and am prepared to do all kinds of repair work on Watches, Clocks and Jewelry B. N. Butler Near Postoffice

ASHLAND COMMERCIAL COLLEGE Ashland, Oregon. Thorough and practical training in COMMERCIAL, SHORTHAND and ENGLISH. Individual instruction by experts. We have been compelled to enlarge our quarters every year, and have now secured ample accommodations in the Swedenburg block. Twice as large as ever.

Water Proof Shoes Lumbermen's Paces, Knee and Hip Rubber Boots, Waterproof Shoe Oil. High Cut Leather Boots in all Sizes SEE WINDOWS We carry the strongest lines at the best prices in Southern Oregon. Buy now. Rainy weather is coming. SMITH & MOLONY

OUR MENU AND SERVICE are as perfect as can be. At this restaurant you can get anything you want to eat from a 'little snack' to an elaborate dinner. NASH CAFE

You Do Not See Many signs of this character about Medford. We always find a desirable tenant before a good building has been 'to let' more than 24 hours, and land owners know we can always find a purchaser if a reasonable valuation is put on property. ROGUE RIVER LAND Company EXHIBIT BUILDING, MEDFORD

Jackson County Bank MEDFORD, OREGON State Depository. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$115,000.00 THE MERCHANT KNOWS that it is so convenient, such a safeguard and saving of time to pay his accounts by check that he would not be without this satisfactory means of settlement.

MEDFORD SASH & DOOR COMPANY PHONE 2291. Window Frames, Oak Veneered Doors, with Bevel Plate, carried in stock cheap. Office Fixtures and all kinds of Planing Mill Work, including Turned Work and Fancy Grills. F STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH STREETS.

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