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MAGUIRE SOUNDS THE SLOGAN. The Railroad Question the Great Issue of the Campaign—Schemes of the Monopoly Exposed—True, Not Oregon Democracy.

The Examiner of October 28th says: James G. Maguire, the Democratic candidate for congress from this city, addressed a large audience at Metropolitan Hall last evening.

Finances, tariff reform and the other issues of the day were subordinated by the speaker to the one great question of

VITAL IMPORTANCE TO THE PACIFIC COAST. The project to fund the debt of the Central Pacific Railroad company.

Plain, vigorous English was used by Congressman Maguire in dealing with the railroad problem.

He also took occasion to correct a false impression that has been fostered by Republican speakers and newspapers with regard to the attitude of the company in the fight over the Reilly funding bill.

The powers of Fourth and Townsend streets, the speaker said, are trying to create the impression that if the Reilly bill or an acceptable substitute shall not be passed at the coming session of congress the fight will be abandoned, and the government will be permitted to take possession of the road.

Republicans are supplementing this expression with the statement that if the bill shall not become a law at the next session nothing can be done, as the government will foreclose its mortgage and render further resistance on the part of the railroad company useless.

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Government ownership of railroads was strongly advocated by Mr. Maguire. The interests of the people, he said, demanded that the common carriers of the country should be operated for the benefit of the country should be operated for the people and not for the profit of the giant corporations.

"Not until these roads have been sold under judicial supervision and the monopoly dispossessed," the speaker continued, "will the people of this country, and particularly of the Pacific States, feel at ease."

ETERNAL VIOLENCE IMPERATIVE. "With the ending of this campaign and if the bill fails to pass at the close of the short session, California must not be lulled into forgetfulness and a feeling of security by the claim that failure to pass the bill at the short session will not be followed by another at the next.

"Some misapprehension seems to be felt about the disposition of the railroads after the foreclosure of the mortgage. It was especially incorporated in the opposing measures to the funding bill that the government, representing the people, should own and control the roads in the interest of the people.

"Objection is made that it would involve an increase in the civil service of the country. But it is not the purpose of the measure advocating government ownership to have it take up the business of carrying passengers and freight, but to have the roads operated by the same service used now and on a more economical basis than the monopoly gives to the people.

There would be practically little increase in the present forces required to carry on the administration of the government and no increase in the railroad forces. With government ownership of railroads better transportation of freight and passengers would ensue, and the accrued benefits would go to the public.

The railroads are public highways as much so as are the wagon roads, and no monopoly should be allowed to rule them. I believe that railroads, as well as the pike roads, should be thrown open to those who own trains or could build trains, so that competition would result and the public obtain a better service.

There is no need of being crushed under the heels of a monopoly and there is no reason why we should be, or why the mortgage of the subsidized railroads should not be foreclosed and the railroads operated by the government."

Mr. Maguire was frequently interrupted during his remarks by applause.

A Political Pointer. President Debs, of American Railway Union, said to a reporter in Brooklyn the other day: "I have received 42 applications for charters since I left Chicago. The Union is booming. I predict this country has seen its biggest railroad strike. There will never be one like it again.

At a convention of 420 delegates from various branches of the American Railway Union recently, the ballot was settled as being more efficacious than a strike. A resolution endorsing the government ownership of railroads, telegraph lines and mines was agreed to, and the People's party was endorsed."

Virginia Sun, Richmond: Fifty years ago Switzerland passed through much the same ordeal that the farmers of the United States are now enduring. Bank issues of money at usurious rates of interest had impoverished the people.

GENERAL NEWS.

MUST NOT CALL THEM BY THEIR RIGHT NAMES. Topeka, Oct. 29.—U. S. Senator John Martin was notified this afternoon that proceedings in a criminal libel suit would be instituted against him at Lola by Nelson Acres, ex-collector of internal revenue.

In an interview recently Senator Martin called Acres a notorious gambler.

\$20,000 IN GOLD DUST. Tacoma, Oct. 29.—The steamer Chikot arrived from Alaska today bringing 2700 cases of canned salmon, eighteen Chinese en route to Astoria and some miners who have 100 pounds of gold dust, most of it from the Yukon river.

AN IMMENSE PLATE. Homestead, Penn., Oct. 27.—The Carnegie Steel company has completed an immense barrette for the war vessel, Oregon, being built in San Francisco. It is the largest piece of armor plate work ever turned out in America.

It weighs 400 tons and will require fourteen cars to carry it to the western coast.

MISS JONES OF OKLAHOMA SHOTS. Perry (O. T.), October 26.—Miss Agnes Jones, who had entered a tract of land several miles north of Perry, told a day shot and perhaps fatally wounded Sam Bartell. Miss Jones says Bartell had jumped her claim while she was away and had taken possession of her horse. Bartell shot at Miss Jones, but missed.

SAD SCENES OF DEATH. Sixteen persons perished—Scenes of Horror at the Seattle Hotel Fire.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 27.—Sixteen persons—ten men, three women and three children—were burned to death in the West-street House fire early this morning.

Thirteen bodies have been identified as follows: Mrs. Otterman of California, aged 60. Andrew Otterman, her son, aged 18. Mrs. J. W. Huffman, wife of a well-known farmer of Fall City, Wash. Mrs. J. H. Haucher of Rolfe, Iowa, and her three children—two girls, aged 6 and 2 years, and a boy aged 4. John E. Anderson, aged 28. F. Ballinger, C. Grabin, a laborer. Angus McDonald, O. Wilson. M. McSwamy.

The West-street House occupied the upper floor of a two-story corrugated iron building, that covers a quarter of a block of ground at Columbia and West-streets, one block from the Northern Pacific depot, and near the business center of the city. The building was a mere shell of wood covered with iron. There were several exits to the street, but they were narrow. The halls were narrow and the rooms small.

Wholesale business houses occupied the ground floor. The hotel being near to the railroad depot and a cheap reputable house, was much patronized by country people.

The fire was undoubtedly caused by the explosion of a lamp in the kitchen in the rear part of the house. The proprietor's son was aroused by the noise of the explosion about 1 o'clock, but before he could investigate the flames seemed to have spread all through the house. The corrugated iron sheathing kept the flames hid until nearly the whole interior was a furnace.

The thin partitions were of resinous pine covered with cheese cloth, and burned furiously. It was not until the flames were seen dancing in the windows by people in the street that an alarm of fire was turned in by a policeman. The people at the windows were rescued with ladders and boards, some escaping with hardly any clothes. A woman who was carried down by a fireman screamed out that her baby was in the building, and a fireman went up a ladder and brought it down.

D. B. Glass, Edward Havelin and C. B. Johnson jumped to the ground and were injured so that they required to be taken to a hospital. All three will recover.

The word indeed was his bid, and the young woman got tired of hearing it. One evening he began a story.

"I have," he said, "a very clever friend indeed."

"In Deed?" she interrupted questioningly.

"Yes, indeed," he reiterated innocently.

"In Deed?" she repeated.

"Yes."

"I beg your pardon," she said; "where is Deed?" And then he tumbled indeed.—Detroit Free Press.

Oscar Wilde's Latest. The way of the wit is hard. Oscar Wilde, moved by the ready appreciation of the English people, has been led to make some remarks which even his admirers are not applauding.

He has been making some observations on the subject of Puritans and the theater. After devoutly hoping that he would not be defamed by a bishopric, Mr. Wilde added, "I quite expect to see any day in the evening papers, 'Great Discovery in Egypt. Ten more commandments by Oscar Wilde.'"

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