

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1886. POLITICAL ECONOMY IN ENGLAND.

PROTECTION appears to be having a free advertisement in England at present. Lord Penzance advocates the policy in a controversial article in the Nineteenth Century, and severely condemns what he terms the "idolatry of free trade." Mr. Boyd, in the Nation of Review, also demands the adoption of such a system as soon as possible. In the meantime alleviation for the evils of the trade depression may be secured by a reasonable combination among employers to regulate production, and by state-directed colonization. He declares that there are now in England more than a million who cannot now earn their bread. He notices the favorable results of combination among workmen, and claims that manufacturers and mining operators in England must limit production by some scientific principle. The census must likewise be kept down by emigration. There is opportunity, he says, for the creation of 40,000 fresh farms annually in Manitoba to supply England with wheat; and thus English labor may be benefited.

Arnold White in the Contemporary Review, also discusses colonization, and illustrates its economic bearings. He asks for the establishment of an information bureau, which shall be assisted by the postal telegraph service. This is to publish and put semi-official bulletins of the demand for labor in different colonies. It would do away with the "present competition muddle." Mr. White says that the commercial value for England of an emigrant to English colonies is from five to sixteen times as great as that of an emigrant to the United States. He also desires a national council which will federate the twenty-five different emigration societies and agencies which now exist, and thus render their work more efficient. State aid should be granted even from an economic standpoint. The Transvaal and Zulu wars were unnecessary. In South Africa in recent years 18,000,000 have been spent, the large part of which might have been prevented if English emigrants had been settled. The cost of settling Bechuanaland is computed at \$400,000, and Zululand at \$300,000.

The "economic value of Ireland" is analyzed by Robert Giffen in the Nineteenth Century. In the past half century Ireland has sunk in population as compared with the United Kingdom from one-third to one-seventh; in gross income from two-seventenths to one seventeenth; in capital from a material element to one-twenty-fourth, and in taxable resources from one-tenth to one-fiftieth. The English government is a loser by about 2,650,000 per annum, though it receives 3,000,000 more revenue than Ireland on any fair computation ought to pay. England's trade with Ireland is but \$200,000,000, as compared with India's trade of \$330,000,000 and Australia's trade of \$275,000,000. By separation Ireland would gain as far as direct government revenue is concerned, but would lose in trade by the withdrawal of the army.

The New York Times of the 29th, says it is freely declared by Wall street men, who claimed to possess special knowledge, that an official investigation is to be made by congress into the circumstances connected with the means used a few years ago by officers of the Northern Pacific railroad to prevent forfeiture of that company's land grants. It was alleged at the Windsor hotel that several hundred thousand dollars were spent in Washington, in quarters where it would do the most good, to prevent adverse ac-

tion by congress, and now one of the men through whose hands most of the coin passed, has decided to lay the whole matter bare. He is credited with the possession of convincing testimony. Some time ago, according to report, a man called upon conspicuous members of both houses and apprised them of the facts, and they pledged themselves to bring about speedily a full and thorough investigation. Men of standing are declared to be involved in the meshes of what may turn out a scandal scarcely less noteworthy than was the Credit Mobilier investigation. Of course, it will jeopardize again Northern Pacific lands valued at an enormous figure. Something like half a million is said to have been spent in this illegitimate way.

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