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AMERICANISM

One country, one constitution, one destiny.—Daniel Webster. Speech March 14, 1857.

"One country," is a whole sermon in these two words emphasized, as they were by the eloquence of Webster and understood in all their meat and meaning by those who heard them and by those who later read them.

Americanization has to do first with the foreign born who come to our shores and of those native born who need the lesson, "One Country." There can be no double allegiance.

Every advocate of the Single Tax will agree with the plutocratic proposition originated in New York. In the work of Americanization of the foreign born who come to this country to seek equality of opportunity and liberty under the law, it is necessary first to make them know that their allegiance once given to this country they must forego their allegiance to any other land under the sun.

Americanization means the Americanizing of the people. It is complete only when the man or the woman is an American with no other country in the balance of his affections.

"One Constitution." In a sense the constitution of a country is the country itself. It forms the basis of the country's liberties.

"One Destiny." Destiny is the lot of man. It is that to which he is appointed and in a still higher sense it is that to which he is consecrated.

WEST AVOIDS THE WOBBLIES This applies not only to the L. W. W.'s but to wobbly ideas about finances and industries.

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PLUTOCRATIC TAX REFORMERS

The New York Tax Reform League comes to the front with the simple proposition to do away with all personal property taxes.

This delightful suggestion is only another way of stating the Single Land Tax proposition.

It would be the first big step toward leaving nothing on the tax rolls but land and land taxes would double.

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CONSOLIDATIONS AND PENSIONS

The Corning, N. Y., Daily Journal on January 21 suspended publication because of increased costs.

The Columbus, Ohio, Business and Law Journal has been merged with the Daily Reporter because of the high cost of print paper.

The Westfield, Mass., Evening Journal has suspended publication, giving as one of its reasons the condition of the news-print market.

FACTS VS. BOLSHEVISM

Beat the Bolshevistic tendency with facts. Facts are better than political arguments.

Instead of class-consciousness let us have industry-consciousness. Class appeal is poison.

Ours is a nation of all the people. The belief in class-interests, class-prejudices, class hatreds, is fatal.

We must believe in our government, in the American idea, and disbelieve in the idea that we are under class-rulership.

If these are selfish classes they must be absorbed in all-embracing policies of justice to all citizenship.

Facts about industries presented in this paper are worth more than all the appeals to class hatred.

Shoot Bolshevistic tendencies to shreds by handing out the facts of production here at home.

Our country is not going to the dogs and the Reds won't get us but it is going to take constant and untiring effort by America's brainy men and women to counteract and destroy the present era of unrest and discontent and finally bring this nation to an even keel.

HOMES IN THE DESERT In 1905 B. W. Barth was 28 years old, had a wife, two babies and very little cash.

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ated this citadel of upstanding, self-reliant Americanism in the heart of the sage-brush desert. The West and the nation need more of such outposts. They can be had. In the spring floods of the green Snake water sufficient to irrigate twenty-five thousand forty-acre farms goes to waste.

SERVICE AND RATES

In regulating the railroads two facts should be kept uppermost (1) that they are servants of the public; (2) that to function efficiently and proportionately to the public needs they must be well maintained and economically operated.

Rates should not be increased without good and sufficient reason. If existing rates yield a reasonable net return on the investment, with a margin sufficient to stabilize railroad credit and safeguard investors so as to attract capital for betterments, extensions, improvements and rolling stock, there should be no increase.

In all respects we are a tremendously progressive people and in no respect more so than industrially and commercially. Our remarkable growth and development can be attributed largely to the fact that the United States enjoys the best and cheapest railroad transportation of any country in the world.

While preserving unto ourselves the cheapest transportation consistent with a fair return and good service let us not overlook the fact that the quantity and quality of the service are far more important as related to our progress and prosperity than the cost of service, for the waste and loss to producers and shippers from poor service or from inadequate service might easily equal or exceed the cost of good service.

In 1918 under federal control 22.7 cents out of every dollar of railroad revenue went for material and supplies and 52.9 cents went to labor. These two items took 81 1/2 cents of every dollar, to say nothing of taxes, thus leaving no reasonably safe return on the investment.

In the interest of the public welfare and development it is essential that we recognize the wisdom of establishing rates that will encourage transportation development and sustain good service.

ELIMINATE STRIKE FEAR

It is reported that the Patrons of Husbandry—the Grangers—have voted unanimously in favor of the retention of the anti-strike clause in the Cummins railroad bill.

The very fact that labor unions protest against enactment of the anti-strike provision is evidence enough that whenever it suits their pleasure they will strike to enforce their demands.

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In the Matter of the Guardianship of Howard McCall and Martin McCall, Minors:

An undivided two-sixteenths (2-16), 1-16 to each ward, interest in and to a tract of land containing ten acres more or less described as follows: Beginning at a point 134 rods west and 17.25 rods north of the southeast corner of D. L. C. No. 42 in Township 39, south Range 2 east of Willamette Meridian, Oregon; thence east 83 rods to corner; thence North 19.25 rods to corner; thence West 83 rods to corner; thence south 19.25 rods to place of beginning, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging, including water rights; situate in Jackson County, Oregon, subject to curreny right of Zenas Howard, surviving husband of Fanny Howard.

Quick Action Corn Cure "Gets-It" Stops Pain Instantly and Corn Soon Lifts Right Off.

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I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination on the republican ticket for the office of District Attorney. If elected I pledge myself to an impartial enforcement of the law. P. P. FARRELL.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six-room house, basement, strictly modern. Furnace heat, water, lights, fruit for family use. About one acre of ground, dandy for chickens. For information inquire of T. J. Philpott, 568 Holly St., or Alvin Moss, Ashland, Ore. 87-1mo*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Rabbits, New Zealand and Rufus Red Belgians, pure bred, good color, etc., 3 to 5 months old, bucks and does, \$2 up. Farmer, R. I. Talent, Phone 18F11. 31

GOOD BUYS

10 acres, all in bearing fruit of a mixed variety, fair 6-room house, barn, packing house and chicken house; worth \$4,500. Absent owner will take \$2,100. Net returns last season, \$1,000.

10 acres, 7 in bearing apples and cherries, 3 acres wood land; one of the show orchards of Jackson county; net returns last season, \$1,250. No buildings.

20 acres of fine land in crops, one mile from city. Absent owner will take \$2,000.

23 acres just outside city limits, 10 acres in young fruit trees just coming into bearing, 13 acres wood land; 4-room cottage, small barn. Widow, must sell, \$3,000.

Property is moving. If you have any to sell call and list it, or if you want to buy come and see my many bargains.

Mrs. S. L. Allen

PAINT Will add 100 per cent to the appearance of your property and as much to its cash rent and selling value.

Dickerson THE PAINT MAN.

Ashland Fruit & Produce Association

SPRAY MATERIAL OF ALL KINDS. Flour and Feed, Poultry Supplies. Beet Pulp and Kaola Meal. For Your Dairy Cows

Shoes

Ladies' Lace and Button, up to size 5, \$4.00 and \$4.50 values. Sale price \$2.98

Ladies' Lace and Button Oxfords, sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2, \$3.00 and \$4.00 values. Sale price \$1.49

Misses and Childrens' Lace and Button Oxfords and Pumps, sizes up to 2 1/2, values up to \$2.50. Sale price \$1.49

Childrens' Pumps and Oxfords, sizes up to 10, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Sale price .98

Each and every pair placed on sale are real values. Now is the time to stock up for the coming season. Shoes are high and are going to be higher. We are going to help you cut down the high cost of shoes.

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THE CITIZENS BANK OF ASHLAND

A FAITHFUL WATCHMAN WITHOUT FEAR That expresses in a few words the Electric Burglar Alarm System that protects your vault. Surely a desirable place for your valuables. Safe Deposit Boxes for rent \$2.50 per year.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

HANDBAGS

Of Genuine Leather in a number of styles—all shapes, including leathers of many finishes. They are all attractively lined and fitted with mirrors and coin purses. Priced \$3 to \$5.50.

STRAP PURSES \$1.50 to \$3.50 NEW BAG TOPS Square and oval styles of tortoise shell and silver mountings. Very specially priced, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

BOSTON BAGS \$5.00 Child's Purse in assorted colors, 75c.

McNAIR BROS.

The Rexall Store