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GREAT COUNTLY

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The population of Independence is about a nery-five per cent American. There is a healthy jut rest in education, in churches, and in organ za-Lo s of social and fraternal nature. Among the latter are Odd Fellows, K. of P. Masons, Woodmen of the World and Modern Woodn'en, , A. O. U. W., Easiern Star, Rebercah, Women of Woodcraft, and others. The public library, while it is not claused among the fraternal or ers, bolds a p.om nent place in the social features of the town and is worthy of more than mere mention but time and space My boy, it's a prety good world, will not permit us to give a detailed

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES

Independence is an important point on the West Side Lines of the S. P. Railroad system and shares in all the advantages that any locality possesses so far as freight traffic is concerned by reason of having the boat service in addition to the railroads. Independence is the focus of the natural lines of travel of a wide-spread area. The Independence & Monmouth Rallroad has a line running to Dallas and oth r points near the foot-hills of the coast range, and much of the travel And a lot of Gr t

LUMBERING industry at this time, but it may be well said that it is yet in its infancy. But you'll find the sunshine every. But it affords tempting opportunities for investment in the way of kindred If you look for it. Chirk up! Elate. industries. Independence needs more Rub the word "Pessimist" of your reason it was worth while to go to fac'ories, and the people universally invite capital in this direction. The Meet the knocks with a grin necessary material for great manufac- But never give in, turing industries is close at hand. And sooner or later you're bound to

CLIMATE

The climate of this part of Oregon is all that could be desired for the horticulturist, farmer, or in fact GOVERNMENT BY THE PEOPLE. statesman was in other days. The chilling blasts, blizzards, cyclones and All Progressive Reforms Have That changed almost without detection o her disagreeable things common to the great middle west and the east.

ditions that this section is not inhabited by any annoying insects, rep- forms, proposed by men in both partiles or vermin. If you have ever lain ties, meant to serve the country in between the doors of your home in some special way, you will see that the east on a summer's n ght, trying each particular reform has a definite vainly to catch a breath of fresh air object. For example, the question of while the mosquitoes and gnats were the cost of living is a question when pestering you almost to death, you touches the great body of the people will most certainly appreciate the condi ions in this part of the world. A failure of Crops has never been ple. The question of direct primaries known in the vicinity of Independence touches the accessibility of the offices and there is always an abundant har- by the people. It touches the means vest in all lines of vege ation.

stock is pastured during the winter The question of the equalization of months with about the same degree of success as in the summer.

be said in praise of this great coun- from other men or other corporations. try, but limited space in this issue The question of corrupt practices in will not permit it. In conclusion we elections is a question of the attacks will say, however, that the man or which have been made upon the sirwoman who does not invest now, the of the people. while the opportunity is ripe, has one while the opportunity is rive, has one great mistake to be regretful of in is to bring the government back withlater years. Opportunities are open

which to grasp them is short, Land sort of occasion, therefore, in what valuations and city property are ad- sort of campaign, should a man who vancing rapidly with this influx of remembers the long traditions of people, and it will be only a matter American government take greater of few years when farm property in pleasure and zest than in a campaign this vicinity will be out of the average man's reach.

The same can be said of city property and if you contemplate locating in this great country we would sug- fact that conditions of life in the Unitgest that you make haste.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

min strator of the estate of Willard Governor Wilson said: dersigned has been du'y appointed ad-Cooper, deceased, by the County is one singular question that underlies Court of the state of Oregon, for all the other questions that are dis-Polk County, and has qualified as russed on the political platform at the

to present the same duly verified, years ago. The old party platforms of together with the proper vouchers twenty years ago read now like docutherefor, to the undersigned admin- We are in the presence of a new oristrator at his residence near Airlie, ganization of society. We are eagerly in Polk County, Oregon, within six bent on fitting that new organization, months from the date of this notice. as we did once fit the old organiza-

CHARLES S. COOPER,

Administrator of the estate of Willard

Cooper, deceased, B. F. Swore, Attorney.

is independence Enterprise I am accused of being a radical. If to seek to go to the root

is a radical, a radical I am. After all, everything that flowers in beauty in the air of beaven draws its fairness, its vigor. from its roots. Nothing living can blossom into fruitage unless through nourishing stalks deep planted in the common soil. Up from that soil, up from the silent bosom of the earth, rise the currents of life and energy. Up from the common soil, up from the quiet heart of the people, rise joyously today streams of hope and determination bound to renew the face of the earth in

I tell you the so called radicalism of our times is simply the effort of nature to release the generous energies of our people This great American people is at bottom just, virtuous and hope ful. The roots of its being are in the soil of what is lovely, pure and of good report, and the need of the hour is just that radical ism that will clear a way for the realization of the aspirutions of a stordy race - Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey in a Recent Speech.

THE WORLD'S ALL RIGHT

Contributed by J. G. McIntesh.

expression of all the features as we If you look right ahead and don't look to the political future of the United behind

Though it snows sometimes, And blows some times,

sometimes, It's a g'ad old world, And a sid old world-

Or a bad old world When you make it so. But just bear in mind wherever you

aglow. "Git up and git"

from that direction passes this way. Are the things that label a man as

Little can be said of the lumbering There's a shadow here and a dark place there.

where.

state

C. P. McDona'd.

For Their Object, Says Wilson.

Discussing the progressive move-It is owing to the even climatic con- ment in politics, Governor Woodrow

"If you will look at the proposed re-It does not touch those exceptional persons whose income is abundant. It touches the whole body of the peowhich they are to exercise to put the Grass is green the year around, and sort of men they desire into office. taxation means that equality which is justice, that fairness which will see that no man is taxed more than au-There are many things which (an other man or upon a different basis

"Every direction you turn you will In the touch of the people and to use awaiting now, but the time in it in behalf of the people. Upon what which has such objects?"

Our Great National Change.

Every thinking man recognizes the ed States have altered materially within the memory of men still young. But not every statesman has been able to express his appreciation of these great changes as clearly and concise-Notice is hereby given that the un. ly as did Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey in a recent address.

"Now, I take leave to beleve there present moment. That singular cir-All persons having c'aims against cumstance is that nothing is done in the said estate are hereby notified this country as it was done twenty Dated and first published May 12, tion, to the happiness and prosperity of the great body of citizens, for we are conscious that that order of society does not fit and provide the convenience or happiness or prosperity of the average man."

NEW LEADER IN POLITICS.

Woodrow Wilson Hailed as "Possible President."

PROGRESSIVE AND A FIGHTER.

William Bayard Hale Throws Some Interesting Side Lights on Governor of New Jersey. Who Forced the Enactment of the People's Will Into Law, Despite Political Dictators.

"Woodrow Wilson, Possible President." is the title of an interesting article in the May World's Work by William Bayard Hale concerning the personality and record of the militant governor of New Jersey, whose success in obtaining popular reforms from an unwilling legislature has focused upon him the eyes of progressives of all stripes and parties throughout the count y. Here are some of the things Mr. Hale bas to say about the man who may be the leader of the fight against President Taft in 1912:

"There may have been fiercer po litical battles than that which was now joined between the Democratic old guard of New Jersey and its new governor, but few have been in their issue of greater possible significance States.

The quiet gentleman who had just emerged from the delectable groves of And you think it is flooded with woes Princeton academy, his garments odorous with the vapors of Parnassus. his lips wet with the waters of Helicon -this long haired bookworm of a professor who had just laid his spectacies on his dictionary came down to the Trenton statehouse and 'licked the gang to a frazzle."

"It appeared that he did know the That somewhere t'e grand o'd sun's difference between a seminar and a cancus, a syllabus and a New Jersey corporation; that he did know Hoboken and Camden politics pretty nearly as well as he did his Burke and his Bagehot and that, able to write a book on constitutional government, he was just as able to handle a governor's job, constitutionally or otherwise.

"This is the fact that makes Governor Woodrow Wilson a looming figure in the world today. This is the new type of man into the arena of politics. Here is the pen picture of Governor

Wilson as painted by Mr. Hale. "Dr. Wilson's face is familiar-a high forehead, gray eyes, a long jaw, a very long jaw. He instantly recalls Joseph Chamberlain as that British profiles of the two might be ex-Dr. Wilson is of good height, sturdily built, with square shoulders. He stands erect and on his feet. If you want mannerisms you note that his hands seek his trousers pockets; that he changes his glasses with much care when he looks down at a document or up from it; that every time he has used his pen he wipes it carefully with a cloth taken from a drawer, into which he painstakingly replaces it, closing the drawer. There is a certain trained precision of habit in matters of routine and a free spontaneity in others. There would be a gray grimness about him except for the pocketed hands, a frequent sunburst of a smile and a voice like music, You learn in the course of a few hours that a man with a stiff jaw and a sensitive mouth is pretty sure to be master in any situation. Governor Wilson is a man of positive opinion, relieved by an eager sense of humor. He moves and speaks with unfailing

himself." The story of Governor Wilson's fight with the bosses and the special interests is interestingly told by Mr. Hale. Here is one of the governor's quoted statements, which gives a clear idea of his attitude on popular government:

poise, with good natured certainty of

"Back of all reform lies the means of getting it Back of the question what you want is the question, How are you going to get it? We are all pretty well agreed, I take it, that certain reforms are needed. But we find that the first necessary reform is one that will render us able to get reform.

"We have been calling our government a republic, and we have been Hving under the delusion that it is a representative government. That is the theory. But the fact is that we are not living under a representative government. We are living under a government of party bosses, who in secret conference and for their private ends determine what we shall and shall not have. The first, the immediate thing that we have got to do is to restore representative government. There has got to be a popular rebel-Hon for the reconquest and reassumption by the people of the rights of the people too long surrendered."

I would a great deal rather be put in jail for something I was innocent of or for something that I had not done than to know in my heart that I had done some dishonorable, dirty thing, where I could see the suggestion of it in the eye of every man I looked at .- Governor Wilson of New Jersey in a Recent Speech.

Attend the cafetier dinner at the M. E. church next Thursday.

Dr. Duganne, Dentist, over Independence National Bank, Both Phones

DEPARTURE OF BOAT La neh inde ordence jea es the in-

Leaves Salem dock at 4:00 p. m.,

and including May 15, 1911, at 2 f. m., for a two story brick or centest ann x to the store building and hall owned by the I O. O. F. odge in Independence Ore on Pans and spec ficat ons may be seen at Craven & Moore's store. The board of trustoes resev th right to ree t any and all bids.

J. E. Hubbard, " W. H. Craven, J. S. Lohannon, Board of Trustees.

in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County In the Matter of the Application of E. Leigh to register the title to the ollowing described land:-The North 24 acres of Section 9, or all in Poll County, of Section 9, in Township 19, South, Range 7 West of Willametre

Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing 124 acres. The South half, the South half of the Northeast quarer, the South half of the Northwest tion I, Township 10, South, Range West of the Williamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing 671.28 acres,

All whom it may concern, Defendants Take notice that on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1911, an application was led by said C. E. Leigh in the Circuit ourt of Polk County for initial regis tration of the title to the land above described. Now unless you appear on r before the 29th day of May, A. D. 1911, and show cause why such appliation shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application and you will be forever barred from disputing the same E. M. SMITH,

L SWAN. Applicant's Attorney.

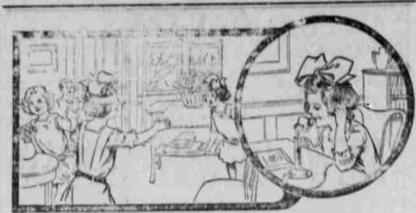
the Circuit Court for the State of Oregon for Polk County. In the Matter of the Application of The Iowa Pacific Coast Land Company, a corporation, to register the title to the following described land:-

The South half, the South half of the ortheast quarter and South half of

Northwest quarter of Section 5, in Township 10, South, Range 7 West of Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing 480 acres; All of Section 3 in Township 10, South, Range 8 West of Willamette Meridian, in Polk County of Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing above described. Now unless you are Range 8 West of Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing above described. Now unless you appear on or before the 29th day of May, A. D. 1911, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, and all acres 50 cents each way.

Notice For Bids.

Range 8 West of Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, containing for 124 acres of Section 9, or all in Polk County, of Section 9, or all in Polk County, of Section 9, or all in Polk County, or all in Polk County, or Section 9, or all in Polk County, or all in Polk



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A LITTLE GIRL CAN ALWAYS GET SOMEBODY TO PLAY WITH BY USING THE BELL TELEPHONE. IT IS JUST AS USEFUL TO HER AS IT IS TO HER ELDERS.

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