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THE SMALL CONTRIBUTORS.

It is remembered that Congressman Tongue, in meeting on the campaign the unreasoning attacks of the opposition made upon the financial system of the country when they applied approbrious epithets to the "bloated bondholder," pointed out that any change in the coinage laws would not greatly effect the very rich men, but would drag to ruin the laborer whose savings have been put aside for the possible rainy day and the widow and orphan, whose estates are in savings banks. The bad taste of those critics, who likewise denounce industrial combinations, is graphically illustrated in the same way. In the Saturday Evening Post, Philadelphia, April 20, appears an advertisement inviting subscription to the capital stock of the United States Steel Company. The company, called a trust, finds it necessary to enlarge one of its plants where Jupiter steel castings are made, and has set aside 10,000 shares of stock for raising the money necessary for the improvement. The par value of the stock is $5 per share. In the advertisement, the company promises the probable return of a 12 per cent dividend against a 3 per cent rate from the savings banks. The INDEPENDENT knows a man was on a salary of $17 per week managed, by grinding economy, to save $5 of the sum and lay it away in Gilberts' bank, Salem. The bank is "busted." Are there any more men of like experience in the United States? And will not the invitation of the steel company be studied? That $50,000 will be raised. No single money aristocrat will contribute it, but it will come from the home of more than a thousand people of small means. Suppose the industry fails through mismanagement or the blasting laws of a class of political demogogues, who will be injured, Carnegie and Morgan or the thousands of $25 to $50 contributors to the capital stock of the industries? There are objections to monopolies, but in dealing with them we must not fail to remember the little stockholders.

SUFFRAGE LAWS IN DIXIE.

The South has never been satisfied with negro suffrage. Possibly we would not be either. Since the adoption of the XV amendment, the politicians of the South have been casting about for a plan that will effectually disfranchise the negro. In several of the states a scheme has been devised, which seems to do the work fairly well. The U. S. constitution provides that "The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude." The states that for the purpose of depriving the negro of his vote, have adapted their suffrage schemes to this provision, have done so by requiring an educational qualification. This effected the ignorant whites and did not touch the educated negro. Then one of the Carolinas excepted from the rule, the whites who could not read and write and who were voters in the '60's. Alabama has just held an election calling a constitutional convention for the purpose of regulating negro suffrage. The vote was a small one—not more than one third as large as at ordinary state and national elections. Republicans seem not to have voted, neither did the negroes. The democrats were unanimously successful on a platform that pledges the party to deprive no whiteman of his vote except on conviction of a heinous crime. It is not quite plain how the educational test is to be applied so that it will apply to negroes and not to ignorant whites Some of the publicists of the south see danger ahead, not to the negroes but to the whites themselves. This danger is not physical, but one to the moral nature. They predict that the expected benefits will not be realized Some of the far seeing democratic politicians fear that when the color test is removed it will be more difficult to line up the masses to the support of the regular machine nominees. After all there may be compensation.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

The St. Louis Mo. Republic which in 1900 enthusiastically supported Mr. Bryan for the chief magistracy discovers some happy contrasts between conditions in the United States and the countries of Europe in the tour of President McKinley, and in the republic's generous manner of expressing them is found another happy contrast with some of the senseless newspapers who would like to be-little the president and ridicule his expressions and movements. The St. Louis paper says:

So far not an unpleasant incident has marred the president's journey through the states. He has been on his trip over a week. In that time he has been the guest of honor in communities that at one time were hostile to the section of the country from which he now comes. He once fought in the army opposed to that of the south. He has made a reputation as the champion of that high tariff idea against which the states south of Mason and Dixon's line have always stood.

Everywhere he has been greeted by great throngs. He has made a series of happy speeches, infinitely brighter and more interesting than those he made in former years, and has received liberal applause for his efforts. While no campaign is in progress he has touched upon political matters in a way that has been received with characteristic American good humor. He has mingled with the people and been treated as one of them.

Viewed in comparison with "tours" that have been made by the rulers of European countries the trip of President McKinley has been little less than miraculous. The American executive has gone without physical protection. He has exposed himself to dangers that a William or Alexander would see lurking in every corner. The military feature has been lacking in the tour of the president.

And there has been absolutely no reason why he should be hedged about with the minions of the law. Americans have a faculty, lacking in other peoples, of forgetting. The rancor of the last campaign has been buried, even though convictions have not been surrendered. If violence of any sort had been attempted upon the life of the president during his tour of the south, the wrath visited upon the miscreant would have been swift and deadly.

European monarchs are invited to watch the president's trip and observe what an outing should be. The American executive is the only ruler on earth who could take such a trip in such a way.

In April the British administration asked for the loan of $300,000,000. It has already been subscribed, $150,000,000 going from America. This is the largest sum of money that has ever gone on a foreign loan, and some of the public voices express amazement, yet when we note how wealth is growing in this country our surprise vanishes. The net gain of what may be termed free wealth comes from two sources—our gold and silver mines and from excess of exports over imports, balance of trade. During the past four years, from March 4, 1897, to March 4, 1901, McKinley's first administration, there has been dug from American mines and coined

Gold	$386,563,485 00
Silver....	105,347 144 00
Total....	$473,910,629 00

During the same time our exports have exceeded the imports by $2,155,290,393. Thus in the last four years our wealth has been increased by outside increments by the sum of $2,629,201,022, a sum really beyond the comprehension of the human mind. With wealth dumped into our coffers at an average annual rate of $657,300,000, is there cause for surprise that we can loan $150,000,000? Nothing can prevent us becoming a rich people except free silver coinage and free trade.

A battle of great size is waging among the railroad people. Portland and Oregon are very much interested spectators, but helpless, have to stand by and hope. The Orient is an inviting field of enterprise. J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern R. R. is building four great freight ships which he proposes to put on a Seattle-Oriental line. These ships must have freight feeders. Hill already had his own line. He thought he had control of the North Pacific. Then he sought control of the Burlington system. This invaded the territory of the Union Pacific system which has its most favored Pacific outlet by the Columbia river, and the S. P. Co, which sends its freight accumulations to sea from San Francisco. Hariman as head of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific systems commenced buying stocks to prevent the Burlington deal, Northern Pacific common was all that could be touched, but it was bought at par and above par. Men sold what they had and contracted to sell what, they at the moment, did not have. They expected to buy to fill orders, but the coveted papers were scarce. Prices towered until it is stated that shares of the face value of $100 sold for a thousand. Of course a crash came. It is not yet known who controls N. P. Common. We of Oregon hope it is not Hill with his Seattle ocean connections.

The "Union Men," of Albany, New York, who have been he employees to operate the trolly car system of that city, quit work in a body the first of the week. The company imported about 150 non union men, but the strikers were so well organized and the supporting mob so large that the new operatives were able to move only two cars and one of these was wrecked. Thus it is that a supposedly free American citizen may not engage in an occupation without the license of a "Union." Are the American people ready to acknowledge that there is a government within the national organization that is its superior? Really it has come to a pretty pass that a mechanic equal in skill to anyone who works at the same trade is to be denied the opportunity of working where, when and for whom he chooses.

The Roseburg Plaindealer remarks: "Not many years ago it was claimed that the gold standard would make the United States the slave of England. The recent loans of American money to England are a striking refutation of that Populist notion."

McKINLEY ABANDONS HIS JOURNEY.

Because of the serious illness of Mrs. McKinley all engagements beyond San Francisco have been cancelled. The president will return to Washington by the most direct route as soon as his wife is able to travel. The ailment prostrating the patient was first a felon on finger or thumb. This, it is fair to assume, was not developed by the journey. The pain seems to have been intense, some of us common people know how excruciating. The tone of the general system was lowered, and a change of habits and water brought on an attack of dysentery. That is a real terror and frequently attacks the most robust when a railroad trip is undertaken.

This journey was carefully planned two months or more ago and at a time when it could not possibly have been foreseen that the plans would be interferred with as they have been. Had President McKinley undertaken this trip without the company of his wife there would have been great fault finding even take great business trips alone, not journeys of social functions requiring the company of wives and daughters. The article finding fault with the president for starting out with his wife published by a leading state paper is coarse and heartless. It is the utterance of a club man and not that of a refined American citizen. We bow our heads in sorrow with President McKinley and silently pray that the angel of death may be kept away from the Scott residence in San Francisco. Good citizens of Oregon, while regretting that the privilege of meeting the Chief Executive is denied, rejoice that they have a president that can put from him the applauding shouts of thousands and retire to the darkened chamber of his wife to cheer and comfort her as she nears what may be the shadow in the valley of death.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—Mrs. McKinley is sinking fast and death seems near.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in pursuance of an order made by the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Washington county, at the December term, A. D 1900, thereof in the matter of the estate of H. C. Raymond, deceased, and to me as administrator-de-bonis non of said estate directed, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Tuesday the 4th day of June, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the south door of the court house in Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon, all of the following described tracts of real property, to-wit:

First tract.—Lot numbered 91 in Hill's cemetery, being a burial lot in the cemetery established by Almoran Hill on the Donation Land Claim of said Almoran Hill in Washington county, Oregon.

Second tract.—A tract of land, lying, being and situate within Washington county, Oregon, and being more particularly known, designated and described as the east half of the southeast quarter of Section 3, and the west half of the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of Section 24, Township 1 South, Range 5 West, Will. Mer. and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Third tract.—Lying, being and situate within Washington county, Oregon and being a part of Section 35 Township 1 South, Range 4 West, Will. Mer. and bounded by beginning at the northeast corner of a two acre tract of land sold by Joseph Gaston to Lillian Hudson, and running thence South 0° 20 minutes West 3.16 chains to the Southeast corner of said Hudson tract of land Thence South 89° 45 minutes East 3.16 chains Thence North 0° 20 minutes East 3. 16 chains. Thence South 89° 45 minutes West 3.16 chains to the place of beginning excepting the Northwest quarter thereof and containing about one acre of land. Upon the following terms of sale, to-wit:

One-third of the purchase price to be paid cash in hand.

One-third of said purchase price to be paid in one year and the remaining one-third of the purchase price to be paid in two years from the date of sale. Deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold. Conveyances to be made at the expense of the purchaser.

WM. L. RAYMOND,
Administrator-de-bonis-non of the est of H. C. Raymond, deceased. 50-2

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION Decree and Order of Sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, in favor of Geo. W. Weidler, and against Charles Ohle Frederic Stroble and J. S. Polhemus for the sum of $15.00 costs, and for the further sum of $2940.39 U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 24 day of March, 1901 and the further sum of one hundred and fifty ($150.00) with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 28th day of March, 1901, and for the cost and expenses of sale and of said writ.

Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday the 27th day of May, 1901, at the south door of the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following-described real property to-wit:

Lots numbered twenty seven (27) and thirty five (35) in Cornelius Environs as laid out and platted by James Steel, administrator with the will annexed of Ben Holiday, deceased, as shown upon the recorded maps and plats thereof. Also blocks number one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10) eleven (11), twelve (12), and lots number one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) in block numbered thirteen (13). Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) in block numbered fourteen (14). Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) in block numbered fifteen (15). Lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) and five (5) in block numbered sixteen (16). All in Ohle's addition to the town of Cornelius in Washington county, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale, said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

Witness my hand this 25th day of April, 1901. J. W. SEWELL,
Sheriff of Washington County, Ore.
S. B. Huston, Attorney for Plaintiff. 49-1

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OREGON, April 6, 1901.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver, at Oregon City, Oregon on May 20, 1901, viz:

PETER H. PETERSON,
H. E. No. 12338, for the E ½ of S E ¼ Sec 23 and E ½ of N E ¼ Sec 26 T 3 N R 6 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz:

Peter Lofstrand, of	Glenwood, Ore.,
Swan Nelson, of	" "
Peter A Peterson, of	" "
Andrew Fredrickson, of	" "

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.
47-52

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that, I, the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Simon H. Humphreys, deed, have filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County my final account such administratrix and that said Court has set Monday the 3rd day of June 1901, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. as the time and the County Court room in Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said account and the final settlement of said estate,

MARY HUMPHREYS.
Administratrix of the estate of Simon H. Humphreys, deceased. 50-2

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that, I, the undersigned administratrix of the partnership estate of Simon H. Humphreys and Araminta E. Humphreys, partners as Humphreys & Co., have filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, my final account as such administratrix, and that said Court has set Monday the 3rd day of June 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. as the time and the County Court room in Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said account and the final settlement of said estate.

MARY HUMPHREYS,
Administratrix of the partnership estate Humphreys & Co. 50-2

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned administratrix, of the estate of Louis F. Niermann deceased have filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, my final account as administratrix of said estate and that said Court has set Monday, June 10th, 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., as the time and the County Court room in Hillsboro, Oregon as the place for hearing objections to said account and the final settlement of said estate.

Dated May 8th, 1901.

KATIE NIERMANN,
Administratrix of the estate of Louis F. Niermann, deceased. 50-3

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Dissolution Notice.

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All debts owing to the firm of Brown & Donelson are payable to W. O. Donelson who is authorized to receipt for the same.

P. O. BROWN,
W. O. DONELSON,
Hillsboro Ore. April 26, 1901.

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