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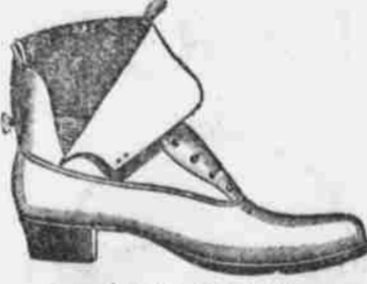
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GOOD TALK.

Hon. D. P. Thompson's Campaign Argument.

HIS SOLID SHOT ON THE TARIFF.

He Replies to the Democratic Attacks Upon Him.

The Dalles Times-Mountaineer has the following report of Hon. D. P. Thompson's campaign speech at that place: On the tariff question he had seen practical illustrations of the workings of free trade and protection in other countries, and was firmly convinced that a protective policy was the better one. He had seen 70 bushels of wheat raised to the acre in Egypt, and labor cost only 15 cents a day. This could be shipped to Liverpool much cheaper than grain from America. On the shores of the Black sea 40 bushels to the acre could be raised, and wages 18 cents a day. In the grain-producing portion of India the crops were enormous, and labor commanded less price than the countries mentioned. These nations had cheaper transportation rates than the United States, and by adopting free trade would not increase the price of the product until we could get the grain to market as cheaply as other countries. In all free trade countries he found laborers ill-fed and poorly paid; and in protected countries the converse was true. The American wage-earners are better fed, better clothed than those of free trade states, and our people have the privilege of acquiring an education. Mr. Thompson said conscientiously as a patriotic American citizen he did not believe it would be for the best interest of the United States to change the present policy of the country.

Mr. Thompson said on his head had fallen most of the abuse of Democratic speakers and papers. Gov. Penney had been paraded as freeing the state from indebtedness. The facts in this matter are that when he took his seat the state was only in debt \$50,000, and this was principally due from the sale of swamp lands. During the excellent administration of Mr. Z. F. Moody, the finances were in good shape, and every debt was in process of liquidation. Since Governor Penney's term of office began he has received \$250,000 from the general government by simply signing the receipt. These claims were hunted up by Secretary McBride and pressed by our delegation in congress. Penney found the state tax 1 1/2 mills and is now six, being an increase of over four mills. Mr. Thompson has always been a friend to ballot reform, and was among the first to recommend the adoption of the Australian system by the legislature. He is satisfied it would work great good, and be means of purifying politics. His record on this is known to the ballot reform league of this state, and they will substantiate his statements. As regards the assessment law, he believes in changing the present one. It would be better to allow no indebtedness than the manner in which this exemption from taxation is used now. Believes in the appointment of a board of equalization by the governor or selection by the legislature. If elected by the people, there would be the same difficulty that there is now. This board should equalize the taxation of the state.

WAGON ROADS. During the last legislature, different portions of the state had asked for aid to construct wagon roads. One in Wallowa county and another from Long Creek to Heppner he had supported and voted for, but Governor Penney kept them in his pocket and permitted them to become laws by lapse of time. The Bull-run water bill—non-taxable—he had voted for, because he believed it was for the interest of his constituents. Gov. Penney vetoed this bill, but approved two non-taxable bills two years before. If these bills are taxable the money will go out of the state, and consequently no taxes will be received on them. Furthermore, if non-taxable, they are taken at a lower rate of interest, and therefore money is saved to the municipality. It is true Mr. Thompson said he was mayor of Portland in 1879, but he did not receive \$1200 salary. As regards dock privileges, Mr. Thompson said he was never at any time owner of a one-third interest in the Star block, and further, the mayor had no power whatever in the matter. He had learned of an action of the executive with which the people should be conversant. Certain indemnity lands were allowed

by the general government by reason of several school sections being included in the Warm Springs reservation. These should have been selected contiguous to the reservation, instead of which a syndicate of three or four persons had been formed, and these had selected the well-watered lands in Morrow, Gilliam and Wasco counties, to the amount 30,000 acres. The land office at The Dalles refused to "list" these. "But they had been bargained in advance for \$3.50 an acre, when the state was only allowed \$1.25, making a clear gain of \$2.25 an acre, or \$67,500 for the whole tract. Gov. Penney spends about 100 days in the city, and receives \$15 a day, which is fair wages. As regards the water works in this city, Mr. Thompson said he owned one-half of a quarter interest in them; but never had anything to do with their management. They were now for sale, and could be purchased by the city if desired. Mr. Thompson made a very favorable impression on the audience, and was frequently applauded. He is a clear, concise speaker, and evinces clear judgment and good practical sense in everything he says. At the close of Mr. Thompson's speech the meeting adjourned amidst the wildest enthusiasm.

THE FLAG-RAISING AND POLITICS. All the people felt a thrill of patriotic satisfaction over the raising of the stars and stripes over the public school May 16. The way a people turned out and the joy all felt in the great success of the occasion for the time annihilated all political and religious distinctions. All pre-mind citizens felt a great pleasure that even the Catholic population, who are sometimes wrongly charged with enmity toward our free school system, turned out en masse to attest their love for the cause of patriotism and public education. It was significant that the only Catholic college in the county set its college band at their own expense to furnish music, and their strains mingled in playing the national airs with those of the band from the Wesleyan college in the only free air of the continent—that of the United States, a country where the term religious toleration is almost an insult, but religious freedom and equality is an established fact.

Still there are always a few persons capable of harboring narrow and bigoted sentiments on the most sacred occasion. An occasional person of demerol political proclivities insinuated that this flag-raising was a political move got up to further the Grand Army organization and in the interests of the republican party. Such aspersions need only to be stated to be annihilated. Retribution is superfluous. If there are such persons they are not reputable and no other party would own them. There may have been such democrats in times past, that had a well-accredited standing in their party in Oregon, but they have not now. There are too many loyal democrats who would not during the war, and will not now, allow the flag to be trailed in the dust, to give such a cranky individual any harbor in that political party or allow them to shelter their treasonable sentiments behind the shield of that party for a moment. If any such individuals imagine that such views have any following even in the democratic party, they would be disillusioned by taking a poll of that party, and they would not find enough to form a body guard for their funeral. In the republican party they would find none but hands ready and willing to give them immediate burial. It is not necessary to go into any passionate discussion of this matter for the demagogical purpose of making political capital. The record of the republican party is all right toward the flag. So is the record of the great northern wing of democracy. So far as the rest are concerned they have accepted the lessons of patriotism as they were taught on the bloody fields of battle and only a person of defective loyalty of intellect will call that arbitrament in question now. It would have been a good thing for the nation if the custom of flag-raising on the school houses had been instituted long before the civil war was necessary to teach the American people the necessity of one flag, one nation and one government. Let the Grand Army go on in its noble work of planting a flag on every school house in the nation. The people will uphold it.

A HOT CAMPAIGN. The political campaign in Oregon is getting hot. The democrats started in on a canvass of personal attacks, making Hon. D. P. Thompson, the republican candidate for the governorship, the target of their abuse. Mr. Penney makes a speech of two hours in length and when he is not engaged in besmirching the character of his opponent, he is employed in an attack on the republican party for thirty years back, trying to make out that it has always been one seething mass of political corruption. Much in the corruption line might be retorted on the democrats, were we inclined

to engage in it. The JOURNAL has been disposed to discuss Mr. Penney on his merits. It was the only straight republican paper in the state to print his speech accepting the democratic nomination. It has been taught that Governor Penney rose above the rank of a mere partisan, and was a friend and champion of the working man and the farmer and an anti-monopolist. To a certain extent we believe this and are willing to give Mr. Penney credit with being a more than average honest democratic official. But he must know that there is a limit to personal attacks and abuse of republicans. As that is the kind of a campaign the democrats have inaugurated they must expect the rule of give and take to apply. While Mr. Penney may be a good enough governor for any democrat to vote for, we do not believe that he has been such a superior, second-George-Washington kind of a man that any republican ought to vote for him.

We publish in this paper a letter from a democratic official of the land department, which is a part of the files of that department and the authenticity of which is not disputed, which sets Mr. Penney out in the light of a land-grabber, and declares in so many words that Mr. Penney is a member of a state house land ring that has, by connivance and collusion, secured thousands of acres of school lands by withholding them from the public and bidding them in at \$1.25 an acre and selling them at \$3.50 an acre and pocketing the difference. This letter from this democratic official is very explicit. We publish it in full.

We have not seen any adequate explanation or detail of the statements in this letter. Mr. Penney's friends in the press hoot at the idea, and Mr. Penney throws himself back on the fact that the republican secretary of state is a member of the state council, etc.

We do not see that it makes any difference who is a member of the state house land ring. If what is charged in the letter of this democrat is true, Mr. Penney is guilty of a land swindle on a large scale, and we would not for a moment try to screen a republican who was guilty of the same thing. But Mr. Penney is held up as a superior patriot, and is a censor and a severe critic of others, and the facts as set forth on the face of this letter from a prominent member of the Cleveland administration do not bear it out.

It is in order for the democratic party to clear Mr. Penney of this charge or face the charge of fraud and corruption in the management of the public lands. We print also the speech of Mr. Thompson on the subject, and we shall hope to hear of a complete vindication of Mr. Penney from all complicity in a state house land ring.

THE FREE SUGAR BILL PASSED. The new Republican Tariff Bill has passed the house! It received every republican vote in congress but one, and that was from the only sugar-producing state in the nation—Louisiana.

The free sugar bill was opposed by every democratic vote in congress, in spite of democratic pretensions that their's is a party in favor of taking the tariff taxes off the poor man's necessities of life.

If the new republican tariff bill passes the senate it will make sugar at least one-third cheaper. It will break up the sugar trust that is now saddled on the nation, collecting millions off the people annually. It is a shame that sugar was not put on the free list long ago.

If the senate defeats this bill that shoddy American house of Lords may as well prepare to emigrate. The people have stood the sugar tax as long as they propose to. The republican party deserves some credit for the courage to defy the sugar-importing trust, and putting sugar on the free list.

The same bill which has passed the house gives more ample protection to agricultural products. It places the tin-plate industry in a fair way to become as great an American industry as the manufacture of steel rails.

Now let the senate meet its duty and pass this bill at an early day and the people will sustain them in doing so. Any quibbling or time-serving conduct in the interest of the preferred classes will be resented by the American people in a way that will retire from public life those engaged in it.

Let the senate take warning and give the people a free sugar bill.

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