

THE NEW POLITICAL GOSPEL.

It is surprising these days how outspoken a great many public men and public newspapers in the United States are in regard to some kind of a new movement based on public ownership and public control as a cure for the existing trust and other corporate evils.

New York has always asserted, and our courts have always sustained, the broad exercise of state sovereignty over all property in the state.

And more impressive still are the words of Judge Gray, the present Democratic candidate for the Court of Appeals, referring also to the sovereign powers of this state, he said: "An eminent domain over all property in the state is an incident of the sovereign power; and the right of the state to take the property is an absolute and inherent one."

State governments, therefore, possess all the common-law powers of acquiring, using and regulating all utility in the state; the Federal government possesses none except in specified instances.

Commenting on this, a Rochester paper takes this view: From this it would appear that it is neither "socialistic," "anarchistic" nor "revolutionary" for the state to exercise the right of eminent domain and own and operate mines of any kind, provided it be in the direction of public utility.

President Roosevelt is one of the new kind of men they are growing in the United States competent to deal with twentieth-century problems. There is also another young man in the United States connected with the Democratic party who proposes to deal with existing troubles, and who has presented himself for congressional honors in the State of New York.

I believe that the great issue of this campaign is the trust issue. The great question in the minds of all thoughtful men is the trust question. And I do believe that the Republican party can be depended upon to deal justly with the people on the trust question.

The Democrats do not wish to interfere with legitimate organization and system in business. But they do wish to prevent, and they will prevent, illegal monopolization, coercion and extortion.

Now, in all fairness and without prejudice, what is the Republican plan? It is a constitutional amendment. It is not to enforce the laws to general effect, but to make the laws we may make under the constitution. But it is to sit back and wait an indefinite number of years for an indefinite constitutional amendment.

Now, my friends, your political soldiers, your representatives, your senators and your President are as anxious to fight the trusts as our boys at Santiago were to fight the Spaniards. They will take the legal and political weapons they have at hand, and they will fight the trusts with them, and they will whip the trusts with them—and you won't have to wait for a constitutional amendment.

CLEANING THE STREETS. Toronto gentlemen now in New York send us a press clipping discussing the value, from a sanitary point of view, of washing asphalt and other streets. The verdict is certainly in favor of washing the streets, and the test which proves it was made by exposing on the streets certain plates known as Agar plates. The result was that in a 15 minute exposure in a portion of the city where the streets were washed, only 54 colonies of bacteria developed on each plate, while in a portion of the city where the streets were not washed over 900 colonies of bacteria developed on each plate in the same time.

CANADIAN COPYRIGHT. Canada has the right to legislate for herself in the matter of copyright, and another effort is to be made to have this principle recognized by the Dominion and Imperial houses of parliament. The efforts of the past in this direction have not been sufficient to concentrate or sustained to make much headway, but now what is hoped may prove a potent movement has been inaugurated by the formation of the Canadian Copyright Association.

THE WABASH RAILWAY is the great winter tourist route to the South and West, including the famous Hot Springs, Ark. Old Mexico, the EGYPT of America, Texas and California, the land of sunshine and flowers. Particular attention is called to the fact that passengers going via Detroit and over the Wabash reach their destination hours in advance of the lines. The new and elegant trains of the Wabash are the finest in this country, everything is first-class every respect. All-round trip winter tourist tickets are now on sale at lowest rates. Time-table, maps and all information fully furnished by ticket agent, J. A. Richardson, District Passenger Agent, Northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto.

THE PRICE OUR FARMERS GET FOR LIVE STOCK. The price paid here on Tuesday's market for prime hogs was \$5.75 to \$6. The same day at Chicago it was \$6 to \$6.75.

GROWTH OF THE APPLE TRADE

Export of This Health-Giving Fruit Expanding and Giving Good Results.

CROP APPROACHES THE RECORD

Fruit is of Good Quality—Packing and Spraying Receive Considerable Attention.

With a view to gaining a correct estimate of the apple crop in Canada and more especially in the Province of Ontario The World on Thursday visited a number of the leading commission houses in the province, and after a thorough picking and subsequent care of the apple is not now a haphazard enterprise, but has by care and study been raised to a science.

Mr. A. McBride of McBride Bros. was not favorably impressed with the outlook from the shippers' standpoint, largely on account of the weather. He does not favor the standard as being too stringent, and likely to result in a smaller crop.

Mr. W. H. Smith of Colborne-street regards the apple crop as excellent, although, in view of the weather, he does not think that prices will rule high. This firm is paying from 70c to \$1 on the trees, or full size, and will be making advance for winter fruit.

The British Market. The King, Darrell Co. are among the heavy shippers in the city, with a number of branch houses throughout the province. Mr. Darrell speaks of the outlook for the public as bright, and the crop is uniformly good, but the price is not so good as it was in the past.

Results From Spraying. The Dawson Commission Co. regards this year as equalled only by that of 1896 as to general crop. Under the firm advice over a wide area are maximum with reference to the bounteous crop. The crop is uniformly good, but the price is not so good as it was in the past.

Expansion of the Trade. As an evidence of the enormous expansion of the Canadian apple trade, the shipments from the port of Montreal for the week ending on Tuesday, Oct. 29, totalled \$3,000,000.

NO NEW U.S. CARDINAL THIS YEAR. At Next Papal Consistory, About Christmas, None to Be Created.

IT IS DOUBTFUL. If Local Applications Alone Ever Cured a Case of Catarrh. Most remedies for the treatment of catarrh are in the form of sprays, inhalations, washes or salves.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are large, pleasant looking lozenges, composed of Red Gums, Hydrant, Blood Root and similar catarrh specifics, and so safe to use that little children suffering from colds or croup may take them with the same beneficial results as adult persons.

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THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED

Underwear for Monday

Our November Sale of Underwear will be in full swing to-day, and its success is assured from the first. Can't help being successful when such worthy qualities are offered at such tempting prices.

Stirring Carpet News

A price incentive for getting your new parlor or hall carpet now instead of waiting until spring. To make the inducement still more attractive we'll include making, lining and putting down of carpet in the price for Monday.

Lovely Curtains at \$1.15

They were selling at \$1.75 to \$2 a pair Not very many of a kind or pattern, but a very extensive assortment. These are the small lots and leftovers picked from our best selling lines for the season.

Dress Goods for Monday

Here is a great line of All-Wool Zibeline, French make, at 25c a yard for Monday. Remarkably cheap, we think, at this price.

Monday--Towel Day

Fifteen Cents a pair for 20c and 23c Towels Most of them came to us from a manufacturer who cleared us his surplus makes at a price.

Alarm Clocks for 63c

A guaranteed movement in a nickel case with a bell alarm. A ninety cent clock for sixty-three cents on Monday while 300 last.

Gilt Wall Papers

A ten-cent bargain among our 25c and 35c papers. Surely you wouldn't keep your walls so dreary when new papers are to be had at that rate.

Bedroom Furniture

Nowadays the wooden bedstead is a back number, and in furnishing a bedroom your outfit should comprise a brass or iron bed with bureau and washstand to match.

Acetylene Gas Permanent Generator

NO VALVES. NO HOT GAS. NO STROBING CARBIDE FUEL. Only system recognized by the Patent Office. The Permanent is accepted by the Canadian Fire Underwriters.

LIFE IS UNCERTAIN

A man who has accumulated property for the benefit of his family or others very often puts off making his will till too late. We will send free for the asking Will Forms and Little Books About Wills.

CHICKERING

Our Quarter Grand and Siple "E" Colonial Chickering Pianos are just the instruments for a small drawing room.

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