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Important Railway Meeting

Misery in Quebec—Two Hundred Bodies get Buried in Rock.

Georgia Legislators Threaten to Fight.

The Senate Committee Considers Trifling.

Double and Strikeouts.

HELENA, Sept. 19.—[Special to the LEADER.]—The coming week will be one of great activity in democratic circles. In addition to the deceives already in the employ of the democratic state committee special financial agents will be sent into each county to buy up the floating voters and half-breeds. They will be liberally supplied with money and their instructions are to leave nothing undone that money will accomplish. In Cascade county three men will have the handling of the funds under the direction of the Collins clan.

The meeting of the leading democrats of the territory in Helena on Monday was to consider the situation and head off the kick that was coming into headquarters about certain candidates and money was appropriated for the purpose of hushing up the kickers.

The great fight is for the legislature and congressmen, and in the language of one of the leaders, "we must carry these, let it cost what it will in time and money."

Every democratic worker has his pockets full of hoochie and all that a voter has to do is to name his price and the cash is plunked down.

This is a bold and daring undertaking and they make no concealment of the scheme.

In the mining camps of Butte thousands of dollars will be paid out between now and election day in purchasing votes. Already agents are at work rounding up the rascals of Helena.

Never in the history of Montana or any other state or territory was there such a hellish outpouring of hoochie to corrupt the sacredness of the ballot-box.

It behooves the republicans of every election precinct to be up and doing to head off this gang of hoodlums in their attempt to steal Montana from the honest voters.

Thank God! the new manner of voting will stop them at the polls, but if necessary, they will steal the ballot boxes to gain their ends. They are desperate.

Watch them closely, for ten thousand dollars will go into Cascade county in a few days, to be handled by democratic agents.

Great preparations are being made, for the last week's canvass will be strictly one of hoochie and lying on the part of the democrats.

The republican state central committee are fully advised as to the doings of the enemy and will endeavor to check-mate them at every point by honest efforts. As they have no Big Four to draw on for campaign money they are down to hard work and are confident of electing the whole state ticket and a good majority of the legislature.

The Webb "gubler" is a sinner and can't be explained away. The democrats are on the lead run with police after them.

As far as we can be judged by registration returns the republican majority in the state will exceed 5,000.

Harry Conroy, one of the democratic candidates for the legislature in Lewis and Clark county, in a speech at the democratic mass-meeting in Helena on Wednesday evening, came out square toed for the new election law, saying that he "considered it the best law ever enacted for protecting the purity of the ballot." This is the first direct approval of the law by a democratic candidate and has caused quite a flutter in democratic circles. He further said that "never would have become a law in Montana but for the votes of the democrats in the last legislature Jerry Collins voted for it and is now denouncing it as an 'infamous law.' Poor Jerry, consistency thou art a jewel."

Terrible Loss of Life.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 20.—The Journal's Quebec special says: It is known that at least 200 dead bodies still remain under the pile of debris. Rescuing parties are hard at work, but are meeting with many accidents, as huge masses of rock still continue to fall from the cliffs.

The loss is very great. Some of the workmen, who are deprived of homes, lose all their furniture and other effects, even their summer's earnings. Many are left virtually penniless at the commencement of a Canadian winter. The injured have nearly all been removed to the hotel Dieu. Men of the battery, aided by a detachment of cavalry, have effected quite a number of rescues.

Southern Blood Ep.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 20.—The Georgia legislature was quite belligerent yesterday, and last night three couples of representatives were negotiating through friends. These negotiations may end in explanations on the floor, or in visits to the surrounding states for the purpose of fighting. The first and second misunderstandings arose during a debate on the proposed industrial school for girls, and the third on a proposition to the legislature to visit the battle field of Chickamauga. The three sets of candidates for admission to the ducting ground are Representatives Tignor and Atkinson, Felton and Brooks, Foote and Thurman.

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The Republican Outpouring

Thomas H. Carter, the People's Favorite, Talks to Them

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Exposes the Pure Cussedness of Democratic Pretenses.

Maj. Eaton Follows, Electrifying the Delighted Multitude.

The speech of the Hon. Thos. H. Carter at the spacious Park hotel dining hall on Thursday night, a synopsis of which we printed yesterday morning, brought one of the most enthusiastic gatherings of intelligent voters that ever convened in Great Falls. Mr. Carter's very presence was electrifying.

Maj. Eaton arose amid the rousing cheers which followed Mr. Carter's speech, and spoke in substance, as follows:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:—It is the belief of all good Montanians that a follower of the prophet, to enter paradise, must skate over a spider's web stretched across his path. The democratic party tried last fall to slide over their accustomed broad path, into their accustomed paradise, but alas the spider's web broke and they fell into the soup and do anything. They are "going up and down the country and turning complete some-remnants of principle to gain votes."

The question for the voter is which will you believe—that they were honest last fall or that they are honest now? They did not fool you then; will you let them fool you now?

Last fall the people said, you are our

enemies and we will put you out. Now the two democratic headlamps are going up and down the territory taking back what they said only eleven short months ago.

All human experience teaches that after a great victory has been won, vigilance must guard the spoils. We drove them from the field last fall. Now we must keep them off the field. The chronic democratic candidate, Maj. Magnums, said in a speech a short time ago: "We have cast aside the impediments of the past and are now in light marching order." If this means anything it means that they have thrown away all principle and are out to catch votes.

There can be no doubt that the political destiny of Montana is republican. This is as sure as summer follows winter, or that light will conquer darkness. I am of the opinion that last year the democracy met its Waterloo, and you may as well expect republicanism to penetrate the solid south, as to find Montana will remain a hot of democracy in this new northwest.

In the constitutional convention, recently held, two members, elected in the lobby, held, showed great solidarity with other laborers in their attitude toward convict labor should come in contact with free labor and self-respecting labor. No one wishes that free labor shall not come in contact with convict labor. We do not intend to allow their products to come into competition with the product of the high-priced American workman.

Your democratic editor here in Great Falls, as far as he is personally concerned, will cry out for protection and ask that work be done at home so that he may employ our home labor instead of the ill-paid labor of Europe and Asia. And yet he will try to nail in the democratic boot, which is a free-trade vessel. If he is any thing, and free trade simply means the thing; and free trade simply means the employment of that same paper and convict labor, by purchasing their products, instead of our own.

But why am I individually in favor of protection? I might say because it reaches the workingman, or that it is out and helps the workingman, or that it is his only hope of becoming an employ-

or, or, yet again, because it favors the masses rather than the classes. My chief reason, however, is because protection is in favor of me. What I am, or hope to be in this world, is a man of opportunity offered by protection. If ever again I have to earn my bread by the sweat of my brow, I do not want to compete with depressed labor.

My friends, the issue at stake is one of principle—pure and simple. Popularity should not sway your ballot an iota. Principles are immovable and are either entirely right or entirely wrong. Do not vote because you are on that ticket, but because principle is on that ticket.

In our no crime is so great as giving aid and comfort to the enemy. The wolf of despair is clutching at the vitals of the democracy. What republican, what protectionist, can give aid and comfort to this enemy? Democracy is a mad dog and the only way to treat it is as you would any other mad dog.

We have given you a good ticket for governor, a man who has been energetic and tireless among these mountains and despite attack his good name and fame are co-extensive with our domain.

We have planted our platform upon these corner-stones: LABOR, WOOL, LEAD AND COPPER. Upon it stands the bill of the people, the Hon. THOMAS H. CARTER.

Vote the republican ticket and vote all of it. Elect a republican legislature that will send republican senators to Washington.

Let your government at home be republican, and you will have started upon a career of splendor of which will dazzle with its splendor the whole sisterhood of states.

Although the lion of eleven had well-arrived, not one present seemed to leave the room. All were united, instructed and confirmed in the elevating principles of protection to American industry and the grandest system of free trade the world ever saw—that in mutual operation between the sovereign states composing the American union.

The stand was arranged as on the even-

ings when Col. Sanders and McCutcheon addressed us—in the center of the east side—bringing the speakers and the audience into each other's immediate presence; and the interest did not flag but rather intensified up to the close.

It was observable that Mr. Carter and Maj. Eaton were laboring under severe colds and indisposition. They have been speaking to the people from three to six times a day for several weeks. Mr. Carter especially was almost hoarse from a bronchial affection. Their ability, however, did not detract an iota from the force and pungency of their logic or the wrapt attention of the auditors.

We wonder what flights of nebular reasoning the evening luminary would take in explaining why it was that upon the recently celebrated labor day processions of well clad, well fed, contented workmen paraded the streets of New York, Boston and Philadelphia, while upon the same day, poorly fed and discontented laborers in London were rising in mutiny against their employers. Of course their logic would not admit the influence of a protective tariff.

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Democratic Skullduggery.

BUTTE, Sept. 19.—Special to the LEADER.] The democrats are working what they term a "shrewd game." Hauser and other democratic railroad magnates are promising contracts to certain railroad contractors if they will use their influence in electing the democratic state ticket and members of the legislature. It is said that over 200 hundred miles of the proposed railroads in the territory have already been promised to certain men if they will throw their influence for the democrats.

Butte Without a Postmaster.

BUTTE, Sept. 20.—Patrick Talbot, the democratic postmaster at Butte, has sent in his resignation to President Harrison. Mr. Talbot has still a year and a half to serve, to fill the term of his appointment, his commission having been made out in February 1887. It is not known who his successor will be. Among those prominently mentioned in connection with the office are W. O. Spear, A. F. Dray, Pat Conlon, W. C. Hatcher and several others.

Seven Hundred.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 20.—The steamer City of Detroit arrived from Cleveland this morning. Last night she experienced very rough weather and began to leak; the bulk heads gave away and there was a panic among the 700 passengers on board. The water rose six feet in the hold but the vessel managed to reach port.

A Murderer Hanged.

MOOREHEAD, Miss., Sept. 20.—Thomas Brown was hanged here this morning for the murder of Policeman Paul, on the night of October 17, 1888. The drop fell a few minutes after 4 a. m. Brown faced death calmly and died without a struggle.

Irrigation in the Northwest.

OMAHA, Feb. 20.—The United States senate committee on irrigation are listening to statements from citizens of this section on the matter in hand. Senator Stewart of Nevada is at the head of the committee.

Clergymen, Justices of the Peace.

And Judges of Courts of Record, and all who are authorized by law to administer the solemn rites of matrimony, also those seriously contemplating that blissful state, would do well to call and see our elegant MARRIAGE CERTIFICATES, just issued from the LEADER press.

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