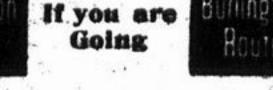
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thracite. It is admitted free. The test of the theory is in its application. Plainly the tariff abolitionists' theory cannot stand it.

The American Economist presents a striking contrast between labor conditions in this country in 1896 and 1992. This is made up from the record of "want ads." in the daily papers of 25 large cities from Boston to San Francisco. In 1896 the great majority of these "ads." were under the heading "Situations Wanted;" in 1902 the great majority are under the heading "Help | wig's. Wanted." In the New York Sunday Herald advertisements during August, 1896, there were 4,710 for situations and 1,909 for help wanted. A summary of the advertisements in the same paper for 1902 shows that 5,929 were for situations wanted and 6,365 for help wanted. A summary of the advertisements in 40 papers published in 25 of the principal cities of Sunday, August 24, 1902, shows 2,523 situations wanted by females, \$,036 by males, or a total of 5,559. Compared with this there were 7,682 advertisements of male help wanted and 5,254 for female help wanted, making a total of 12,946 such advertisements, or four times as many as for situations wanted. Many of these ads. for help wanted called for several hundred or thousand men. The one ad. calling for 1,500 men, and the San Francisco Examiner's ads. on that date called for 17,000 persons. It is estimated by the compiler of these figares that there was advertised for on that date not less than 500,000 persons to fill situations at good wages.

It is a striking contrast from the cry of 1896 when men and women were begging for work, to that of to-day when employers are erying for help and advertising for half a million persous to go to work. The condition of 1896 was that created by a low tariff under a democratic administration. The conditions to-day when there are not enough working people for the places has been created by the Dingley protective tariff.

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