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There is a thunder of a kick against direct taxation. This protest may be all well enough but if we had a policy of "uncovered" direct taxation you can bet your bottom dollar that we would have very few billion dollar congresses.

When the farmers and laborers get together on common sense lines they will vote solidly against candidates which stand on a platform dictated by such men as Lyman Gage and the allied banking interests.

The trouble in Greece and Turkey may run up prices of American products sufficient to pull the gold standard administration out of the hole.

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mean so much of benefit to the Mitchellites. It is a long time yet until election and the Mitchellite and gold standard wings of the republican party may yet solidify...

IN BENIGHTED DARKNESS.

One can but read the assumptions of the gold dailies in these days of education, with a degree of amusement. The Oregonian is perhaps the ablest of these papers in the northwest and it is wonderful to note its deductions.

This incessant playing the pensioner against the farmer—when the farmer it is who make pensions possible—is an old trick of demagogues, and will perhaps wear through human existence.

When supposedly intelligent men appeal to the sordidity of the pensioner, they strike at those who pay the pensions. And such transparencies can only delude people who walk in benighted darkness.

WHAT OREGON WANTS.

Must cease paying tribute to eastern manufacturers. Annually are thousands of dollars shipped east for farm machinery when the west affords every possible material from water power to muscle.

Human nature is in all phases of human life much alike. Corbett wants to again fight Fitzsimmons and John H. Mitchell is laying his plans to capture the next legislature.

The tariff question is an all important one—and mistakes will cost us grievously. Why not have an international commission on the tariff question and if Europeans say no, close up business!

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The book "If Christ came to Congress" must have had some weight in causing Governor Lord to have senatorial designs on the next legislature.

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Weekly Financial Statement.

Table with columns for WASHINGTON COUNTY, OREGON. Items include Warrants outstanding, Back on state tax for year 1896 and 1897, Total debt, Paid on state tax since April 1, 1897, Warrants redeemed, Total outstanding debt, etc.

ROBERT WAGNER

Has moved his boot and shoe repair shop into the building one door east of the Pharmacy, on Main street, where he will be pleased to do good work at lowest possible prices.

Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have been by the court appointed administrator of the estate of JOHN FOSTER, deceased.

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