

WEEKLY OREGON STATESMAN.

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THE SITUATION.

ED. STATESMAN:—Will you allow me space in which to state very briefly, a few of the reasons why every law-abiding citizen should vote the Republican ticket.

Not until our people have come together, in the spirit, which belonged to the better days of our country, can we afford to take the reins of government out of the hands of Republicans.

Now let us see for a moment what Democrats have done during the same period above referred to: In their efforts to force the institution of slavery into every State and Territory of the Union, they arrayed State against State, section against section, man against man, and brother against brother.

In view of all these facts, in the sound of the voices which come to us from the east, in grateful remembrance of our great triumph, in sorrowing love for the great departed, how can any good citizen, with the love of country at heart, think of voting the Democratic ticket.

Albany, Oregon, Aug. 21, 1876.

FORGIBLE REASONS.

Mr. Ingersoll writes to the Peoria Transcript: "I do say that the worst wards, the worst cities, the worst States, are the Democratic wards, the Democratic cities, and the Democratic States."

PARTY DISCIPLINE.

Gen. Brown is vigorously cracking a party-lash over the heads of Democratic members of the Legislature, threatening severe castigation to all who dare to oppose political jobs set up by Brown, Watkins and Judge Grover.

BOYS IN BLUE.

We publish an article in this morning's issue under the above caption to which we invite attention. Arrangements will soon be completed for the establishment of this popular political organization in this State.

DEMOCRATIC CLEVER.

Sixteen years ago the Democratic party was displaced, and the majority of its members avenged their fall by civil war. That party now renews its persistent demand to be again intrusted with the national government, and one of their strangest arguments for such a step is, that Republicans did not suppress their rebellion as cheaply as they might have done.

Seeing all these things as we do, would it be safe, within about eleven years after the war, to hand over the control of this government to the very men who once undertook to destroy it.

The attempt of the ex-Confederate House to cripple our civil service and double our national war debt, is evidence that they have again entered into a conspiracy against the government, and every voter will be held responsible for the vote he casts at the coming election.

OREGON STATE FAIR.

ED. STATESMAN:—Please announce in the columns of your valuable paper that Dr. W. L. Adams has kindly consented to deliver the Annual Address at the approaching State Fair, commencing October 9th.

W. P. WATSON, Pres't.

We learn, says the Standard, that the stores of Bangassar & Dellschneider and W. H. Boyd were burglarized at McMinnville last night, and that the safes belonging to both were blown open, and the contents taken therefrom.

According to a Louisville paper this is the way a Kentucky candidate for office greets a voter: "Howdy, howdy, howdy?" "Howdy?" "How do you do?" "Tollable!" "Our folks well?" "Tollable!" "How's your?" "Tollable!" "Neighbors all well?" "All far as this time!" "Tollable!" "Can it be possible that report is made to the parliamentary Water-fer?"

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, August 15, 1876. SPECIMENS OF DEMOCRATIC ECONOMY. When a man goes about charging that the rest of the world is destitute of a particular virtue, and that all there is of that article resides in himself, he ought at least to afford some proof of his very sweeping allegations.

A NOTABLE INSTANCE OF ECONOMY! When the Democratic House met last winter it began an onslaught, as blind as the striking of a copperhead in dog days, upon the various appropriations, announcing that it was going to reduce them all, and thus relieve the people of their burdens of taxation.

The economy of this thing will appear when it is stated that our consular system is an actual source of revenue instead of an expense to the treasury. Formerly, the consuls received and retained their fees as compensation, but for many years, they have been paid salaries and required to return all their fees into the U. S. treasury.

Since 1866, these fees have greatly exceeded in the aggregate, the sum of all the salaries paid. In the last year of Buchanan's term, the cost of the consular system was \$329,231, including a deficiency of \$34,571, without any return of fees; and prior to that time, the cost had always exceeded the income.

Table with columns: YEARS, SALARIES PAID, FEES RETURNED. Rows for years 1866, 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875.

Here is shown an actual income of \$400,000, for last year; and it will be seen that there has been an increase of the income from year to year. And yet the Democratic House has forced a decrease of the number of consuls to the extent of twenty-two, thus not only cutting off a relative portion of the consular income, but embarrassing and crippling our commerce at all the ports left destitute and

leaving our merchantmen and sailors without the protection of an American agent. A hull in a china shop could hardly be so destructive an animal as this Democratic majority in the House when it undertakes to wrestle with public affairs.

ALL REPUBLICANS MADE TO SUFFER. The House has been at work all winter, spring, and summer, just about as ignorantly in other appropriations as in the diplomatic and consular bill. There is not a department or bureau officer, who has not expressed the deliberate opinion, in reply to official inquiries by conference committees, that the ill-advised reduction will greatly embarrass the public service in all branches, and in some of them the effect will be nothing short of public disaster.

COMMUNICATED.

ED. STATESMAN: I occasionally receive your spy sheet, through the politeness of Col. Hovey, a former denizen of this city, and who, I see, is among your enterprising merchants. Frank deserves success in his distant western home. What pleases me more is that the merits of our glorious, wise, warm-blooded Hayes should be so warmly supported on the extreme Pacific coast.

Last summer during the Allen campaign, Gen. Hayes came to our city to visit and speak to the populace. I went with him to the top of the most beautiful mound, a relic of the prehistoric race which stands within 100 yards of Col. Hovey's old home, while quietly sitting in the shade of the oaks which spread their foliage over the long flight of stone steps, which run down the side of the mound, the General remarked that in 1846 he was admitted to practice law in the town of Marietta, and that with his parchment in his hand, penniless he started in the world.

To night, Hon. John Sherman, who was raised in this county, made the first speech of the campaign. He told me that it gave him pride to return to old Marietta, the mother of those patriotic men who framed the ordinance of 1787 which gave civil law and freedom to the northwest territory. Ohio was the battle ground with Indian forces in 1790, so is it in 1876 politically. The aggressive policy of the rebel Democracy under the thin guise of reform, will meet its rebuke in November, when the silent vote declares that the principles enunciated in 1787 which proclaimed civil law to every citizen still meet a response from patriotic breasts.

You need have no fears as to the purity, power and executive ability of the champion of Republican hosts. Those who know the man wish they were thousand tongues and that each word were an electric flash to all parts of the world.

Pardon a stranger for intruding upon your notice. Printers can forbear with one of their old fellows J. C. SPRAGUE, MARIETTA, O., Aug. 12th, 1876.

Cheering words for the Republicans come to us every day. Quite a number who voted with the Democracy last spring have announced their intention to vote this fall for Hayes and Wheeler and Dick Williams. Republicans, let us work with a will, and we will sweep the State this fall by a large majority. The rebel symptoms manifested by the last Congress, and the double dealing and dodging resorted to by the St. Louis Convention and their candidates on the financial question has disgusted many, who for a few years have been voting with that party. The Boys in Blue realizing the manner in which their comrades are hurled from office to make place for those who fought against the flag, will unite almost to a man in favor of the soldier candidate for President. We are gaining votes every day.

Prof. T. H. Crawford has accepted a position as principal of one of the public schools in Portland.

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. W. Redington. J. M. Rice.

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