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For President-WILLIAM M'KINLEY, of Ohio.

For Vice-President THEODORE ROOSEVELT. of New York

BOSSES AND BOSSISM.

The work of bossism begins at the primary, for this is the only pure democracy that exists in our representative form of government, and reformation should begin here, in Oregon, as well as elsewhere. The legislature next winter should pass a primary election law, one that would insure the choice of the individual voter controlling the nominees of the county, district and state conventions. This would free the people, in a measure, from the control of party bosses.

The American system of politics has developed, or rather evolved a class of creatures known as "bosses," and these wield a most despotic sway over those who attach themselves to either party for the personal and pecuniary advantages to be derived. These cringing, subservient beings, upon whom the boss depends for success of his schemes, are timeservers in every regard, and would constitute the servile population in all countries. They would never have stood in the ranks at Runnymede to demand of King John and, if necessary, die for Magna Charta liberties; they would not have oppendence with the revolutionary patriots.

The boss himself is generally a creature of craft and cunning, and studies more the art of treachery and half-savage races, than the higher qualities of civilization and intelligence. He is not a statesman, but simply a vulgar boss, who uses a club against opponents and never argument, He can never be a leader, begause he studies methods for con trolling his satellites and never principles of government which will better the masses and ameliorate their condition.

Our country in theory is a government of the people, by the people and for the people; but in fact it is a government by the machine, of the machine and for the machine; and behind the machine is the little boss and the big boss, who puts all the wheels in motion, greases the cogs. and then sets the apparatus moving to grind out whomever or whatever he wants in candidates or platforms of principles. Then the party whip is applied, and the boss-duped citizen bares his back and cringes under the lash. This is not liberty. It is tyranny of the worst kind, and more despicable, under the conditions, than any that has ever disgraced the sultan of Turkey or the czar of Russia. Those are autocratic governments, and the one-man power is fully understood and expected. No people can be tree under such a system, and patriotism loses its meaning.

The people are subservient to the slate-makers, and the slate-makers are subservient to their own personal desires and personal greeds. Every party boss, or slate-maker as he may be properly termed, constitutes himself the conscience of the people, and if the public are outraged in any way, they must bear their chagrin and disappointment in silence, and must meet the petty tyrant with smiles and kiss the hand that smote them. What is patriotism and who are the patriots under such circumstances? The rule of bosses is not patriotism, for they would trample under foot every vestige of individual liberty to accomplish their purposes. They must own their followers, body and soul. Neither are the bosses patriotic; for they are fre-

quently men not of the highest intelligence or of the purest motives. They are generally creatures of craft and cunning, who have studied the arts of deception and duplicity, and are usually adepts in the elements of character that are despised by honor able and upright men. The people are not patriotic, who allow themselves to be ruled and tyrannized by these creatures of craft and greed, and while this condition of affairs exist true patriotism and true patriots are lulled to sleep by false and treacherous strens.

The delineation of bosses and bossism is absolutely impersonal, and may or may not be applicable to any community from the Atlantic seaboard to the Pacific coast, or from the great lakes to the gulf; and it may be too highly or two lightly colored to be artistic; or it may lack in pose or outline to be a perfect picture. It may be simply a sketch; but we are satisfied that the American mind is impressed with the lineaments, that we are on the eve of a mighty revolution, when the spirit of patriotism shall be aroused and the people in their might, at the ballot-box, shall sever the chains that bind them to bosses and bossism, and be what the fathers of the republic intended each citizen should be, individually and inherently free. Then the voice of the peop'e shall be the voice of liberty, and tyranny of every kind shall be unknown in the great republic of the western continent.

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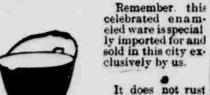
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W. R. DUNBAR, Register

may201 EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appeal ted by the county court, of the state of Oregon, executor of the last will and testament of Evaline Evans, deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the said Evaline Evans are hereby required to present the same to him, properly verified, as by law required, at Moster, Oregon, within six mouths from the date hereot.

in aw required, at Mosler, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Lated this lath day of June, 1800. LEANDER EVANS, Executor of the last will and testament of Evalue Evans, deceased. [unle-fi

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