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From the Democratic Standpoint

This space is under the direct control of the Bryan and Kearn Club of Grants Pass, and the Democratic committee is responsible for all articles appearing under this heading.

If the election of Mr. Taft depends on Oregon, if the carrying of Oregon depends on Senator Fulton, and if Senator Fulton makes the campaign on such statements as that in which he insists that Bryan has abandoned all his former policies, Mr. Taft will never be lord of the White House. Senator Fulton has hitherto, to his own great cost, assumed indefensible positions in Oregon, but he never, in all his life, was so absurd as in his attack on Mr. Bryan. If there is one trait for which any man in any country is distinctly noted, it is William J. Bryan in his loyalty to a principle and in his consistent devotion to the cause of the commonalty.

He has not only been unvaryingly loyal to his convictions but he has been so powerful in their advocacy that he has lived to see them impressed with their deep approval upon the whole body of his countrymen. He has not only been true to them himself, but he has seen his policies appropriated bodily by the head of a great opposition party, and adopted as the favorite policies by a president administration conducted by that party, affording a precedent never before witnessed in the political annals of the world. No such vindication of the views of a private citizen ever fell to the lot of any man in any country and no such an example of personal power was ever seen. All this Senator Fulton knows, for it is of record in the speeches and platforms of Mr. Bryan a dozen years ago, and in the messages and speeches of Mr. Roosevelt in the past 12 months.

Here is the utterance of Bryan on the tariff in 1896: "The tariff laws should be so amended by placing the products of the trusts on the free list, as to prevent monopoly under the plea of protection." Mr. Roosevelt on the same subject in 1908, said: "I advocate the reduction of the tariff upon the articles coming into competition with the articles controlled by the trusts." It took eight years for Mr. Roosevelt to find out that Mr. Bryan was right on the tariff.

Bryan in 1896: "I believe in the income tax as a method of raising revenue for the government." Roosevelt in 1907, 12 years later: "I wish to again urge upon you the necessity of some form of taxation upon the incomes of wealthy corporations and individual incomes." This was after Mr. Roosevelt's party had repeatedly denounced the income tax as iniquitous and popalistic.

As to the Philippines, Bryan in 1899: "I believe that we should do to the Philippines as we have done with Cuba, and that it is our duty to make that promise now, and upon suitable guarantee of the protection of American and foreign residents, to give the Philippines their independence." Roosevelt in 1900: "I believe in the ultimate independence of the Philippines."

Bryan on railroad rate regulation in

1896: "We demand the enlargement of the powers of the interstate commerce commission, and such restrictions and guarantees and control of railroads as will protect the people from robbery and oppression." Roosevelt on the same subject 12 years later: "It is especially necessary that some representative of the national government have full power to deal with the great corporations engaged in interstate commerce, especially the great interstate common carriers."

Bryan on government by injunction in 1896: "We are opposed to government by injunction, as our support of the senate bill prohibiting it will show. That bill meets my approval." Roosevelt 12 years afterward, or in 1908: "I call your attention to the need of some action in connection with the abuse of the injunction in labor cases." This is the first utterance of Mr. Roosevelt's party since Taft by use of the injunction sent laboring men to jail without trial by jury.

Bryan on trusts in 1896: "The Democratic party is opposed to trusts. It would be recreant to its duty to the people if it recognized either the moral or legal right of these great corporations to stifle competition, bankrupt rivals and prey upon society." Roosevelt in 1908: "The fortunes amassed by these corporate institutions and trusts make it necessary for the government to have some control of them. Such monopolies are wholly inconsistent with human liberty, and are not to be tolerated by a free people."

Bryan on the employers' liability law in 1896: "I favor the reenactment of the employers' liability law." Roosevelt in 1907: "I favor the reenactment of the employers' liability law."

Such is the record that stares Senator Fulton in the face. He cannot deny it, nor evade it. It is of record in speeches, platforms and messages to congress, and it forms a case of the adoption by the head of an opposing party of the policies of a private citizen in another party, of which the country, and the world afford no parallel. Instead of abandoning his policies, Mr. Bryan has lived to see them appropriated bodily by Mr. Roosevelt and heralded to the world as "my policies." It constitutes a confirmation of the judgment and far sighted statesmanship of Mr. Bryan such as Christendom has never seen, and, which in all political annals is probably without precedent.

The word republican was used last week in place of revolution in the close of the account of the speech of Hon. George Fred Williams. The sentence should have read: "And if the American people fail to appreciate and to appropriate such teaching it will be evidence that our Revolution fathers labored and suffered in vain."

MAKE THIS ACCORDING TO THE DIRECTIONS

Hundreds of People in Vicinity Will Welcome This Advice Says Local Druggist.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for backache or kidney trouble or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid extract of dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic affections with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

Quartz Blanks at the Courier office.

OREGON'S SCHOOLS GAIN IN TEN YEARS

The growth in population of a state may generally be determined by its school statistics, and judging from this source Oregon has had a very healthy increase in its population in the past ten years, as in 1898 there were 130,750 children in the public schools while at the beginning of the present school year there were 160,042.

In most counties the number has already been increased since the opening day. In Grants Pass alone the number of pupils enrolled since the opening day almost reaches the 300 mark. A few counties in the state show a loss of pupils, but all of these are not actual; for instance Sherman and Gilliam counties were changed and Wheeler county created out of their territory. If the pupils now credited to Wheeler county were added to those of the other two counties, they would not show a loss.

The forthcoming biennial report of Superintendent of Public Instruction J. H. Ackerman will show the following comparative statistics regarding the number of children in the several counties between the ages of 4 and 20 years in 1898 and 1908:

County	1898	1908
Baker	3,527	5,211
Benton	2,484	2,754
Clackamas	7,742	8,789
Clatsop	3,870	4,122
Columbia	2,123	2,905
Coos	3,829	5,085
Crook	1,301	2,080
Curry	744	628
Douglas	5,370	5,372
Gilliam	1,956	1,112
Graut	1,371	1,805
Harney	913	836
Jackson	4,979	5,904

Josephine	2,461	3,028
Klamath	1,114	1,752
Lake	876	1,012
Lane	6,928	9,157
Lincoln	1,423	1,846
Linn	7,209	6,568
Malheur	1,179	2,170
Marion	9,924	10,638
Morrow	1,503	1,664
Multnomah	25,604	36,587
Polk	3,807	3,949
Sherman	1,161	1,059
Tillamook	1,695	1,593
Umatilla	5,678	6,331
Union	5,155	5,492
Wallowa	1,86	2,630
Wasco	4,089	5,309
Washington	6,131	6,588
Wheeler	888	888
Yamhill	4,789	5,634
Totals	130,750	160,042

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