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Washington special to Oregonian: The silver men now understand the proposition of McBride of Oregon perfectly. He will not vote for the free-coinage bill of the senate finance committee. He told the men from the silver states that he would not vote for extreme measures. McBride says he is a bimetallist, an international bimetallist, but that he would be willing to have the international agreement adopted without including either Great Britain or Germany. He would form a bimetallic agreement with the Latin countries and with the South American republics. He would then change the tariff rates, granting members of the bimetallic agreement 20 per cent off on all customs duties. This would soon bring other countries to terms, and he thought that Great Britain and Germany, rather than lose the South American trade, would join the agreement. He said that if they did not the trade would be taken away, for the 20 per cent discrimination would be more than they could stand.

McBride said he would also vote to instruct the secretary of the treasury to pay out no more gold for the purpose of export. Under the present system of buying gold by the sale of bonds, the United States was paying a premium for gold and selling it to the men who wanted to ship gold at par. This was all it amounted to, and he did not think the United States should furnish gold for export.

SOME SOUND IDEAS.

A new phase of the financial question was presented by U. S. Senator Mills in the form of a resolution giving seven declarations of policy, substantially as follows:

First—Against the retirement of outstanding legal-tender notes.

Second—Favoring the coinage of the silver bullion in the treasury.

Third—The issuance of emergency legal-tender notes in case of a deficiency.

Fourth—Against the interest-bearing bonds.

Fifth—Establishing a policy of the United States in paying obligations in gold and silver.

Sixth—Repudiating the theory that a public debt is a public blessing.

Seventh—Urging the rapid extinguishment of the national debt and the maintenance of a sinking fund therefor.

Mr. Mills is an able Democrat from Texas and his propositions are important. We would like to hear some of the public men of Oregon on the above subjects. These are propositions of vital importance to the people regardless of party.

Mrs. Warren, the first white child born in Oregon and one of the survivors of the Whitman massacre, was recently married to William Cochran. The couple have moved from Brownsville, Or., to San Jose, Cal. Mrs. Warren was 60 years old at the time of her marriage.—Ex.

The above is false. Mrs. Eliza Warren who is the first white child born west of the Rocky mountains, is still residing on her farm near this city and is not married, and as far as we can ascertain, is not contemplating anything of the sort. The Mrs. Warren referred to above, was a resident of McMinnville, and Mr. Cochran resided in Brownsville. That the couple has moved to San Jose, Cal., is true.

LANE COUNTY FRUIT INSPECTOR.

A number of persons of this county who have attempted to ship fruit trees out of this county lately have experienced a great deal of difficulty because of there being no fruit inspector here.

The law requires that all fruit trees shipped from one part of the state to another must be inspected before leaving the nursery by some competent person, appointed for that special purpose, and pronounced free of disease before they can be shipped.

The need of an inspector here has been very apparent, and today County School Superintendent J. G. Stevenson received a commission from C. L. Dailley of Salem, commissioner second horticultural district of Oregon, appointing him inspector of fruit trees for Lane county.

This is a good appointment, as Mr. Stevenson will carefully and conscientiously dispose of the duties of this office to the best interests of the fruit industry.—Eugene Guard.

D. W. Coddige, who is secretary of the state board of equalization, was the former deputy, who is succeeded by Mr. Stevenson. Commissioner Daily is doing good work.

PACIFIC RAILWAY DEBT.

The Riley funding bill now being pushed vigorously before congress by lobbyists in the interest and employ of the Southern Pacific railroad, amounts to but little less than a gift by the government of 880,000,000 to Huntington and the three estates of his partners. Rich railroad companies, like national bankers, can use their own pleasure about paying debts, but the people must pay theirs to the uttermost farthing, and too, in better money than in which the debt was contracted. Let the mortgage on these roads be closed and the property be sold the same as any other debts. If the property will not bring enough to pay the debt due the government, then commence suit against the individual estates. This may not be just according to the law as it now stands, but it would be just and right. These laws were made so that just such robberies as this one could be made. A little of the vigor of early California administration of law applied to these sounders would help matters out wonderfully.—Brownsville Times.

If these mortgages were foreclosed a number of millionaires might have to go to work for a living, and that would be terrible. But the present do-nothing monopoly-ridden congress will doubtless prevent any such calamity.

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