

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of COUNTY ASSESSOR subject to the will of the county Republican convention.

J. A. VAN EATON.

NO STATE AID.

The board of regents of the Agricultural college have declined the \$2,500 annually appropriated by statutory provision for the maintenance of the institution. This is but right; for the state had no business making such an appropriation.

The board of regents of the Agricultural college have no disposition to make that institution a burden upon the taxpayers. They are conducting their affairs upon business principles, and while not impairing the efficiency of the college in the slightest degree, they see to it that one cent is not uselessly expended.

SPEECH OF SENATOR DUBOIS.

The speech of Senator Dubois of Idaho, delivered in the senate Thursday, in addition to advocating the passing of the free coinage substitute for the bond bill, outlined the position of the Republican senators in the silver states.

Further, the silver Republicans favored protection generally, including the so-called raw materials, and particularly lead, wood and lumber, besides various products of the farm, plantation and ranch.

"Notwithstanding this," he added, "I read in the press of the East almost every day that the region I represent is a 'pocket borough,' not entitled to consideration at your hands, and the inference is that it is peopled by a class who are a perpetual shock to the refined and virtuous East."

"The meanest and most vindictive of the newspapers which attack the silver men are published in New York City, where, for four score years, the worst element of our foreign immigration has found lodgment, and where there have been more scandals in connection with their city government and elections than in any other spot in our country."

"The common people, as Abraham Lincoln called them, do not care to argue about their ailments. What they want is a medicine that will cure them. The simple, honest statement, 'I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me,' is the best argument in favor of this medicine, and this is what many thousands voluntarily say. Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache, 25 cents."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria WEAK MEN CURED AS IF BY MAGIC. Victims of Lost Manhood should read...

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

It Means Protection of American Interests.

(From the Congressional Record.)

Senator Wolcott of Colorado.—Our boundaries, as I have said, are rounded, completed, and defined. They are not assailed either on the north or on the south. We are in no danger of losing any portion of our territory, nor do we desire at this time to acquire on either side an additional acre, and vast as are our resources, intelligent as are our people, we possess an element of strength even greater than these advantages afford us; and that is that nobody wants us. We are not desirable subjects for other countries.

Mr. Mitchell of Oregon.—May I ask the Senator a question?

Mr. Wolcott.—If it is important, but if not I had rather go on.

Mr. Mitchell of Oregon. I think it is important, and that it will not disturb the Senator. In the event that England tomorrow should negotiate with the Nicaraguan Government for the purchase of all the Nicaraguan soil, I should like to know whether the Senator would say that the Government of the United States ought to protest; and if it did protest, whether it should protest in the name of the Monroe doctrine or in the name of what should it protest?

Mr. Wolcott.—Of course, if Great Britain were foolish enough to take such action, we should interfere, and should interfere to any extent; and we should interfere not in the slightest degree because of the Monroe doctrine, but because of the undoubted and inalienable right we have to protect our interests wherever anything is asserted to the contrary in any portion of the earth.

A MISTAKEN THEORY.

The theory that all members of a legislature are equally good or equally bad, is a mistake. Such a sweeping statement is either unjust flattery or unjust detraction.

Such statements are often resorted to for the purpose of helping out a political party. But it does not help. As well say that all members of a church are equally good—man or woman. As well say that all soldiers of an army are equally brave and true.

What is the true theory of legislative responsibility? Shall every member stand on his own record, or shall the party whitewash brush be used to make all appear equally acceptable? We fear the latter plan would not work. The people would see through the whitewash.

MIGHT DO WORSE.

There is much said of the failure of legislatures and congress to do something. The term "do nothing" is hurled at them in derision. Still they might do worse than do nothing. They might enact vicious legislation. They might do a great harm to the people. Instead, they possess the negative virtue of doing nothing. The last Oregon legislature failed to do a great deal that was promised to be done. But it has not been accused of enacting any vicious legislation. It passed few bad bills. Still that is no excuse for failure to pass good ones that were promised.

Believing its gang will be excluded from the next legislature, and fearing the election of the people's friend, Hon. John H. Mitchell, to succeed himself in 1897, the Oregonian is secretly hoping for Populist success in this state next June. While doing all within its power to beat the Republicans, the Oregonian finds no applause from the Populists in return for its traitorous service, the latter party feeling itself too good to wipe its feet with the "hoodie sheet."

Home trade is best. It keeps the money and the goods at home.

Of course, the school of mines will need an appropriation. It might be just as well to remind those professors and ring politicians at Eugene who seem to imagine that the sun rises and sets by order of the Portland machine, that their warfare on men like Representative Baker and his friends will not help them to get any new appropriations, and may help them get rid of what they now receive from the state.

The state of Oregon is an accumulation of officialism since twenty years, and one term of a legislature or one campaign of reform can no more abolish all the abuses than one season's work can clear a field of Canada thistles. The people have at least a ten year job before them.

There are newspapers in this state abusing the legislature that for \$5 can be hired to abuse anyone. They do it because they think it is popular, not because they are any honesters than the legislators were.

Taxpayers who want reductions in county and state expenses should be slow to promise support at the primaries to candidates. There should be as many unpledged delegations as possible.

If Marion county presents a formidable Republican candidate for congress it will be the duty of our loyal Republicans to support him in the convention.

The Oregonian prefers Democrats who will stand in, or Populists who will stand out, to Republicans who are not ring men.

Beware Of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can derive from them.

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