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Daily Capital Journal.

BY HOFER BROTHERS.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23, 1898.

THE SCHOOL ELECTION.

The issue at the coming school election is coming to be understood by many of the people. Two directors are to be chosen. One for five years and one for one year. These two will have a voice in reforming the financial affairs of the district. They should not be chosen to take up any of the factional fights of the school board or of any person who may be dissatisfied. But men or women should be chosen to do right by all the people of the district, and who would vote with any of the present members for what is right and just.

The election of two Republican chairmen would bring too much politics into the board. It would be composed of five Republicans; representing two factions, and there would be no end of personal strife. The people are tired of school district politics. It remains to be seen whether the people can separate their public schools from political dictation and make their conduct solely responsible to the people. The first step to this end is to cut down the high interest burden, and refund the debt at not over four per cent as is done in other states.

The debt of the district is small and its credit excellent. There is no excuse whatever for using borrowed money at from 6 to 9 per cent. Directors who will cut down the interest burden will lower taxes and none other should be chosen. Next choose directors who will give the people the best teachers possible for the salary paid regardless of their politics, religion or personality. Perhaps we are not broad enough or honest enough to deal thus with a great sacred public trust. If we are not we ought to be ashamed of ourselves.

NO PLACE FOR STRADDLERS.

There is one fact that the coming campaign is developing, which good citizens of all parties must recognize as a good omen; this is, that there is to be no more juggling with the money question. The people now understand this question and its importance to the public welfare, better than formerly, and they do not intend to allow trimmers and time servers to deceive them longer. A man who becomes a candidate of a party, whether Republican, Democratic or Populist, must clearly represent its principles. He must be a man of convictions, in whom his party has confidence. The explainer, or juggler of words, who seeks to avoid an issue, in order to cover and conceal his record, will be discarded and out of a job. He must speak out, like Messrs. Fulton and Carey, though his words knock out his record or expose his instability or lack of political wisdom. These gentlemen, ignoring their past records as Silver apostles, declared themselves with so much vehemence as "gold bugs" and devoted to "gold bug" principles, that they actually misled some of their friends into the belief that they were not only now, but always had been, stalwart advocates of the "gold bug" theory. Why did Messrs. Fulton and Carey do this? Manifestly because they recognized the

demand of the people for a straight declaration of the money question, and wished to put themselves in line with the principles of their party. This sifting process, going on in the parties, will result in good, it will lead to the selection of men in the different parties, who stood for principle; and it is only through such that the judgment of the people will be carried into effect.

Persistent Coughs

A cough which seems to hang on in spite of all the remedies which you have applied certainly needs energetic and sensible treatment. For twenty-five years that standard preparation of cod-liver oil,

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has proved its effectiveness in curing the trying affections of the throat and lungs, and this is the reason why: the cod-liver oil, partially digested, strengthens and vitalizes the whole system; the hypophosphites act as a tonic to the mind and nerves, and the glycerine soothes and heals the irritation. Can you think of any combination so effective as this?

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For Mere Political Speculators in Office.

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WOMEN AWAKENING.

Salem Ladies Take a Hand in Nominating School Directors. There is no law for nominating school directors. No caucus, primary or convention is called for that purpose. The custom has been to place candidates in nomination at the meeting of the electors that is held one week before the school election. The custom of a man's friends nominating him by a petition has only sprung up recently.

The JOURNAL advocates direct nomination by the voters themselves, and to get an expression by the people has published a ballot containing the names of all persons who have been named for the place. Several hundred ballots have been cast at this office. A number of ballots have been cast by gentlemen for Mrs. Amelia Miller, of South Salem. More have been cast by ladies, and Mrs. Miller is undoubtedly the choice of the women voters of this district. All women who own property in this district or who have children to educate are invited to cut a ticket out of this JOURNAL and express their choice of nominees. There will be blank votes furnished at this office. Quite a number of ladies have availed themselves of this privilege and no doubt more will do so.

As the women of Salem are to take part in this important election on equal terms with men the suggestion has been made that they have an organization to get out the woman vote. Such a club would be a great benefit in advising the ladies fully of their rights and duties, and enable them to fully take advantage of them. There are going to be legal questions raised in this election, and the women voters should not only have an organization but counsel.

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AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

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March 8, 1897. Samuel Pitcher, D.

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