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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S CAMPAIGN SPEECHES.

The Journal prints the speech of President Roosevelt to the farmers and wage-workers at Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

The speech contains a great deal of the commonplace, and was prepared in advance for the press.

The President's whole tour has been a successful one, and provocative of a great deal of enthusiasm of a political character.

It stands to reason that not all of his speeches shall be equally able and statesmanlike, although they will probably average as good as most men under 50 years of age could get off.

The President puts vigor, optimism and partisanship into his deliveries, and that does no harm. Cheerfulness and prosperity cannot be too much promulgated.

Roosevelt is the most interesting person before the American people at present, and all his utterances are readable, and generally wise.

IRRIGATION FOR THE PEOPLE.

The Republican party started in with a plain and simple homestead law that gave every man a chance to get 160 acres on condition that he make a home of it.

With our present land laws, especially for timber, school, mineral and irrigation purposes, there is very little margin of actual homesteading. The present Oregon irrigation law is a very vicious one.

Poor people who will unwittingly take up irrigation lands under what is known as the Carey act and state land law will find their great disadvantage only too late, when they come to pay for their water.

Certain Oregon papers continue to attack Congressman Williamson from eastern Oregon for his stand against the iniquitous monopoly known as the Carey land act. They will seek to drive Williamson from his position or drive him from public life if they can.

These same influences will attack Senator Fulton and the new congressman from western Oregon, and after the attacks already made it is a question who Congressman Williamson will line up with politically, as the attacks on him for having taken the people's side of the question come from the same sources that gave him the nomination for congress.

Williamson may be found lined up with Senator Simon and his friends in the next line-up in state politics.

KILLING THE EDDY BILL.

There is no doubt but that the wholesale wildcat mining speculators of eastern Oregon are trying to referendum the Eddy bill out of life. Speaking of this enterprise on their part the Moro Observer says:

"The Eddy law would work a hardship on Wildcat corporations, that are rich in capital stock but slighty poor in cash. The grafter the schemer, the fraud, the faice; nay, verily, the thief and the robber, and the man who will not live by honest means, under the Eddy law is shut out of the lucrative occupation of issuing wildcat stock on bogus mines. These are some of the people that the law hurts, and if the truth were known there is little doubt that the movement to hold it up until the next election found its inspiration in the designs of such unscrupulous men. The big mine pay 1901 of \$1,000,000, 1902 of \$2,000,000, 1903 of \$3,000,000, 1904 of \$4,000,000, 1905 of \$5,000,000, 1906 of \$6,000,000, 1907 of \$7,000,000, 1908 of \$8,000,000, 1909 of \$9,000,000, 1910 of \$10,000,000, 1911 of \$11,000,000, 1912 of \$12,000,000, 1913 of \$13,000,000, 1914 of \$14,000,000, 1915 of \$15,000,000, 1916 of \$16,000,000, 1917 of \$17,000,000, 1918 of \$18,000,000, 1919 of \$19,000,000, 1920 of \$20,000,000, 1921 of \$21,000,000, 1922 of \$22,000,000, 1923 of \$23,000,000, 1924 of \$24,000,000, 1925 of \$25,000,000, 1926 of \$26,000,000, 1927 of \$27,000,000, 1928 of \$28,000,000, 1929 of \$29,000,000, 1930 of \$30,000,000, 1931 of \$31,000,000, 1932 of \$32,000,000, 1933 of \$33,000,000, 1934 of \$34,000,000, 1935 of \$35,000,000, 1936 of \$36,000,000, 1937 of \$37,000,000, 1938 of \$38,000,000, 1939 of \$39,000,000, 1940 of \$40,000,000, 1941 of \$41,000,000, 1942 of \$42,000,000, 1943 of \$43,000,000, 1944 of \$44,000,000, 1945 of \$45,000,000, 1946 of \$46,000,000, 1947 of \$47,000,000, 1948 of \$48,000,000, 1949 of \$49,000,000, 1950 of \$50,000,000, 1951 of \$51,000,000, 1952 of \$52,000,000, 1953 of \$53,000,000, 1954 of \$54,000,000, 1955 of \$55,000,000, 1956 of \$56,000,000, 1957 of \$57,000,000, 1958 of \$58,000,000, 1959 of \$59,000,000, 1960 of \$60,000,000, 1961 of \$61,000,000, 1962 of \$62,000,000, 1963 of \$63,000,000, 1964 of \$64,000,000, 1965 of \$65,000,000, 1966 of \$66,000,000, 1967 of \$67,000,000, 1968 of \$68,000,000, 1969 of \$69,000,000, 1970 of \$70,000,000, 1971 of \$71,000,000, 1972 of \$72,000,000, 1973 of \$73,000,000, 1974 of \$74,000,000, 1975 of \$75,000,000, 1976 of \$76,000,000, 1977 of \$77,000,000, 1978 of \$78,000,000, 1979 of \$79,000,000, 1980 of \$80,000,000, 1981 of \$81,000,000, 1982 of \$82,000,000, 1983 of \$83,000,000, 1984 of \$84,000,000, 1985 of \$85,000,000, 1986 of \$86,000,000, 1987 of \$87,000,000, 1988 of \$88,000,000, 1989 of \$89,000,000, 1990 of \$90,000,000, 1991 of \$91,000,000, 1992 of \$92,000,000, 1993 of \$93,000,000, 1994 of \$94,000,000, 1995 of \$95,000,000, 1996 of \$96,000,000, 1997 of \$97,000,000, 1998 of \$98,000,000, 1999 of \$99,000,000, 2000 of \$100,000,000.

Yet there are thousands of people who will sign petitions to give the grafter a chance to vote to kill the bill. And as it takes only a majority of those voting to kill the bill, they would do it.

The Eddy bill may not do all that is claimed for it, but if it does one-half it will be a godsend to honest

investors, because it will force millions of capitalizations out of existence.

Instead of capitalizing a block of rocks on the side of a mountain at two millions they will capitalize it at twenty thousand, and proceed to engage in honest development of that amount.

AN EXPENSIVE CLERK.

The mistake of taking persons who are mere department clerks and elevating them to cabinet position grows out of the fact that they look at everything from the standpoint of the professional office-walker.

For instance, Mr. Cortelyou, who was McKinley's private secretary, has been made Secretary of Commerce, and immediately put in an estimate for over a million for expenses. Congress gave him \$200,000.

The Commerce Committee estimated from eight to twenty persons enough to run the department. Cortelyou demanded 116 persons. Senator Nelson thought it would cost \$40,000 to \$50,000 to "run the thing."

Cortelyou immediately drew plans for a \$7,000,000 building for his department, and put on official pressure for a larger clerical force, and examiners, and special examiners and examiners to examine the examiners.

Cleveland did the same thing when he put Dan Lamont, a mere clerk in the executive department, in a cabinet position. He finally became a corporation lawyer, but is not remembered as a cabinet minister.

Lamont used all his knowledge gained at the expense of the government to drive a hard bargain for Morgan and others who bought out the government interest in the Northern Pacific Railroad, a road which the government should have kept, but parted with for a song. If indeed it did not pay for giving it away.

Cabinet officers should be taken from the great body of the people and not from the petty aristocracy of clerks that make life about Washington no more serious than butterflies.

THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

As was expected, Gen. C. Brownell has the Clackamas delegation for his own candidacy for congress. Mr. Brownell will be one of the important factors in the Republican convention.

With Gatch of Marion; Vawter of Jackson; Kelly of Linn, and the Tongue forces in control of Washington and Yamhill, the nomination of Hermann does not seem easy.

He will have the smaller counties, where there are few newspapers, and where he has rendered services that seem all-important to the people who shape conventions.

If the Tongue influences stand with Brownell, Gatch, Kelly, Vawter and others, Hermann is shut out.

But Hermann will pick up a scattering vote in all these counties as soon as there is no apparent prospect for the nomination of any one of the individuals.

The old Republican guard will be silently for Hermann. As the matter stands, without prejudice for or against Hermann, the chances are in his favor, unless the opposition has good leadership and determination to stand.

HOW TO IMPROVE THE PARK.

The Journal has received a number of suggestions as to how to go to work to improve Marion square.

It is a most beautiful public assemblage place, and all agree that a neat and commodious pavilion and band stand should be provided.

Another feature all our correspondents agree upon is plenty of comfortable seats, not only for the audience, but throughout the square.

There is some difference as to colors, and one correspondent suggests natural wood colors and rustic seats. There could be offensively gaudy colors and barber-pole style of decorations that would not be impressive—Roman-hose style, especially.

Pure white would probably be the best example to set to the rest of the city. Perfectly clean surroundings, green overhead, the rest white would be restful, and there could be little chance for criticism.

There is a general sentiment against cutting down or mutilating the trees in the park, or around it. Cutting off the tops or trimming up the branches are generally discouraged.

Let us have other suggestions. The ladies of the Marion Square Improvement League are open to suggestions. They are of gentle and reasonable disposition.

There is so much beautifying going on all over the world, that many illustrations can be obtained as to the appearance such a park should have. Gather these pictures, ladies and gentlemen.

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WOMAN AS A REFORM INFLUENCE.

In celebrating their twentieth anniversary and moving into new quarters, the Salem branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union fittingly celebrated its attitude toward reforms in general.

The women back of this temperance movement have never closed their eyes to the fact that social reforms, and even those of a semi-political nature, have merited an open door for their organization.

The W. C. T. U. rooms have been the meeting place of many other classes of reformers. The humblest lot of cranks that are working for the regeneration of society along moral lines could assemble there.

The women have shown a breadth and liberality of thought no other organization has tolerated and that has an assembly room open to public gatherings and speaking.

The women of Salem have always been willing to rally for progress along other moral lines than merely temperance work, although insisting that temperance work on the basis of the gospel was fundamental.

They have taken an interest in public schools and social problems of all kinds, including Sabbath observance, and prison reforms and pure literature and pictures in the city and its homes.

So the event of dedicating their new rooms next door to The Journal office on Sunday was an important one for the welfare and progress of the community, and worthy of hearty support. The W. C. T. U. continues to be the most potent factor for the reformation of the community, along side of the churches, labor unions, lodges and the press.

THE TARIFF SITUATION.

There is within the Republican party a strong faction that demands a general revision of the tariff.

Secretary Shaw, who is an Iowa man, opposing the Iowa demand for general revision, in a speech at Peoria, Ill., warns against revision.

He even intimates that the country could better stand the exactions of the trusts than the paralysis of suspended industries incident to general revision of the tariff schedules.

Roosevelt made a general talk at Minneapolis, which we print entire, in which he carefully stated both sides of the situation.

Read carefully between the lines he would have the Republican party stand for a stable protective tariff, and yet appear to stand ready at any time to make needed revision from a standpoint of business interests.

His argument that the Republican party stands for the difference in wages and the cost of living in this country and other lands, in the adjustment of tariff schedules, is unanswerable.

Where Roosevelt states that different interests are often found pulling in different directions on the same tariff schedule, he hits upon a key note of the situation, showing conflicting influences that have to be met and dealt with.

One matter is plain; the Republicans will revise the tariff from the protective viewpoint, while the Democrats would revise it with less regard to protection, but more regard for the effects it would have upon the trusts and the revenues of the country.

Forty Miles of Streets.

Portland is a wide-awake town in one respect. It is possible to improve the streets there. Forty miles of streets are under process of construction and reconstruction.

This means that at least half a million will be expended for common labor in that city this coming year. Probably more nearly a million or even two million is a nearer figure.

There is also a tremendous expenditure for bridges, viaducts, sidewalks, cross-walks, retaining walls, curbs, ornamental trees and parkings, besides filling in lots and building new ground.

While factories are the greatest source of the wage fund in a city-like Portland, the making of public improvements, if the money is honestly expended, is next greatest in a city like Portland.

Forty miles of streets in Portland means some money for the contractors, but it means a great deal more for the laborers and mechanics and teamsters of that city. It means that many of them will earn new homes. It puts Portland out of the category of dead towns. It puts Portland out of the list of towns that will not grow.

Portland will grow more the next two years than in the past five years.

FAKE HAIR PREPARATIONS.

Do Hair No Good, But Often Cause It to Fall Out.

Many hair preparations are "fake" because they are merely scalp irritants. They often cause a dryness, making the hair brittle, and, finally, lifeless. Dandruff is the cause of all trouble with hair. It is a germ disease. The germ makes cuticle scales as it digs to the root of the hair, where it destroys the hair's vitality, causing the hair to fall out. To cure dandruff the germ must be killed. Destroy the cause, you remove the effect. Newbro's Herpicide is the only hair preparation that kills the dandruff germ, thereby leaving the hair to grow luxuriantly.

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Montana Masons in Session.

Butte, Mont., April 6.—Scottish Rite Masons from all sections of the state have gathered in Butte, and will remain in possession of the city for the next three or four days. The occasion is the sixth annual reunion of the order, and, judging from the large and representative attendance, the gathering is destined to be the most notable of its kind ever held in Montana. In addition to the regular routine business to be transacted the visitors will be kept busy with an elaborate program of entertainment prepared by the people of Butte.

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Vocal solo—Mrs. F. A. Wiggins.
 Reading—Miss Mae Chapler.
 Violin solo—Miss Lillian Stege.
 Reading—Miss Elma Byrne.
 Vocal solo—Mrs. Jordan Parvins.

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