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It was just as well the state convention instructed some of these delegates for Taft. They do not believe in Statement No. 1, nor in any pledges whatever not accompanied with the goods or the equivalent, and everybody knows what would happen if there was any chance to switch at an opportune moment.
 If you want to see Bryan elected nominate Jos. Cannon, or one of the wheelhorses of the senate.
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Mrs. Mary J. Williams, of Bridgeport, Ill., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I have been suffering from a female trouble, backache and headaches, and was so blue that I was simply in despair. I feel it my duty as well as my pleasure to tell you that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me. The change in my appearance is wonderful, and I wish every suffering woman would try it."

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For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache. Why don't you try it?

ARGUE FOR SINGLE TAX

H. DENLINGER WRITES HIS OPINION AND REASONS FOR IT—STATISTICS.

Corvallis, May 12.—(To the Editor of The Journal.)—Here is an extract from the official report of the town clerk of Wellington, New Zealand, for the year 1902-3, concerning the single tax which has been in force in that prosperous city of 60,000 people for a number of years.

"The result of the first year's trial of this system of rating must be considered a gratifying one, and leaves no room for regret at its adoption. That which was claimed by its exponents has been amply fulfilled; it encourages improvement, stimulates the use of land, secures the unearned increment to those who have added the value, multiplies all lands in their fair share of taxation, and paralyzes the old system under which rental values on lands could by simple manipulation reduce local taxation to a farce."

The single tax began to be adopted in the different boroughs in New Zealand nearly fifteen years ago and it now is the prevailing system in that country, having been extended until now eighty different boroughs are now rating on "unimproved values."

The latest government reports (1906) show it "to greatly stimulate building trade"; to cause much valuable suburban land being cut up and placed on the market and thus rendered more available for residential purposes; and "not to increase rent," but to reduce it.

Has caused "vacant sites being filled up with improvements."
 "Its tendency is to discourage land speculation."

The report of the government on this subject are brim full of similar favorable comment, seeming to fully establish the contention of advocates of this system of taxation. The reports also show that the system is spreading rapidly as its beneficial effects become more apparent.

These facts, if true, mean something and facts are better than mere assertions, and I am therefore presenting them without comment for the candid consideration of the voters.
 H. DENLINGER.

STATEMENT OF THE REGENTS IN REGARD TO THE UNIVERSITY APPROPRIATION.

Office of the Board of Regents of the University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, May 11, 1908. To the People:—Based upon the estimates submitted to the proper committees, the last legislature, by more than two-thirds vote, passed an act, appropriating \$125,000.00 annually, for the support and maintenance of the University of Oregon, and for the construction and furnishing of additional buildings, purchase of equipment, etc. A referendum has been invoked on the bill, and it will be submitted to the voters at the

coming election in June, for approval or rejection. In view of these facts the regents have thought it best to make the following statement:

Since 1901, the university has depended for its resources upon the annual appropriation of \$47,500, carried by the act of that year, together with the interest on the university fund, incidental fees, and interest on the Villard fund, amounting to about \$10,000 a year, and special appropriations from time to time. The act of 1901 was intended with the revenues from other sources primarily to cover the necessary current expenses at the time of its adoption. It has been necessary to supplement the amount thereof, from time to time, by special appropriations, that of 1905 being \$62,500. The purpose of the bill now pending is to merge in one act all appropriations. The amount thereof is based on careful, and what is believed to be, conservative estimates, and in the opinion of the Regents is necessary to bring the university up to and maintain it at the standard of efficiency which the educational interests of the state require. The bare cost of maintenance is now approximately \$75,000 a year. Additional instructors are needed in several departments, which will bring the amount for maintenance to \$85,000 or \$90,000 a year. The library, which touches all departments alike, will require an annual expenditure of at least \$10,000 a year, for some years, to bring it to the proper standard of efficiency. Provision should be made immediately for the accommodation of the women of the University by furnishing and heating the present cottage and by the construction of additional cottages or a general dormitory. This, it is estimated, will take about \$50,000. New buildings are needed for class, laboratory and recitation purposes, at a cost of approximately \$75,000. The heating, power and water plant must be enlarged, at an expense of \$10,000 or \$15,000 to meet the demands upon it for heating, irrigation, and fire protection. As soon as funds are available, the campus should be enlarged, to meet present and future needs, by acquiring additional grounds by purchase, if satisfactory price can be obtained, and if not, by condemnation.

These several items will cost from \$125,000 to \$150,000, and together with others, developing with the growth of the university, will absorb the entire amount carried by the present bill, and all additional revenues, over and above the expenses of maintenance, for a number of years to come.

This covers, in a general way, the needs of the university as we see it, and the use to be made of the proposed appropriation. There is another matter which should be alluded to. The invoking of the referendum has restricted the university, since January 1, 1907, to the annual amount appropriated by the act of 1901, and about \$10,000 a year from other sources, making a total of about \$60,000 a year, which has been inadequate to pay the expenses. The deficiency last year was meant by the board postponing all improvements, purchase of furniture, additional apparatus, and the like, and by part of the faculty voluntarily foregoing their salaries for the last quarter of the year, relying on the approval of the pending bill or subsequent appropriation by the legislature for their payment. The salaries and incidental expenses for the present scholastic year will amount to at least \$50,000, to meet which there is an appropriation of \$47,500, interest on land fund, estimated at \$5,000, interest on Villard fund, \$2,000, or a total of \$54,500. At the close of the present scholastic year the university will, therefore, be practically without funds and as the law absolutely prohibits the Regents or faculty from pledging the faith of the state for the university, in excess of the income for the current year, it is not apparent how it will be able to open its doors next fall if the pending appropriation is defeated.

We may add that the Regents receive no compensation whatever for their services, but realizing, in the discharge of their duties in administration of the university, they are but servants of the people, they present the facts, for the consideration and final determination of the voters without argument.

Respectfully submitted,
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