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If the government is to have a direct cable line to the Philippines, every consideration of convenience and economy dictates that it shall start from the mouth of the Columbia river.

The important discrepancy between the official figures cited by Judge Gray and the statement of the county indebtedness so promiscuously circulated by the Taxpayers' League seems to require some explanation from that organization.

The work of Americanizing Cuba has begun in a way that should prove popular. Governor-General Brooke has issued a proclamation from Havana calling attention to the custom prevailing in the United States of setting aside a day "for general thanksgiving to the Supreme Being for the many blessings vouchsafed during the past year."

One state supported William J. Bryan's pretensions in the late election, and that was his own, Nebraska, supported him because he seemed to hate to go back on a Nebraska who is such by deliberate choice.

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MANY GREAT PROBLEMS FOR CONGRESS.

The questions growing out of the war with Spain are not the only ones that will engage the attention of the Fifty-sixth congress, which assembles on the 4th of next month.

The most important questions to be considered after the gold standard has been enacted into law and has thus been made the fixed monetary standard

of the nation are the plan for the government of Hawaii, Guam, Cuba and Porto Rico. The bill devising a form of government for Hawaii was presented at the last congress and as it embodies the work of the president's special commission which visited the island for that purpose it will doubtless be pushed through both houses with little discussion.

Other questions that are second only to the war problems in national importance are the ratification of the treaty with England and Germany for the partition of the Samoan Islands on the basis of the understanding already reached by the representatives of the powers; the adoption of measures for inaugurating work upon an isthmian canal; the laying of a Pacific cable linking the Pacific coast with Hawaii, Guam, the Philippines, Tutuila and Japan; a measure for the promotion of American shipping and the development of an American merchant marine.

These are some important measures that will demand early consideration, but in addition to these scores of bills will be presented affecting various interests and inviting animated discussion, among them being measures for the regulation of trusts, for the modification of the inter-state commerce law and for railway pooling, for increase in naval armament and fortifications and for the building of dry docks, and for a military organization adapted to the new national needs and exigencies.

Congress will also be asked to provide a better system of government and laws for the Territory of Alaska, to reorganize the consular service on the merit system, and to adopt measures for stopping abuses of the second-class mail privileges, which are directly chargeable with the annual deficits in the post office department.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

To the Tax-payers of Clatsop County, Oregon.

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