

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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

MARION COUNTY AND MR. HERMANN.

THE JOURNAL presents today the completed history of Mr. Hermann's work as congressman for the improvement of the Willamette river, as prepared by a friend of his. So much has been published in the Oregonian to belittle his services that, in fairness and justice to the gentleman, we have given his friends a full hearing.

THE JOURNAL believes if it is in the power of the Oregonian and single gold standard Republicans to defeat Mr. Hermann they will do so. If it is in their power to do so they will retire all Republicans who squarely favor the restoration of silver to equal monetary power with gold.

With that sort of a fight on Mr. Hermann we have only accorded him and his friends decent treatment. We have a conviction that a Marion county man will be available when a new man shall step into Mr. Hermann's shoes. In a contest between Republicans of equal ability and equally acceptable to the people nothing is gained by belittling one to advance another.

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THE RIVER APPROPRIATIONS.

Hermann's Whole Record Shown Up by a Friend.

[Correspondence of The Journal.] ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 26. Much has been said as to the improvement of the Willamette river from Portland to Eugene. An entire misconception exists as to this matter. Ever since 1871, (the first appropriation by congress) the plan of the engineer department of the government involves improvement of navigation by dredging, scraping of bars and snagging. The engineers deemed this sufficient and never reported or recommended a different plan, and hence all the money ever appropriated by congress was expended by the engineers for the purpose mentioned.

It is to be said that any congressman from Oregon will be able to do more for the Willamette river than has been done in the past, owing to the work already done by Mr. Hermann.

A SILETZ BILL. On Feb. 20, Senator McBride introduced in the senate the following amendment to the allotment bill which was read twice and referred to the committee on Indians.

YOU ARE RIGHT, BROTHER. If Marion county don't send a delegation to Albany that is solid for a Marion county man it ought to be for a Washington or for some other county man. It will not be for Binger on the White.

Wheat at 30 cents a bushel is better than hops at 5 cents a pound. But some of both at that price is not a bad idea.

Mr. A. E. Parker, a Salem farmer, has just received a little over \$3000 as his one-third rent on last year's wheat crop. That beats hops.

Dr. J. R. Bayley, of Newport, was elected president of the Republican club of that town. A strong club has been enrolled.

VALLEY SOCIAL NEWS.

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