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STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

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A HOMEOPATHIC TRUST CURE. Governor Roosevelt is about to submit to the New York legislature a novel scheme for curbing the power of corporate combinations and monopolies.

The only restriction to be imposed upon trusts and syndicates is publicity. Unfortunately the publicity contemplated by Governor Roosevelt would protect only the stock holder and stockholder, without affording any protection to the public.

ENGLAND WATCHING RUSSIA. In the British parliament a few days ago reference was made to the recent movement of a large force of Russian troops in the direction of Herat, regarding which the earl of Kimberley said that if it was not menacing it showed that possibilities of the future were not absent from the Russian mind.

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HAWAIIAN LEGISLATION. Legislation for Hawaii will be considered in congress this week. The bill providing a government for the islands proposes that it shall be territorial in form, consisting of a governor and secretary appointed by the president.

sufrage presupposes that the body of citizens who are to exercise it in a free and independent manner have, by inheritance or education, such knowledge and appreciation of the responsibilities of free suffrage and of a full participation in the sovereignty of the country as to be able to maintain a republican government.

The greatest misfortune which could have befallen Squire Poppleton was to have his friends vote for the fact that he is not a blue stocking, nor stuck-up, when in fact he has spent the better part of his life trying to establish himself in a strictly exclusive trocha in Omaha.

Who Would Waste the Time? Indianapolis News. With an interval of but a year, who couldn't write essays on the blessings of poverty?

Pass it Along. Cleveland Plain Dealer. It is quite refreshing to learn that this nation of ours could put more than 10,000,000 fighting men in the field. That would be a good time to circulate broadcast among the effete throne warmers.

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STRIKE IN THE FUSION RANKS. Auburn Granger (pop.). The State Board of Transportation has not lived wholly in vain, but of comparatively so little benefit to the state today that its demise would not be mourned by the state or hailed with rejoicing by the railroads.

Tilden Citizen (rep.). A little scintillation among state house officers reveals the fact that Treasurer Meserve has failed to invest \$200,000 or \$300,000 of the state school fund as the law requires.

Falls City Journal (rep.). The fusion party is in no condition to begin the work that it will do in the campaign for the legislature. Upon this convention will devolve the nomination of a state ticket and only the very best material should be selected.

Tecumseh Chieftain (rep.). The State Board of Transportation lately has been engaged into a semblance of life and is trying to reconstruct the system by the way of a harmless sort of a way. The old thing can be depended on to do no harm to the railroads.

Blair Pilot (rep.). On the anti-railroad cry the fusionists some years ago carried the day. The fusion party is in no condition to begin the work that it will do in the campaign for the legislature.

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GOOD TICKET A NECESSITY. Ord Times. It is important that the best possible man be nominated on the republican state ticket this year. While it is the right of the state to appoint the man of its choice, it will be only his own recommendation that lets us nominate men who are honest and capable in every way.

Bloomington Echo. The republican state convention has been called to meet at Lincoln May 2, and as a consequence it will soon be time to begin the work of selecting delegates to that convention.

Beatrice Express. The Omaha Bee sounds a note of warning to republican friends in Nebraska, urging the need for early and complete organization of the republican forces if victory is to be achieved next fall.

Springfield Monitor (dem.). Secretary of state Porter is stirring up the animals in the state house in great show and has about all the state officers who ride on free passes ferried to a man.

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recently and died with her, and he says for it he is regretting. It is testimony in its way of the same sort that the enlistment of young American men during the Spanish war was...

This, as Mr. Landis says, "is a type which this country produces in abundance and in which it takes great pride."

JUST FOR FUN. The prolonged silence of the late Senator David Bennett Hill indicates that Wolffert's Roost is snowed in.

Chicago Tribune. "I am a great admirer of Ben Jonson," remarked the doctor. "Anything he tried to do was well done."

Washington Star. "I understand that coal 'n' oil makes a pipe and drinks beer a great deal."

Chicago Tribune. "What is your waist measure?" asked her dearest friend. "Really, I've forgotten," replied the dejected little man.

Brooklyn Life. First Artist—Old Money-bags wouldn't buy my pictures—wouldn't even look at them.

Detroit Journal. "No," the Kentucky man answered, "I am not mixed up in any feud whatever."

THE VILLAGE DOCTOR. Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution. Just had one doctor at the town—the corner druggist and his wife.

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