

RECORDS LACK

Bliss Testimony Favorable to Roosevelt.

CAMPAIGN RECORDS DESTROYED

More Than Two Millions Used in Campaign of 1904—Campaign Treasurer Kept Names of Contributors Secret.

(Special to The Evening News.)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—Cornelius N. Bliss, son of the late Cornelius N. Bliss and treasurer of the republican national campaign committee in 1904, was the first witness to be called before the investigating committee today. Bliss said that there was nothing found among his father's papers to show that the Standard Oil Co. had contributed \$125,000 to Roosevelt's campaign fund in 1904. Bliss read a letter from his father to Henry New, of Indiana, in which the treasurer stated that he had refused to make public his accounts of the campaign expenditures because he believed the contributors were entitled to privacy in the matter. This letter said the receipts for the campaign totaled \$2,088,000, besides \$107,000 left over from the 1900 campaign. Witness testified that his father had destroyed all books and papers relating to his work as treasurer for the committee just before his death. Letters from Taft, then secretary of war, to Roosevelt, asking him to become national chairman in 1904, were read by Bliss.

Bryan Has Idea.
LINCOLN, Sept. 30.—Speaking through the editorial columns of the Commoner, Bryan today says that there is no essential difference between Roosevelt and Taft. Both stand for most of the republican principles and party policies, and the source of contention is that both want to be president.

LOCAL NEWS.

Fred Day, of Oakland, spent the day in Roseburg visiting with friends.

O. C. Sether, of Glendale, was a business visitor in Roseburg today.

O. C. Brown, of Deer Creek, was a business visitor in Roseburg for a few hours today.

Grant Clayton, of Dillard, spent the day in Roseburg looking after business interests.

Mrs. George Burnette returned here this afternoon after a few days spent at Myrtle Creek.

Floyd Miller has gone to Portland where he will attend the Behnk-

Walker business college during the coming winter.

Dr. Ashley, of Myrtle Creek, was a business visitor in Roseburg for a few hours this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, of Roberts Creek, were visitors in Roseburg for a few hours this afternoon.

George Ward has returned from Pendleton where he attended the roundup. He reports a most enjoyable time.

The work of paving Winchester street was completed late Saturday under the direction of Hillard & McGinnis, the contractors. Inasmuch as the material will necessarily take time to harden the street will not be opened for traffic for about twenty days.

The Warren Construction Company has a crew of men at work today making a number of needed repairs to the pavement on Jackson and Cass streets. This is the second time that the Warren Construction Company has sent a crew of men to Roseburg unsolicited during the past two years.

The salesladies of the New York Store, of this city, enjoyed a delightful afternoon yesterday, when Mrs. Mary H. Short entertained in their honor at her beautiful country home near Wilbur. The guests arrived at the Short home at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and shortly thereafter were treated to a delicious repast prepared and served by the hostess. Following this enjoyable feature the guests repaired to the reception rooms where they passed an hour in social converse, games and music. The guests speak in the highest terms of the entertainment afforded, and pronounce Mrs. Short a hostess of more than usual ability. Among those present were Mesdames George Rouse, Edward Willbanks, F. G. Stewart, C. W. Clark, and Misses Lucy Bridges, L. E. McIntosh, Edna Duncan, Gertrude Hildeburn, and Gertrude Trumbo. The party returned here on last evening's local train, and suffice to say that they report an afternoon well spent.

THURSDAY OCT. 3

AT PALACE THEATER

RALPH PARLETTE

First Number Of Lyceum Course

Tickets on sale at Marsters Drug Store, Tuesday Morning.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. H. Miller, of Oakland, was a business visitor in Roseburg for a few hours today.

W. A. Ackley, the tailor, is today remodeling the interior of his tailor shop on Cass street.

Orle Cripe today filed a suit for divorce in the circuit court against her husband, Harvey J. Cripe. Cruel and inhuman treatment are the chief allegations contained in the complaint. The parties involved in the suit both reside at Canyonville.

Dr. F. H. Vinell today received a letter from the state fish and game commission at Salem, to the effect that several thousand bass will be shipped to Roseburg for distribution among the Douglas county streams in the event local sportsmen will bear the expense following their arrival in this city.

Revived interest in the state guard is shown in the local company of the C. A. C. by the addition of many new members, and increased activity in the company. The boys have organized an athletic club, and have made extensive plans for the coming winter, which will include a series of dances, a minstrel, and a number of athletic events.

Through their attorney B. L. Eddy, the Gleugary Land Company today filed a notice of appeal to the supreme court in the case recently decided against them in the circuit court and in favor of the Oswego, Dallas & Roseburg Railroad Company. The case was originally brought by the railroad company, and after a hearing in the circuit court Judge Hamilton issued an order condemning a right-of-way across the defendant's lands. Attorney Eddy has hope of reversing the decision of the lower court in the higher tribunal.

BORN.

PALMER—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer, of North Kane street, on Sunday, September 30, a son.

LAWRENCE—To Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lawrence, of Dillard, at Mercy hospital, in Roseburg, on Monday, September 30, 1912, a daughter.

SEASON TICKET HOLDERS.

You should get your seats reserved for the Parlette lecture at the Palace theatre Thursday evening at 8:30 sharp. Tickets at Marsters drug store now.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Douglas County.
H. J. Wilson and Annie A. Wilson, Plaintiffs,

vs.
Charles E. Stewart, Samuel M. Mitchell and John C. White, Defendants.

To Charles E. Stewart and Samuel M. Mitchell above named defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above court and cause on or before the 4th day of November, 1912, being six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint; a succinct statement of which is as follows: That certain contract made and entered into between plaintiffs and defendants on

the 7th day of February, 1911, for the purchase and sale of the following described real property in Douglas county, Oregon, to-wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of the D. L. C. of Samuel N. Briggs No. 45 in Tp. 30 S., R. 5 W. of the W. M., thence south 46.30 chains to the southeast corner of said claim, thence west 8 chains, thence north 7 chains, thence west 14.96 chains thence north 39.30 chains to the north line of said claim, thence east 22.96 chains to the place of beginning, containing 95.83 acres, more or less. Also lots 1 and 2 of section 16 Tp. 30 S., R. 5 W., W. M., containing 64.60 acres more or less. Also lot 4 of section 20, Tp. 30 S., R. 5 West, containing 9.10 acres more or less; also Lots 4 and 5 of Sec. 21, Tp. 30 S., R. 5 West, containing 31.25 acres more or less, all of the above described lands being in township 30 S., R. 5 West of W. M. and containing in the aggregate 200.78 acres more or less, be cancelled, and that you and any and all persons claiming by, through or under you, and each of you, be barred from all right, title, interest or equity in said premises, and that any and all sums paid plaintiffs under said contract be decreed forfeited to plaintiffs as liquidated damages, and that plaintiffs be decreed to be the absolute owners in fee of said premises, free from any and all claims by you, and

any and all persons holding by, through or under you, and that plaintiffs have judgment for costs and disbursements herein incurred. This summons is served upon you by publication in the Umpqua Valley News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, by order of the Honorable J. W. Hamilton, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered of record on the 20th day of September, 1912. The first publication is of date of the 23rd day of September, 1912, and the last publication will be of date of 4th day of November, 1912, making the full period of six weeks, the time prescribed in said order.

FULLERTON & ORCUTT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Douglas County. Geo. E. Houck, Plaintiff, vs. A. F. Latham and Ella F. Latham, Defendants.

To A. F. Latham and Ella F. Latham, above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court a cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons to-wit:— On or before the 21st day of October, 1912; and if you fail to so appear and answer

as required herein, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you, and each of you for the sum of \$98.50, with interest thereon from the 27th day of February, 1911, and for his costs and disbursements. You are further notified that the plaintiff will take an order of sale of the real property attached in the above entitled action as the property of the said defendants, to-wit: Lots Three (3) and Seven (7) in Block Twelve (12) of Waite's Addition to Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, and that the same will be sold according to law to satisfy the judgment and costs herein and the costs of said sale.

This summons is published once a week for at least six successive weeks in the Umpqua Valley News, a semi-weekly news paper of general circulation, published at Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, by order of the Honorable G. W. Wonacott, County Judge of Douglas Co. Oregon, made on the 7th day of September, 1912. The first publication of this summons is on the 9th day of September, 1912, and the last will be on the 21st day of October, 1912.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1912.
R. W. MARSTERS, BUCHANAN & PORTER, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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