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Other Parties a Factor.

Considering now the whole mass of voters in Ohio, we find a probability of about 1,100,000 ballots this year. Both the socialist and prohibition voters will increase, and both will draw from the republicans. The independence party vote will be small, drawing about equally from the other parties. The increase vote will be about equally divided. Republican and democratic comparison being made with 1906. Virtually every man who voted for Bryan eight years ago will vote for him now. We hear of no changes from him; all the changes are the other way. Bryan is still in disfavor with the business interests, but that is not a loss to him. They were against him before. In fact, there is a gain for him. They are not as active or intense in their opposition as they were. They are making fewer and feebler efforts to influence the men whom they employ.

How many votes is Bryan likely to gain through the influences which are at work for him? There is no possibility of giving more than an approximation. The exact science of mathematics cannot of course be applied here. We must guess. The managers of the political machines with all their organization and polls have not ascertained. They, too, are guessing. But guessing may be intelligent, may be impartial, may be based upon wide information, and I do not think the best-informed republicans even will quarrel with me when I make an effort to classify the various conditions and their possible effect.

The question which naturally comes to the front just now is: If Bryan could run like that Ohio when the conditions were against him, what will he do now that the conditions are in his favor? It is a pertinent query. It is generally admitted that virtually every man still alive who voted for Bryan eight years ago will do so now. There are no reports of defections, save through death, from the old guard of Bryan's lucky number, 474,882. On the other hand, it is undisputed that a few democrats who left aim on the silver issue and had not returned in 1900 are now in line. For the first time since 1892 the democracy of this state is united in a presidential contest. The conservatives balked at Bryan, the radicals balked at Parker, the corporation nominee. Parker fell 130,000 votes short of Bryan's double-leader figures. Roosevelt beat McKinley's aggregate about 45,000. Sixty or eighty thousand disgusted democrats didn't go to the polls at all, and many who did go voted for Roosevelt. At almost everybody voted for Teddy," they say here. His plurality was nearly as large as Parker's total. Bryan was never rejected by Ohio in any such violent fashion. The margin against him was 45,500 the first time, 60,000 the second time—quite moderate in compar-

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Questioner, Medford.

Circuit Court News.

In the matter of emfwtacinto FF E. E. Phipps vs. J. H. Settlementir et al.; action to recover money; dismissed.
W. C. Green vs. F. C. Stinson; action to recover money; dismissed.
In the matter of the assignment of T. J. Kenney; ordered that the clerk be directed to call a meeting of the creditors to elect an assignee.
Charles Nickell vs. W. W. Willis, sheriff's sale confirmed by court.
Charles Nickell vs. George E. Jones; sheriff's sale confirmed by court.
Charles Nickell vs. J. W. Wilson; sheriff's sale confirmed by court.
In the matter of the application of Sarah Fell to register title to real property; default taken and decree granted.
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Attorney Sums up the Three Water Propositions and Gives His Opinion Regarding Them

In determining which of the various pairing proposition made to supply Medford with water should be accepted, the confidence in three important features to be usually warranted, viz:

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PALMER IS PURCHASER OF CLAIMS

Gives Three Year Bond in Amount of \$10,000 for Holdings of Medford Copper Co. Near Blue Ledge

Honore Palmer has purchased the group of claims owned by the Medford Copper company in the Blue Ledge district, giving in payment a three-year bond for \$10,000. He has also agreed to do a considerable amount of development work.
The Medford Copper company is composed for the most part of local people, and the group of claims that it has owned are said to be some of the finest in the Blue Ledge country. A considerable amount of work has been done on the claims, the prospects being of the nature which J. S. only guess at and... assurance—Bryan's plurality will be much greater than the foregoing figures indicate.
I do not overlook the fact that the republicans, generally speaking, have a better organization in Ohio than the democrats, or the possibility, now that they realize the danger, they may do something to save the situation. Even here the circumstances are not favorable. In fact, it would be difficult to conceive a greater combination of untoward conditions and accidents than those the republicans of Ohio are fighting against this year. Mr. Vorys, Judge Taft's personal manager in Ohio—the national republican committee, everyone knows, is not responsible for the candidate's own state in this campaign—is an able and energetic executive. He is assisted by a clever man in Chairman Williams. But they are working against odds, and have little money with which to operate. They are unfortunate, too, in the fact that in considerable part the republican organization in Ohio this year is a new one, built over the ruins of the Foraker-Dick machine, and not all of the new men are experienced or effective. The Foraker-Dick men displaced by the new regime are in many instances ineffective or sullen, and a few are in open hostility.

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