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Medford Daily Cribune.

The Weather

Occasional rain tonight and Sunday; coler tonight; easterly winds.

THIRD YEAR.

TRADED \$29,000,000 FINE FOR OIL AID

FORECAST SHOWS THAT DEMOCRATS WILL

Non-partisan Outlook For Tuesday's Election Show Outcome Will Be Determined by Many Factional Fights in Various States--Indiana and Ohio Are Safely For Bryan--California in Doubt

presidential election is the result of (Rep.) has a close fight on with Hambolling down all the figures and data available at the national and congressional headquarters of the two parties, sional headquarters of the two parties, reports of conditions in the various states by special correspondents, summaries of figures arranged by partisan statisticians and the estimates of correspondents with the two presidential Alabama-Normal democratic major-

ity certain.

republican majority in 1906 from that (Dem.). of 1904 and the further reduced repub-lican vote in the city of Wilmington last year.

Florida-The democratic state ticket able is expected to run partly ahead of the national ticket.

democrats base some claim on the fac-tional fight among the republicans.

Illinois-The state is safely republican on the national ticket. The demoan on the national ticket. The demo-crats are counting on republican psi-mary rows to reduce the vote greatly on the state bicket, and possibly elect Ad-proximal republican majority. Rehi B. Stevenson governor. There is in publicons claims seven of the ten con tense interest in the fight agoinst "Uncle Joe" Carmon for congress in the

Danxille district. The republicans
would not be surprised to lose some
members of the legislature.

Kentucky-Safely for Bryan. Louisiana-Indications point to an increase of the usual democratic ma-

Maine-The state will give the repub-

lican ticket the usual majority.

Maryland—Bryan is handicapped by the reason that no newspapers in Balti more are advocating his election. He will probably carry the state, awing to

an increased labor vote. Massachusetts-The state will probably give normal republican vote

Iowa-The hot local fight on the senatorship overshadows the national eampaign and leaves the question of the both predicted big majority for Taft open. with There is much doubt, especially in view of Bryan's large personal following in

between Senator Long and Joseph L. Bristow, former fourth assistant postmaster general, by Taft, together with the enthusiasm aroused throughout the has made a republican majority here fairly certain. The bank guaranty law, however, is a big factor for Bryan.

Michigan Reduces Majority. Michigan-The state is practically as-sured for Taft, but with a reduced ma-

jority from 1904.

Rhode Island—The labor vote is an recently show the lake as it is today, unknown quantity. Probabilities favor full of decaying vegetation, drift logs, the republican national ticket and the dead trees and brush. or, is likely through the candidney of (Dem.). Potheir (Rep.). Jacobson (Rep.), a Norwegian, to leave the state ticket in doubt. There seems to be no doubt of Taft's success. In

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.-The follow, the Second congressional district, former ing non-partisan outlook for Tuesday's Assistant Postmaster General McCleary

of the republican campaign managers aligning thousands of negroes and the fact that the candidate for governor, Hadley, is popular, is giving Cowherd (Dem.) a hot run and affords republicans a show for their claims, but the muddle over the race for the senator

New Hampshire - Notwithstanding d to run partly anead of the the carly antagonism among labor and the popularity of the popularity of the popularity of the popularity of the popularity antagonism among labor and the lack of enthusiasm at the state convention. Taft will undoubtedly carry his home state, is likely to reduce the usual democratic majority.

Idaho—There is every indication of the same healthy republican majority as in previous elections, although the governor, Quimby (Rep.) and Carr

Biquor Issue in Indiana.
Indiana—Recent polls indicate the ed greatly to Taft's strength, but there state republican ticket will be defeat sould liberty" vote which Charler will ed. The situation is complicated on pull on masse will necessarily be deliv-

increase in the democratic vote for Bryan, the republicans expect a normal majority. The bealing of state factions in the republican camp means the election of Johnson (Rep.) to the

Hot Fight in Ohio. state from start to finish. The com-plicating factors have been the labor ote, the negro vote, the Fornker disaffection, the county option question,

Kansas—The healing of the breach have their first chance to vote for a constructed by the Pish etween Senator Long and Joseph L. president at this election, and a goodly Lake company is a flimsy affair and democratic majority is assured. A democratic legislature is certain, ensuring over ten feet in height, with a waste

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california—In doubt. Democrats claim gains sufficient to overcome normal republican plurality.

Colorado—Bryan's popularity with the miners will probably overcome the republican majority. The fight in the party against Senator Guggenheim (Rep.) will help them.

Connectient—Roberson, the democratic candidate for governor, will polt a large vote.

muddle over the race, for the senator ships counts against them.

Montana Is Close.

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Montana The result will probably be close. The chances favor Bryan.

The republicans expect to elect Doulan covernor over Norris (Dem.).

Nebraska—There can be no safe prediction naw as to what may happen.

'annon's unpopularity will cost the result is doubtful with chances favoring Bryan. The state ticket may Delaware for Bryan.

Delaware—The state will probably go go republican, owing to the attitude of labor. The republicans expect the cutting of their state ticket, and the democrats point to a large falling off of the gubernatorial candidate, Shelton. The republicans expect the cutting of their state ticket, and the democrats claim the legislature. The candidates for governor are exats point to a large falling off of the graphican majority in 1996 from that (Dem.).

(Dem.). Bryan Grin in New Jersey.

(Dem.) and Cox (Rep.). North Dakota—Notwithstanding the governorship over Burke (Dem.).

Ohio-It has been a hot fight in this and Taft's attack denouncing Boss Cox. The result will probably be close on the state and national tickets, with chances favoring Bryan. Both the republicans and democrats expect to ing vegetation that grew

nercase their membership in congress.

Oklahoma—The people of this state

majority on account of the labor vote is tance below the original lake and backs expected. The democrats expect to in-

Mississippi-The state will give Bry an the usual majority. Missouri-Strennous work on the part

Nevada—The increase in population since last election is an unknown quan-tity, but a democratic majority is prob-

Covered With Scum in the Summer

Fish lake, which is the source of the proposed water supply offered the city by I. L. Hamilton, is but little better han a frog pond. It is a narrow stretch varying from 100 to 200 or can republican vote is expected. The labor vote is very uncertain. Many negroes will probally stay at home rather than vote for Tatt.

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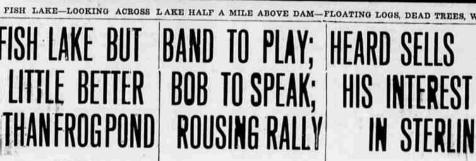
> pool, flooding a mountain meadow, fed from lava rock springs whose source is apparently in the melting snows of Mt. Pitt, The upper end of the lake a white sand bottom. On account of the shallowness of the water (not more than four or five feet in the deepest part) the water becomes very warm along the lake shores, and campers find it necessary to go to the upper end of the lake to secure water fit for drinking. The shores of the lake are very dam the water has backed up, submerg

> > Dam a Temporary Structure.

the enthusiasm aroused throughout the state by the stumping tours of Taft.

Oregon—After an apathetic cam been built around a fallen tree, from and Hughes and others, it is believed, paign, a reduced republican majority is which planks were driven into the ground and backed up with rock. The Penusylvania-A reduced republican dam is constructed in a gorge some dis water up for several feet above the level of the old lake.

and the little plant called "duck food" South (arolina—As usual, the state is growing in abundance in the water, will show an overwhelming democratic During the latter part of the summer



Campaign In Tremendous Outburst of Enthusiasm

The democrats will close their camgon's most eloquent orator, will be ager of the company. play and the democrats will allow their months in the employ of the company, pent up cuthusiasm to give vent to it-

The news from the great political battlefields of the east has been such lately as to give great hope to the local admirers of the Commoner and they will urn out in great numbers tonight to take part in the final rally of the local discuss for the next four years the great democratic landslide which elected of land, the price paid being \$5500, the Nebruskan to the highest office in

J. T. Pry, who has been handling of the Southern Oregonian and paid his home on Trail creek.

larger part of the lake's surface. This cum has been blown ashore by the reent storms, but remnants still hang submerged willows. Is Immense Cow Pasture.

The valley of the north fork of Litle Butte is an immense cow pasture end over 1000 head of cattle are win tered in its drainage area. There are three cattle ranches above Hanley's, sawmill, and a favorite daes (McAllister Springs, located on railroad land), where many people spend the summer months Cattle pas-ture along the lake. Snow is driving them down from the heights.
It is the Fish Lake Ditch company's

meed intention to eventually clear the like basis by removing the fire ber up to the 30-foot contour. There is nothing, however, in Mr. Hamilton's proposal to the city to guarantee such clearance, and there is no way in which

IN STERLING

pany Starts Work at End of Week

J. D. Heard has disposed of his inpaign in Medford this evening in a terest in the Sterling mine to F. J. rousing rally, at which Bob Smith, Ore- Blakeley and has resigned as the manprincipal speaker. The band will ever, will continue for the next three The consideration paid is withheld for the present.

> The mine will start in operation at the latter end of next week and will ntinue all throughout the winter.
> Mr. Heard and W. A. Aiken have just purchased the property across the bridge upon which the first brick house stands rium as soon as the water question is

The firm of butchers formerl yknown as Huth Bros. has recently been changed the firm name of Huth & Ashpo harles Huth having severed his conne tion with the firm and C. W. Ashrole formerly of Engle Point, having bough

HAMILTON TO PURCHASE UPPER SLINGER BANCH

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I. I. Hamilton has secured an option on the upper Slinger ranch above the Hanley ranch and made a payment upon the property. The ranch consists of 356 acres along the Little Butte and a water right of 150 or more inches. This will provide a site for diverting the water in case the Hamilton water proposition is accepted. The price to be paid for the ranch is \$7500. The purchase will be made to avoid threatened litgation with

BRYAN SCORES ANDY, TAFT, TED, ROOT, JOHN D.

Full of Decaying Logs-- Democrats to Close Local Resigns As Manager--Com- Issues Statement in Appeal to Public -- Great

> RICHMOND, Ind., Octo. 31.-Bryan erented enthusiasm today when he flay-ed Carnegie, Taft, Rockefeller, Roosevelt and Root in a speech before an

Rally Planned

Carnegie is supporting Taft," said Bryan, "and says that my election would be a tragedy. Well, Carnegie is familiar with tragedies as the Hosestead steel works was a tragedy, but the voters will hardly uphold Carnegie's

ed, as Taft is temperamentally better fitted to enforce the laws than I am, That its possibly true, from Root's standpoint, as Root began his legal ca-reer by defending Bosz Tweed and from that standpoint, of course, he was speak-

'Rockefeller is supporting Taft. Why? Hasn't Taft shown by all his speeches that he favors the trusts? He on't disturb them if he is elected. Bryan's Statement.

Bryan has issued a statement headed 'An appeal to the public.' The state-

ient says:
''As the campaign closes, certain is arty attempts to inaugurate an era o honesty in politics by compelling the publication of campaign contributions

The democratic party seeks to bring direct election of senators.

"The democratic party seeks to re-tore business competition through legis ation making monopoly impossible

f a department of labor with a secre ary as one member of the president' abinet, by an amendment to the Sher nan anti-trust law excluding labor or ganizations from the operation of the enti-trust law and by the limitation of the writ of injunction so it will not be used to settle labor disputes.

"The democratic party seeks to (Continued on page 4.)

Rockefeller Held Back Until He Got a Bargain---\$3,000,000 For Bribery on Election Day

Rockefeller's Statement

"It seems to me at this time, when the question is put directly to any American citizen which candidate he will support by his vote for the presidency, he should be manly enough to an-swer it just as directly. I therefore say that I expect to cast my vote for W. H. Taft. "If for no other reason, I

support Mr. Taft, because on comparing him personally with Mr. Bryan, his chief opponent, I find the balance of fitness and temperament entirely on his The election of Mr. Taft will, I believe, make for law and order and stability of business. He is not a man I judge to adventure with rash experiments

or to impede a return to prosper-ity by advocating measures sub-versive of industrial progress.

'The question of candidates seems to me peculiarly a person-al one in this campaign, as the feading orators on both sides have not succeeded in drawing party line, as based on platparty lines, as based on plat-form, with any great clearness. I do not, however, support the general republican position on the tariff and the currency. I have always been a republican.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.-Charging that ne republican party has conspired with he corporate interests of the country through which money was given for promises by republican party managers that the \$29,000,000 fine will be "fixed up," National Chairman Mack of the op. National Chairman Mack of the democratic party today gave out a statement commenting on John D. Rock-efeller's support of Taft. He said: "The Standard Oil company has land

ed where everybody knew it would land. Mr. Rockefeller held back for a bar-gain and got what he wanted. The deal will be good for over 100,000 more votes for Bryan in the doubtful states and over a quarter of a million more votes

Big "Can" for Republicans "The republican party will get good big "ean" through the deal.

unnot specify the exact amount, but t is certain that when the bargain was struck both sides got what they were after. The Taft managers got the mon y and the Standard Oil company got the proofs.

"The fine will be fixed up some way." And the

and several other issues also. And the question is, is Taft going to be with Rockefeller for a few years or with Rockefeller for Standard Oil is with Taft and not with Roosevelt.

"I have it on good authority that the republican national committee has sent \$200,000 into the state of Indiana, More than that has been sent into Ohio similar amount will be put out in Ohio,

\$3,000,000 for Bribery.
"More than \$1,000,000 is to be used o conduct the campaign, and \$2,000. so is for bribery. But I don't think that the republican party can buy Mr. Taft's election. You can't buy tions, any more.

"The republicans are getting this money from the corporations. They have mortgaged the republican party for money, the same as I might have mortgaged the democratic party, but I declined to do so. If I had done so, I know that Mr. Bryan would have re-pullated me. For this money the corpo rations are promised protection by tar the promises The scheme has been planned within the past two months and the republican managers have now got

Levi Dawson, a well known pioneer of Jackson county, died at Phoenix Octo-ber 29, aged 70 years. He lived on Trail creek for 37 years.