

WILL THE SOUTH DIVIDE?

Will the South now divide on political lines as in the North? This question again comes up for discussion because of the recent election in Missouri. If we glance at the influences which solidified and which hold the South solid we may at least give an intelligent guess in answer to the question.

Just prior to the birth of the Republican party the South had been practically unified under the banners of the Democratic party. The Whig party was practically extinct. For long the Democratic party had been the party of the Southern aristocracy and plutocracy. Opposition to the extension of slavery became an organized force. The South controlled the Democratic party. For years she had given it its leaders, its statesmen, its policies. It was the party of the South more truly than the Republican was the party of the North. The civil war, and the reconstruction period simply developed the most intense and bitter Southern prejudice and hatred toward everything bearing the imprimatur of the Republican party. Advantage has been taken of this feeling by certain demagogic men, and the proud, high-spirited, patriotic people of the South, because of it, are easily mustered in the Democratic ranks.

But more than this. The same influences which have the Democratic machinery in hand at the North control the party in the South.

T. E. Watson, of Georgia, late candidate for the presidency on the People's party ticket says: "For the last 25 or 30 years the Democratic politicians have made that great section a mere tool in the hands of Wall street and a handful of Eastern Democrats who have no purpose in common with us, and who use the electoral vote of the solid South for their own selfish purposes." He declares the political situation at the South to be pitiable, degrading and shameful.

The only remedy he suggests is "to build up a party of Jeffersonian Democracy." But it is clear, if this were done, the South would yet be solidly Democratic, the very condition from which the South must break away if she would become a positive force in shaping the destinies of the Nation and see her own magnificent resources developed as have those of the North.

The South will ultimately do this, but, apart from the result in Missouri, there is no evidence that she will soon do so. The election in Missouri expresses the revolt of the people against the corruption which has marked their state administration, but hardly presages a breaking up of the solid South.

COURAGE.

President Roosevelt is admired by the American people for his superb courage. Young people are apt to regard this as a physical quality. The man who fights quickest and hardest, who courageously faces great physical peril regardless of consequences, is in the eyes of youth, most courageous. They overlook or fail to see the better element of all real courage, the moral element. This makes a strong physical man able to decline actual combat and bravely endure the epithet of "coward" rather than commit a wrong act. It is the right admixture of these two elements which constitutes the real, courageous man. Gen. McClellan had enough physical courage, but he lacked the moral element. He could not contemplate his splendid army torn and bleeding by actual battle, so he

made a weak fight for Richmond and was defeated. Sherman, Sheridan and Grant had most superb courage for they had a right admixture of the best element. General R. E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson had these two elements well combined. Five more courageous men never faced danger and death.

This is the quality of the president's courage,—the physical element controlled, and turned loose if need be, by the moral element. There is no danger to the American people in the President's courage. The nation will never be called to play the role of bully because of his leadership.

First Poultry Show.

It is quite an undertaking to hold the largest poultry show in the state this season in Corvallis, but from the number of inquiries coming for the entry blanks the Corvallis Poultry Association's first annual show next month, this will be by far the largest exhibition of fancy poultry in the state. Birds are coming from Los Angeles, and from Seattle and from every section of Oregon. The entry fees are fifty cents for each bird entered in the show, which means that only high class specimens will be on exhibition, and there is not a farmer in the country but what will get his moneys worth when he parts with his twenty-five cents for admission at the door, and in addition he will be given a chance to win a fine pen of chickens, or a setting or two of eggs, all for twenty-five cents.

Mrs. Green's Recital.

That the citizens of Corvallis are loyal to the OAC is proven by the interest they take in the entertainments given by the various departments of that institution. The chapel was well filled Wednesday evening when the students of the vocal department gave their first autumn recital. Several new voices were heard on this occasion, which will prove an addition to the winter's programs. Miss Juliet Cooper made a very attractive picture as she sang a Nocturn by Derna. Her lower notes are especially sweet, and no doubt she will prove one of the coming favorites. C. G. Briggs appeared for the first time here, and his song "Down in the Deep," was sung with good effect, and later his voice was heard to advantage in a duet with Miss Allen, which was one of the most pleasing numbers on the program. The Male Quartette was much enjoyed in its selection. "The Day is Done," by Balfe, was a real treat when sung by Miss Bertha Williams, who was heard for the first time, and who will undoubtedly prove a leading favorite during this winter. Miss Edwards recited in a charming manner Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar," which Mrs. Berthold also sung in her usual way. The Ladies' Chorus, which is always enjoyable closed the program for the evening.

The Christmas Delineator.

The December number of the Delineator is on our table. It should find its way to every home and receive a hearty welcome, for it bears many cheering and helpful messages. The literary and pictorial features are of unusual merit. It contains a choice selection of Love Songs from the Wagner Operas translated into English by Richard de Gallienne and artistically illustrated in colors by J. C. Lyendecker, and a chapter relating to the Romance of Wagner and Cosima, which are very interesting. "The Court Circles of the Republic" is an article of absorbing interest because it is written from the inner circles of Washington society. The short stories, and those for children are interesting and helpful and cannot avoid being appreciated. The fashion pages are unusually full and attractive in their illustrations and descriptions of the very latest modes, and aided by these construction will become a pleasure rather than a task. The Cookery pages are very opportune and pertinent to the

preparation of the Christmas feast.

Each department of the magazine is full and complete in itself and harmonious with all the other departments.

A Unlucky Burglar.

A bullet hole in the front window of "Our House" saloon is the mute reminder of a three-fold burglary and a possible tragedy on Wednesday night. Nightwatch Osburn was passing the building about 2 o'clock and saw someone inside going through things. He drew his gun and fired through the window and the burglar ran back through the building and escaped through a window by which he had entered. Osburn ran around to the rear of the building but saw no trace of anyone. He thinks the man has the bullet in him as no mark was seen on the inside where the bullet struck and blood spots were seen on the window sill through which he escaped. Earlier in the evening he went through both public school buildings, securing only five cents that he found in a pocket-book there. He also took a chisel which belonged to Janitor Hotchkiss. This the burglar used in effecting his entrance to the saloon. He also ransacked the Occidental hotel and relieved Charlie Shennelfield of a revolver and box of cartridges left in a dress suit case. So far the industrious burglar has eluded capture. A stranger who limped considerably and gave evidence of being a tramp was examined but released. Why anyone should break into a school building for robbery and take a lonely nickel is a mystery and it is equally incomprehensible why he should break into a vacant hotel. He secured nothing at the saloon and all things considered he was rather an unlucky chap. He toiled all night and received only a bullet for his pains.

Yaquina Bay Left Out.

The Chief of Engineers now asks for over \$2,000,000 for the improvement of rivers and harbors in the Pacific Northwest. The bulk of this is for expenditure on the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia and on Columbia river improvements. For the Willamette and Yamhill rivers above Portland \$60,000; for Tillamook Bay \$10,000; for Coos River \$55,000, and for Coos River \$5,000, are the estimates. Yaquina and Coos Bays and Siuslaw River are turned down by the Chief Engineer, so it will depend upon congress whether these shall get any appropriation. Mr. Hermann will no doubt work to get one but the odds are against him.

Counterfeiting the Genuine.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations have been offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other will give the same satisfaction. It is a mild laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Graham & Wortnam Agents.

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Pneumonia follows La Grippe but never follows the use of

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It stops the Cough and heals the lungs. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption.

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The Most Simple and yet the Strongest Warranty ever placed on any make of Trousers.

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Reduction in Fare.

Commencing Nov. 7, rates between Corvallis and Portland, via C. & E., Albany, and S. P. will be reduced to \$2.60, same as West Side rate. Tickets on sale by C. & E. agent and all offices in Portland.

Corvallis & Eastern Railroad.

TIME CARD.

No. 2—For Yaquina:
Leaves Albany.....12:45 p. m.
Leaves Corvallis.....1:48 p. m.
Arrives Yaquina.....6:20 p. m.
No. 1—Returning:
Leaves Yaquina.....6:45 a. m.
Leaves Corvallis.....11:30 a. m.
Arrives Albany.....12:15 p. m.
No. 3—For Albany-Detroit:
Leaves Corvallis.....6:00 a. m.
Arrives Albany.....6:40 a. m.
Leaves Albany for Detroit 7:30 a. m.
Arrives Detroit.....12:02 p. m.
No. 4—From Detroit:
Leaves Detroit.....12:35 p. m.
Leaves Albany.....5:15 p. m.
Lv Albany for Corvallis.....7:15 p. m.
Arrives Corvallis.....7:55 p. m.
Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. north bound train.
Train No. 2 connects with the S. P. trains at Corvallis and Albany giving direct service to Newport and adjacent beaches.
Train 3 for Detroit via Albany leaves Corvallis at 6 a. m. and connects with the S. P. Albany-Portland local train leaving Albany at 7 a. m. Train No. 3 leaves Albany for Detroit at 7:30 a. m. arriving there at noon, giving ample time to reach the Breitenbush hot springs the same day.
Train No. 4 connects at Albany with the Portland Albany local, which arrives here at 7:10, and runs to Corvallis leaving Albany at 7:15 and arriving in Corvallis at 7:55 p. m.
For further information apply to
EDWIN STONE,
H. H. CRONISE, Agent, Corvallis.
THOS. COCKRELL, Agent Albany

Offers Wanted.

Offers of the price buyers will pay for the following described lots and blocks in Corvallis, Oregon, will be received in writing:

Block 5, Wilkins Addition.
Block 18, Wilkins Addition.
Lot 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, block 17, Wilkins Addition.
Block 28, Jobs Addition.
Lot 1, 2, 4, Fractional block A, Jobs Addition.
Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, block 19, Jobs Addition.
Lots 7, 8, Jobs Addition.
Address, c M. S. WOODCOCK,
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A Card.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough and cold. It stops the cough and heals the lungs. Prevents pneumonia and will cure incipient consumption. Contains no opiates and is safest for children. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, and insist upon having it. Stops the cough and heals the lungs. Graham & Wortnam agents.

Removal Notice.

On account of removing to our New Home, (Henderson Building,) we will be obliged to suspend business for 3 days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 21, 22 and 23. We will resume as soon as possible, with a larger and more attractive stock than ever before shown by us.

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Dealer in



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Hay Rakes,

Plows and Harrows,

Wire Fencing,

Wire Netting,

Guns and Ammunition,

Carpenters' Tools,

Lubricating Oils,

Bicycles, Etc.

Agricultural Implement, etc., etc.

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Cheap Sunday Rates Between Portland and Willamette Valley Points.

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RATE TO OR FROM CORVALLIS, \$3.00. Call on Southern Pacific Co's Agents or particulars.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.
Mary J. E. Whitty, Plaintiff,
vs.
Roscoe E. Edwards, Alice Edwards, Augusta Strake, John Strake, M. P. Totten, and Leah J. Totten, Defendants.

To Roscoe E. Edwards, Alice Edwards, Augusta Strake, John Strake, M. P. Totten, and Leah J. Totten, the above-named defendants: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above-named plaintiff in the above-entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint to-wit: The foreclosure of a certain mortgage made and executed by Robert K. Edwards, Augusta Strake and John Strake to plaintiff on the 5th day of January, 1900, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of Robert K. Edwards, Augusta Strake, and John Strake, for \$400.00 payable five years after date, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum, interest payable annually; and which said mortgage conveyed unto plaintiff the following described real property, situated in Benton County, Oregon, to-wit: The S W 1/4 of the N E 1/4, the E 1/2 of the S W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of the N W 1/4, and the N W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of Sec 36, T 14 S, R 8 W of the Will Mer in Benton County, Oregon. And for a further decree barring and foreclosing said defendants, Roscoe E. Edwards, Alice Edwards, Augusta Strake, John Strake, M. P. Totten, and Leah J. Totten, of and from all right title or interest in and to said real property and every part thereof.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. Virgil E. Watters, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, made at chambers in Corvallis, Oregon, October 17, 1904, and the date of the first publication of this summons is October 18, 1904.

YATES & YATES,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton.
Charles A. McCullough, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles A. McCullough, Defendant.

To Charles A. McCullough, the above-named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above-named plaintiff, in the above-entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his said complaint to-wit: A decree of the above-entitled court adjudging and decreeing the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of the following described premises to-wit: The S W 1/4 of the N E 1/4, the N W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of the S W 1/4 of Sec. 36, T 14 S, R 8 W of the Will Mer in Benton County, Oregon, save and except a strip of land 60 feet wide being 30 feet on each side of the center of the main line of the W V & C R Co now occupied by the C & E R Co as a right of way through said above described premises, and further decreeing that said defendant Charles A. McCullough has no estate, right, title or interest whatever in or to said real property, and that defendant be forever barred and enjoined from asserting any claim whatever in or to the said premises or any part thereof adverse to the plaintiff therein, and for such other relief as to the court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published in the Corvallis Gazette once a week for six consecutive weeks, by order of Hon. Virgil E. Watters, county judge of Benton County, Oregon, made at chambers in the City of Corvallis, in said county on the 17th day of October, 1904, and the date of the first publication thereof is the 18th day of October, 1904.

YATES & YATES,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.
A. C. Freeman, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jennie Freeman, Defendant.

To Jennie Freeman, defendant above-named: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above-named plaintiff in the above-entitled court, now on file with the clerk of said court, within six weeks from the 30th day of September, 1904, the date of the first publication of this summons, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint herein, to-wit, that the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and such other and further relief as to the court seems proper. This summons is published by the order of the Hon. Virgil E. Watters, judge of the county court of the State of Oregon, for Benton County, made at chambers in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, on the 25th day of September, 1904.

YATES & YATES,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Joseph Park, deceased, has filed in the county court of Benton County, state of Oregon, his final account as such administrator of said estate, and that Saturday, the 25th day of November, 1904, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day has been fixed by the court, as the time for hearing objections to said report, and the settlement thereof.

JOSEPH A. PARK,
Administrator of the Estate of Joseph Park,
Deceased.