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A BRAYING DEMAGOGUE.

William Jennings Bryan has long been seeking an issue which would bring the democratic party into power and make himself chief magistrate of the nation. It is a mighty work, this. Many excellent, wise and patriotic men have essayed to accomplish it and failed. Mr. Jennings himself has shown to the world how the very best fitted man, in his own estimation, among eighty millions may labor and sweat and groan and sweat and groan for twice he has found the "real issue" and then a mighty host having it inscribed on its banners to glo—ignominious defeat. He has been mistaken, not in the man but in the issue. He has found the real, unmistakable thing now at issue. It is not an old worn out thing, like free coinage of silver, drawn from the scrap pile of things long since discarded by human experience, but a real, brand new issue. It is no secret now, for Mr. Bryan has published it to all men, his copy rights reserved of course. Here it is: Opposition to absolute control of corporations and trusts by the federal government because this would destroy the last vestige of state rights.

"Centralization of power means the doom of state rights. No threats of the punishment of the big offenders can counter-balance the proposition to deprive the states of their power to regulate the railroads and other corporations doing business within the state."

It might be supposed that Mr. Bryan should have shown us an instance where the federal government has sought to regulate railroads and corporations doing business only within a state. But few railroads confine their business within the limits of a single state. The moment they carry their business into two or more states they are engaged in interstate commerce and come under the control of the federal government as provided by the constitution. There is here no assumption of rights by the national government not clearly and constitutionally its own, nor any centralization in the federal government of power which it has not always had.

Mr. Bryan should come out into the open and demand a change in the federal constitution which would take this power out of the hands of congress where the framers of the constitution wisely placed it, and relegate it to the several states where he would have us believe it always has belonged. But he will not do this for he knows, if he knows anything at all worth knowing on the subject, that for years congress forbore the exercise of its constitutional power and permitted the state to incorporate, regulate and control railroads and corporations as they chose. He knows, too, that the states have failed, and in the very nature of things must always fail to exercise any efficient control over such organizations, and that this flat failure is the prime and chief reason why congress took hold of the matter.

Does this look as if Mr. Roosevelt, or any one else, for that matter, were attempting unwarranted and mischievous centralization of power in the federal government? Assuredly not. Mr. Bryan knows it does not. He is simply attempting to delude men. He is playing the demagogue. His issue is no issue. The thing he holds up—state rights—is no longer even a grinning skeleton with which

men anywhere can be frightened and Mr. Bryan writes himself down a braying demagogue.

CARELESS TALK.

The President of the American Bar Association is A. B. Parker. At a recent meeting of the Association he made the occasion of his annual address an opportunity to argue for strict construction of the constitution, especially in relation to the regulation of inter-state commerce and the control of trusts and as against centralization of power in the federal government.

This is not surprising, for Judge Parker is a democrat, and one of the now comparatively few who believe that, politically, a part is greater than the whole. It is an old scarecrow—this centralization of power—and has long since so outworn its habiliments that it frightens no one.

But Judge Parker is a great stickler for the common law. It may be recalled that once when the president was asking congress for additional legislation to enable him to prosecute lawless corporations Parker asserted that the common law gave the president all the law necessary. This was said in face of the fact that there is no common law in the jurisprudence of the United States. The constitution of the United States and the laws enacted by congress are written laws, and are the only laws governing federal jurisprudence. The courts of the several states may find their methods of procedure and remedies for wrong in the English common law, in the absence of a statute, but not so the federal courts.

However, the Judge advanced one idea which if carried into effect would doubtless give us good, wholesome laws that would be easily administered. He declares the proper function of the legislator—the law maker—is supplementary to that of the judge.

If this be true why not at once make only judges eligible for members of state legislatures and of congress? Might we not simplify things yet more by abolishing legislatures and congress and placing the law-making function in the Supreme courts? This is true this might work dire mischief. Exercising its legislative function the court might pass a law which, when exercising its judicial function it must declare unconstitutional, and the court thus fall into controversy with itself.

It is true that now our judges construe the constitution and interpret the laws and that it has often occurred laws demanded by the people and enacted with much deliberation and care have been set aside by the judges. Sometimes these laws have been drawn up by learned and skillful lawyers and yet failed to satisfy the courts so we cannot believe a legislature composed of judges would give better results than at present.

Judge Parker, aside from his political bias is recognized as a good lawyer, and because of his ability and prominence it is to be regretted that he so frequently talks carelessly, loosely and almost foolishly.

Married in Portland.

There was a quiet wedding in Portland last Sunday in which a former Corvallis girl was the bride. She was Miss Lulu Turner and the groom was Charles Ordway of the Rose city.

The wedding took place at the White Temple at 10 o'clock, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Straighten, who was filling Rev. Whitcomb Brougner's place for the time being.

The bride wore a beautiful dress of white net, hand embroidered, over pale blue silk. Mr. and Mrs. Ordway will reside in Portland, where the groom is

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NAME OF DEPOSITOR	RESIDENCE OR POST OFFICE ADDRESS	DEAD, IF FACT IS KNOWN TO CASHIER OR CASHIER	AMOUNT
Bankers' Mutual Relief Association	Portland, Oregon		\$ 19 50
Alphus W. Scott	Last known at Portland, Oregon	Not known	11
John La Lane	Several years ago at Corvallis; now not known	Not known	141 16
A. G. Mulkey, Deceased Estate Not Closed	His widow, Florence Mulkey, admx., now lives at Portland, Oregon		20
Jacob V. Hower	Several years ago at Corvallis, Ore.; now known as	Not known	64 50
H. R. Clark, Trustee Cauthorn Hall	H. R. Clark died at Corvallis, Oregon	Cauthorn Hall is a department of the Agricultural College	9 65
Florence Jennings	One time at Corvallis, Oregon; now not known	Not known	40
George Maddux	One time at Corvallis, afterwards moved to Arizona	Not known	
B. W. Wilson, County Clerk	B. W. Wilson died at Corvallis	Therons, Deceased, Clerk of County Court, Corvallis, Oregon	5 02
J. R. Bryson, Assignee of Hamilton, Job & Co.	J. R. Bryson died some years ago. At the time he settled his assignment in the Circuit Court held at Benton County, Ore., we understand the Court ordered said deposit placed here to pay certain several checks of said Assignee, which checks are in the possession of this bank for the purpose of to call and get them. (said checks are as follows: \$10 Middlebrook & numaker, \$10.04; Corvallis Nursery Co., 60c; Elias Wiser, \$7.62.)		19 50

STATE OF OREGON,)
County of Benton,) SS.

I, George E. Lilly, being first duly sworn, depose and say upon oath, that I am the Cashier of The First National Bank of Corvallis, County of Benton, State of Oregon; that the foregoing statement is a full, true, correct and complete statement, showing the name, last known residence or postoffice address, fact of death, if known, and the amount to the credit of each depositor as required by the provisions of Chapter 148, of the General Laws of Oregon of 1907.

GEO. E. LILLY.

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Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County:
W. H. Savage, Plaintiff
vs.
N. A. Fisher, Defendant.

To N. A. Fisher, the above named defendant, In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit now on file with the clerk of the above entitled court on or before the last day of the time specified in the order for publication of this summons hereinafter referred to, to-wit: On or before October 8, 1907, and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, the court will render judgment against you in the premises as the court may deem just and equitable in the premises. For decree entered in this said complaint to-wit: For decree for \$100 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from November 27th, 1906; also attorney's fees and \$10 paid for caring for the following personal property, viz: one black mare about 4 years of age, one top single buggy and one set of harness belonging to defendant but now in possession of plaintiff, and directing that plaintiff's lien upon said property be by way of a judgment in the above described personal property sold in the manner provided by law for the sale of personal property under execution in actions at law, and the proceeds applied, by the entry making such sale, to the satisfaction of such judgment and the balance to the defendant.

This summons is published in the Corvallis Gazette newspaper once a week for six consecutive successive weeks beginning with the issue of August 25, 1907, and ending with the issue of October 4, 1907, under and in pursuance of the order contained in an order made by the Hon. E. Woodcock, Judge of the Circuit Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, dated at Corvallis, Oregon, on the 27th day of August, 1907, and the said order is a copy of the same is attached to this summons.

E. E. WILSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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