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THE DEFEAT OF MR. BRYAN.

The result of the recent election was no surprise to anybody nor would it have been had the result been exactly the opposite. The campaign was one without great issues as between the two parties, there being really but little actual difference between the two platforms. True, the democrats seemed to offer a trifle more to labor in the anti-injunction matter and on the question of campaign contribution publicity, their position promised more for purity in politics, while on the bank guarantee question they strongly advocated needed protection for all depositors. But as to any great question, such as have been fought out in many former campaigns, there seems to be none.

Mr. Bryan is a popular campaigner. He is a wonderful orator, a ready and convincing debator, and there is no question of the esteem in which he is held as a clean, upright citizen of high ideals and honesty of purpose. What, then, were the predominant factors which contributed to his defeat? Undoubtedly it was the absence of real issues in the campaign. On the trust question the democrats promised rigorous regulation; but Mr. Roosevelt had been applying this same regulation for three years or more and he assured the people that Mr. Taft would continue to carry out his policies regarding predatory trusts—and Mr. Rockefeller declared himself for Taft. Standard Oil has recently been fined \$29,000,000; but did they pay? No, they didn't pay, but during the campaign charges—implicating men high in the councils of the democratic party—of such a grave nature as to force the national treasurer of that party from office in the height of the campaign were made and not proven false. There was a strong smell of oil in both camps, so strong, indeed, that to the average voter it was difficult to distinguish the lesser evil; and when the bugaboo of unsettled business conditions, threatened panics and general destruction was hammered into the people it was not difficult to hold them in line for the party for whom they have been in the habit of voting. It was better, they reasoned, to stand pat than to take chances.

And, anyway, what assurance did the democrats give that the election of Mr. Bryan would wipe out the evils of which all the common people complain? What more could be accomplished than Mr. Roosevelt has accomplished? Didn't a congress, strongly republican, turn down practically every measure presented by the President for the betterment of the masses? The defenders of the trusts and of every predatory interest in the senate are not all republicans; neither are all party leaders outside of congress republicans. The fact is that both the republican and democratic parties are largely controlled by the moneyed interests, and when it comes to voting for a president the people were afraid to try a change which assured them no relief.

Evidently the democratic party has outlived its usefulness. It had done that at the time the republicans first came into power; but now it is surely dead and the obsequies should be no longer delayed. As a party, controlled almost absolutely by agents of the money power and the privileged exploiters, the republican party no longer represents the interests

of the real wealth producing citizenship of the country and neither does the democratic party. There are many good men and true in both parties, but the real power behind both thrones is vested in Wall street.

The democrats, as a party, should retire from the field and give some new, live party-with-an-issue a chance.

WOULD REVIVE SILVER QUESTION.

The following interesting view of the silver question is from a recent issue of Goodwin's Weekly, a political and literary publication of Salt Lake City. Mr. Goodwin was formerly editor of the Salt Lake Tribune, leading republican newspaper of the Intermountain country. He says:

"In 1891 Lord Groschen was chancellor of the exchequer in Great Britain and he made a great speech at Leeds, in which he explained to his audience that a few months before the reserves in the Bank of England were so low that, except for some friendly help received from France and Russia in the way of loans of gold, not only would the bank have failed, but the prestige of England as the world's commercial center would have been shaken to its foundation.

"He then proposed a new reserve. He wanted the 50,000,000 in guineas in people's pockets throughout the kingdom to be bought up by 10 shilling notes, these notes only to be a legal tender to the extent of 40 shillings, and he believed they would be pressed into circulation easily, and that, with the great added gold to the reserve, not only would the bank be more secure, but the trade of the realm would not be any more jeopardized.

"At the same time he proposed to open the mints of India to free coinage and generally a large use of silver paper, to be sufficiently backed either by the coined silver or by silver bars in bank. The measure failed and England, like the United States, has been in trouble ever since.

"Mr. Morton Frewen's effort now is to have the Groschen plan adopted on both sides of the sea, his reasoning being that it would at once produce such a demand for silver as would raise the price to \$1 an ounce and reopen the trade that has been lost by the foreign exchange with silver countries.

"This is all right, except that as the trade with the Orient and with South America now is, the manufacturers and exporters in the east are frightened. Very many of them are already admitting their great mistake in 1873 and 1896. The unexpected inflow of gold into our country, which has served to raise prices here, has made it more difficult still to trade with the Orient, because to trade where goods in one country are measured by constantly appreciated gold with another where the money is silver, which is constantly depreciating, is an impossibility.

"Mr. Harriman recently said, in effect, that the railroads had been running their ships to the Orient with no freight but wind. Mr. James J. Hill's great ships are idly swinging on their chains in Seattle harbor, there being no freight for them. And this goes to the very foundation of trade. Asia knows no money but silver; she has 750,000,000 of people; she can make goods cheaper than she could twenty years ago, because she has not raised the price of her workingmen. We cannot deliver goods there, because all the goods in the United States are advanced under the increasing volume of gold.

"Our thought is that a rightly concerted movement to start in New York City, would compel the reopening of this question among the nations, and while Great Britain would not change her single standard, if she would agree to do what Sir Michael Hicks-Beach agreed to do in 1896

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CONTEST NOTICE. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, October 25, 1908.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John E. Ross, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 12208, made November 10, 1902, for the NW 1/4, Section 14, Township 33 South, Range 4 East, Willamette Meridian, by Merritt G. Smith, contestee, in which it is alleged that said entryman has abandoned said claim; that he has not been upon or resided upon said claim for more than six months prior to the filing of this contest; and that his alleged absence was not due to employment in the Army or Navy of the United States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation, at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 1, 1908, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Medford, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 11 o'clock a. m. on December 15, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed October 12, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 31, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Anna M. Smith, of Medford, Oregon, who, on October 30, 1909, made Timber Application, No. 0272, for SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 and Lot 2, Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 28th day of January, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas C. Norris, Joseph T. Gannon, Francis A. Smith and R. W. Gray, all of Medford, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 3, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Morine, of Trail, Jackson County, Oregon, who, on October 3, 1908, made Timber Application, No. 01640, for North West 1/4, Section 15, Township 32 South, Range 1 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 15th day of December, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: Albert Morine, of Trail, Oregon; Bert Hurst, of Central Point, Oregon; Charles Conrad, of Medford, Oregon, and George Blass, of Trail, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 8, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Margaret M. Stepp, of Brownsville, Jackson County, Oregon, who, on October 3, 1908, made Timber Application, No. 01738, for South 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 35 South, Range 1 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 21st day of December, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: Charles Otchench, of Butte Falls, Oregon; John Isell, of Brownsville, Oregon; Charles Edmondson and John Otchench, of Butte Falls, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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Timber Land Act June 5, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, May 5, 1908. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 5, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, William Fletcher Parker, of Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, filed in this office on April 28, 1908, his sworn statement, No. 1027, for the purchase of the South-west one-quarter (SW 1/4) of Section No. 14, in Township No. 33 South, Range No. 4 West, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on

Thursday, the 7th day of January, 1909. He names as witnesses: William McGuirk, James Hart and Thomas Leonard, of Portland, Oregon; and George Pease, of Placer, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of January, 1909. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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Saturday, the 25th day of November, 1908. He names as witnesses: W. F. Parker, Thomas Leonard, and W. H. McGuirk, of Portland, Oregon, and George Pease, of Placer, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 25th day of November, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, August 27, 1908. Notice is hereby given that William A. Ailion, of Medford, Oregon, who, on August 27, 1908, made Timber Application No. 01002 for SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 33 South, Range 2 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 14th day of November, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: William T. Grieve, Kate M. Grieve, Robert B. Vincent and Ervin McCall, all of Prospect, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, September 14, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Allie E. Kilpel, of Jacksonville, Oregon, who, on September 14, 1908, made timber application, No. 01273, for NE 1/4, Section 3, Township 33 South, Range 1 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. H. Canon, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 2nd day of December, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Bigham, Durkin J. Van Dyke, Charles Shyrman and Joseph Miller, all of Trail, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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