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ROOSEVELT DENIES

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part, and I by the character of Mr. Cortelyou.

"The assertion that Mr. Cortelyou had any knowledge, gained while in any official position, whereby he was enabled to secure, and did secure, any contributions for any corporation is a falsehood.

"The assertion that there has been any blackmail, direct or indirect, by Mr. Cortelyou or by me, is a falsehood.

"The assertion that there has been made, in behalf of and by authorization of Mr. Cortelyou, or by any one else, any pledge or promise, or that there has been any understanding as to future immunities or benefits, in recognition of any contribution from any source, is a wicked falsehood.

"That Mr. Parker should desire to avoid the discussion of principles I can well understand; how any honorable man, a candidate for the highest office in the gift of the people, can take refuge, not merely in personalities, but in such base and unworthy personalities.

"If I deemed it necessary to support my flat denial by any evidence, I would ask all men of common sense to ponder well what has been done in this campaign by Mr. Cortelyou, and to compare it with what Mr. Parker himself did when he was managing Mr. Hill's campaign for governor; and to compare that has been done as regards the great corporations and moneyed interests in this administration with what was done under the last Democratic administration while Mr. Olney was attorney-general.

Actions Speak Louder Than Words.

"I would ask all honest men whether

they seriously deem it possible that the course this administration has taken in every matter from the Northern Securities suit to the settlement of the anthracite coal strike is compatible with any theory of public behavior save the theory of doing exact justice to all men without fear and without favoritism.

"I would ask all honest and fair-minded men to remember the agents through whom I have worked are Mr. Knox and Mr. Moody in the department of justice. Mr. Cortelyou in the department of commerce and labor, and Mr. Garfield in the bureau of corporations, and that no such act of infamy as Mr. Parker charges could have been done without all these men being parties to it.

"The statements made by Mr. Parker are unqualifiedly and atrociously false. As Mr. Cortelyou has said to me more than once during this campaign, if elected I shall go into the Presidency unhampered by any pledge, promise or understanding of any kind or sort, save my promise made openly to the American people that so far as in my power lies, I shall see to it that every man has a square deal, no less and no more.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

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Found Guilty of Murder.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 5.—The jury in the McCue case, after 30 minutes' deliberation brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree.

AN ANSWER TO MR. DREW

In today's issue of Local Option Mr. Drew says: "We ask you to vote for 'Local Option,' because every objection to 'Local Option' has been answered in this paper and no refutation to these answers has been forthcoming."

The question naturally comes up, did Mr. Drew deserve enough recognition to warrant an answer from any sane, self-respecting person? We think not, and hereafter give our reasons for being of that opinion.

Mr. Drew's entire campaign for notoriety has been based upon misrepresentation and falsehoods. In his bid for notoriety he has been led to attempt to blacken the reputation of nearly every official in this community from the mayor of Salem to the humble police officer and from the court of the district down to the justice of peace. He has attempted to make felons of citizens and heavy taxpayers, who have lived and been well known and respected in this community for years, where Mr. Drew has lived but a few months and been heretofore unknown.

Why should any sensible person take seriously any of his vapourings, when the very first sentence of his last issue of Local Option is an absolute falsehood. He says:

"Voters of Marion county."

We (Mr. Drew) ask you to vote for "local option" next Tuesday.

Every voter knows or should know that local option is not an issue next Tuesday, but that the issue is prohibition. Yet from the very beginning Mr. Drew has insisted upon misleading the people and refrained from using the word "prohibition." It ap-

pears that other "good" prohibitors using similar tactics, for the Oregonian has the following to say editorially in its Friday's issue:

"It is not a local option election now, but a prohibition election. All the deception practiced hitherto by good men like Brother Tufts is at an end. All the resources of dissembler and equivocation have been exhausted. It is a straight issue in Multnomah and in every other county—not local option for precincts, but for general prohibition. Men will vote as they please, but there is no use of any further attempts at deception."

Again we ask, why should any sensible person take seriously the statement made by one who until a few months ago was absolutely unknown in this community, when his own party, the Prohibition, has, through its principal spokesman, declared as follows:

"Marion county is troubled with a fanatic, who has been hounding the saloons of Salem until he is creating public sentiment against himself and for the saloon. The law is being observed, and there is but little hope of doing more than is now being done."

The above statement was made by Mr. L. H. Amos, the head of the Prohibition movement in Oregon, and one of the electors on the Prohibition presidential ticket, in an interview with the Oregonian last Sunday.

If Mr. Drew's own party designates him a "fanatic" and his own pet hobby is misrepresentation, it is very doubtful if any seriously minded person will take his vapourings much to heart. The greatest sufferer is the community in which he lives for the time being.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Pleasant Social Function.

A very delightful social event of this week was the "Heart" party given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. L. Stockton and Miss Stockton, at their home on North Commercial street.

The house was beautifully decorated, the color scheme of red and green being artistically carried out in all the rooms with a profusion of hearts, large and small, which were arranged in pleasing designs on the walls, and strings of them were draped from the chandeliers. Cut flowers and bright autumn leaves were also utilized, and noticeable in the decorations were the beautiful potted plants in all the different rooms. The decoration of the hall was especially beautiful. Up the stairway the gay autumn leaves were banked, and the red shaded lights cast a soft glow over the scene.

The guests were received at the doorway by little Louemma Waters and Master Leon Culbertson.

The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Culbertson, the Misses Ruth Gabrielson, Bessie Frisby and Cora Talkington.

Hearts were played at little green-topped tables, which corresponded with the color scheme. The first prize was won by Miss Gertrude Hirsch and the second by Miss Kate Carmichael.

Dainty candies, nuts and punch were served during the game, and light refreshments afterward.

Many beautiful gowns were worn, and the gay spirit manifested by the young ladies indicated that the afternoon was a complete success, as every detail was so delightfully arranged that the pleasure of the guests was complete.

Those present were the Misses Nau Wagner, Watson, Vera Byers, Gertrude Hirsch, Leona Hirsch, Ruth Gabrielson, Jennie Fry, Kate Carmichael, Delphine Cornoyer, Mayme Babcock, Cecelia Haines, Grace Rineman, Bessie Frisby, Gertrude Falk, Cora Talkington, Mary Payne, Marie Falk, Lenna Cavanaugh, Irene James, Mary Wiggins, Blanche Brown and Gladys Farrar.

Halloween Party.

The Halloween party, given by the girls of the Young Ladies' Hall, was one of the most successful events in the social life of the University, so far this year. The invitations were very unique, consisting of a dainty image of a witch, under which was written the following lines: "A revel of imps and ghosts, With the Girls of the Hall of the hall as hosts. Come when the lights burn low, And the witches come and go."

The parlors and spacious halls had been tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, jack o'lanterns and other characteristics of the evening. As the guests arrive they were met at the door by a bevy of imps, witches and ghosts. In one corner of the assembly hall was a huge cauldron, from which, by the aid of fair hands, the guests were refreshed with sweet cider. In another corner, where the lights burned low, and the oppressive languor of the unseen art held full sway, a beautiful gypsy maiden foretold the future and recalled the past. One of the most interesting features of the evening was the exchange of gifts. Each person was to bring some little souvenir, carefully wrapped so as to conceal its identity, and exchange this with some other person. Surprises were the rule in this game, and they were sometimes more interesting than pleasant, as for instance, when a young lady would carefully and expectantly unwrap a package, daintily tied up in tinted tissue paper, only to find in her hand a piece of a skeleton. Another means of amusement was the shooting of arrows into a suspended, revolving jack o'lantern, upon whose surface had been engraved the letters of the alphabet. The letter you struck represented your future—but if you missed altogether you were doomed to be an old maid or bachelor. The disappointments here were many and great.

The climax of the evening came when all had been ushered into the large assembly hall and seated on the floor around a genuine witch's fire, and after pumpkin pie had been served on large maple leaves as dishes, Dean Hawley, ably seconded by Profs. Dawson and McCall, made the cold shivers run up and down the spinal column of every guest by the weird, ghostly way in which they conjured up blood-curdling ghost stories.

The guests departed at a late hour fully convinced that the "Ladies of the Hall" are charming and successful entertainers.

Autumn Party.

A picnic in the woods for the last days of October is one of the pleasures which can only be enjoyed by those who are so fortunate as to live in Oregon. Taking advantage of the bright, sunny day, last Saturday a small

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party of University students, with well filled baskets, hid them away to the woods, and very pleasantly spent the day. Mother nature was their host, and no floors were ever more beautifully carpeted or walls adorned with richer pictures. The artist had been generous with her colors. Those comprising the party were Misses Mary and Ann Salmon, Launeta Young, Grace Oliver and Messrs. Paul Beach, Alvia Nace, Andrew Marker and Edgar Averill.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cavanaugh announce the engagement of their daughter, Birdie Leila, to Ernest Robert Wiggins, the wedding to take place November 17, 1904.

Euchre Club.

Mrs. S. C. Dyer entertained the Fortnightly Euchre Club at her home on South Commercial street yesterday afternoon, and the ladies spent a very pleasant afternoon together. The rooms were beautifully decorated with a profusion of autumn flowers and ferns. Punch was served throughout the afternoon. Eighteen members were present. These meetings are of great interest socially to the members, and are always looked forward to with much interest.

FULTON SPOKE AT WOODBURN

Woodburn, Nov. 5.—Senator Chas. W. Fulton spoke at the Association hall here last evening to a large and enthusiastic audience, many Democrats being present. Senator Fulton made one of the greatest political speeches ever delivered in this city, and was cheered throughout the evening.

Among those on the platform with the speaker was Frank Feller, one of the heaviest taxpayers and an old-time Democrat. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the speech.

Woodburn precinct will give Roosevelt almost 150 majority next week. There are more Roosevelt Democrats in this precinct, it is safe to say, than in any other precinct of like size in the United States.

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PARKER PREPARES REPLY

New York, Nov. 5.—Parker passed most of the day in his room at the Seville, preparing a Roosevelt denial of the charges of the Republican campaign graft, which he will deliver tonight before the Kings county Democratic Club. Shortly after 9 o'clock the candidate took a long walk up and down Madison avenue, planning his address. It is said at the Seville that Roosevelt's statement was foreseen by Parker when he first made the charges, and that he was prepared for such a denial. Parker will remain in Brooklyn tonight as the guest of Chief Justice Cullen of the court of appeals, returning to Esopus tomorrow to remain until after the election.

GREATER SALEM CASE

In department No. 2 of the court today the case of J. P. Rogers, State of Oregon, et al., was finished and the case of Lillenthal Bros. & Mike Keppinger is also all in. The arguments, which will be heard Monday. The divorce suit of Steinbach against Louis Steinhilber, being heard, and as soon as finished the case of J. E. Murphy, Charles Lembeck, et al., will be heard. The last case is the injunction against the Greater Salem Charter.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Wheat, Dec. 81.11 1/4 @ 1.12; May, 81.11 1/4 @ 1.12; corn, 48 1/2 @ 48 1/2; oats, 25 1/2.

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