Candidate Must Not Bet.

FORBIDS MANY TIME-WORN ELECTION CUSTOMS.

Conceding Opponents Scattering Vote, Rolls Give Party 44,616 Lead.

133,178 VOTERS IN STATE

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Figures compiled by The Oregonian show a total registration of 122.178 in Oregon for the Presidential election. Of that number 88,288 are registered as Republicans and \$2.281 as Democrats. There are 2184 registered Prohibitionists. 2581 Socialists, & Populists and 855 scattering. Deducting from this total the registration of last June, amounting to 128.78, leaves 12.23, which represents the registration in the state for the Presidential election during the 29 days ending October 20 last, or an increase of about 10 per cent over the June registration.

In the absence of official figures, the total registration for the counties of Baker. Curry, Harney, Klamath, Lake and Malheur is estimated on the basis of the Spring registrations, but it is not believed that the actual registration in those counties will materially affect the total as it has been computed. It has been difficult, however, to obtain the correct Fall registration by political parties from a number of the counties, for the reason that numerous County Clerka in registering voters for the Presidential election did not require electors to designate their party affiliation.

Computed on Fall Ratio.

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That was the case in Coos, Gilliam. Lincoln. Umatilla, Washington and Wheeler Counties. In each instance the total registration for those counties is correct as given, but in distributing the total Fall registration in those counties among the different political parties. The Oregodian made the appertionment on the basis of the Fall registration by parties in the counties from which official figures were received. Those figures showed a fraction more than two Republicans to one Democrat and that ratio was followed in distributing among political parties the registration in those counties where the political affiliations of the electors was not recorded. It is for the foregoing reason that the figures as to the registered Prohibitionist and Social vote in the state is incomplete. In a great many of the counties electors registering under those party affiliations, particularly for the Presidential election, were classified as scat-That was the case in Coos, Gillian incoln. Umatilla, Washington at

The total registration figures for this state, however, show a Republican piurality of 34.194, while the combined plurality of Congressmen Hawley and Ellis in the June election was only about 28,000. Conceding to the Democrata the full strength of the independent or scattering vote, amounting to 8756, the Republicans would still have a plurality of 44.515, exclusive of the Prohibitionists, Socialists and 40 lonesome Populists. In other words, according to the registration fig. words, according to the registration fig-ures as they are presented, the Republi-cans have a majority of 29,514 of the to-tal registered vote of the state. It is very generally regarded in political cir-cles that the Democrats will receive prob-ably 50 per cent of the so-called inde-pendent or nonpartisan vote, including those declining to designate the party to which they belonged, and numbering \$156. The registration of voters throughout words, according to the registration figwhich they belonged, and numbering s.co.
The registration of voters throughout
the state for the 30 days ending October
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of what the vote for President in this of what the vote for freshent in this state may be expected to be. It is figured that there were no local considerations which could possibly have influenced the Fall registration, which consisted exclusively of voters desiring to qualify for the National election.

## Thought to Indicate Vote.

With a President to be elected, it is in-sisted there was no other discumstance to govern the elector in expressing his political affiliation. At the same time it is urged by Republicans that those elec-tors not only will vote as they have reg-letered, but that their expression of po-litical preference at this time fairly ac-curately reflects the sentiment of the

litical proference at this time fairly accurately reflects the sentiment of the registered electors of the state when the election of a President is involved.

When appriaed yesterday of the political complexion of the state as shown by the registration. Secretary McArthur, of the Republican organization, said his predicted plurality of \$2.5% for Taft in this state was assured. In view of the figures on registration, the Republicans regard as a real joke the position of the Democrats in presuming to claim the state for Bryan by 25% or any other plurality. Weather conditions being normal, both parties expect to see about \$6 per cent of the registered vote polled in this of the registered vote polled in this state in tomorrow's election.

The registration by counties is shown ir an accompanying table.

Closes Campaign at Bridal Veil.

Attorney John H. Stevenson cloard the Democratic campaign in Eastern

Multnomah County at Bridal Veil Saturday'night. He addressed a large crowd of voters at the schoolhouse there and a great deal of enthusiasm was aroused. It was the only political gathering of the campaign at Bridal Veil. Mr. Stevenson has taken an active part in presenting Bryan's candidacy in this state.

TAG-SELLER LOYAL TO TAFT

Bryan Man Fails to Influence

Staunch Republican Miss. While selling Baby Home tags on one of the principal business streets Saturday, one young girl had an opportunity to assert her unwavering Republicanism when others of more mature years might have yielded to the temptation that was

presented.

"I will give you a dollar for one tag
if you will wear a Bryan button," proposed a supporter of the Peerless One,
accosting the youthful charity worker,
whose family happen to be staunch Re-

Publicana.

No. sir," was the prompt reply of the young girl: "I cannot accept the offer."

"Well, then, I will give you a dollar for every tag you have if you will consent to wear a button of the Demodratio nominee," pensisted the stranger, who could not divorce politics from a charitable mission.

"Neither shall I accept that offer," responded the youthful tag agent. "I would not consent to wear a Bryan button for all the money you might decide to offer me for any

would not coment to wear a siyan out-ten for all the money you might decide to offer me for even a single tag." Having delivered this ultimatum, the loyal young Republican turned her at-tention to the sale of tags to others who exhibited greater willingness to buy without resorting to bribery.

GENERAL CONFERENCE ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS.

Meeting Held in Bartenders' Hall and Workingmen Urged to Vote for Own Interests.

Resolutions addressed to the workingmen of the state, exhorting them to vote for their own interests tomorrow, were adopted at a general conference of organized labor, held in the Bar-

The following are the resolutions that were adopted:

Wherean We, the working people of the City of Portland, State of Oregon, in meeting assembled, have considered the attuntion in which the tollers of our country find themselves by decisions of the courts and the failure of Congress to afford the necessary relief, and
Wherean We have appealed to the Republican Congress in vain to afford the necessary relief for the protection, restoration and defense of the natural and inherent rights of the working people and all our people, and
Wherean We appealed in vain to the Republican party convention for the necessary restoration of the rights to which the tollers are entitled, rights which have been about from our people by the decision of the Supreme Court, which has decided that the voluntary organization of the workers are tilegal combinations in restraint of trade and come under the Shiurman anal-trust law, and that the Republican party rejected and regulated labor's ingoin needs and insulted the rank and file of the tollers of our country, and,
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was followed in distributing among political parties the registration in those counties where the political affiliations of the electors was not recorded.

It is for the foregoing reason that the figures as to the registered Prohibitionist and Social vote in the state is incomplete. In a great many of the counties electors registering under those parties of miscellaneous, and there is therefore no means of ascertaining the true voting etrength of either of those parties. Four years ago the Prohibitionists in this state cast a total of 2800 votes, while Debs received a vote of 581 from the Socialists. By reason of the local-option activity in the state during the last two years, it is expected the cold-water forces will poll about 5000 votes Tiresday, while the Socialists probably will increase their vote to 10,000 in the state.

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## Blds for Hay Rejected.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Recent con-tracts awarded by the Quartermaster-General's office include 9000 tons of oats to be furnished by Seattle and St. Paul firms. Bids received this week for 10,000 tons of hay for the Phillippines have been rejected, because of high prices and ir-

**Huntley Corrupt Practices Act** Prohibits Time-Worn Customs of Election.

POLL WORKERS FORBIDDEN

Neither Can Any One Wear Campaign Button Near Election Booths-Electioneering Under Ban as Well as Carriages.

........ WHAT IS UNLAWFUL TUESDAY. Candidates (Presidential electors) cannot bet on result of Tuesday's election or furnish any other person money or anything of pecuniary value with which to bet.

Political parties cannot employ pre-cinct workers at polls or use car-Political badges, buttons or other insignia cannot be worn in the vi-

cinity of voting booths. It is unlawful for any person at any place on election day to ask. solicit or ir; to induce any voter to vote for or refrain from voting for any candidate or ticket.

Printing and circulating anony-nous letters, circulars, posters or placards relating to any election or to any candidate is unlawful. If such anonymous literature maliciousy reflects on the character, morality or integrity of a candidate, the author is liable to imprisonment in penitentiary for from one to three

were adopted at a general conference of organized labor, held in the Bartenders' Hall on First street, yesterday afternoon. While the resolutions do not formally indorse Bryan, that is the effect of the declaration.

The adoption of the resolutions, which were drafted by a committee consisting of J. L. Ledwidge and W. H. Fitzgerald, president and secretary, respectively, of the Central Labor Council: J. D. M. Crockwell and Charles Grassman, was preceded by a general discussion of the political situation as it appeared to the labor unions. Committees were appointed, it was explained, for the purpose of treating with any 11th-hour reports that might be circulated which in any way might have the effect of disorganising organized labor here in its determination to vote solidly in tomorrow's election.

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## OREGON'S REGISTRATION FOR 1908, CLASSIFIED BY PARTIES

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Returning the party visited the dockyards and many large industrial plants near the city.  Tonight the feature of the entertainment was a huge torchlight procession.  The Americans have been greatly impressed not only with what they have seen of the modern life of Japan but with the cordiality of their reception as well.  READY TO ACT WITH PORTE  Bulgarian Delegates Arrive at Constantinople.  CONSTANTINOPLE Nov 1.—The Bulgarian delegates M. Liaptcheff, Minister of Commerce, and M. Mültcheff, one of the department chiefs of the foreign of fice, arrived here today. They are empowered to complete the strangement

\*Estimated. In these counties electors registering for November election were not required to designate the parties to which they belonged. The total Fail registration in these counties has been distributed among the different political parties on the basis of the registration in counties from which party affiliations were designated, and which showed a ratio of a fraction more than two Republicans to one Democrat, with only a few exceptions.

## him in which to perform the duties as-signed to him in the matter of pre-paring the literature relating to the caudidacy of aspirants for political of-fice and in distributing it among the fice and in distributing it among the electors of the state. On the subject of betting on the result of an election, one of the penalties o fwhich is that the candidate assumes the risk of losing his right to vote. Section 29 of the law provides as follows: PERHAPS SLAYER

Candidate Must Not Bet.

Any candidate who, before or during any election campaign, makes any bet or wager of anything of pecualisty value, or in may manner becomes a party to any much bet or wager on the result of the election in his electional district, or in any part thereof, or on any election or who provides money or other valuable to be used by any person in betting or wagering upon the results of any impending election, shall be guilty of a corrupt syactice. Any person, who, for the purpose of influencing the result of any election makes any bet or wager of anything of pecuniary value on the result of mach election in his electional district or any part thereof, or of any pending election, or on any ovent or contingency relating thereto, shall be guilty of a corrupt practice act, and in addition thereto any such act shall be a ground of challenge against his right to vote. Police Try to Show That J. V. De Laney Killed H. T. Butterworth.

CARRIED 32 - CALIBER GUN

Other Circumstances Also Tend to Incriminate Man Shot by Patrol-Regarding the wearing of campigu buttons on election day, another sec-tion of the law says: man Stahl, and Who Probtion of the law says:

No person shall buy, sell, give or provide any political badge, button or other insignia to be worn at or about the polis on the day of any election, and no such political hadge, button or other insignia shall be worn at or about the polis on any election day.

The law is especially sweeping in its ahly Planned Car Holdup.

Detectives are attempting to implicate J. V. De Laney, who was shot and killed Saturday night by Patrolman R. H. Stahi near the Bast Ankeny car barns, with the murder of Harry T. Butterworth, the St. John jeweler, the mystery of whose killing has baffled the officers for two weeks.

Butterworth was killed with a B-caliber buliet near his home at St. John two weeks ago. A valuable diamond ring is supposed to have been taken from his finger by the murderer. Detectives of the city force have strongly contended that robbery was the motive, though the jeweler's watch and a small amount of cash were found upon his person.

### Facts Cited by Officers.

In their attempts to connect De Lancy with the crime, they point out that he was armed with a 32-callber automatic revolver when he met his death Saturday night. They declare that he is the first supposed hold-up man they have ever encountered who was armed with so small a weapon as a 32 revolver. However, the fact of De Lancy's being a highwayman has not been established. highwayman has not been established, though many circumstances are cited by the officers in justification of their con-

the officers in justification of their contention.

Butterworth was killed Tuesday night, October 20, almost two weeks ago. De Laney, according to his dying statement, arrived in Portland 15 days ago, and this fact is also used by the officers in advancing their theory.

Most important and sengational of all the detectives' clews, however, was the inding of a flashy ring among the effects of the dead man yesterday. Detectives Heilyer and Maloney made the find but the big supposed diamosti was pronounced by Chief Oritzmacher to be glass. Detectives Heilyer and Maloney broke open the dead man's trunk and discovered the ring. It was set with a big sparkling gem that answered the description of the ring stolen from the murdered jeweler, and the officers guarded the fact of their discovery with the most discreet silence until the chief's examination of the gem. Since then Detectives Hellyer and Maloney have not been especially interested in the case.

Officer Stahl Is Justified.

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Japan Gives Pacific Coast Business

Men Cordial Reception.

KOBE, Japan, Nov. 1.—The reception which was accorded the visiting business men from the Pacific Coast of the United States today on their arrival here was of a most enthusiastic nature and attended by scenes of popular demonstration such as have not been observed here since the exciting days of the Japaness-Russian war.

Today the Americans, accompanied by the Governor of this Province and many high municipal and provincial officials, were entertained on a trip about the beautiful inland sea of Japan, the excursion being made in a steamer the publish and there is made the course of the capaness-Russian war.

Groans Lead to Victim.

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The Americans have been greatly impressed not only with what they have seen of the modern life of Japan but with the cordiality of their reception as well.

READY TO ACT WITH PORTE

Bulgarian Delegates Arrive at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 1—The Bulgarian delegates Many they are made to the decaration of Turkish rights in Eastern with the Porte which will include a percuniary compensation for Turkey for the abdication of Turkish rights in Eastern Rumells.

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there Friday, but had not been at the house since. He was well dressed when he applied to her for a room, but was shabbily attired when he boarded the car at West avenue. Papers found on him showed him to be a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen in good standing.

The man's widow and other relatives at Tacoma were notified immediately of his death and are expected to arrive here at any time.

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Thomas Griffin, who was held up and robbed on the Burnside street bridge Saturday night, called at the morgue yesterday and identified the dead man as one of two who committed the deed. However, the Coroner is not satisfied with the identification.

Indiana is going to be an unsually close state this year. For its size, it has always been reasonably close, until 1996, when it gave Roosevelt 33,944 plurality. There, as classwhere, the Republican vote has been largely reduced by the swift of laboring men to Bryan. But much of the trouble in Indiana, as in Ohio, is over the state tloked, and there, as also in Ohio, the Democratis stand a splendid chance of

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