

brought to a close in this city tonight. State issues and state candidates, though 

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candidate; and between Skis Benderate candidate; and between Skis Bender C. J. Smith, Democratic candidate for re-election and J. N. Bargess, Republican candidate for that office. Personalities have been induiged in on public platforms and in the press, charges and combar charges have been

charges and counter charges have been Intried at each other, while the public and private lives of each of the candi-dates have been bilterly ascalled. It is generally compreted that the race for these two offices will be close pot-

withstanding the fact that the Republican registration is two and one-half times as great as the Democratic. The personal popularity of the Democratic candidates is counted on by their friends to over-come the Republican majorities.

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Victory by 400 on State Ticket Is

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# Says He Did Not Use Prison Labor

## for Folding Circulars.

The Democratic state central committee, through Alex Sweek, chairman. last night gave out for publication the fol-lowing statement, signed by Oswald West. Democratic candidate for Gov-

Astoria, Or., Nov. 7.- (To My Priends.) "Asiona, Or., Nov. 1.--('to My Friends.) I have employed no convict labor in folding my campairm literature. I have not directly or indirectly asked, sug-gested to or advised any of my friends to use convict labor for any purpose. All literature used by me has been folded by free while labor at a good wage. "2 have not eaked, sought or received All literature used by me has been folded by free white labor at a good wage. "A have not asked, sought or received tains has a statue at Gadsaen, Ala,

He is a capable lawyer and will make an efficient and honest Judge, and he is the regularly elected nominee of the Republican party. P. E. STRUCK, Staunch Republican. party. (Paid Advertisement.)

tains just the elements necessary to thoroughly cleanse, invigorate, soften and clear the skin.

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