

SPALDING RESTS HOPES ON SOLUTIONS

Candidate for Senator From California Claims Majority in Legislature.

PEOPLE INDORSE HIS RIVAL

Though John D. Works Wins in Primaries, Spalding Declares He Has Clear Majority of Four Votes Among Lawmakers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Although John D. Works, of Los Angeles, has received 29 votes more than A. G. Spalding, of San Diego, for United States Senator, Spalding has the indorsement of the Assembly and Senatorial districts. The result is a problem which will probably be solved by the action of the Legislature.

The section of the primary law providing for the election of United States Senators shall be an advisory vote for the purpose of ascertaining the sentiment of the voters in the respective Senatorial and Assembly districts in the respective parties; provided, further, that the members of the Legislature shall be at liberty to vote either for the electors of their respective districts expressed at said primary election, or for the candidate for United States Senator who shall have the most indorsements of their party at each party election in the greatest number of districts electing members of such party to the Legislature.

That the Spalding supporters plan to work for his election is evidenced by the following statement, issued from his San Diego headquarters: "The election of A. G. Spalding as United States Senator seems an assured fact. There are 49 Senators and 80 Assemblymen which means 129 on joint ballot. Of these Senators 29 are hold-over Senators, leaving 109 Senators and Assemblymen to be elected. Out of these 109 Senators, 71 pronounced Senator Leroy A. Wright, when he filed Spalding's nomination papers, that they would vote for Spalding. "This morning's district show that Spalding has carried 53 districts, which with the 11 votes of the hold-over Senators means 64 votes out of 129 on joint ballot, or a clear majority of four, which means the election of Spalding without doubt."

Thus, in the Senatorial fight for a successor to Senator Flint, a situation has arisen which can be translated only by the Legislature itself.

U'REN'S BILLS PLAN RAID

(Continued From First Page.) voters are up against may be realized when it is remembered that in addition to the four measures mentioned herein, 25 others are presented to the voters for their rejection or approval. It is the intention of the Oregonian from time to time, prior to election, to present the principal features of all the initiative measures.

Class Prejudice Invoked.

In the four People's Power League measures, one of four out of five wages, as heretofore pointed out, is the attempt made to rip open the purse of the state. In the arguments presented by the league on the proportional election scheme and on the primary election of national convention delegates, a distinct appeal is made to class prejudice, by informing those receiving wages or salaries or wages are now \$2 a day or less that therein lies an opportunity for them to get into office. In proposing to increase the salary of the Legislature 50 per cent, or from \$10,800 to \$16,200 biennially the league says: "This amendment will be approved or rejected by the voters who are to elect the Legislature. If the wage workers, teachers and farmers of Oregon do not make more than \$2 a day. These men can be elected by the proportional system of election, but they cannot serve in the Legislature for \$60 a year."

The argument then estimates that a candidate spends 20 days in campaigning, worth \$2 a day to him, \$100 in campaign expenses, pays \$100 for living expenses in Salem and loses 40 days more at \$2 a day, all at a cost of \$210, for which he receives now \$120.

Figures Are Questioned.

These figures are open to question. If a man has an acquaintance in his district sufficient to give him reasonable chance of election, he can do all the campaigning he requires after his working hours and need spend nothing at all for campaign expenses. If he has not such an acquaintance, 20 days' time and \$100 in cash are far short of sufficient to gain for him the office. The man who has ability to earn no more than \$2 a day, however, is not worthy, as a rule has not a sufficient acquaintance in his district to secure an election to the Legislature even under the free-for-all primary election plan at present in use, and much less so under the proportional scheme proposed by U'ren and his followers. There are doubtless exceptional men and exceptional districts, but this will be recognized as a rule.

But under the proportional scheme, he whose acquaintance is limited would have not the ghost of a show at election without evading the corrupt practices act, spending large sums of money and devoting a great deal of time to his campaigning. Once nominated, the person seeking office under the proportional scheme finds every candidate of his own party as well as every candidate of every other party every candidate of his own party in the big popularity. If he is running for the House, against 50 other members of his own party, and if running for the Senate, against 20 other members of his party. Under the present normal party divisions, one-third of the Republican candidates for the Legislature would necessarily be defeated in an election under the present plan. Two-thirds of the candidates who would be elected would be those who had the highest number of votes in their party without reference to the vote cast for Democratic opponents, districts or anything else.

Opponents in Own Party.

Personal popularity, relative approval of members of the Legislature according to population, and the proportional division of party strength in each district would govern the result. A candidate known little out of his own circle in life running in Clatsop County might find himself defeated by a man of his own party in Walla Walla County or some other corner of the state who did have a wide acquaintance and popularity in his own district. Every candidate, too, would be forced to his limit of means in campaigning, for, under the proposed

CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA CLAIMS MAJORITY OF FOUR VOTES IN LEGISLATURE.



A. G. SPALDING, WHO EXPECTS TO BE ELECTED, THOUGH NOT PEOPLE'S CHOICE IN PRIMARY.

method, voters in one part of the state may vote for candidates for the Legislature living in the farthest opposite corners of Oregon.

The increase in legislative salary might make running for legislative office a stronger inducement for the 43 wage-earners, but the other seven members of the scheme would put such obstacles in their way that representation in the legislative body for them would be practically impossible. Here may be mentioned a further burden on candidates proposed in the direct nomination of party delegates to the national convention. The latter measure provides that in Presidential years the general primary election in Oregon shall be held 45 days before the first caucus in June. Instead of being nominated in the middle of September, candidates every fourth year would be chosen about April 15 and be campaigning for nearly seven months of campaigning before the general election.

In urging approval of the last mentioned bill, the People's Power League again appeals to the wage-earners of \$2 and less a day and presents the specious argument that because the state will pay the delegates' expenses to the convention, an opportunity is opened for any one, big or little, to participate in the convention selection of party candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States.

Delegates Out of Pocket. This bill limits the delegates' expenses to \$20 but the farmers, in appealing to the wage-earners, neglected to embrace the argument contained in the appeal for an endorsement of the increase in legislators' salaries.

No reference is made to the necessity for a would-be national delegate campaigning for 20 days at \$2 a day, not for spending \$100 in campaign expenses to secure election. Adopting their own argument, here is \$190 gone with 10 or 12 days loss of time in addition to the 20 days of the convention to be counted in. And then, after it is all over, the delegate does not get the entire \$200 unless he has actually expended it for necessary expenses. How many men are willing to expend \$225 or more of money saved from 22 a day wages for the privilege of being their expenses paid to a national convention.

"I can pay my own expenses and go at least cost to myself as a spectator." Will probably be the reply to the paying wage-earners to this plea. "Only those who can now afford it can afford to go as delegates under the proposed law, and why should I as a taxpayer, contribute to their expenses?"

NICARAGUA'S REVOLT OVER

Warring Central American Factions Patch Up Troubles.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 20.—Cablegrams received this morning from Hiofields local steamship companies state that the revolution that has harassed Nicaragua has ended, and that the Madriz and Estrada factions have agreed on terms of peace.

At the headquarters of the Madriz faction in this city it was declared that no such cablegram had been received. The Estrada faction is without an official representative here, but local sympathizers say they have information that Madriz is no longer President. They do not admit that the war is ended.

The cablegrams to the steamship companies announce that Madriz has been succeeded by Jose Estrada, a brother of General Juan Estrada, leader of the revolution. When the revolution opened, Jose Estrada remained loyal to Zelaya and issued a statement denouncing his brother.

BLIND MAN IS ACCUSER

Baker City Judge Said to Have Conducted Pauper to Salem.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—An aged blind man giving the name of La Branche was found in the city today and issued a statement denouncing his brother. He had been an inmate of the county home in Baker City and had been brought to this city by County Judge Messick of Baker City and lodged for the night in a local lodging-house and that the county judge failed to return.

Change of Time on O. R. & N.

Sunday, August 21, change of time will be made on O. R. & N. trains as follows: Soo-Spokane-Portland will leave Portland at 11:00 P. M. instead of 7:00 P. M. as heretofore, and will carry the Walla Walla Pullman sleeper. Baker City local will leave at 8:00 A. M. instead of 7:40 A. M. The Spokane Flyer will leave at 6:00 P. M. as before, but the Pullman sleeper to Lewiston will be carried on this train instead of the Soo-Spokane-Portland train.

GILLETT MUST SIT

California Governor to Hear Vanlieu Charges.

LUSK FRIEND OF ACCUSED

Indications That His Vote Would Be for Vindication Gives Rise to Necessity of Governor Hearing Charges in Person.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—From the present status of the Vanlieu case it will be necessary for Governor Gillett to forsake other duties and sit upon the board of trustees of the Chico Normal School at the next investigation of Er. C. Campbell's alleged improper advances toward girl students of the institution of which he is president.

The meeting of the trustees next Friday will decide what shall be done with Vanlieu, and in view of his statement today that he would not resign, it is practically understood that an investigation of the second lot of charges will be insisted upon by Governor Gillett. Friendly relations existing between the college head and C. P. Lusk, a wealthy Chico banker, chairman of the board, who is now on his way home from Europe, indicates that his vote would be with Trustee Clifford Coggins and J. F. Campbell, who previously served to vindicate Vanlieu. This would make three votes against State Superintendent of Public Instruction Edward Hyatt, and Trustees Florence J. O'Brien and Frank M. Rutherford. The Governor is an ex-officio member of the board, so in order to "convict" the educator, the Governor must not remain away as he did before. Vanlieu must be given a hearing, otherwise he would have a just claim against the state for his \$6000 annual salary under the contract signed up at a meeting when the original charges by Miss A. Clark were brought out. School starts on September 5, and the intention is to settle the matter before that time.

Mrs. Prosser Ill and Destitute.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Vera Prosser, who was acquitted at Libby, Mont., yesterday of the murder of her husband, Reese T. Prosser, arrived in Seattle today. She is greatly broken in health and the trial consumed the few thousand dollars of her fortune. Friends in Seattle will assist her during her illness.

Hair Came Out in Handfuls After Fever.

Home Remedy Made It Grow Again. Two More Readers Add Their Testimony.

Dear Editor: A friend showed me your paper of a couple of days ago which contained a recipe or formula for a hair tonic sent in by Madame X, and asked me if it was worth what I had paid for my hair. And sure enough it was. I saw the formula printed in some newspaper or other and clipped it out and took it to my druggist. That was several months ago. It was Lavona de Compose 2 oz., Menthol Crystals 1/2 drachm, Bay Rum 6 oz., and from 1 to 2 teaspoonfuls of To-Kalon Perfume. That made a big bottle, and I started using it right away. My hair stopped falling out, dandruff quickly left me, my scalp no longer itched and new hair grew. I never saw anything so wonderful, and I had tried a good many things, buying a dollar here and a dollar there for advertised hair tonics that didn't help a bit. This home remedy put the hair back and here I am, still, and my story to Madame X experience.

BLIND MAN IS ACCUSER

To the Editor of the Home Page: You have often invited your readers to relate their experiences in this column, and I am sure it is a real benefit. I've seen ever so many interesting and helpful formulas and suggestions for housewives there. This is the first time I've ventured. Last Summer I had a severe spell of fever and during the Winter early in the year my hair came out in handfuls. I used many remedies and preparations which were advertised, but they had absolutely no effect. Finally I heard of a preparation that could be combined with other ingredients and which made a very powerful hair tonic. My druggist put it up for me and here is the recipe: Lavona de Compose 2 oz., Menthol Crystals 1/2 drachm, Bay Rum 6 oz., and from 1 to 2 teaspoonfuls of To-Kalon Perfume. I commenced its use, and after the fourth application the hair ceased to fall, and at the end of the week it had lost its dead look and was restored to its glossy natural color. At once new hair began to grow. Hoping this will help some one I remain.

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MID-SUMMER EMBROIDERY SALE

Another Great Purchase and Sale of Embroideries
Fifty thousand yards bought by our New York buyer from one of the most prominent importers in America at a mere fraction of actual worth, and offered to you at this sale at ridiculously low prices. Embroideries and insertions made on fine grade Hamburg, nainsook and chiffon cloth, and shown in hundreds and hundreds of well-worked patterns. All new goods, heaps of snowy white, extending the full length of our center aisle tables. Edges, flouncings, insertions, bands, etc., in all desired widths offered to you at this sale at less than manufacturers' cost. Come and profit to the fullest extent by this wonderful sale, for not again do we expect to be able to offer such values:

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TABLE SEVEN, VALUES TO \$1.25 AT 39c
Extra salespeople to serve you promptly. Come as early in the day as possible and avoid the crowds.



New Fall Suit Special

A SPECIAL INDUCEMENT—We are pricing our new Fall Suits considerably below the regular prices, as a special inducement for you to shop before the busy season begins. So crowded are we for room and so tremendous is our trade during the busy season that we are willing to make these price concessions to induce our customers to shop before the rush begins. First choice of the choicest of the new Fall styles should be another incentive for you to shop now. Three popularly priced suits that are positively without their equal; medium-length tailored coats, fitted or semi fitted, with collar of same cloth or velvet, good quality satin lining; many new dress fabrics, including those popular mannish weaves—ocean and chevrot serge, basket cloth and boucle cloth, in black, navy, brown, green, gray and tan in new shades.... **\$15.00, \$19.50, \$25.00**

New Silk Dresses at \$15
Just received several new Fall models in silk Dresses—one particularly attractive garment of good quality black silk taffeta, a one-piece dress with tacked front, soft collar, corded waist line and pleated skirt; many other new styles; some in rather plain effects, while others have yokes of lace, etc. Skirts are plain, paneled or pleated; many new shades in dark and light color. Monday and Tuesday, special..... **\$15.00**

Bathing Suits at \$1.95
Good quality black and navy mohair Bathing Suits, made with blouse, bloomers and skirt, neatly trimmed with fancy wash braid. Closing them out at less than cost.... **\$1.95**

White Lawn Waists Special at 95c
Extraordinary values in white lawn Waists, and an abundance of pretty styles to choose from. Beautifully embroidered fronts in many designs, and others with yokes of lace; plainer effects in tucked or pleated models. Actual values up to \$1.50, Mon. and Tuesday... **95c**

Silk Petticoat Special for Monday and Tuesday at \$2.98
A special offering in silk Petticoats for Monday and Tuesday; made of a good weight, well wearing silk taffeta in black and a great many dark and light colors; several different styles, plain sectional corded flouncings; another neat style of deep circular flounce, finished with two rows of shirring and corded ruffle. An unusual offering, for regularly priced they sell for \$5.00, Monday special..... **\$2.98**

Wash Dresses, Monday and Tuesday Special at \$2.50
Women's and misses' wash Dresses in a splendid variety of styles; beautiful lingerie dresses of fine lawn and silk mull, embroidered in many different designs, and some with yokes of lace, daintily trimmed with lace; others of French gingham and percale in checks, stripes and plain colors. Wash dresses in this lot that originally sold for from \$3.50 to \$6.50, Monday and Tuesday special..... **\$2.50**

House Dresses Special at \$1.25
Good quality percale Houses Dresses in two neat styles; colors are black, blue, gray and red, in stripes, figures and polkadots, made with the soft collar or Dutch neck, tucked yoke, belt and plain skirt. Special values for Monday and Tuesday at..... **\$1.25**



An Advance Showing of New Fall Silks

Here you will find an assortment of new Fall silks large enough to meet the demand of every woman of the practical woman wanting a silk that will give good service, of the woman who must have something beautiful and stylish, of the conservative woman who dislikes extremes, and the woman who demands something different and distinctive, these beautiful silks answer every requirement. Come in and enjoy the beauty of this showing. You will not be asked to buy.

Our Moderate Prices Prevail

STRIPED LOUISINES 65¢ A YARD
One of the most popular arrivals for Fall wear—Persian striped Louisines—silks of dependable quality in beautiful rich colorings, shown here in many exclusive patterns. A showing so large that all may be suited. Very unusual values at this low price.

PERSIAN SILKS 85¢ A YARD
A full showing of the new Pastel Persian Silks, including all wanted colorings in the choicest patterns. Silks that are guaranteed to wear satisfactorily, and sold regularly at \$1.00 a yard, are priced here at eighty-five cents.

NOVELTY SILKS \$1.00 A YARD
At this price we are showing the latest Novelty Silks in rich and beautiful allover Persian designs. It is a showing that the most particular women will enjoy. If you are in need of silks for any purpose, you cannot afford to miss this sale.

PERSIAN NOVELTIES AT \$1.25 AND \$1.50 YARD
Extra heavy printed warp Persian Silks in pretty novelty designs, over-strips in contrasting colors and combinations; fine, high-grade silks that will prove satisfactory in every way. Two qualities to choose from.

NEW PLAID SILKS 75¢ A YARD
A complete showing of the new plaids, taffetas and louisines in rich colors, with pretty satin over-patterns; extremely fashionable silks for waists, petticoats and children's dresses. Special **75c** value for Monday and Tuesday at yard.....

NEW SCOTCH PLAIDS \$1.00 YARD
Fine double-weight Scotch Plaids of brilliant finish; they come with Persian background, with satin overplaids; clever new creations, shown here for the first time tomorrow..... **\$1.00**

Special Reductions in the Muslinwear Dept.

MUSLIN DRAWERS, BEST 75c VALUES 50c
A special offering of muslin Drawers, made of fine quality cambric, nainsook or crossbar dimity, daintily trimmed with laces and embroideries; all cut full and made on French bands. Regular 75c values, specially priced for this sale..... **50c**

MUSLIN GOWNS, VALUES TO \$1.75 99c
An extraordinary offering of women's Nightgowns, shown in the high-neck, bishop style, with long sleeves; also the low-neck slipover models, with short sleeves. These gowns are made of fine nainsook or cambric, with dainty trimmings of embroideries and laces; all made very full and well finished. Regular values to \$1.75, specially priced for this sale at..... **99c**

DE BEVOISE BRASSIERE PRICED AT 50c AND \$1.00
A full line of this well-known combination bust supporter and tight-fitting corset cover, made of excellent material and trimmed with laces and embroideries; all sizes from 34 to 46. Priced for **\$1.00** this sale **50c** and.....

BABY DRESSES SPECIALLY PRICED \$1.69
A special offering of long and short Dresses for children from 3 months to 3 years of age, made of very fine nainsook or lawn and daintily trimmed with embroideries, laces and ribbons. Regular **\$1.69** values to \$3.00, specially priced at.....

Women's Hosiery

Buy Now for Future Needs and Save a Third

FANCY STYLES; 75c Values at..... 50c
Recently we purchased a splendid line of women's fancy Stockings at a third less than regular mill cost. They are full fashioned, fine high-grade lisle Stockings, shown in all the latest novelties, in lace styles, embroidered patterns, polkadots, etc.; also in the most popular new shades; all sizes. If bought regularly they could not be sold for less than 75c a pair—buy all you want at this sale for..... **50c**

CHILDREN'S HOSE; 35c Values at..... 25c
Here is an unusual sale of children's fine silk-lisle Stockings. We've too many of this particular number, and are willing to pay you to help us reduce stock. They are made with double heel and toe, and wear splendidly; all sizes, in the best shades of tan and black. Best 35c values, specially priced at..... **25c**

WOMEN'S LISLE UNION SUITS; Regular \$1.25 Values..... 89c
A sale of women's fine lisle Union Suits, made in low-neck, sleeveless style, in wide knee, lace trimmed; they are perfect fitting, neatly finished throughout, and come in all sizes. The kind that have sold all season at \$1.25, are priced to close at..... **89c**

The New Sweater Coats Are Here

We've prepared an exceptionally fine showing of women's new-style Sweater Coats. Included are all the nobby shapes for mountain, beach and outing wear; fitted, semi-fitted and full-back models, in the most popular lengths; they come in all colors and sizes, and are the best possible values to be had, from..... **\$2.50 up to \$6.00**