uous efforts to bring out a record attendance, and they predict that they will fill the house. In the rural precincts, Republicans are waging a strong campaign. They predict that Mr. Taft will carry the county by a good vote, while elaborate claims are being made by the Bull Moose supporters in this city. Even the wisest political forecasters of opposing parties admit now that the great number of voters who have been doing no talking will cast their ballots for Mr. Taft next Tuesday.

TAFT MEN CLAIM IDAHO NOW

President Will Win by 7000 Is Fore cast Three Days Ahead.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 2 .- The Idaho Re-

BOISE, idaho, Nov. 2.—The idaho Republican campaign managers claim the state for Taft by 7000, the Democrats for Wilson by 6000 and the Progressives for Roosevelt by 18,000. Indications favor the Republicans.

The result on governor will be close.

NO ELECTION NEWS BY TELE-

PHONE.

Since The Oregonian has arranged to give a complete bulletin service at The Oregonian building, Sixth and

Alder, election night and also to fiash

signals from the tower and to an-nounce the result through the use of

the Portland Railway, Light & Power

Co.'s electric light system in the

residences using electric lights in Portland, Salein, Oregon City and

Vandouver. The Oregonian will not give election news ever the tele-phones on election night. The reason

for this is obvious. The Oregonian

telephones will be in use gathering

election returns and cannot, there-

fore, he used for any other purpose. Neither will the public be admitted

to The Oregonian editorial rooms. Since The Oregonian is going to

great expense to announce the re-

public will appreciate the reasonable-

ness and necessity for this announce-

Voters Will Ballot on Nine Consti-

tutional Amendments.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2 .- Democratic lead-

ers in Missouri are most insistent in their predictions of victory.

Missouri voters will ballot on nine constitutional amendments, one of which is for a modified single tax. The Democrats expect to exceed their present representation in Congress, which

ent representation in Congress, which

DELAWARE FORCES CONFIDENT

is 13 out of 16 Congressme

#### MASACHUSETT'S FIGHT WARM

#### Old-Time Features Marked Campalgn, With Foss Hopeful.

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—No Massachusetts political campaign in recent years has been marked by so many old-time features as that which closed tonight with Republican. Democratic and Progressive managers claiming success for the state and National tickets. Torchlight parades, band concerts and whirlwind speaking tours have been nightly onspeaking tours have been nightly oc

currences.

Governor Foss, who seeks re-election on the Democratic ticket; Charles S. Bird, the nominee of the Roosevelt Progressive party, and Joseph Walker, who is fighting to bring the state back into the Republican ranks after two years of Democracy, have been on the stump almost continuously.

The next Legislature will be called

The next Legislature will be called upon to fill the place of United States Senstor W. Murray Crane, who has de-Senator W. Murray Crane, who has de-clined to serve again.

#### SAVAGE HODGE ATTACK HURTS

#### Feature of Washington Campaign Has Been Fight on Bull Moose.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 2 .- The feare of the Washington campaign's use has been the savage attack made by the Republicans on the personal character of Robert Hodge, Progressive candidate for Governor. This attack, while it has injured Hodge, has greatly

while it has injured Hodge, has greatly benefited Ernest Lister, Democratic candidate for Governor, whose cause was previously considered hopeless.

The Republicans are making a hard fight to re-elect Governor Hay, and to elect Representatives in the first and second districts and the two Representatives at large. The Democrats hope to elect in the first district. The Progressives count on the popularity of Roosesives count on the popularity of Roose-velt to carry the state and elect three Progressive Representatives.

#### DEMOCRATS IN KANSAS HOPE

#### Split Between Taft and Roosevelt Expected to Mean Victory.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 2.—Politicians of all three parties express confidence in the outcome, both for National and state tickets. The Democrats pinned their hopes for success on the vigorous fight waged in Kansas between Repub-licans and Progressives over Roosevelt and Taft electors

and Taft electors.
For Governor the race seemed close between Arthur Capper, a Republican, with avowed progressive leanings, and George H. Hodges, Democrat.
The Senatorial race between Governor Stubbs, Republican Progressive, and W. H. Thompson, Democrat, will not be decided until the Legislature meets. The legislators are not bound by the popular vote. by the popular vote.

MAINE REPUBLICANS DIVIDED

Meeting the so-called language clause providing that all who hold state of-fice shall speak, read and write English will be voted upon, and a member of Congress will be elected.

#### Campaign Unnlike Any Before OKLAHOMA IS DEMOCRATIC of 15,000 over two years ago. Known Will End Tuesday.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 2 .- A campaign unlike any Maine has ever known will be ended Tuesday. For the first time since the days of the Greenback party the Democrats are opposed by a divided Republican party in the con-test for the state's six Presidential

The Republicans and Roosevelt Pro-gressives worked together during the state campaign in September and won. The parting came after that election, and two divisions of the Republicans have fought each other more actively than either has attacked the Demo-

#### WOLVERINES BET ROOSEVELT

## Claim Victory.

DETROIT, Nov. 2 .- The close of the Michigan campaign finds each of the leaders of the three parties, the Re-publican, Democratic and Roosevelt progressive, claiming victory. The So-cialists, while not claiming majorities, predict the biggest Michigan vote ever predict the biggest Michigan vote ever poiled by the party. The Roosevelt Progressive National ticket is easily the favorite in the betting.

The Democrats claim that the division in the Republican ranks assures victory for their candidates.

Democratic Chairman For dicts that Wilson will sweep by at least 25,000. He pred ernor Baldwin's re-election.

#### ALL THREE CLAIM WISCONSIN

#### Gubernatorial Situation About as Complicated as National.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 2.—State chairmen of the Republican, Democratic and Roosevelt Progressive parties all claim that Wisconsin voters will elect Presidential electors favorable to their respective party's candidate.

The Gubernatorial situation is about complicated as the National ticket. The Congressional delegation probably will be made up of seven Republicans, two Democrats and one if not two so-

#### GOVERNORSHIP ISSUE LEADS

#### Three-Cornered Fight Is Center of Attraction in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 2.—A warm three-cornered campaign for the Governor-ship has occupied the center of the stage in Tennessee during the present

The Roosevelt Progressives declare that a Democratic factional contest will favor the Roosevelt National ticket, but the Democratic leaders assert that the usual Democratic major ity for the Presidential candidate will be forthcoming next Tuesday.

# be forthcoming next Tuesday. paign that has been remarkable for its oratorical outpourings, Senator INDIANA REDFIRE IN EVIDENCE Fulton will speak for the Republicans

#### Campaign Closes in Big Demonstrations by Three Parties.

INDIANAPOLIS. Nov. 2.—With parades, red fire and unusual flow of cratory, the campaign of Indiana was closed with demonstrations here tonight by three parties. Large crowds attended the meetings.

Each state chairman of the three parties has issued a statement contending that the state will support his canditation in the election next Tuesday.

The Buil Moosers last night held dressed Friday night in behalf of Roosevelt by J. M. Long and Frank Powers, both of this city.

Dr. Harry Lane, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, has made the following announcement of what he will stand for if elected:

"The Oregon system developed so as to give free and sure effect to the will

date in the election next Tuesday.

# FLORIDA SURELY DEMOCRATIC Even money was bet in Portland yes-terday that President Taft would fin-ish second in the contest in this state.

#### Increased Activity Among Roosevelt

Progressives Is Feature. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 2.—Increased activity of the Socialist and
Roosevelt Progressive parties marked
the close of the Presidential campaign.
The usual heavy Democratic majority
is predicted by party leaders.

seeks election as the Republican nom-ines for the remainder of the term ex-piring in 1917. He is opposed by Key Pittman, Democrat, and Sardis Sum-merfield, Roosevelt Progressive party nominee. The result depends on the number of votes drawn from the Re-publicans by Summerfield, which is problematical.

WATCH THE OREGONIAN TOWER ON TUESDAY NIGHT FOR ELECTION SIGNALS.

The Oregonian Building.

not come downtown Tuesday

signals from a light mast above the tower of The Oregonian building, with the following code of signals as soon as the result is

ONE RED LIGHT INDICATES
TAFT'S ELECTION.
ONE WHITE LIGHT INDICATES ROOSEVELT'S ELECTION.

ONE RED LIGHT AND ONE

WHITE LIGHT TOGETHER INDICATE WILSON'S ELECTION.
ALTERNATE F LASHES OF
RED AND WHITE LIGHTS AT
INTERVALS OF 30 SECONDS,
RESULT IN DOUBT.

Mexico. The vote will be comparatively light.

An amendment to the constitution repealing the so-called language clause

shall Electors Expected.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 2 .- Demo

as asserting that they will vote for

Republicans and Democrats Hope to

Win State.

Democratic Chairman Foster predicts that Wilson will sweep the state by at least 25,000. He predicts Gov-

SENATORIAL RACE BIG ISSUE

Nevada Has Three Candidates Seek-

ing Popular Choice.

# IRTUALLY the solld saloon sentiment of Portland is behind

Ringing down the curtain on a cam-

at Roseburg tomorrow night, with L. R. Webster at Eugene and Wallace McCamant at Corvallia, advocating the success of the "grand old party."

Ira W. Carl, of 1255 Albina avenue, who recently debated the single tax question with Eugene Palmer, says the tax rolls at the Courthouse show that

Monday night

Fitzgerald for Sheriff, according

of Congress will be elected.

For the benefit of those who do

## KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS HAPPY

#### State Chairman Says Wilson's Ma jority Will Be 40,000.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 2.—The Democratic state chairman claims the state for Wilson by a majority not less than 40,000. The Republicans admit losses 40,000. The Republicans admit tosses since the last Presidential election, a Democratic Governor having replaced a Republican in the meantime, but express the belief that these losses will be more than overcome and a majority given President Taft.

Progressive workers have brought

Progressive workers have brought reports to Roosevelt Progressive head-quarters here saying that both old parties will be surprised election day by the returns in favor of the Progres-sives. Eleven Congressmen will be

#### BRYAN TO MAKE LAST SPEECH

#### Nebraskan's Active Campaign Carried Over Week-End.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 2.—The active campaign in Nebraska will not close until Monday evening, when William J. Bryan makes his last address that even ing in his home city, although he will be the only speaker to carry the fight ver the week end. Nearly every National leader of prom-inence has visited the state during the

## W. J. Bryan tonight made his first rediction on election results when he prediction on election results when he declared that in his opinion Wilson would have a substantial majority in

REPUBLICANS TO CARRY UTAH

## Campaign Managers Say That 20 Per

Cent of Vote Doubtful. SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 2.—Indications are that the Republicans will carry Utah. All the campaign managers agree, however, that 20 per cent of the vote is doubtful.

The Roosdvelt Progressives have a complete state ticket in the field and complete state t

apparently have been gaining in strength at the expense of the Repubcans, while the Democratic managers claim their supporters have been stand-ing firm and will be able to elect at least a portion of their ticket.

#### WYOMING LOOKS LIKE TAFT'S

#### By 30,000 Votes in Prediction of Balloting for President.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 2.-The Re publicans claim Wyoming for Taft by 30,000, the Democrats claim victory for Wilson by 20,000, and the Roosevelt Progressives declare Roosevelt will carry the state by a small majority. Democrats and Progressives combined against Sension Warren Republican against Senator Warren, Republican candidate for re-election, and supported John B. Kendrick, Democrat.

#### MINNESOTA NOT ALL UNITED Majority of 15,000 for Wilson-Mar-

#### Leaders of Three Parties Claim Suc cess Is at Hand.

cratic leaders estimate that Oklahoma, normally Democratic, will elect Wilson-Marshall electors by a majority of 15,000 and the state ticket by practically the same figures.

The Republican situation is admittedly complicated. Roosevelt Progressive party electors falled to obtain a place on the ticket through court action and recently several of those nominated in 1904 and Taft \$4,884 in 1904. and recently several of those nominated as Republican electors have been quoted

## APATHY SHOWN IN MARYLAND

#### CONNECTIOUT CLAIMS OUT Registration in Baltimore Falls Off 6000: Funds Are Short BALTIMORE Md. Nov. 2 -The Pres-

idential campaign in Maryland was

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 2, - The All the party organizations com-plained of the lack of funds, and a noteworthy feature of the situation is closing of the campaign in Connecticut finds both the Republicans and Demthe falling off in the registration in Baltimore, which dropped 6000 below erats confident of winning and the Roosevelt Progressives hopeful of poli-ing 75,000. the previous registration.

#### Georgia Campaign Quiet.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 2.-The Presi dential campaign in Georgia, which practically came to a close tonight, has been marked by an unusual quiet. Pre-dictions on all sides are that the Roosevelt Progressive party will poll a respectable vote in this state.

Weiser to Close Campaign. WEISER, Idaho, Nov. 2.—(Special.) The 1912 political campaign is to

Colonel Emmett Callahan will speak for Roosevelt and Johnson at Forest Grove Monday night.

"The Oregon system developed so as to give free and sure effect to the will

of the people in state and Nation.

"Honest government administered with thorough efficiency; Federal aid for post roads, enlarged rural free delivery; parcels post; liberal appropriations for Oregon's rivers and harbors; Oregon's share of reclamation funds for Oregon's that the people was get back

that Oregon; that the people may get back of the in benefits what they pay in taxes.

"Tariff revision downward in the in-

RENO. Nev., Nov. 2.—The campaign in Nevada was complicated by the test for the choice on popular vote for United States Senator.

Senator W. A. Massey, appointed by the Governor for the interim from the death of the late Senator George S. Will deliver an address at the Wheaton Nixon, until the Legislature meets, now Theater. Democrats are exerting stren-

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

o a recent canvass. The proprietors and Benjamin Brick, for State Repre

dispensaries announced that they were for Fitzgerald, for various reasons, from a dislike for Word to a belief that the election of Fitzgerald will be best for their business.

\*\*They are making their cambridge in the following planks: A workingmen's compensation act, \$500 exemption on household and personal property, state ald in carrying on social hygiene work, state bank guarantee law, a "blue sky" law

# Split in Republican Ranks May Give

#### The split in the Republican party is expected to win for Wilson as Taft won over Bryan by a plurality of only 2943 votes out of 48,024 cast in 1908,

## RHODE ISLAND DOUBTFUL

## No Claim Made for State as to Presi-

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 2.—Nightly rallies have been addressed by speakers from within and without the state and extensive advertising campaigns and extensive advertising campaigns have been conducted in preparation for Tuesday's election. Complete state tickets have been put in the field by Republicans, Democrats and Roosevelt Progressives.

Business Men's Club at the Commercial Club.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, who has been intimately associated with Mr. Teal in his work for the upbuilding of the commercial interests of the Pacific Coast, will be one of the principal.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 2.—At the close of the North Carolina campaign tonight a decisive victory for the Democratic party was predicted in the Presidential election Tuesday.

On the state ticket, Roosevelt Progressives and Republicans both are claiming the former quota of Republican votes.

Tail Folk Hopeful.

Besides Senator Borah, speakers of the evening will be Professor William Dennison Lyman, C. S. Jackson and Mr. Teal himself.

False Advertising Charged.

Violation of the statute against false advertising is charged against M. Levy, proprietor of a Washington.

#### Second Place Contest Interests.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 2.—Although the political leaders of all factions in this state concede Louisiana to Wilson, the Roosevelt Progressives are giving odds that they will poll more votes than the Republicans.

#### Mississippi Four-Fifths Democratic. JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 2.—In all probability four-fifths of the vote cast next Tuesday in Mississippi will be Demo-cratic. Of the other parties, the Roose-velt Progressives made the most vigorous campaign.

#### Alabama Will Vote for Wilson.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 2.—After a campaign marked by little excitement, Alabama is expected to vote for Governor Wilson for President Tuesday and to return every Democratic Representative in Congress. A MONG the really active candidates on the Democratic ticket are J. Woods Smith, for State Senator, or bartenders of nearly 250 wetgoods sentative. They are making their cam-

# for Fitzgerald, for various reasons, from a dislike for Word to a belief that the election of Fitzgerald will be best for their business. The Democrats will close their campaign in Astoria by playing two of their trump cards, Governor West and Dr. Harry Lane, who will speak there Monday night. Page of a platform embracing the following planks: A workingmen's compensation act, \$500 exemption on household and personal property, state aid in carrying on social hygiene work, state bank guarantee law, a "blue sky" law (not the initiative measure with its \$25,000 joker), state system of trunk line good roads, dredging the Columbia Slough. Wirginia Sees Democratic Sweep. RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 2.—A sweeping Democratic victory is predicted in this campaign. It is claimed the Taft and Roosevelt vote will be light, their greatest fight being made in the Ninth district.

Texas Solidly Democratic. Alfred E. Clark, George Arthur Brown, T. A. Sweeney, B. G. Skulason, Martin Watrous and Arthur I. Moulton talked for Roosevelt and Johnson at a number of street meetings last night. DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 2 .- Texas, an DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 2.—Texas, an original Wilson state, is solidly Democratic. Republican and Roosevelt Progressive party campaigns have been quiet, without indicating which leads.

# Arkansas Expects 50,000 Majority.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 2.—It is estimated that the Democratic majority in Arkansas next Tuesday will be in excess of 50,000 votes. The voters of St. Helens were ad-dressed Friday night in behalf of Rooseouth Carolina Campaign Apathetic. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 2.—Apathy marked the Presidential campaign in South Carolina. The usual Democratic majority is predicted.

#### YOUTH APPEALS TO COURT Parents of Lents Lad Accused of In-

ducing Him to Go Wrong.

Of his own volition George Cummings, a 17-year-old boy of Lents, walked into Juvenile Court yesterday and told Judge Gatens that his parents

Reosevelt Progressive parties marked the close of the Presidential campaign. The usual heavy Democratic majority is predicted by party leaders.

LIGHT VOTE IS ANTICIPATED IN New Mexico All Party Leaders Are Claiming Victory.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Nov. 2.—The chairmen of the Democratic Republican; E. A. Baker, a Bull Mooser, and H. W. Stone, a Democrat, addressed an audience at the corner of Sixth and chairmen of the Democratic Republican and Roosevelt Progressive parties claim victory by a large majority for their respective tickets in New Mr. Paget.

Tariff revision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frevision downward in the interest of the consumer; a banking system frew from Wall-street domination that the people may get what they work for, Graduated income tax.

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# Taxpayers' League and Pomona Granges Oppose the "Flat-Salary Bill"

The Taxpayers' League of Portland, composed of well-known and responsible citizens, after "carefully studying the measures offered to voters," learns that the "alleged flat-salary law" is the outgrowth of the attempt of a faction of the Salem Printers' Union to force the State Printer of Oregon to "sign up" and give them control of the State's printing for their own benefit. The League, in its advertisements, advising voters as to its conclusions, recommends the rejection of the alleged flatsalary bill, in this language:

#### "STATE PRINTING BOARD

"328-Yes

"329-No "This bill is about as flagrant a misuse of the initiative as can be conceived. The interests of the State are entirely ignored in an attempt to help out an industrial struggle. It is extravagant and unwise.

#### "Voters are advised to vote No."

The League's recommendations are made over the signatures of R. L. Glisan, President, 612 Spalding Building, and L. J. Goldsmith, Secretary, 321 Corbett Building, Portland, Oregon.

The alleged flat-salary law is also condemned by Salem Grange No 17, after full investigation.

Marion County Pomona Grange indorses the action of the local Grange in withdrawing support from the measure.

Linn County Pomona Grange also advises members and citizens to defeat the Multnomah County Granges, by their masters, unite in recommending defeat of

"said so-called flat-salary law," and commend the present State Printer for materially decreasing the printing cost of Oregon.

The big printing houses of Portland (24 of them) unite in recommending defeat

of the so-called flat-salary law, because "it has not a single meritorious feature." In all flat-salary states printing costs two to four times as much as in Oregon. That's why a little clique at Salem prepared the bill and supports it. The scheme means great waste and extravagance.

The Oregonian and nine-tenths of the papers of the state condemn the scheme. To beat this dishonest close-shop bill, which masquerades under a flat-salary banner, vote "329 X No."

Then I shall continue to give Oregon the cheapest public printing in the United WILLIS S. DUNIWAY, State Printer of Oregon.

(Paid Advertisement)

his parents were encouraging him to drink and spend his money recklessly, and to contract other bad habits. He said he wanted in some way to have their authority over him removed, as he is anxious, to use his own expression, "to make something of himself."

Never before in the history of the Juvenile Court has a boy voluntarily that Levy, in advertisements inserted in the alleged larceny of a \$10 bill from Rigo, the singer, is not the proprietor in the newspapers, offered 14-carat gold to the Girard Spanish Grille, says B. G. Estes, manager of the place. Vial's at \$1.98, the rings not being as represented.

Leon Vial Not Grill Owner.

The germs which make brewers' yeast are

agers of the Republican, Democratic and Progressive parties, each claim their forces will elect both the National and state tiskets in Delaware.

The split in the Republican agers of the Republican and their forces will elect both the National and state tiskets in Delaware.

#### SENATOR BORAH TO SPEAK Banquet to J. N. Teal Will Attract

Many Prominent Visitors. Preminent men representing the principal cities of the Northwest will

Coast, will be one of the principal speakers. Lewiston, Pendleton, Astoria and oth-NORTH CAROLINA DEMOCRATIC | Lewiston, Pendieton, assertited by Mr. er cities that have benefited by Mr. Teal's activities for the Columbia River On State Ticket Roosevelt Men and will send their best representatives to

#### La Follette Indorses McCUSKER



The Independent Republican Candidate for Congress, who believes the Progressive policies can be better advanced within the party organization.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 27, 1912. Madison, Wis., Oct. 27, 1912.
Grant Thomas, W. W. Cutler, Jay Hamilton, D. C. Lewis, Committee, Portland, Or.—Hon. Thos. McCusker is entitled to the support of every true Progressive in Portland Congressional District. As a delegate to the N at i on a l Republican Convention his acts were in accord with honor and conscience, and, knowing the conditions as I do prevailing at the convention, I heartily approve of w hat he did, and every true Progressive will do so when he knows the truth. I hope that all my friends will support him, as we need such fearless, conscientious men in Congress.

ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE. (Paid Advertisement.)

VOTE FOR

182 X-A. H. BURTON ATTORNEY,

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE NOMINEE OF PROGRESSIVE PARTY. (Paid Advertisement.)

# HOW TO SAVE OREGON Graduated Yes Single Tax Repeals tricky U'Ren county Amendment Home Rule OREGON VOTER

Leon Vial Not Grill Owner.

Leon Vial, arrested Friday night for spending alcohol producers than any other yeast.

(Paid advertisement by Oregon Equal Taxation Leagues)

# Direct Primary and Jonathan Bourne

I make an appeal to all who favor an attack on that form of special privilege known as protection, to vote for Dr. Lane and especially against Senator Bourne, for the following reasons: One of the defects of our system of government is that we make a platform, elect a President on that platform and then oppose him with a Senate or Lower House which is absolutely opposed to him and the platform on which he was elected. In other words, we declare against monopoly-breeding protection and elect Wilson. Then we elect Mr. Bourne to help oppose Mr. Wilson in the Senate. Of course, all the other Senatorial candidates, except Dr. Lane, are also protectionists, and these remarks apply to them as well. But I have selected Mr. Bourne because he is claiming that, having been in the Senate, he will be peculiarly valuable to Oregon. He was an Aldrich protectionist in the Senate, and so voted uniformly. For that reason he is the last man for anti-protectionists to return to that body. If Governor Marshall is President of the Senate, Mr. Bourne's pork barrel influence will not be so strong as that of a Democrat.

I personally have another objection to Senator Bourne. He has attained great celebrity as the champion of the Oregon System, but the first time the Oregon System is not to his wish he destroys it. No man can enter a direct primary and then refuse to abide by the decision, without destroying it. All the sophistry in the world will not alter the fact. Let the petitioners petition all they please, the man who has submitted himself to the direct primary has no right to make it a farce by shouting for it if he wins, and running again if he loses. Is Mr. Bourne or the direct primary more dear to Oregonians? If the direct primary can so easily be kicked to the rubbish-heap, the next will e Statement No. 1-when it does not happen to suit some future

C. E. S. WOOD

(Paid Advertisement.)