
Progressive Manager Asserts
Senatorship Will Be Decided in Multnomah.

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## Recommendations of the Taxpayers' League

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The Taxpayers' League was organized many years ago. It has always taken an active interest in public affairs. Since the adop-
tion of the Initiative and Referendum it has at each election made recommendations to the voters on the measures proposed.

As an earnest and consistent friend of the initiative and referen-
um the League protests against their indiscriminate use as a means of advancing some individual's peculiar views, or some special inter est, or as a weapon to "get even" with some official who may perchance disagree with some one in the conduct of the affairs of his
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Twenty-nine measures appear on the ballot. Of these, fifteen are constitutional amendments, and fourteen are bills for proposed
laws. The character and purpose of some of the measures merit laws. The character and pu
The League would feel it were derelict in its duty if it did not emphasize the fact that. this is not the time for revolutionary or experimental legislation. World-wide as well as local conditions
should warn us to be on our guard. The constant submission of half-baked, illy-considered and often radical measures is unquestionably beginning to create distrust abroad, with the result, whether they pass or not, that everyone is a sufferer from it. The
laborer, the mechanic, the merchant, the banker, and the propertyholder alike, are interested. In the interest of this state there is
right, and that he understands a measure before he votes. At a result is far better than to inadvertently pass some law that will cause the people of this state untold loss before it can be repealed. and graduated tax, although defeated by a vote of more than two to one two years ago, appear in a different guise but for the same pur-
pose and backed by the same interests. Eight-hour laws that would make even the conduct of a farm or the household impossible are than ten per cent and as much more as may be provided by law, and to create a department of industry and public works to furnish work for the unemployed is also proposed. State-wide prohibition
is to be voted on. Abolishment of the Senate and proportional representation are also proposed. These are but a few of the important measures upon which the mit to the wage-earner, the home-owner and the capitalist alike that mental legislation and revolutionary changes. WE URGE THE studied the different measures proposed and submits the following advice and suggestions to voters for their consideration.
2. WHEN IN DOUBT-VOTE "NO." TAXPAYERS' LEAGUE, By L. J. Goldsmith, Secretary

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