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The policy of the Coos Bay Times will be Republican in politics, with the independence of which President consevelt is the reading exponent.

PRESIDENT AS PARTY LEADER.

Some call it executive usurpation and some see in it the inevitable coming together of nominal and real party leadership, whichever it is, the recent campaign has emphasized the changed relation of the president Bearing lilies wet with tear dropsto party government.

The old idea that the president should be a sort of nonpartisan, something after the pattern of the speaker of the English parliament who belongs to neither party, has been superceded. More and more the president is accepting the position of an English parliamentary Mender.

Never before in our history could a candidate, as Mr. Bryan did, demand that he supervise every plank in the party platform, without exciting comment, or, like Judge Taft, practically amend the party platform. It has been accepted this year, apparently, as the proper thing. As they were the men to be elected, they should choose the issues on which they would make their appeal.

Party platforms have counted for less than ever before, and personal leadership for more. It has been what Mr. Bryan and Judge Taft have said, and not what committees on resolutions have with laborious effort enunciated. If Mr. Bryan was chosen it meant the indorsement of Mr. Bryan's leadership. Judge Taft's election means that Taft will be expected to dominate the party counsels.

The last concession was made to chis new spirit when it was decided anat Judge Taft must take the stump. The idea had been to return to the old customs and put the party to the front. But it was evident the people were looking to personal leadership. If Judge Taft had remained at home it would have been equivalent to abandoning the contest.

Just what changes will come with This shifting of the responsibilities of leadership cannot be foreseen. But the president is to be more and more a direct factor in national legislation. The initiative will come from him and his immediate counsellors. Congress has invited the change by resigning real leadership. But it was inevitable in any event for the man who comes before the people as spokesman of any movement must in the nature of the case be the responsible leader of the movement.

There has always been some doubt whether the division of legislative and executive functions in our sysdem had much warrant in experience. Those who plan a measure as a rule senust see it through, and those who care to carry out a policy to be succressful must have some direct intereast in promoting it. The idea that some set of men can plan and an entirely unsympathetic set of men exeente is not in accord with a shrewd knowledge of human nature.

There is no reason for alarm over direct party leadership by the president. On the contrary, there is much r o hope for in simplicity and directthe parliamentary government of England is direct and responsible. The nearer we can proximate it without revolutionizing cour own system the better.

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Of the roses on the trellis Whree the softest zephyrs blow.

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1908. HERBERT LOCKHART, JAS H. FLANAGAN. CLAUDE NASBURG, Finance Committee of the Common

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