

## POLICY OF DEMOCRACY LAMBASTED

### Local Men Tell Why Harding, Coolidge and Stanford Should be Elected at Polls Next Tuesday

## FORMER DEMOCRAT RAPS ADMINISTRATION

### Foreign Program Considered Unstable, and Free Trade Believed Menace

Uncertainties of Democratic administration, a free trade policy that menaces American labor and business, improper treatment of ex-service men, an unstable foreign policy, are no longer tolerable, in the opinion of leading men who have been interviewed locally to ascertain their political opinions. One of the most striking comments heard is that of J. E. Goldstein, Butte, Mont., who all his life has been a Democrat, but who is tired of it and who says he is Republican from now on.

Here are some of the comments that have been heard: J. E. GOLDBEIN, Butte, Mont.—Montana for Harding and Coolidge. I lived in Montana for years, and never in the history of the state can I remember Montana to be so much Republican as it is in this coming election. I can safely state that Montana will overwhelmingly vote for Harding and Coolidge. For the last two and a half years business and labor in Montana have suffered terribly, and the people of the state are realizing that it is not until they do not vote Republican on this election they will suffer worse, at least another four years. With the Democrats working for an open trade market for the rest of the world, they understand what a blow that would mean to labor in this country. In their day, I was in Butte the day Mr. Cox appeared on the steps of the court house before one of the largest crowds ever gathered in Butte, and during the hour and a half of his speaking there he was mostly hissed and deserted. A thing that never before happened in the history of Butte, when a Democrat was speaking. I tell you, men and women if you want prosperity in this country don't bite your own nose, but vote a Republican government. I have been a Democrat all my life, and do you know why? Just because my day was one. But I have come to my senses, and consider that life is too short to live in misery. Prosperity is (Continued on page 2)

## ESPERANTO WINS FROM DELWANA

### NEW ENGLAND FISHERMAN SCORES ON NOVA SCOTIA

#### Massachusetts Craft Beats Her Rival on All Points of Sailing

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 30.—New England fishermen scored one on the Nova Scotia sails today when Captain Marty Welch piloted the schooner Esperanto to a clean cut victory over the Lunenburg schooner Delwana in the first of the races for the championship of the North Atlantic fishing fleets. The margin between the boats at the finish of the triangular 40-mile course was 18 minutes and 28 seconds.

Captain Thomas Himmelman sailed a clever race for the Canadians, but his craft could not compete with the Massachusetts fishermen in the light southwest wind. The Esperanto beat her rival on all points of sailing, showing a decided edge on the Delwana on reaching, running and windward work. As the series is for the best two out of three the American schooner needs but one more victory to carry off the trophy. The second race will be sailed on Monday.

## SNOW SLIDE BURIES FOUR

### One Man Escapes to Tell of Avalanche Which Covered Building

TWIN BRIDGES, Mont., Oct. 30.—Four men are dead and one seriously injured as a result of a snowslide at the Pete and Joe mine, 15 miles northeast of this city today. The men, who were in the sorting shed of the mine, are believed to have been instantly killed when the building was demolished by an avalanche of snow which crashed down upon the cabin from the mountain above.

The dead, all of whom made their homes in Twin Bridges, are: Orrin Stone, Edward Glass, Oscar Berger, Mike Miller. Ike Berger, brother of one of the dead men, suffered a severe gash on the head and was also seriously burned about the body. John Pritchett, who was the sixth occupant of the sorting shed, escaped by jumping into an ore tunnel when the structure collapsed.

According to the story told by the survivors, the six men were working in the sorting shed when a snowslide from the mountainside, Pritchett, who was near the ore tunnel, escaped by leaping into a tunnel, while the other five met their death beneath the debris.

## WEATHER

Sunday fair; moderate north-westerly winds.

## SOME THINGS THAT ARE SAID ABOUT SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN

A prominent Salem Republican has asked the Statesman to make a digest of some of the things being said about Senator George E. Chamberlain by the Portland News.

The News declares that Chamberlain has two partners—one law, the other political; that the law partner is Warren E. Thomas and the political partner is Oswald West.

That West, the political partner, formed the Warren Spruce company, an offshoot of the Warren Construction company, another one of the "big three." That the Warren Spruce company formed two auxiliary companies, the W. C. Co., and the U. C. Co., to split the profits; that the latter company was West and Chamberlain in Washington assisting in the contracts.

## SALEM HIGH WINS FROM JEFFERSON

### Score is 14 to 0 in Game in Which Total Yardage is Decidedly in Favor of Strong Local Eleven

## INTERFERENCE AND BACK FIELD CLEVER

### Socolofsky Makes First Touchdown Five Minutes After Play Starts

By a score of 14 to 0 the Salem high school eleven yesterday defeated Jefferson high school of Portland in a hard fought battle on Sweetland field. Salem's remarkable interference and the strength of its back field was largely responsible for the success, while Jefferson relied mostly on trick plays and the aerial route.

Salem secured the first touchdown within five minutes from the time the game started. Ashby, receiving the kickoff of Jefferson, made 10 yards, and Socolofsky in the next three downs converted 26. Ashby was given the ball again for another 12 yards. A straight line buck by Purvine made yardage.

In a series of fast plays the ball was taken by Socolofsky and Ashby to within 10 yards of the Jefferson goal line where Socolofsky, in an end run, made the touchdown. Purvine was successful in his goal kick, making the score 7 to 0.

Ashby kicked off and Gosser tackled and threw the Jefferson man in his tracks. Jefferson, unable to make yardage, was forced to punt. Ashby receiving the ball, Salem, after several unsuccessful plunges, punted. Shortly after, a Jefferson man succeeded in making an end run which placed the ball within Salem's 20-yard line. Portland's attempted place kick was blocked by Jones, and Salem regained the ball on the 10-yard line. Purvine, in a straight plunge through center, made 18 yards.

During the second quarter neither team seemed able to make yardage and the play centered around long punts, during which Stanton, a Jefferson man, showed up well. Jefferson was in possession of the ball four times, while Salem held it five. In the first half Salem penalized five times with the total loss of 90 yards. The objection in all five cases was off-sides. Jefferson suffered a loss of 30 yards in two setbacks because of off-sides and unnecessary roughness.

Yardage Difficult. The third quarter began much the same as the second, each side being forced to surrender the ball because of inability to make yardage. Toward the end, however, in a series of plunges in which Ashby, Socolofsky and Purvine figured, the ball was taken down the field and Purvine made the touchdown. Purvine converting goal kick and brought the score up to 14-0.

In the fourth quarter all of the substitutes were given a chance to play, and while they did not succeed in scoring, they showed up well. The way in which they worked in with their first team caused much favorable comment.

Visitors Well Supported. About 25 Jefferson students came to Salem in cars to attend the game. They contributed much to the spirit displayed by the visiting team.

The line-up was as follows: Jefferson—Sullivan, center; Gosser, Heerd, R.G.L., P. White, Bullen, L.G.R., M. Jones, McAndie, R.T.L., R. Bargott, McAndie, J.T.R., R. Reinhart, Murray, R.E.L., E. Jones, McClung, L.E.R., Danley, Anderson, quarter, F. Reinhart, Williams, R.H.L., Purvine, Laxon, L.H.R., Socolofsky, Stanton, fullback, Ashby.

MINE SHUTS DOWN. BISBEE, Ariz., Oct. 30.—The properties of the Denn-Arizona Mining company, operating in this district, shut down tonight and laid off approximately 100 men. This action was found necessary, according to officials, because of the situation in the copper market.

## HARDING WILL CARRY OHIO BY 200,000

### THREE OHIOANS CONTENT FOR NATIONAL HONORS

#### Governor Cox Will Deliver His Final Speech at Toledo—Harding Rests

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 30.—Ohio's greatest political campaign, in which three of her native sons are contending for the greatest honor in America, practically came to a close tonight.

Senator Warren G. Harding, Republican candidate for president, closed his campaign with a speech here. Governor Cox, the Democratic nominee was campaigning in Chicago, planning to deliver his final campaign speech in Toledo Monday night. Aaron S. Watkins, Prohibition candidate for president, was inactive.

Chairman George H. Clark of the Republican state committee, issued a statement tonight declaring that Harding will carry Ohio by 200,000 votes.

## G.O.P. MAJORITY IN SENATE SURE

### Fess Forecasts Republican Majority in Both Houses

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 30.—When the next congress convenes the republican majorities in both houses will show large increases, according to a pre-election statement issued here tonight by Congressman Simeon D. Fess of Ohio, chairman of the national republican congressional committee.

His forecast, based on an analysis of reports from all congressional districts in the country is that the republican margin in the house will be increased from 45 to at least 87, and that of the senate from 16 to a minimum of eleven, and possibly seventeen, giving that body a "safe" majority.

According to Mr. Fess estimate the next house will have in its membership not less than 261 republicans and not more than 174 democrats, and the senate will be republicans and from 24 to 30 democrats.

In making this forecast, Congressman Fess declared that, so far as the house is concerned, 27 states are included in the "sure" republican column. He estimated these states will return 229 republican congressmen—a gain of twenty from those states with republican leanings, among which he included Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri and Colorado. Mr. Fess predicted that 23 republican congressmen will be elected from those states with democratic leanings (Nevada, Arizona, Oklahoma, Montana and New Mexico), and five members from certain democratic states, including Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas.

Certain republican senatorial gains are predicted by Mr. Fess to result in the Maryland, Kentucky, South Dakota and California elections.

## Lumber Yards Totally Destroyed by Fire

GOLD HILL, Or., Oct. 30.—Fire of apparently incendiary nature totally destroyed the Rhodes and Cottoral sawmills 12 miles north of Gold Hill in the Meadows district Thursday evening. The total loss including lumber in the yards is about \$80,000, partly covered by insurance. About 300,000 feet of choice pine lumber was saved in the yards.

## Mt. Lassen Pours Forth Black Volume of Smoke

REDDING, Cal., Oct. 30.—Against a cloudy sky at dawn today, Lassen Peak poured out a great volume of black smoke to an estimated height of 10,000 feet. It was the largest eruption this year. The blowout was of an hour's duration. It apparently arose from the entire crater. Other recent eruptions seemed to have come from the northern verge of the crater only.

## NO GROUP CONTROLS HARDING

### Senator Asks Sober Verdict at Polls Based on Good Faith and Attained by Honest Methods

## REPUBLICAN CAUSE RESTED WITH VOTER

### Democratic Speakers Have Befogged Domestic Issue

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 30.—Resting the republican cause on an appeal to "dependable intelligent public opinion," Senator Harding told the voters of the nation in his final campaign speeches today and tonight that his party wanted a calm, sober verdict at the polls, based on good faith and attained by honest political methods.

Last Message Delivered. Coming to Columbus after a day of campaigning over the stamping ground of his democratic opponent, Governor Cox, the republican nominee delivered to a big meeting in Memorial hall here his last campaign message from the stump. He was greeted at the railway station by a cheering crowd, and later was acclaimed by thousands as he drove through the streets.

In all of his speeches Mr. Harding emphasized his stand on domestic issues, which he declared the democratic managers had sought to obscure by a fog of debate about the league of nations. He also asserted repeatedly that it was the "confidence" of the nation to which he was appealing and that the methods of his party in the campaign had been free from sectional or class appeal.

Opponent's Name Unmentioned. "There isn't anything that has happened in this campaign," he said, "that the republican party or its nominee is ever going to be called upon to apologize for." On the way here from Cincinnati, where he spent last night, the senator spoke at Middletown, the boyhood home of Governor Cox, at Dayton where the governor now lives, and at Springfield.

Citing the growing influence of Great Britain in the petroleum industry, the nominee declared the United States ought to stand behind its own citizens in an effort to bring American oil enterprises abroad.

Firm on Mexican Question. A similar utterance previously made by him, he added, had been interpreted in some quarters as meaning that he stood for protection of "plunderers and adventurers in Mexico."

"Don't you believe it," he continued. "I've spoken openly about Mexico. We are ready to extend to her a helping hand. We don't demand anything of Mexico, except the protection of American lives and property when lawfully in Mexico."

Senator Harding declared a presidential candidate owed it to the people to "conduct himself with dignity and with exact truth and sincerity." He reiterated that he was an uncontrolled candidate, who had made no promises except to the people themselves and renewed his challenge to show hereafter he had changed his position on the league issue since he accepted the nomination.

"One thing rather personal I cannot resist," he said. "Ohio knows as the country knows, how I was nominated. Ohio knows how free I am. Ohio knows, as the country knows, that no group of men, no nomination, brought about my nomination. I haven't pre-convention pledge to anybody in America. I didn't make a promise to anybody inside or outside the convention during its sitting, and I haven't made a promise since the convention, except to the American people."

## Membership Campaign at Y. M. C. A. to Continue

The Y. M. C. A. membership campaign which was conducted during the past week, will be continued until Friday night of this week, according to L. A. Pickett, city boys' secretary.

## NEW PASTOR WILL TAKE POST IN SALEM NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

Rev. J. J. Evans, newly elected pastor of the First Christian church of Salem, will arrive in the city Thursday from San Jose, Calif., and will preach his first sermon next Sunday morning.

Mr. Evans was formerly pastor of the Salem church, leaving the post 20 years ago after having had charge for about two years. He also held the pastorate at Albany and just prior to removing to California was Oregon state secretary for the Christian church. For five years he has been pastor at San Jose. Mr. Evans will be accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Evans and their daughter, and the latter will be a member of the senior class in Salem high school.

Upon assuming the pastorate of the First church here Mr. Evans will find the church in the best of condition. The membership is about 600 and the church owns its building, fully equipped and without debt. A financial campaign that has been on for some time will be finished before the new pastor's arrival. The Salem church has been without a pastor for about six weeks.

Mr. Evans comes here by the unanimous vote of the official board. Mr. Evans' church at San Jose, on October 1, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the church, and it was at that time the minister announced to his congregation that he had accepted the call to Salem.

## COX CLOSES CAMPAIGN

### Governor Is Certain Cause of Peace Will be Victorious

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Governor Cox of Ohio virtually finished his presidential campaign here tonight with a series of speeches to many thousands of persons, to whom he pounded home his league of nations and other doctrines. Except for a final speech Monday night at Toledo, Ohio, today was the last and a rushing day of campaigning for him.

In addresses here, at Gary, Ind., and Evanston, Ills., Governor Cox predicted victory for "the cause of peace" in Tuesday's elections and urged his audiences to "vote as our soldiers fought—to end the war."

His largest audience was that tonight in the Coliseum, where his republican adversary, Senator, was nominated. The governor's physical stamina was tested by today's number and size of his audiences, a program which kept him the center of swirling crowds until midnight, when his train left for Dayton.

That American entrance into the league of nations was a "pledge" to the men who fought in the world war and to their mothers—a bond to end wars forever, if possible—and also a measure for national and world progress, economic and moral, was stressed by Governor Cox in all of today's addresses. He reiterated vehement attacks on the league position of Senator Harding and other opponents.

Belief that President Wilson would be ready to retire from public life if the league "pledge" should be kept was expressed by the governor to an audience of women. Declaring that the president presented "the saddest picture in all history, and deploring what he termed the 'malignant policy' of his administration, the executive, Governor Cox said:

## Fromme Reports Heavy Snow in Siskiyou

PORTLAND, Or., Oct. 30.—R. L. Fromme, district forest inspector, has returned from a three-week inspection trip on the Siskiyou National forest. He says that due to the early snows cattlemen in that section are having great difficulty in rounding up their cattle, the snow having cut off a great number of them in inaccessible regions.

## BUTTER PRICES SLICED.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 30.—Another drop of two cents a pound in the price of butter, effective Monday, was announced here today. It will bring the price of best creamery butter in parchment wrappers to 53 cents a pound wholesale, or 69 cents to the consumer. Dealers said that secret price cutting by some creameries had caused the latest drop.

## REPUBLICAN VICTORY IS PREDICTION

### Republicans Claim Thirty-Two States While Democrats Are Certain of Sweeping Victory

## LAST HORNS WILL BE TOOTED ON MONDAY

### Socialists Claim Party Will Poll Largest Vote in Its History

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The presidential campaign of 1920, waged principally around the league of nations, formally closed tonight.

Tonight the leading figures on Republican and Democratic tickets addressed audiences in the east and middle west. Tomorrow they will rest. Monday will bring the last toot of campaign horns and the last flare of red light. Tuesday will come the voting.

But although on Monday there will be staged the final skirmish for votes, the real battle ended tonight. It was marked, as every political campaign is marked, with expressions of confidence in victory from rival headquarters.

Republican Victory Certain. "The evidence of the overwhelming Republican victory hourly increases," was the statement of Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee. "It is certain that the Republicans will have a minimum total of 368 electoral votes. We will have a greatly increased majority in the house and a substantial majority in the senate."

This from George White, chairman of the Democratic national committee. "Cox and Roosevelt will win. They will have a party majority in the senate and house."

Socialist headquarters while making no claim to electoral votes predicted that the party would poll the largest vote in its history—5,000,000, some leaders claimed. While asserting that many of these ballots would represent party converts, Socialist advocates also prophesied that many would represent a protest against imprisonment of "political prisoners" including Eugene V. Debs, their presidential candidate, now in the penitentiary for violation of the espionage act.

All parties took into consideration swelling the vote by appearance of women casting their first ballots for president.

Hays Claims 32 States. In his prediction for victory for (Continued on Page 2.)

## FACTS EVERYONE SHOULD KNOW ABOUT THE RED CROSS IN MARION AND POLK COUNTIES

These articles will appear daily. Their purpose is to give an accurate and complete answer to two general questions: First, What good is the Red Cross now that the war is over; and, second, What does the local chapter do with the money it receives.

The American Red Cross was founded in 1881. Clara Barton being its first president. She represented the United States at Geneva, Switzerland, in 1884, and was a delegate to the peace commission the same year.