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VOTERS RESPONSIBLE FOR OFFICIALS

With any election year the responsibility of voters becomes great in the United States. In 1948 this responsibility is perhaps greater than ever before. Two powerful nations of the world seem bent on perpetuating and enlarging the spread of their ideologies. The peoples of the world are faced with the responsibility of a third world conflict, from which no winners would emerge. As the most powerful advocate of a democratic republican form of government America faces times when decisions by American statesmen will determine whether we are to have a world of peace or no world at all.

As the voting public which elects those statesmen and officers, the people of the United States would do well to examine the merits, demerits and statements of the various candidates. It is difficult to determine just how much of the multitudinous platforms and slogans now filling the air one can or should believe. However, that fact does not release the American voter from the responsibility which is inherently his through the system of choosing representatives by vote of "the people."

This year in particular the voters of Oregon must pick and choose from among a tremendous number of aspirants for a large number of offices. First, a President and Vice-President must be chosen. One United States senator from Oregon, as well as a representative to Congress from each of four districts.

On the state level, officers whose decisions actually touch our daily lives very much must be elected. For the first time in many years almost a complete slate of state officials are to be chosen. A rudimentary list covering only the most important of these would include a governor, a secretary of state, a state treasurer, 17 state senators and 60 members of the house of representatives. A veritable host of county, city and school board officials, commissioners, sheriffs, tax assessors and others too numerous to mention will also need to be elected from among an extraordinarily large number of candidates.

All this means that unless the voters are politically conscious and unless they take a real interest in candidates and issues they will be held responsible in the eyes of the world for decisions they actually didn't make. Attempting to winnow truth out of the mass of chaff which invariably descends upon the voting public in even numbered years is a task enjoyed only by scholars and historians. Nevertheless, it is a task which for better or worse is incumbent upon the ordinary citizen, and one which must be done however hopeless finding the best man for the jobs may seem.

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