WEATHER-Rain, The Message of the Flags. White—Fair weather. Blue—Rain or snow. White and pige—Local showers Black triangular—Above white, armer; below white, coider. White with black center—Cold

Full Leased Wire Reporta The only paper in the worth published in a city the sh Medford having a leased with

FIFTH YEAR.

To defeat Joshua Patterson for county commissioner, it is necessary for those opposed to him

George L. Davis, being the republican nominee, is the strongest candidate and democrats as

It is not a party question, but one of progress. If you favor progress in- county affairs,

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

POLITICAL WARRIORS LAY ASIDE ARMOR WHITE HOT WILL BE ELECTED CAMPAIGN IN WISCONSIN

Two Principal Parties Have Concentrated Their Efforts on Gubernatorial Candidates -- Prohibitioners Have Been Waging Strong Campaign-Four Parties in Field.

today and are anxiously awaiting the candidates, it is expected, and this GREAT BARGAIN decision of the votors at the polls will be sufficient to bring about detomorrow, following a white-hot feat in these districts. campaign in which mud-slinging and attacks on the private records of va- Follette will control the legislature rious candidages continuously cloud- and that he will be returned to the ed the real issues. senate.

Throughout the campaign the two priscipal parties concentrated their efforts on the gubernatorial candidates, Jay Bowerman, the republican nominee, and Oswald West, the democratic standard-bearer.

Both men are avowed progressives. The democrats, however, have charged that Bowerman was not sincere in his declaration that he of Oregon, and have based their fight against him on this charge. Save the outcome of the fight for the governorship, indications are that the republicans will elect their candidates for the principal state offices. Democrats concede the election of

GRANTS PASS, Nov. 7-The cam-A. W. Lafferty, progressive repubpaign closes here this evening with lican to congress from the first district. Republican leaders declared an address by ex-Governor Geer for a wild scramble to get inside. Clerks the road. There is 17 miles of road to have no serious opposition. that Congressman Hawley will be re- the republicans. Although Robert had no time to display goods. They to be reconstructed. The officials The state legislature will, as uselected in the second district, but G. Smith of this place, candidate for simply threw them into the air and plan to make this go as far as pos- unl, be overwheimingly republican. they admit that his plurality will be congress from the % rst district, has the woman who was fortunate sible. All stumps and rocks are to The county election will go mostly lessened on account of the attacks not made a single speech in Joseph- enough to grasp it, had the bargain, be removed and two bridges are to to the republicans, although there made against him because of his ine county, the concensus of opinion The first intimation the ladies of be constructed one across Union are several splits between the stand-

TWO SOCIALISTS A VOTE FOR MYERS IS A **VOTE FOR PATTERSON**

well as republicans are supporting him.

COUNTER RUSH

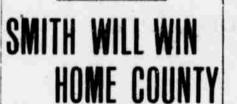
to unite the divided opposition and vote for the strongest candidate.

good roads and business management, vote for George L. Davis.

La Follette Will Control Legislature and Be Returned-Stand-Patters May Knife Republican for Governor and Thus Elect a Democrat.

MIWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 7 .- Two socialists will be elected tomorrow to congress from Wisconsin districts, it is predicted. Leaders of the democrat party predict that Cary in the fourth and Cochem in the fifth, both republicans, will be defeated.

It is conceded on all sides that La-



Has Not Made a Single Speech in Josephine, But Will Beat Hawley There.

ever occurring in the city of Med- improving that portion of the Cra- Washington will send two insurgent ford was experienced this morning ter Lake road lying within the Cra- republicans to congress and may nap was a supporter of the primary law Democratic Nominee in First District when Kentner's Big Store threw open ter national forest. A crew of 17 an insurgent democrat, according to its doors at 9 o'clock for its 9-cent men is employed and work is to be progressive republican leaders. Conremnant sale. For fully an hour rushed, previous a great crowd of women Several hills in the old road will the first district, who has a six-year gathered before the store, and just be avoided, as the men are working record as a standpatter. is being previous a great crowd of women before the doors were opened the on the new line located by Engineer fought hard by Judge W. W. Black,

crowd spread over the sidewalk and Heidel between Union creek and Silinto the street. No less than 300 ver camp. women were on hand.

The government officials have a insurgent, republican, and in the When the doors opened there was fund of \$5000 with which to improve third. La Follette, insurgent, appear

and the other across Whisky creek.

FIRST FREIGHT **AEROPLANE IS GREAT SUCCESS**

Aviator With Consignment of Silk Flies From Dayton to Columbus-Trip Made in Splendid Time and Without Single Accident.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 7 .- The first "freight" aeroplane ever flown arrived in Columbus at 11:50 today, carrying a consignment of silk from Davton firm.

The machine, driven by Aviator Parmalee of the Wright Hangars, left Dayton, 52 miles from here, at 10:40 a.m.

Parmalee made the entire trip without once alighting. He encoun- Eneregies are devoted to final pertered a strong wind most of the way fection of plans to "get out the and otherwise he could have made better time.

"Finest trip I ever took," declar-**Two Republicans and One Democrat** ed Parmalee. "Couldn't have been to Be Elected to Congress-All Are didn't once have to take siding. My freight was a through consignment. so I passed the way stations withut even checking my speed."



Murder Husband Is to Hang Tomorrow, Has Been Seen in Chicago-Chief Denies Tale.

Energies Are Now Devoted to "Getting Out the Votes" - General Feeling of Dissatisfaction Over the Tariff Law-Same Old Feeling of

SILENT VOTE

BIG FACT

1890 Is Manifest in U.S.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- Although the politicians of the country are keeping up a show of activity today. the campaign has virtually ended. vote."

The biggest factor the country over, as the politcal morecasters figure it, is the "silent vote." Never better if I was driving a passenger. in the history of the country has it Had a clear line all the way and been more difficult to accurately forecast the outcome of an alection. Men have broken from old parties, renouncing party ties, but they here been silent on the question of the man they will support. The independent voter is the big factor. They have listened to the campaign onetors, smoked cigars furnished by both sides, but have gone sileatly on their way. The politicians admit they are at sea.

Tariff Greatest Factor It is known there is a general feel-

ing of dissatisfaction over the tariff Asserted That Woman for Whose law. How wilespread this feeling is and how it will affect the outcome varies as one talks to the managers of the two old parties. It is admitted that the high cost of living to a factor and that similar questions have arisen, coupled with the insurgent movement and that these mat-

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 7 .- Replying ters will aggeet the vote of both paro the assertions of persons inter- ties in certain sections. ested in the Crippen case in London. It is the first time, the politisiant





New Road Located by Engineer Hei-Kentner's Crowded With Eager Wodel Is Being Brushed Out-New

CRATER

LARGE FORCE OF

MEN AT WORK

Bridge to Be Built-All Rocks and Stones to Be Taken Out.

Legislature Will Be Republican. The government has started work SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 7 .--

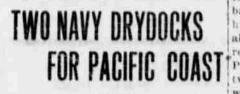
stand-pat tendencies. Republicans claim owerman's majority will be variously estimated to be from 100 7000, Hawley's 5000 and Lafferty's to 200. For governor, the vote will be 8000.

close between Bowerman and West, The prohibitionists have been wagwith the probability that Bowerman ing a strong campaign for "Oregon will have a small majority. dry" by virtue of the initiative and The campaign has been apathetic

referendum law, and as a result of with the exception of the prohibition their efforts if is doubtful whether question. Oregon will remain in the wet col-

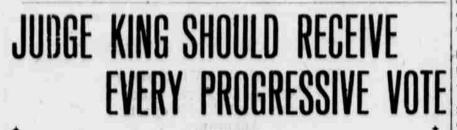
umn after election.

Four parties placed tickets in the field this year. The republicans, democrats, socialists and prohibitionists. The republicans have a registered voting strength of approximately \$2,000, the democrats 26,000 and the socialists, prohibitionists and independents combined, 13,000.



SEATTLE, Nev. 7.-F. E. Porter. former cashier of a Los Angeles bank, who was reported missing by his friends Saturday, has turned up alive and angry. According to the report to the local police Saturday. Democrats Predict Victory and Am- velt entered Oregon, Governor Cham-Porter had squandered \$200,000 in two years. His funds depleted, he was alleged to have pocketed a revolver and to have said that he was

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- Reports going on a "long journey." A few that two new naval drydocks were hours after the afternoon papers had soon to be established on the Pacific printed the story Porter turned up coast were received with gratifica- and now declares that he is not pention in official circles here today. It niless, has no intention of committing was announced by Secretary Meyer suicide and he is looking for his that work on the improvement would friends who told the police about his actions. begin soon.



Will R. King should tomorrow receive the vote of every man in Jackson county who believes in progression. Judge King is one of the present members of the supreme court of Oregon. He is the only member of that court to stand up for the Crater Lake road appropriation.

His opinion upholding the constitutionality of that appropriation shows careful research into the law and painstaking labor in the interest of the people. Tomorrow is the time for the people of Jackson county to show their appreciation of this work.

In order for Judge King to be elected he must defeat Judge Burnett. The way to make your vote count double for the sixyear term is to just vote for one-Judge King.

Recognized as the ablest man upon the bench by the Oregon State Bar association, by whom he is indorsed, and admittedly the friend of Southern Oregon upon the bench, Southern Oregon should vote for him to a man.

Put a cross between the number and the name of JUDGE WILL R. KING, for the six-year term.

is that he will carry it by a mapority Medford had of the great sale was hen the Mail Tribune appeared on unday morning." Telephones were

hen kept busy while the women aringed with "chums" to be on hand the offering of the bargains, The advertising manager of the Mail Tribune circulated through the

owd Monday morning and over 90 ir cent of the women told him she ad read of the sale in the Mail Trib-



FIGHT IN UTAH

erican Party Is Equally Confident the train he said :

-Much Insurgency Against Senator Smoot.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Nov. 7. With a three-cornered fight on and asked Roosevelt.

dl three parties claiming victory. ome surprises are promised in tonorrow's elections. Chief interest years,

county, where the three parties are and wired the pension bureau to look the circuit court, because no verdict and before his arrival at Pittsburg strongest.

The republicans say they will win promptly,

ov a large majority; the democrats predict a sweeping verdict and the widow and told her Hawley had got When the jury reported a disa-Americans are equally confident. her claim through. She laughed at greement, Mrs. Kersh, who was in ton. S. C., where he will embark on o'clock. Indications are that Davis, Utan, such a suggestion and replied : "I know he had absolutely nothing and required the attendance of an Pete, Boldexter and Cache counties will go democratic, owing to do with it. Governor Chamberlain physician.

to the statewide prohibition plank of got my claim allowed." that party. It is generally conceded that the republicans will show lasses in their old-time strongholds, with a

listinct undercurrent of insurgency developed against the leadership of Senaor Smoot.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 7 .- With both John W. Kern, democrat, and Albert J. Beveridge, republican, confidently claiming that tomorrow's election will be a personal endorse- + ment for the United States senatorship, the result here is believed to be doubted by most political dopestors. The "silent vote" is the determin-* ng factor. It is estimated that fully

30 per cent of the voters who will + go to the pclls tomorrow have not indicated the party they will support +++++++

KERSH JURY

OLD RESIDENT STILL

upper Applegate.

STICKS TO APPLEGATE

Pet Swayne was in Medford Mon

been a resident of Josephine county

near the confluence of the Applegate

moving to the Hauley place, on the

+ stream," he says. "I started about

the middle of its length. Then

went down the creek and made a lit

the money. Now I'm going farther

Applegate 'til they push me over the

up and I'll kape stayin' wid the old

ridges iv the Siskivous, if it be that

I can't stay. Maybe so, me hve

"They can't herd me off that

with the Rogue, for years, and is nov

a progressive democrat.

In the second district Warburton.

INSURGENTS TO

of Progressive Insurgent Type-

FALSE CLAIM OF **HAWLEY EXPOSED**

Chamberlain Secures Action Pension Claim-Hawley Says He

Did It-Woman Aided Laughs at Story.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- An intance of Representative Hawley's laiming credit for services rendered by others is related by those who

know its details here. When Roose- Unable to Arrive at Verdict and Are berlain met him at the state line. On

Judge-New Trial Will Probably "Mr. President, why don't you stir Be Ordered Immediately.

up the pension bureau to get some of these claims allowed which have been pending so long, and which are so meritorious?"

"What claims do you refer to?"

Chamberlain montioned one of

centers in the contest in Salt Lake into the claim, and it was allowed could be arrived at.

Hawley's secretary called on the be ordered immediately,

ANTI-ASSEMBLY TICKET.

For Statement No. 1. For Congress

15-Robt. G. Smith. For Governor-

19-Oswald West, For Supreme Justice-

35-Will R. King. For Joint Representative-

57-1. D. Reed. For State Senator-

60-H. Von der Hellen.

For Representative-61-M. F. Eggleston.

A. Westerlund. Vote Yes on: 340-Ashland normal school,

348-Rogue River fish bill. 354 - Good roads bill.

I'll he comin' down the creek some day, wid a wad iv the real stuff."

atters and the insurgents. The most discussed feature of the that Mrs. Belle Elmore Crippen, for say, for many years when an election

election is that of the state supreme whose murder Dr. H. H. Crippen is has come up with entirely new court. The regular republicans are under sentence to hang, was seen sues before the people and with that supporting the five candidates who alive in Chicago, Acting Chief of De- feeling of unrest which, in 1890, was were nominated in a state judicial tectives Sullivan issued a denial to- called the "democratic feeling." convention. The insurgent republi- day that the department had any auans and democrats have joined is- thentic information concerning the nes on a non-partisan ticket made case.

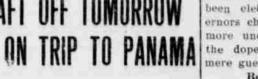
IS DISCHARGED

lecided victory.

of a table stability

resent we have no clue of any kind,

TAFT OFF TOMORROW Told to Be on Their Way by the



WASHINGTON, No., 7 .- After will come from Massachusetts. The

PORTLAND, Nov. 7 .- After being at Cinnati tomorrow President Taft at least an unusually large vote and out since noon Saturday, the jury will board a train for Washington the result is waited with keen interbefore which Mrs. Carrie Kersh was enroute to Panama on a tour of in- est as the first indication of the gena tried for complicity in the murder of spection. The president has made eral trend. It is expected that the widow which had been pending many William A. Johnson at the New arrangements whereby he will re- results in Massachusetts will be Grand Central hotel was discharged ceive election returns on board his known at 7 p. m., eastern time, Secretary Garfield made a note this forenoon by Judge Morrow of train after it passes Columbus, O., Tuesday,

In New York, where the fight has it is expected he will know definitely been very bitter, it is expected re-It is probable that a new trial will how the election is going all over the turns will begin to come in by 5 p. eastern half of the country. From m., and the final result will be de-Washington Tafe will go to Charles- | termined, It is believed, by 10

the courtroom, became hysterical the cruiser Tennessee. Accommo-Although by midnight the result panied by the Montana, the Tennes- in many congressional districts will see will sail at 1 o'clock Wednesday be in, headquarters of the democratic afternoon. and republican congressional cam-

As to that used article you want to paign committees expect no official ell: make the price attractive-and news on the congressional situation before Wednesday. make the ad explicit. That's all !



On initiative measure on ballot to be voted November 8, entitled:

"A bill for an act prohibiting the taking of fish from the waters of Rogue river, or any of its tributaries, by any means except with hook and line, commonly called angling."

248-YES. 349-No

ROGUE RIVER FISH PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

Comprising business men, farmers and citizens of Rogue River valley.

"Silent Vote"

Since 1904, when the country was swept by the Roosevelt landslide,

up of three insu.gent republicans and "The story that Mrs. Crippen is and congress was overwhelmingly two progressive democrats. Both in hiding in Chicago reminds me of placed in the hands of the republicon the regulars and insurgents claim a the Cronin and the Belle Guiness can party, the independent voter has cases. When they were murdered we been an increasingly large puzzle got stories from everywhere that to the forecaster. In the election they among it is places, of 1906 the independents upset well when, as a matter of tact, they were made calculations in many states "Lotd we get where the machines of the old pardefinite information that Mrs. Crip- ties were supposed to be well offer pen was here we do nothing. At and running smoothly. The conditions which two years later made at

possible for Taft to carry states in which democratic congressmen had been elected and democratic governors chosen, have' become still more uncertain and predictions by the dopesters are admitted to be

Returns Will Be Slow The first returns, it is expected,

nere guesses.

dropping his vote in the ballot box democrats are expecting victory or