

### BOURNE ISSUES WARNING AGAINST PROPOSED CHANGES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Pursuing a Popular Government campaign commenced over two years ago, Senator Jonathan Bourne, Jr., President of the National Progressive Republican League, today issued an appeal to Popular Government advocates to guard against the emasculatation of the Initiative and Referendum by pretended friends. He says: "Enemies of Popular Government, realizing that this movement has gained such headway that its ultimate success is certain, have turned as a last resort to the expedient of accepting the principles but defeating their purpose by hampering their operation. Friends of Popular Government must, therefore, be on their guard and fight uncompromisingly against efforts of this kind."

**Three General Expedients**  
"Three general expedients are resorted to, to defeat the Initiative and Referendum. First, by making the required percentage of petitioners so high as to practically prevent the filing of petitions for either the Initiative or Referendum; Second, by exempting from the Referendum all measures that bear the mere declaration of the legislature that an emergency exists; Third, by requiring that measures submitted to a vote of the people under the Initiative, shall not become effective until ratified by an affirmative majority of all the votes cast at the election."

"Experience has demonstrated that the Initiative or Referendum powers are practically nullified if the number of required signers to petitions be materially greater than 8 per cent for the Initiative or 5 per cent for the Referendum. Experience also shows that some of the most meritorious measures that have been adopted under the Initiative would have failed of adoption if the constitution had required an affirmative majority of all the votes cast at the election. Each measure should stand or fall according to the majority of votes cast thereon."

**Pretended Friends Dangerous**  
"In the campaign which is now proceeding in many states for the election of members of state legislatures who will be called upon to vote for the submission of Initiative and Referendum amendments, the friends of Popular Government should not be deceived but should insist upon the submission of such amendments in practical form, and count as enemies of Popular Government, candidates who refuse to pledge themselves to the support of the Initiative and Referendum in the form in which they have been found successful in other states. An open and aggressive enemy to Popular Government is less dangerous to our cause than a covert opponent who pretends friendship but seeks to emasculate the Initiative and Referendum by limitations and exceptions which make them ineffective."

### UGO THEATER CHANGES HANDS

F. W. Porter has purchased the Ugo Theater of Perry Terwilliger and will open the place under the new management Thursday evening. Mr. Porter is connected with the Golden Rule store and has been a resident of Medford a year. He has had experience in the motion picture business in Oklahoma and intends to make the Ugo one of the leading places of amusement in the city. The new manager has already contracted for licensed films, which include the famous Biograph, Vitagraph and Pathe Frere pictures. He will have good music, illustrated songs and four reels of film each night. The Ugo will be improved and will be kept open every night in the week.

### TEDDY TAKES OXYGEN FOR TALKING MACHINE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 3.—That Colonel Theodore Roosevelt progressive nominee for president, anticipates a particularly strenuous time on his western tour, was indicated here today by the announcement that a physician would join the party at St. Louis. Two tanks of oxygen were taken aboard the train to keep the colonel's throat in conditions. Colonel Roosevelt was not scheduled to make any set speech until his arrival in St. Louis late this afternoon. It was announced, however, that the former president would speak at every station at which his train might stop if the crowd warranted such action.

### MULKEY TO PROCEED AGAINST PEDDLERS

The injunction against B. F. Mulkey of Jackson and Josephine and John H. McNary prosecuting attorney for the third district was overruled on demurrer interposed by the defendants and the Spaulding Company has given notice of appeal from Judge Galloway's decision to the supreme court.

Judge Galloway's decree provided that upon the Spaulding Company's putting upon an additional injunction bond of \$1000 the injunction should continue until the October term of the supreme court. This is intended to continue the injunction pending the appeal.

This was an injunction brought to restrain these prosecuting attorneys from bringing action against Spaulding & Company who have been peddling hacks and buggies without having obtained license from the county court as required by the state law. Prosecuting attorney says he will pay no attention to the injunction as he holds that the circuit court for Marion county has no authority to enjoin an officer in Jackson county against prosecutions. Several complaints have been filed and as soon as the officers have served the warrants of arrest prosecutions will proceed as though no injunction existed.

The Spaulding Company claim that they sell on sample while the goods are out of the state at the factory or in transit and that the interstate commerce law protects them. But the prosecuting attorney insists that the sales made in Jackson county were made while the goods were in the state of Oregon.

The state law requires that these men should pay \$150.00 for a license to peddle. The penalty for violation of this act is a fine of from \$50 to \$500 or a corresponding jail sentence.

### BACK FOR FIRST TIME IN 24 YEARS

Robert Glenn Smith, mayor of Grants Pass, democratic candidate for congress, is in Medford on a short visit, accompanied by his brother, Samuel C. Smith of Hayward, Cal., who is in the valley for a visit with his brother and old friends. Incidentally he visited Jacksonville to see his old home and birth place. Mr. Smith left the valley 24 years ago, and this is his first visit here in that period of time. He started his business life as a newspaper man. In fact, he was the main push on the Rogue River Courier force at Grants Pass, nearly 28 years ago when the first issue of this paper was given to the public. He pulled the lever on the Washington hand press when the first copy was brought forth and for a number of years thereafter was largely responsible for the destiny of the paper.

Mr. Smith is now engaged in the dual business of real estate and publishing. The Western Poultry Review is his paper, and as its indicatives is devoted to the poultry industry. And speaking of poultry, Mr. Smith says that the Rogue valley has all the qualities needed to make it equal to Petaluma in the production of hen fruit.

Twenty-nine states have made or are making laws for the official supervision of weights and measures.

### Climate Failed; Medicine Effective

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### BRANDEIS FAVORS WOODROW WILSON

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Louis D. Brandeis, the noted Boston attorney and reformer and who has long been a republican, is out for Wilson in the following statement:

"Progressives—irrespective of party affiliations—should, in my opinion, support Woodrow Wilson for the presidency, should support him fully, actively and enthusiastically; for he possesses in a high degree the qualities of an effective progressive leader."

"Governor Wilson is thoroughly democratic in spirit. He recognizes that all of the people are entitled to equal opportunities and appreciates that the development of all of the people is essential to the attainment of American ideals. He understands the dangers incident to the control by a few of our industries and finance. He sees that true democracy and social justice are unattainable unless this power of the few be curbed, and our democracy become industrial as well as practical. He can meet the demands properly made upon a present day executive, to be able to lead in constructive statesmanship as well as to administer efficiently; for Wilson's character, intellectual power, and previous training fit him peculiarly to take an important part in progressive legislation. He is courageous and frank; able and firm and always open-minded—qualities indispensable to safe leadership."

"Progressives should support Wilson, not only in order to secure his election, but in order to enable him after election to carry out those progressive policies which he has so much at heart. His nomination ranks among the most encouraging events in American history. Under the masterful and masterly leadership of Col. Bryan—the ideals of American democracy triumphed over the reactionaries of their money bags; the will of the people prevailed over the devices of the machine."

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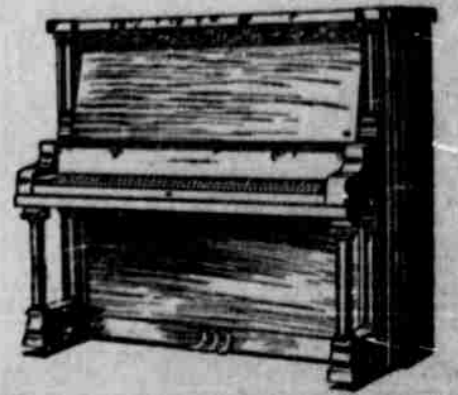
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