

# TAFT SUBMITS HIS RECORD TO VOTERS

### Arguments for Support in California Primaries Telegraphed to Managers.

## COLONEL IS CRITICISED

#### President Reviews List of Accomplishments, and Says Roosevelt Has Appealed to Prejudice and Class Hatred.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Unable to cross the continent to campaign in California, President Taft has sent by telegraph to the Republicans of that state his arguments for support in the Presidential primary election on Tuesday.

The President's telegram was sent to Colonel Charles H. Hammond, manager of the Taft forces in San Francisco and a brother-in-law of Colonel Roosevelt. It also was sent to P. A. Stanton, the Taft manager in Los Angeles.

President Taft reviewed the achievements of his Administration and asserted that Colonel Roosevelt was not giving him a square deal, but was appealing to class hatred and forcing sham issues.

"On the eve of my Presidential primary in California," he telegraphed, "I venture to appeal to the Republican men and women who exercise the franchise to consider fairly and dispassionately the legislative and executive achievements of my Administration and especially those which have affected California and say whether they desire the approval by the people of California."

#### Revised Record Submitted.

In the matter of the tariff, the Panama-Pacific Exposition, conservation of the increase in our internal and Philippine trade, in the employment of the children, the more drastic and complete regulation of interstate commerce, in the postal savings bank bill, in the Mining Bureau, in the health and wealth of the miners; in the establishment of a tariff commission, in the change from a deficit of \$50,000,000 to a surplus of \$100,000,000, in the corporation tax, in the children's bureau bill for the health and welfare of children, in the appointment of the children's bureau of Miss Julia C. Lathrop, one of the ablest women of America; in the making of peace treaties with England and France, which have been the result of the influence of Mr. Roosevelt and his campaign manager, Mr. Dixon, and the Democratic members of the Senate; in the effective prosecution of the Panama Canal, I submit a record is formed that entitles this Administration to the support of the Republican men and women of California and that it is progressive in the highest degree.

#### Laws Have Been Enforced.

"This Administration has shown no favor to wrongdoers. It has enforced every law on the statute books. It prosecuted the sugar frauds, the customs frauds, the rebates and it has brought suit against every firm or individual which was evidence of its violating the Sherman law, and this includes the steel trust and the harvest trust, which were treated as good trusts under Mr. Roosevelt and entitled to immunity after a threat by George W. Perkins that the prosecution of such trusts would bring about a fight by the United States Administration. Mr. Perkins is now one of the chief contributors to Mr. Roosevelt's political fund."

"The last important measure which I have urged upon Congress, which has passed the Senate and is now pending in the House of Representatives, is the workmen's compensation bill, which changes altogether the policy of the law with reference to the liability of the employer to the employee on interstate commerce railroads and gives an insurance for every employee against the dangers of his employment by requiring the employer to indemnify the employee against injury received in the employment not brought about by his voluntary act and fixes a reasonable compensation graduated according to regular tables and proportioned to the extent of the injuries and the earning capacity of the employee involved."

"In the opposition which Mr. Roosevelt is now making to this Administration, he is not giving me a square deal. He has shown by undoubted record proof. He is appealing to class hatred and forcing sham issues in such a way that his success would be a real detriment to the public interest and a dangerous departure from a wise tradition which he has recognized himself, that limits a citizen to the two terms in the Presidency."

## EDWIN HAWLEY'S KIN DIES

Brother of Late Railroad Man Succumbs in East.

CHATHAM, N. Y., May 12.—(Special.)—Charles Hawley, who died Saturday night, was a brother of the late Edwin Hawley.

During the last few years he had been in poor health from the result of Bright's disease and stomach and liver ailments. He inherited one-fifth of Edwin Hawley's estate, his portion being estimated at \$5,000,000, which now goes to his son, William, and daughter, Clarissa.

He has two sisters and a brother living—Mrs. Harvey A. Seymour, Miss Anna Hawley and Samuel Hawley, all living in Chatham.

## BULLET MONTH IN BRAIN

### Man Shot April 6 Succumbs After Long Struggle With Death.

MISSOULA, Mont., May 12.—John Marcell, who lived for a month with a bullet in his brain, died today. He was shot April 6, and the bullet was not removed until a week ago.

Domitro Bogoslov, who is alleged to have done the shooting, is sought by the officers. The men were employed by the Northern Pacific Railroad.

#### Woman Denies Arson Charge.

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 12.—(Special.)—Mrs. Dora Hamilton, 22 years old, who is charged with arson, was arraigned in the Superior Court yesterday and pleaded not guilty. She is at liberty under \$1000 bonds.

## SOUTH CAROLINA SENATOR WHO BEGS TO BE ALLOWED, FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS, TO DIE IN OFFICE.



BENJAMIN R. TILLMAN.

## TILLMAN MAKES PLEA

### In Ill-Health, Senator Wants to Die in Harness.

## TWO CANDIDATES OPPOSE

### Mistakes and Blunders Plenty in Past, Says Statement, but They Were Honest Blunders.

## Cloud of Obliquy Has Passed.

## Blunders Honest Ones.

## HARMONY PLAN OPPOSED

## Table Shows Strength.

## Teaching Staff Named.

## SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM WILL START IN SEPTEMBER.

## Four-Year Course to Be Offered.

## Transport Thomas Here.

## Troops Use Field Phones.

## Regarding Your Savings.

## Security Savings and Trust Company.

## Can you imagine your home situated more delightfully than in the charming atmosphere of a magnificent institution of learning?

## F. N. Clark.

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strongly in the majority, are determined to block a plan of this kind, and they believe that when noses are counted at the Lewiston convention, they, as Roosevelt delegates, will be in absolute control. If they are, they will name a solid Roosevelt delegation to the National convention, placing Senator Borah at its head. If this is the outcome of the Lewiston convention it will be accomplished only after an exciting struggle.

### Clash Due Early.

The real clash in the convention will come over temporary organization. This is where the noses will be counted and the actual strength of the Taft and Roosevelt delegates become known. Both factions will caucus at Lewiston on the evening before the convention to decide on the programme to be followed. Following the meeting an organization of the convention's work will proceed with probable and continual clashes. Every effort will be made by both the Roosevelt and Taft factions to secure the votes of the unattached delegates. It is now believed they will scatter into their preference camps on their arrival at Lewiston.

Every state and Congressional candidate will attend the convention, including ex-Governor Morrison, John M. Haines, Paul Clagstone, Ben F. Tweedy, State Auditor S. B. Taylor, Byron F. Deffenbach, gubernatorial candidates; C. F. Beale, Bartlett St. Clair, B. P. Shawhan and Robert M. McCracken, Congressional candidates; Secretary of State Clifford, State Treasurer Allen; O. M. VanDyke and A. H. Peterson, candidates for Attorney-General, and numerous other candidates, many of whom will probably make their intentions known at Lewiston.

### Roosevelt Leads Instructed Body.

That Roosevelt has, on the eve of the opening of the state convention, a majority of the instructed delegates, is conceded by the Taft people. Of the 29 counties in the state, 15 of them have instructed either for Taft or Roosevelt, and the Colonel has a margin of lead over Taft of 50 delegates. The division is shown in the instructed delegates as follows:

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| Roosevelt—Ada, 31; Lewis, 5; Boise, 4; Canyon, 2; Oneida, 19; Latah, 17; Twin Falls, 13; Washington, 9; total, 122. |
| Taft—Bannock, 15; Blaine, 9; Cassia, 2; Elmore, 2; Lemhi, 7; Shoshone, 15; Nez Perce, 11; total, 73.                |

Roosevelt majority of instructed delegates, 50.

The only two counties which do not select a delegate are Owyhee, entitled to four, which will be cast for Taft through a county central committee, and Custer, four, which will be given to Roosevelt in the same manner. Both factions concede that will act in this manner.

The Roosevelt leaders are confident that they will carry secure the votes of the unattached delegates, and they concede but 58 of them to the Taft force. So far as can be ascertained from the most reliable sources, the unattached delegates are divided in just this proportion. There is a total of 120 of them divided among the remaining ten counties which select unattached delegates. The table complete, showing the comparative strength of Roosevelt and Taft, follows:

| County     | Roosevelt | Taft |
|------------|-----------|------|
| Ada        | 31        | 11   |
| Blaine     | 9         | 10   |
| Bannock    | 15        | 10   |
| Boise      | 4         | 5    |
| Canyon     | 2         | 8    |
| Cassia     | 5         | 4    |
| Custer     | 4         | 4    |
| Elmore     | 2         | 10   |
| Idaho      | 11        | 15   |
| Kootenai   | 17        | 7    |
| Latah      | 17        | 2    |
| Lemhi      | 7         | 2    |
| Lewis      | 5         | 2    |
| Lincoln    | 12        | 11   |
| Nez Perce  | 11        | 4    |
| Owyhee     | 19        | 4    |
| Shoshone   | 15        | 15   |
| Twin Falls | 13        | 9    |
| Washington | 9         | 10   |
| Totals     | 122       | 122  |

\*Delegates not appointed or elected.

### Heitman Plan Opposed.

The charge has been made that in order to clear the political situation of the numerous candidates who have, under the primary law, announced their intention to run for office, State Chairman Heitman is attempting to launch a plan of elimination, the object of which is to center the force of the party behind John T. Morrison for Governor by inducing John Haines to retire and to show Taylor, Clagstone, Tweedy and Deffenbach that they have no chance to win.

Indignation among the friends of the proposed eliminated candidates runs high, and without waiting for the state chairman either to deny or affirm the report that he has such a plan, they have quietly worked to the end of politically eliminating Heitman. It is said they declare that as state chairman he should not show favoritism to any candidate, if he has, and that if he is so anxious for harmony, the best thing he can do is to eliminate any plan to center the state committee on any one programme.

## WILSON COUNTING ON BRYAN TO HELP

### Without Nebraskan, Friends Fear, Governor Must Abandon Hope of Winning.

## CLARK BOOM CASTS GLOOM

### Story That Commoner Will Help Himself to Nomination if He Develops Influence Adds to General Disquietude.

TRENTON, N. J., May 12.—(Special.)—Friends of Governor Wilson, deeply concerned as they are over the outlook, Presidentially speaking, for their candidate, have about come to the conclusion that the situation rests largely upon how far William Jennings Bryan is willing to go in helping their candidate. In fact, it is as good as admitted by some that unless the "Peerless One" gave his approval to the Governor of New Jersey, Dr. Wilson might just as well close up his campaign headquarters and stick to his desk in the executive chamber at the State House.

Ever since the Clark victories in Illinois and Massachusetts there has been gloom in the Wilson camp. Excuses for these defeats were plentiful, but it was plain to be seen that they did not have the right ring, and that deep disappointment lay under the surface. The day after the results in Massachusetts were made known one of Governor Wilson's most intimate friends summed up his feelings by saying:

"Well, either Charlie Murphy or William J. Bryan will name the next Democratic candidate for President, and you know what chance we have with Murphy."

### Bryan's Praises Loudly Sung.

So the New Jersey Wilson men feel that what about it, are singing the praises of Bryan loudly nowadays. They hope that he will come out openly soon for the nomination of Wilson. They predict that it is coming to an open fight between the "standpat" Democrats and the "progressive" Democrats. Bryan will be the leader of the last-named wing, they say.

Rumors from New York continue to cause uneasiness in the Wilson camp. There comes, among others, the story that should Bryan be in control he would have himself named as the candidate, and there is another story that Underwood, who is giving Governor Wilson a lot of trouble in the South, is going to pool issue with the Murphy forces in New York, in return for which he is to have the nomination for Vice-President, with Mayor Gaynor in first place. The Wilson managers, although not like to hear these stories, although they admit that Bryan thinks a lot about Mayor Gaynor.

### New Jersey Safe for Governor.

So far as the situation in New Jersey is concerned, the Wilson men have no cause to worry, for while they may lose a delegate here and there, it would not be surprising if he captured the entire 28. The Smith-Nugent machine by the Smiths, who do not mean to much, unless the people stay home from the primaries and let the politicians do as they please. In that case the Wilson men will be up against a hard fight.

New Jersey Republicans have a fight or two on hand. Among the Roosevelt "ill-lymes" are in the hands of Bryan, and if the Nebraska statesman comes over to his side he will have a chance for the nomination. If not, he will carry out his term as Governor of New Jersey.

### EXHAUSTIVE STUDY MADE

### Allentists Will Not Discuss Report Which Will Be Submitted Early This Week, and on Which Life May Depend.

### TRANSPORT THOMAS HERE

### Twenty-first Infantry Crosses Into Columbia Sunday Afternoon.

### TROOPS USE FIELD PHONES

### New Device Is Demonstrated by Battery of Oregon Guard.

### Regarding Your Savings

### Security Savings and Trust Company

Capital and Surplus, \$1,400,000



Entrance to Arts and Sciences Building, Reed College, Eastmoreland

Can you imagine your home situated more delightfully than in the charming atmosphere of a magnificent institution of learning? Reed College, in beautiful Eastmoreland, will endow this section of the city with that pleasant proximity to culture and refinement that makes life the more appreciated

ing and some good records were made within hearing of the company. The instruments are carried on the backs of the officers and connected with fine insulated wires along the ground. The telephones proved a success in the trials yesterday. Further experiments will be made next Sunday. Members of the infantry passed the day at short range rifle and pistol practice. The day was good for shooting.

## SANITY IS TESTED

### Experts Selected by Governor Foss Examine Richeson.

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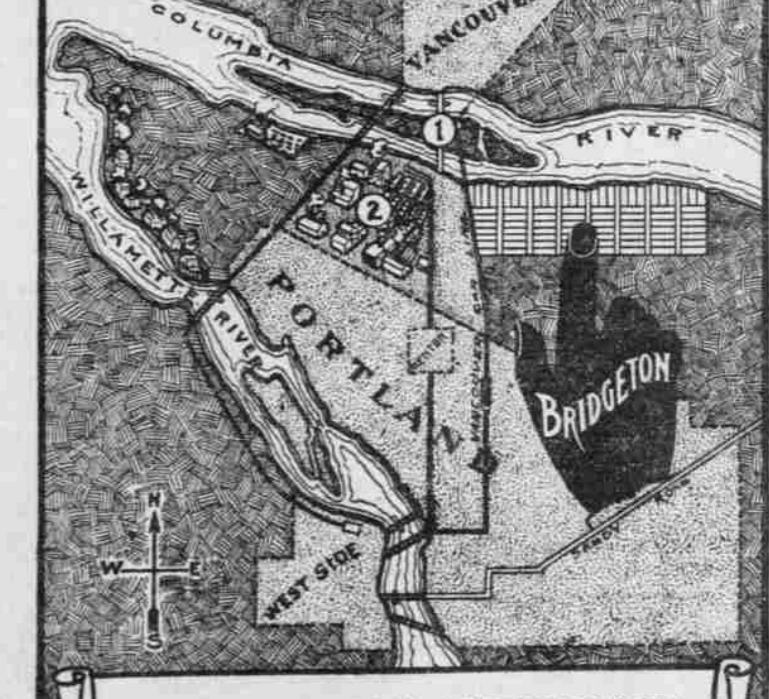
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The appointment of Miss Edmee Chandon as assistant astronomer at the Paris observatory marks the official recognition of France of feminine achievement in a branch of science for which women have shown a peculiar aptitude.

## \$205 in Cash Prizes for Wage Earners

to be given to those who send in the best answers to the question "Why is the purchase of a lot in Bridgeton the first step to financial independence?"



Key to Numbers Circled—No. 1, Proposed new bridge, No. 2, Peninsula factory district.

### To Get There take Vancouver car at 2nd and Washington to the south bank of the Columbia. The only condition necessary to enter this competition is that you be a wage earner at the rate of \$10 a month or less. For full particulars, phone, write or call for our "facts About Bridgeton," Portland's newest subdivision in the heart of the Peninsula factory district. Lots on sale only on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays—\$180, with \$10 down and \$5 a month—the best speculation of the decade.

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## Regarding Your Savings

The best form of investment is a savings account with this bank. Your money on deposit is available when needed. Open an account this month and your money begins to draw interest June 1st. If you wish a home savings bank, we are glad to furnish one.

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### New Device Is Demonstrated by Battery of Oregon Guard.

New field telephones recently adopted by the War Department for the members of Battery A, of the Oregon National Guard, at the rifle range at Clackamas Station. The telephones are used in transmitting orders from commanders to