

# PROGRESSIVES ASK CIRCLE ON BALLOT

Regulars in Illinois Insist Party  
Must Be Content With  
"Independent" Rating.

## MANDAMUS SUIT POSSIBLE

Ex-Governor Hoch, of Kansas, Visiting  
Republican Headquarters in  
Chicago, Predicts That Taft  
Will Be Elected.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Illinois Progressive leaders held an extended conference today to devise some plan that will insure the placing of the names of their candidates on the state ticket under a party circle containing the name "Progressives."

Republican organization men insist that if the Progressives obtain a circle from the Secretary of State on the official ballot, that circle shall contain the name "Independent" and not "Progressive." They say that the Progressives are not a regular organized party within the meaning of the election laws and that under the statute covering nominations filed by petitions, the word "Independent" must be used.

Under the conditions anyone who got up a 2 per cent petition also would be listed with the progressive candidates. In this manner, men without the endorsement of the Progressives could be listed with them and under the same circle marked "Independent." Attorneys for the Progressive state committee went over the ground with a view of the possibility of filing a mandamus suit in the Supreme Court to compel the grouping of all progressive candidates under one circle on the ticket, so that they can be voted for with one pencil mark.

Ex-Governor Hoch, of Kansas, was among those who today visited Republican headquarters in Chicago. He said the present political situation in many respects was similar to that in 1892, and he predicted the re-election of President Taft at the polls this fall.

## CONVENTION CASH IS LEVY

Colonel's Chicago Meeting Costs  
Total of \$19,403.34.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Leverne W. Noyes, treasurer of the Progressive convention arrangement committee, made public today a statement of receipts and disbursements for the recent Progressive National convention held in Chicago in August, showing that the total expenses of the convention were \$19,403.34. In submitting his report Noyes said:

"We think the balance sheets submitted show that it is possible to establish a new precedent in the matter. The balance sheet shows the following receipts: From individuals, \$2600; from Chicago hotels, \$3550; from ticket sales, \$13,262.50; from programmes, \$1256.39. Total, \$19,877.94.

"As the total expenses for the hall, music, offices and arrangements amounted to \$19,403.34, the committee has a balance of \$474.63 on hand. The first National convention of the Progressive party was conducted with less cost to the people than probably any convention of the Republican or Democratic parties for years.

"National conventions have been growing more expensive steadily. The members of the arrangements committee felt that a change was needed in keeping with the policies of this movement to avoid all unnecessary expense and to finance the convention by popular subscription.

## VICTORY IS WON IN NEVADA

Necessary Number of Progressive  
Signatures Assured by Decision.

CARSON CITY, Nev., Aug. 19.—The Progressives of this state gained what virtually is a victory when Attorney-General Baker decided today that petitions voting at the primary election to be held on September 3 also may sign the petitions of independent candidates. It is necessary for the Progressives to secure the signatures of 10 per cent of the voters. The decision simplifies matters and assures to Progressive state and county tickets a place on the ballot, without the expenditure of much energy.

The Roosevelt electors also will go on the ballot on such a petition.

## THIEF PAYS 10 PER CENT

Thousand Dollars Filched From Office—Hundred Returned.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Aug. 19.—Nearly \$1000 in currency was filched from the office of the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company here today in a bold daylight robbery. An hour later the robber returned \$100 to the company through a third person.

A poorly dressed man presented to E. A. Henton, the company's agent, a ticket for some baggage, saying he had been sent for it by another man. Henton went to the baggage-room and in his absence the stranger crawled into the baggage case. Henton returned in time to see the man feeling.

An hour later the man who had employed the robber to get his baggage brought \$100 to the company's office, saying a stranger had run up to him, his hands stuffed with money, thrust \$100 into his hands and, telling him that it belonged to the company, asked him to return it.

## DENMAN IS NOT TO RESIGN

President Denies Rumor Concerning  
Federal Attorney at Cleveland.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—At the White House today a telegram was received from Toledo, O., editor asking if U. G. Denman, United States Attorney at Cleveland, had been asked to resign because of alleged political activity in behalf of the Progressive party in Ohio.

Carmel Thompson, secretary to President Taft, telegraphed in reply: "No truth in statement U. G. Denman is to lose his position. On the contrary, his record in the department is entirely satisfactory."

## MOOSE MEETING IS LIVELY

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as a dictator to be placed upon a pedestal and looked up to. True he is the National committeeman but he is not to dominate. This is a revival of American patriotism and the select few should not be a part of it. I urge you to pass this resolution." (Applause.)

## WOMEN WHO ARE ORGANIZING CAMPAIGNERS OF THEIR SEX IN EACH OF THREE PARTIES.



## WOMEN BEGIN WORK

Sex Represented in All Campaign Headquarters.

## MISS BOSWELL AIDS TAFT

Democratic Woman Organizer,  
Though Only 21 Years Old, Is  
Noted as Suffrage Orator—Bostonian Is for Colonel.

## NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Republican

National headquarters showed considerable activity today. Announcement was made that a women's department had been opened, with Miss Helen Varwick Boswell of this city, as its head.

Miss Boswell's assistants are: Miss Mary Wood, general secretary, and Miss Mary C. Francis, office secretary.

Miss Boswell said active work to gain women's votes for President Taft would at once begin in every state where women have the franchise.

Miss Alice Carpenter, of Brookline, Mass., who was a member of the committee on resolutions at the convention of the Progressive party in Chicago, has opened headquarters here for the purpose of organizing women's Roosevelt clubs all over the country.

Miss Carpenter represents the Woman's Suffrage party, which will work in cooperation with State Chairman Hotchkiss, of the Progressives. Miss Carpenter has been a social worker in Boston for many years, but not until two years ago, during the shirtwaist workers' strike, did she become an active worker for suffrage.

Miss Alberta Hill is the only woman officially connected with the organization committee of the Democratic combination, of which senator Gore is chairman. Miss Hill, though only 21 years old, is a suffrage leader, a street speaker and a campaign organizer and orator.

She is an enthusiastic admirer of Woodrow Wilson and while making her weekly speeches from the top of a soap box for the Woman Suffrage party, she always manages at the end of her speech to say a few words for Governor Wilson.

## RIVAL ARMIES IN CAMP

BATTLE TO POSSESS SAN FRANCISCO ON TODAY.

Invaders, Led by Militia Officer, to Be Met by Force Consisting Mostly of Regulars.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Barely six miles apart, glimmering campfires mark tonight the encamped forces of the Red and Blue armies which tomorrow will battle for the possession of San Francisco. The fight is to be directed on one side by a regular Army officer, on the other by an officer of the National Guard of California.

The invaders, designated the Red army, at the head of which is Brigadier-General Robert Wankowski, of the state militia, represent a foreign force which theoretically has landed from transports in Monterey Bay. This army, which is composed of the majority of the California Guard and a portion of the Utah Militia, with field artillery, has marched north to Morgan Hill, 71 miles south of San Francisco. Its purpose is to capture San Francisco and permit its fleet to enter the bay.

To check the advance of the Red army, the War Department mobilized a force at the Presidio here, known as the Blue army, and dispatched it south under the command of Colonel Cornelius Gardner. The majority of Colonel Gardner's men are regulars.

The programme for tomorrow's battle has been laid out by the general staff of the War College. The armies are of about equal strength, numbering in all a little more than 6000 men. Theoretically, however, 20,000 will be engaged. The outcome will depend on strategy.

The battle is expected to begin at daylight. A neat coup was played today on the invaders by the Blue Cavalry, when Lieutenant Kipstein, of the Sacramento militia troop, captured Colonel David A. Smith, of the Fifth Regiment, California Guard. Major G. L. Holton, commander of the Third Battalion, took charge of the regiment for the remainder of the day. Captain F. W. Peterson, Adjutant to Colonel Smith, also was captured while searching for his commanding officer.

Captain Myer Herman, quartermaster of the Fifth Infantry, was seriously injured last night in an automobile accident. His machine collided with a wagon near Gilroy. The officer's leg was broken and his scalp badly cut.

## DR. AKED SHOCKS PRUDES

Famous Pastor Devotes Part of Sunday to Snaring Trout.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—A minister of the gospel caught fishing on Sunday? Impossible! But it is true, nevertheless. The minister in question is the Rev. C. W. Aked, of San Francisco, who with his wife and two maids is spending his vacation



Top, Miss Helen Varwick Boswell, Republican—Center, Miss Alice Carpenter, Progressive—Bottom, Miss Alberta Hill, Democrat.

at Harriman Lodge, on Upper Klamath Lake. Churchgoers and other dignitaries, who were shocked when they discovered this well-known pastor, who for a long time bore the title of Rockefeller's Fifth-avenue pastor, sitting with hook and line in the broiling sun fishing on Sunday.

But the Rev. Mr. Aked didn't seem to mind it in the least. In fact, he gloriied in it, and his joy and delight was really catching as he pulled in trout after trout. Rev. Mr. Aked, however, is a very democratic minister, and to those who have watched the many evidences of his sporting blood crop out since he has been staying at Upper Klamath Lake, the fact that he fished on Sunday made him all the more popular. Just as his advocacy of Sunday baseball in New York City, several years ago, made him famous.

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## NEWLYWEDS SEEK QUIET

Mr. and Mrs. Whitman (nee Jennie Crocker) Dodge Curious.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Malcolm Douglas Whitman, nee Miss Jennie Crocker, and her husband will arrive here Saturday night for a two weeks' visit at Eagle Ridge and Harriman Lodge, on Upper Klamath Lake. The stay at the lake includes an automobile trip to Crater Lake.

The newly wedded pair are on their honeymoon, and the two weeks which are to be passed in this vicinity will be part of the bridal trip and in keeping with an effort to evade curiosity-seekers, who have dogged their footsteps wherever they have gone so far since the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Whitman will arrive in the city Saturday afternoon and will spend Saturday night at the White Pelican Hotel. Sunday they will leave for the Upper Lake.

## LUNCH COUNTER CAR TRIED

Cheap Meals to Be Served on Trains in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Built for travelers of moderate means, the first "lunch counter car" ever put into service by an American railroad will be attached tomorrow to a Southern Pacific train running from San Francisco to Los Angeles. If the car proves a success it will be followed rapidly by others.

The counter will stretch the length of the car along one side, with an aisle on the opposite side and stools in front of the counter. Meals will be served at all hours.

Prices are to range about the same as those on excursion boat lunch-counters. Fifteen cents will be asked for a sandwich, 25 cents for bacon and eggs, and the most expensive orders will be no more than 50 cents.

## STRIKE INQUIRY IS ASKED

Peonage and Treaty Violations Are Among Questions Involved.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Representative Wilson, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the house labor committee, today introduced a resolution for a committee of five Representatives to investigate the Paint Creek coal fields strike in West Virginia.

The resolution would direct the committee to ascertain whether peonage is maintained there and whether treaty obligations with foreign countries are being violated by the foreign workmen.

## Klamath Falls Disappointed.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—The Indian Department has refused to sell the proposed site for the fish hatchery on Spring Creek because of the power possibilities of the stream. It is thought that Tanner Creek will be used instead, as that is outside the reservation. It is not so well suited for the purpose and the hatchery will perhaps not be so complete as the one planned for Spring Creek. The citizens of this county and the Senators and Representatives from this state have worked hard for this hatchery and are much disappointed at the outcome.

# WILSON TALKS AMID TUMULT AT PICNIC

Man in Crowd Cries "Taft," in  
Answer to Query, "What  
Is Open Road?"

## GOVERNOR MAKES REPLY

Interrupter, He Says, Will Find He  
He "Is in Blind Alley"—No  
Promises Made in Campaign,  
Declares Candidate.

HOBOKEN, N. J., Aug. 19.—Governor Wilson tasted the difficulties of outdoor campaigning here today when he addressed the annual picnic of the Plattdeutscher Volkfest Verein, a German-American organization from the entire metropolitan district.

From an improvised balcony the Governor spoke, while bands paraded in other parts of the park with thousands of persons massed about the speaker. Frequently there were interruptions of applause.

"We are asking ourselves this question," said the Governor, "as we face the coming election in November. 'Which is the open road to get what we want?'"

"Voice in Crowd Says 'Taft.'"  
A man in the heart of the crowd took advantage of his rhetorical pause and answered "Taft." There was a moment's silence when another voice nearer the front shouted "Wilson." The crowd took it up and cheered. When the demonstration had subsided the Governor pointed in the direction of the one who answered "Taft" and continued with a smile:

"Our friend over there is perfectly welcome to use his road, but if he goes that way he will find he is in a blind alley, because there is one thing that was proved at Baltimore, and that is that the people of the United States choose their candidates and the bosses do not."

"Now one of the things that makes me confident of the future," continued the Governor, "is that the men who are offering themselves to you on the ticket that I happen to be on are free men. Nobody owns them. So far as I am concerned I not only have not made a promise to any man, but no man has dared ask me to make a promise. My ears are free, therefore, to hear the counsels of my fellow citizens."

"If you people standing here want your Government, you can have it, and the people of the United States have made up their mind that they want their own Government and they are going to have it."

## SINGLE TAX NOT POPULAR

Big Crowd at Medford Applauds  
Shields' Talk Against Theory.

## WOMAN SHOTS LAWYER

District Attorney Fach Probably  
Fatally Wounded.

MEDFORD, Or., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Charles H. Shields, a prominent resident of the Oregon Equal Taxation League, addressed an audience of over 500 persons in the opera-house in this city tonight. The speaker was in all the city's closest attention, and the various points he made against the single-tax theory were well received.

It developed during the meeting that there were two women in the audience in the entire audience. Mr. Core, of Medford, presided at the meeting, which was attended by many of the leading citizens of the town.

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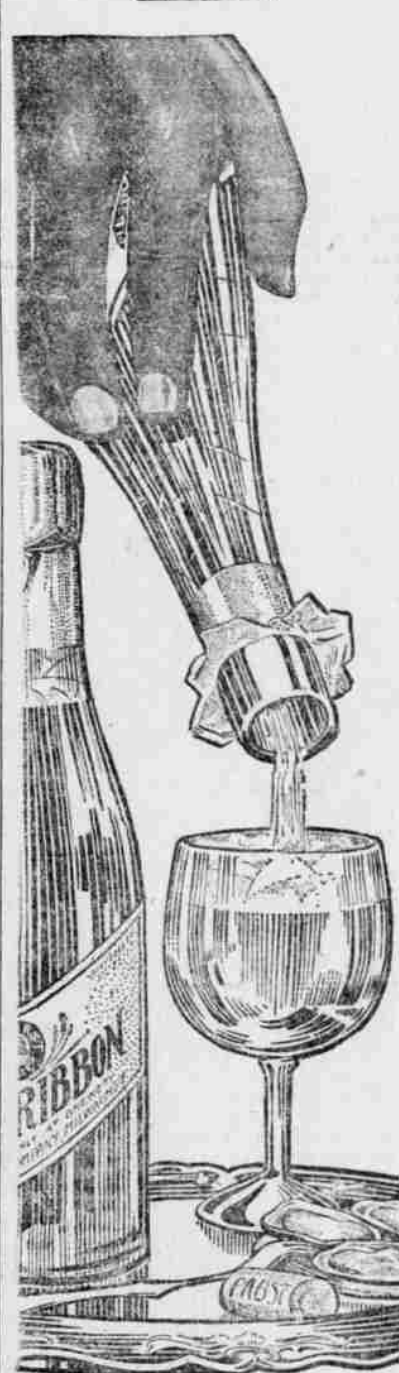
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