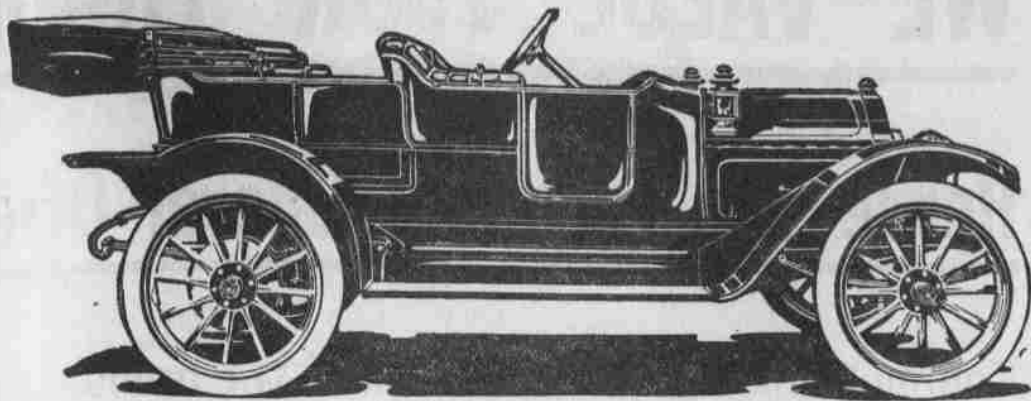


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SPRING VALLEY SCHOOL TO CLOSE WITH PICNIC

Celebrated Polk Institution to Have Interesting Program On June 1 is Report.

The Spring Valley school in north-east Polk county, will close on May 29 and will give their big annual picnic on June 1

This school has attracted national attention this year because of its system of home credits, its thorough and systematic work and being the first standard school in Polk county.

It has an enrollment of 33 pupils, is the only school in Polk county that has not had any tardiness during the year and will close with an average attendance of over 99 per cent for the year.

During the present term it has been visited by A. H. Adrian, city superintendent of Santa Barbara, Cal. Sixteen county superintendents from different counties in Oregon, State Superintendent Alderman, Mrs. Alderman, Assistant State Superintendent Carleton, Calvin C. Thomansen and Mrs. Thomansen, State Industrial organizers, several times by County Superintendent H. C. Seymour and Supervisor H. H. Parsons. These people visited this school solely for the purpose of investigating its system and without exception have declared it the leader in its class.

Great interest is being centered on the coming picnic on account of the industrial contest which will form part of the day's program.

Some of the prizes are \$5.00 gold pieces, a \$15 violin or mandolin, a \$12.00 accordion, a \$7.00 neck chain, a sewing table, porch swings, etc. The business men of Salem have shown a deep interest in the school and community by donating over \$200 worth of prizes for this occasion.

The Spring Valley school invites any and all boys and girls in the state to enter for these prizes. The only requirements are that contestants notify A. I. O'Reilly, of Salem, their intention to enter, on or before May 25 and that the sewing, cooking, etc., be done according to State Superintendent Alderman's plans for the state fair contest.

Governor Oswald West, State Superintendent Alderman and several others from the state house will attend. The Perrydale band will furnish music. Ball game between Chemawa Indians and Hopewell Giants. The merry-go-round will amuse the children and a general good time will be furnished to all.

Dufur Dispatch: A. A. Marvel, who for some years past has owned and operated the mill and warehouse at Boyd, has sold the mill property to Fred Moseman of Independence, who will take charge in a few days. Mr. Marvel retains the warehouse.

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REINCARNATION.



"POPULAR DEMAND" OR MONEY—WHICH?

Cost of Roosevelt Boom Exceeds That of Last National Campaign.

The financial backers of Theodore Roosevelt have expended to date nearly \$1,000,000 in an endeavor to renominate the former president for a third term. How this money is used and where it comes from are of interest to all citizens.

In Oklahoma the charge has been made that the Roosevelt managers paid \$75 a vote to delegates to conventions. This is the state where Mr. Roosevelt said there was a "genuine primary."

The same "crew" has since "worked" Kansas and Nebraska and is now in Arkansas, as witness the following telegram:

Roosevelt managers are using money under the guise of paying wages to workers, another name for bribery.

In Pennsylvania, instead of standing at the polls and handing each Roosevelt voter a five dollar bill, "due bills" were issued calling for this amount which were collected at headquarters when countersigned by the district leaders. It is estimated that \$100,000 was expended in this manner. This would "reach" 20,000 voters.

In New York county the Roosevelt managers expended a quarter of a million dollars. One district leader paid \$10,000 out of his own pocket in his own district on promise of reimbursement besides what headquarters sent him.

In Chicago two men contributed \$7,000 for use in one district on primary day, and \$200 was offered eight precinct captains to desert Taft.

Where is the money coming from? George W. Perkins, director of the International Harvester company and of the United States Steel corporation, neither of which Theodore Roosevelt ever harmed, but, on the contrary, defended as president and defends now, is the "head of the barrel." Frank A. Munsey, a large holder of steel common stock, is a close second. In addition Gifford Pinchot, John F. Bass of New Hampshire, who ran the Roosevelt campaign in North Dakota; Governor Chase Osborne and Truman H. Newberry of Michigan; Chauncey Dewey and Alexander H. Revell of Chicago; Thomas Niedringhaus and Walter D. Key of Missouri and a host of others in the Roosevelt fold are millionaires or multimillionaires. Incidentally Theodore Roosevelt himself has made a million dollars since his return from Africa. He once said "no man could make a million dollars honestly in a lifetime."

LEST WE FORGET!

That Theodore Roosevelt hauled down the tariff revision flag from the White House at the request of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich and Speaker Joseph G. Cannon.

That Theodore Roosevelt once said in a letter, "Can we antagonize the Morgan interests, which have always been so friendly to us?"

That the International Harvester company and the United States Steel corporation are "Morgan interests," that they are represented in the Roosevelt headquarters by George W. Perkins, the chief contributor to the Roosevelt campaign fund, and that Theodore Roosevelt has not mentioned any Morgan interest or friend of Morgan in this campaign except to defend it or him.

That Theodore Roosevelt refused, after he had ordered the suit filed, to permit the prosecution of the International Harvester company and that he reached this decision after a visit from George W. Perkins.

That Medill McCormick of the McCormick family is one of the most active supporters of Theodore Roosevelt.

duty of Republicans toward such a platform and toward a candidate for the nomination on such a platform is therefore plain.

"The president is in this fight to stay. He will be the nominee of the Republican convention at Chicago. In this connection it must not be forgotten that he was nominated four years ago without the votes of the states of Illinois, Pennsylvania, Indiana, New York or Wisconsin. In this contest he is already assured of an overwhelming majority of the delegates from Indiana and New York and of a large number of delegates in Pennsylvania, none of whom voted for him in 1908."

COVERING HIS TRACKS.

Roosevelt Attacks Penrose, but Takes Up Notorious Boss Flinn.

In Pennsylvania, in an attempt to divert attention from his socialistic Columbus (O.) speech and from William Flinn of Pittsburgh, his Pennsylvania manager, Theodore Roosevelt attacked President Taft and Senator Boies Penrose. The fact is that there is not a character in public life today who has the notorious record of "Old Bill" Flinn, and Roosevelt did not dare mention his name in Pittsburgh.

Until 1901 Flinn was the "boss" of Pittsburgh. He was run out of power by the decent people of that community. In the few years he "bossed" Pittsburgh Flinn received from men he put in public office contracts aggregating more than \$21,000,000, as is shown by the public records.

In 1895 Flinn attempted to make a contract with Matthew Stanley Quay, United States senator, which he wrote out in his own hand, a copy of which is still in existence. In this document Flinn bound himself to deliver to Quay the votes of all Pittsburgh and Allegheny county legislators and congressmen and all delegates to state and national conventions, in return for which Quay was to protect Flinn in his private and political business in the legislature of the state.

The proposition was so rotten that even Quay turned it down.

This is the man Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States, has resurrected into political life under the plea of "Let the people rule."

PATRONAGE LIE NAILED.

Roosevelt the Most Notorious Patronage User in History.

The hypocrisy of Theodore Roosevelt has not been better illustrated in this campaign than by his charge that President Taft has used federal patronage to secure his re-nomination.

No president of this country ever used patronage as did Theodore Roosevelt to secure his nomination in 1904.

He used it without stint to defeat his enemies in the campaign of 1908.

In this campaign his own appointees, retained by President Taft, have, in answer to his call, worked against President Taft.

In Montana his campaign manager, Senator Joseph M. Dixon, has compelled every federal officeholder he can control to violate all civil service rules and the executive orders issued by President Roosevelt himself.

In Texas Cecil Lyon, the personal friend of Roosevelt, has coerced the federal officeholders to support Roosevelt and has demanded of them a "slush fund" to defeat Taft. Lyon recommended, on his own admission, all but five of 5,000 officeholders in Texas.

The state machines, under the control of the "Roosevelt governors," have been solidly aligned against Taft in seven states.

Senator Dixon, in a letter which the Taft managers now hold, has threatened to oppose in the senate the confirmation of federal officeholders who have expressed their preference for Taft. If this is not intimidation and indirect bribery, what is it?

STANDING OF CANDIDATES.

President Taft now has 388 delegates to the Chicago convention instructed for or pledged to his re-nomination. His support is of such character as will vote for him first, last and all the time. Mr. Roosevelt has 170 votes. Senator La Follette 36 and Senator Cummins 5.