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25 PER CENT AMERICANS

Governor Smith, setting himself up in the new role of writer of political definitions, describes for us the "25 per cent American." He is the fellow who begins and ends his work as a voter with the presidential elections. Says Al.

"The 25 per cent citizen is the man who is so little interested in the state, so little interest in its business, so little interest in the policies that are advocated for governmental purposes that he takes occasions to vote only where there is a president running."

The New York governor solves an interesting problem in political decimals, but his solution leaves us as much at sea as do most of the definitions of a 100 per cent American. You cannot judge a citizen by his voting.

There are many things more important in citizenship than casting votes. One can imagine a man who never casts a vote at all who is, in spite of it, a more perfect citizen than the fellow who marches to the polls with his gang on every election day and marks his ballot the way some boss or friend dictates.

Good citizenship consists in respect for fellow citizens, a willingness to live amiably and honorably, wholesome observance of law, a desire to make personal sacrifices for the good of society in general, determination to support earnestly whatever men rise to political office, and availability for civic tasks of which voting is only one.

It is sometimes better not to vote at all than to cast a vote which is purely guesswork or determined by the flip of a coin.

"Vote as you please but vote" is the slogan of those who try to get out the citizens on election day. It is a slogan sadly at fault. It should be "know why you vote, then vote." If you don't know, mere marking of a ballot will never make you a good citizen.

TALENT NEWS

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retary and treasurer; Homa Sandlin, sergeant at arms.

Mr. and Ms. J. E. Barton and family and Mrs. Barton's mother, Mrs. Parks have moved from the Carl Ellis place to an orchard five miles east of Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Commons and family are soon to move on the C. B. Lambkin place in Beeson Lane. Mr. and Mrs. Lambkin are moving to Ashland. Mr. Lambkin was Mayor of Ashland previous to his moving to Talent.

Mrs. J. R. Robison was a business caller in Ashland Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Briscoe of Ashland and her mother Mrs. Wesley Vogell were business visitors in Medford Friday last.

Fred Smith of Ashland called on Mr. Marion Tryer last Saturday.

Mrs. Clair Graham who has been with her mother in Ashland the past three weeks has returned to her home in Fern valley.

The Rebekah club met with Mrs. Ed. Robison of Wagner Creek last Friday afternoon. The ladies spent the time tying comforters. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. T. M. Williams of Bellevue district left last week to

spend the winter in Oakland, Cal. Mr. Williams is the father of Mr. Claude Williams and Mrs. E. R. Newby of Bellevue. All formerly lived in Talent.

Mr. Wysher representative of the Geo. Lawrence leather Co., of Portland made a business call last Friday on Mr. Marion Tryer at his repair shop.

Mr. W. W. Estes took a large basket of dressed rabbits to the Medford market last Saturday morning and delivered an equal amount to the Ashland markets in the afternoon.

Mr. Frank Manus came over from Ft. Klamath and is visiting at his sisters, Mrs. Mary Leaming and family.

Mrs. A. O. Manning spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Vogell.

The Wisdom family moved from Butte Falls into the Lawrence Wilson property last week.

Mrs. Ed. Chaplin who spent the past week with her uncle Mr. Everett Boone and family left the first of this week for her home in Lethbridge Alberta, Canada.

Misses Ruth Howard of Medford and Bessie Connor, and Messrs. Si Stockwell and Earle Hamilton motored over to Little Applegate Sunday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Saltmarsh.

Mrs. E. E. Cooke spent Tues-

day afternoon with Mrs. W. Vogell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hamilton spent Monday and Tuesday evenings at the bedside of Mr. Hamilton's Aunt who is critically ill. Mrs. Lydia Hamilton of Central Point.

Mr. L. I. Crawford, Clyde Purvis and Everett Beeson were hunting on Little Applegate from Saturday until Tuesday.

The streets of Talent have a rather desolate look since the quarantine which went into effect last Friday morning. The parents and children have cooperated with the city authorities and all children under the age of 18 are keeping in their own yards.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Simmons proprietor of Pumpkin Center left by motor Monday night for Colusa Calif., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Simmon's mother, Mrs. Hammond. They returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. D. D. Ranney who lives south of Talent was in town on business Wednesday.

Word has been received from Mr. G. W. Burnete who is at Independence, Oregon, that himself and family expect to return soon to Talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Simmons arrived by motor from Eureka, Cal., last Saturday and are making an extended visit with their father, Mr. T. J. Simmons and brother Earle and family.

Mrs. C. Hoppins of Cotton

Wood, Calif., traveled 250 miles to secure stock of the Sun Gold Rabbity. She arrived Thursday of last week purchased some Chinchillas and returned to her home Friday.

The Crater Lake Camp Fire Girls will not hold any meetings until after the quarantine is lifted.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kincaid attended the theatre in Medford Saturday evening.

Clyde Anderson is quite ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Carl Mellin has been suffering from a severe attack of Rheumatism the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Patterson and Mrs. Moffat of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lowe last Saturday.

Mr. Lowe took Mr. Patterson who is interested in the rabbit business in Los Angeles to visit several of the rabbit breeders, met Mr. and Mrs. Patterson at the H. H. Lowe home and examined the rabbit fur display they had with them.

Edgar Adams left Tuesday morning for a hunting trip on Wagner Butte.

Mrs. Bessie Palmer of Grants Pass spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mahan.

Mr. H. H. Lowe manager of the Sun Gold Rabbity delivered 25 registered Chinchilla does and 3 registered Chinchilla bucks to a Medford buyer last Friday.

Mrs. Cora Denham and Frank end with Mrs. Denham's daughter went hunting while there. Frank and George Connor spent the week Mrs. Wesley Driskell. The boys (Continued on page 5)

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