

The Santiam News.

VOL. XV

SCIO, LINN COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1912.

NO. 40

TAFT A PROGRESSIVE SURE ENOUGH

The Roster of His Supporters
Furnishes Legal Proof.

SOME OF THE MEN BEHIND HIM

Corporation Lawyers, Standpat Senators, Trust Organizers, Machine Politicians, Are All Working For Taft.

A respected member of Mr. Taft's cabinet has been circulating a pamphlet containing a speech written by himself to prove that Taft is a progressive. That ought to settle it, especially as Mr. Taft himself says he is a progressive. The best proof as to Taft's progressiveness, however, lies neither in the pamphlet of the cabinet member nor the statement of Mr. Taft, but in the list of progressive American statesmen who are leading the fight for Mr. Taft in the United States and who have declared Mr. Taft's progressiveness as the only genuine brand which they were willing to invest in or endorse.

As a nation of lawyers—for that, it seems, is our chief magistrate's conception of the American people—we are entitled to the best evidence—to legal proof. And the best legal proof of what Mr. Taft is and what Mr. Taft stands for is to be found in who the men are and what the men stand for who are leading the fight for his re-nomination. They know him better than the average citizen, for they are daily working with him and for him. Here is a small list of the main Taft enthusiasts who have put the brand of "progressive" on the Hon. William Howard Taft and are now booming him for four more years of "progress." It is not a complete list, and the reader is at liberty to add to it from the store of his own political knowledge. It is arranged for convenience by states.

New York.

The Hon. William Barnes, Jr., whom Taft made chairman of the Republican state committee, boss of Albany county, recently charged, in vice report now before the New York legislature, with protecting gambling and prostitution; old guard dictator in the legislature; implacable foe of Roosevelt, Hughes and direct primaries, and leader of the combination between Tammany and the Republican machine.

J. F. Duke, who recently promised Taft his support, head of the tobacco trust, whose "disemboweling" as a result of Wickesham's prosecution has simply amounted to an immunity bath and a license to continue its dishonest warfare against competition at a profit already of more than \$150,000,000. Mr. Duke is also head of the southern water power combine.

Chauncey M. Depew, ex-railroad senator, officer in seventy corporations and trusts, lieutenant of the late Thomas C. Platt.

The Hon. James Wadsworth, stock raiser and ex-congressman, who lost his seat in congress as the result of his fight against Roosevelt's meat inspection bill.

Washington State.

Richard A. Ballinger, late secretary of the interior, forced from office by public opinion in spite of President Taft's determination to keep him, supporter of the Morgan-Guggenheim-Cunningham Alaska interests.

Jacob Furth, representing the Stone and Webster water power, electric railway and electric light corporations throughout Washington and other western states.

The Hon. Wesley Jones, standpat senator, supporter also of Senator Lorimer.

Minnesota.

Ex-Congressman James A. Tawney, Taft leader of Minnesota, principal lieutenant of Cannon, the man who helped Cannon in his fight to oppose Roosevelt's pure food and drug law, the chief representative in congress of the lumber interests and one of the strongest opponents in congress of progressive legislation, supported by Mr. Taft, Mr. Cannon and the cabinet

to his gubernatorial rights and connections to congress.

James J. Hill, the most active friend of corporate privilege and foe of progressiveness in the west, who recently called upon the president and gave public assurance of his support of Taft's candidacy.

Iowa.

Ex-Senator Lafe Young, an old fashioned reactionary politician, who succeeded Dolliver through Taft's influence.

Massachusetts.

The Hon. Murray Crane, boss of Massachusetts Republican politics; one of the largest individual holders of General Electric, Bell Telephone and Western Union securities in the United States; deeply interested in the New England textile industry and in the water power enterprises in the west and south; also one of the most powerful influences in the J. P. Morgan merger of New England's steam railways, electric railways and steamship lines; since Aldrich's retirement the most powerful friend of corporate privilege in the senate.

Oregon.

Ex-Senator Fulton, made famous by Heney's "aud graft" prosecutions. Mr. Taft offered Senator Fulton the position of minister to China and federal judge.

California.

Pat Calhoun, boss of the ring of San Francisco and traction magnate. Mr. Calhoun at a recent dinner in Boston sat by President Taft, spoke in his support and denounced Roosevelt's progressive policies.

William F. Herrin, who is counsel and political boss for the Southern Pacific political machine and who in this capacity dictated the choice of both Republican and Democratic nominees throughout the state until Governor Hiram Johnson put the Southern Pacific out of Republican politics in California.

Idaho.

Senator Heyburn, arch standpatter and reactionary, who agreed to help the Cunningham claimants get their patents. He has always been a strong special interest man and a clamorous enemy of conservation in congress.

New Hampshire.

Senator Gallinger, the representative of the New York, New Haven and Hartford system; for many years chairman of the District of Columbia committee in the senate and who during this time has opposed every measure to control the public service corporations in the District of Columbia, also an active opponent of self government in the District of Columbia.

Rhode Island.

Nelson W. Aldrich of the rubber trust, ex-boss of the United States senate, the framer of the Aldrich tariff bill, the man who more than any other made the senate an instrument of special privilege and a body unrepresentative of the people of this country. Supported and publicly praised by Taft for putting over the Aldrich bill.

Senator Henry F. Lippitt, who succeeded Aldrich. The man who wrote the cotton schedule of the Aldrich tariff bill for Mr. Aldrich.

Delaware.

Senator du Pont, political boss of the state of Delaware and head of the powder trust.

Wisconsin.

Senator Isaac Stephenson, lumber baron and lumber interest representative in the senate.

Colorado.

William G. Evans, gas, water power, public service and political boss of Colorado.

Senator Simon Guggenheim of smelter trust and Alaskan fame, the henchman and representative of the Evans interests.

Bob Speer, mayor and boss of the city of Denver.

Utah.

James F. Smith, president of the Mormon church, a political, religious and financial oligarchy which controls Utah and which has promised to throw its support to Taft. Smith is not only president of the Mormon church, but director in the Union Pacific railway and president of the Utah Sugar company, whose stock is controlled by the sugar trust and the Mormon church jointly.

Senator Reed Smoot, one of the twelve apostles of the Mormon church. A sugar and wool senator and now leader of the reactionaries in the senate.

(Concluded next week)

Possibly About You

Hereafter the News will go to press early Thursday morning. All advertisements or other matter for publication must be received at this office not later than Wednesday noon.

Seed oats for sale: three grain oats. L. Zeller, Thomas.

Dr. Davis of Albany was a Scio visitor Monday.

Dr. Lowe's glasses do not need the guarantee that goes with them.

Fred T. Blyeu was an Albany visitor the last of the week.

Call on Hibler & Gill Co. for your shoes. Up to date line.

Miss Grace Gill went to Salem last week for a visit with relatives.

Try the News for fine job printing. Prices reasonable.

J. M. Morris will preach at the Christian church Sunday at the usual hours.

In getting a buggy get the best, and at prices as cheap as a lower grade rig. We can give you both. Try us and be convinced.—N. I. Morrison.

Miss Bump has been confined to the house the past week with an attack of chickenpox.

Mrs. R. B. Miller of Albany was visiting friends here the last of the week.

Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching at \$2.00 per 15. All my hens in this pen are trap nested and are headed by a cock bird that scores 92%. My hens lay, weigh and pay.—John Wesley.

Attention is called to the cast of characters and synopsis of "That Rascal Pat" which will be found in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cain who had charge of the Scio condensed milk exhibit at the Made in Linn Exposition, report an excellent attendance and much enthusiasm in evidence.

You and your children are safe if you wear Dr. Lowe's superior glasses. They cost you no more than the inferior kinds usually sold and you have the benefit of his skill and more than 20 years' experience. Consult him at Hotel Scio, Wednesday, May 1. One day only.

Thos. B. Prosal brought to the News office this week an egg laid by one of his Orpington hens, which measures 7 1/2 inches in circumference one way and 4 1/2 inches the other. The ends were punctured to remove the egg from the shell when it was discovered that the large shell contains another perfect egg just a little smaller. When the egg was laid it had a third shell which was soft and covered the whole thing.

A resident of Scio recently sent to "Buck & Khubarb" for a disc but as they were unable to supply the size he wanted, they returned his money. He then went to one of our local hardware dealers and bought the disc for just what it would have cost him at the mail order house after paying the freight, and still a great many people bunco themselves into believing that they save money by sending to Chicago for their goods.

Mr. Blunden of the Chi-Namel Varnish Co. will be with me on May 8 to demonstrate the uses of Chi-Namel. The public is invited to visit my store on that date and learn how to make your furniture look like new. You won't be asked to purchase anything. You can make your old floor like new. If you fail to receive a coupon for a 20c can of Chi-Namel, call and you will learn how to get a can free. Don't forget the date. You will learn something to your advantage.—N. I. Morrison.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

A goodly company gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Pomeroy last Monday, the occasion being in honor of Mr. Pomeroy's 79th and Mrs. Pomeroy's 69th birthdays. A sumptuous dinner was served, also a number of useful presents received by the old couple, and following the dinner a short

literary program was rendered. Before the company left their picture was taken, four generations being represented in the group.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy are Linn county pioneers, he having crossed the plains by ox team in 1852, and Mrs. Pomeroy coming the same way the following year.

Following is a list of those present at the dinner:

Children—Oscar E., Eugene H. and Grover C. Pomeroy, Mesdames Dora Blyeu, Emma Small, Clara Griffin, Amanda Shelton, Myrtle Crabtree.

Grand-children—Mrs. Teresa Crabtree, Roy and Rolla Shelton, Lyman, Dorothy, Nina, Anene and Thomas Small, Leola and Reta Blyeu, Lavern Crabtree.

Great grand-children—Ree Crabtree, Erna Pomeroy and Gladys Shelton.

Mrs. Roy Shelton, Mrs. Rolla Shelton, Lee Blyeu, Tom Small, E. C. Shelton, Newton Crabtree and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Charles.

The following were unable to be present:

Children—Orane Pomeroy, Kimberly, Idaho, Mesdames Lula Pape and Elva Dallam, Portland, Mrs. Minnie Ferral, McCloud, Cal., Mrs. Roberta Miller, Turner.

Grand and great grand-children—Maud, Inez, Maguerite, Marcus and Theodore Pomeroy, Earl Hazelton, Lyle Beard, Clyde Pomeroy, Neva Nealy, Nella Surfing, Pearl Miller, Wade and Ronald Pomeroy and Veve Griffin.

West Scio Notes

Roe Phillips met with a painful accident Sunday when he nearly severed the fore finger of his left hand with an ax.

I. Hoagland made a business trip to Crabtree Saturday.

Mr. Speer made a business trip to Lebanon Saturday evening returning Sunday morning.

W. D. Sanford is busy plastering Joe Quigley's house.

Jesse Kistler has moved back to West Scio. He and Mr. Gossage are occupying the same house.

Ruth Tompkins, Alec Reitzel, Edythe and Jay Hoagland went to a ball game at Hubbard Sunday.

Mr. Hoagland has been unloading a car of lumber at Shelburn.

Lincoln Logan is still busy at Thomas working at carpenter work.

Carl Wallace of Portland was a West Scio visitor Friday.

Quite a crowd, including the pupils of the Scio public school, Munkers and Shelburn as well as a number of people from several miles around attended the poultry demonstration here Tuesday.

HIRAM.

Chiropractic

Chiropractic is based upon the principles: 1. The nerves are the life. 2. Displacement of vertebrae cause pressure on nerves. 3. Pressure on nerves causes disease.

Chiropractic is a drugless system of healing and does not resemble hydro-pathy, hypnotism or magnetic healing. Chiropractic is not osteopathy, but reaches diseases that osteopathy cannot reach.

If you have any of the following ailments, such as rheumatism, bladder trouble, apoplexy, Brights disease, dropsy, dyspepsia, emissions, female diseases, goitre, heart disease, hysteria, insomnia, impotency, jaundice, kidney disease, indigestion, gall stones, constipation, diabetes, ovarian disease, palsy, paralysis, pleurisy, sciatica, St. Vitus dance, liver disease, urinary disease, lumbago, appendicitis, cured without the use of knife. Examination free.

DR. C. S. TIGARD, Scio, Ore.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Portland, Ore.

March 19, 1912

Notice is hereby given that Sarah A. Swagger, by Charles H. McGinnis, her attorney in fact, whose postoffice address is Portland, Oregon, did on the 6th day of January 1912, file in this office her application, Serial No. 0522, to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898 (30 Stat. 597, 620) set of sec. 9 tp 8 s. r 4 e, lot 8 sec 1 tp 12 s, r 2 w, and lot 10 sec 34 tp 12 s, r 1 w, Willamette Meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands above described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to the applicant should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the 10th day of May 1912.

H. F. HIGBY

Register

KODAKS

WE NOW have a new and complete line of Eastman's Kodaks and kodak supplies. All know what Eastman's name on a kodak means, it is the BEST. They are simple to operate, give best results and are very durable. Prices from \$2.00 upward. They are in a class with the Edison phonograph for enjoyment. Now is the time to get a kodak. Books giving information on taking and developing pictures, free

TALK IS CHEAP, SO STEP IN AND
LET'S HAVE A TALK ABOUT
A KODAK

Yours for business

E. C. PEERY DRUG COMPANY

SCIO

OREGON