

About 1902 he went to Cleveland where he became a Tom Johnson Democrat and was elected Commissioner of Buildings in which capacity he served under Mayor Newton D. Baker.

Mr. Allen is married and has two children. He is a thorough going Henry George man, is of engaging personality, and a good speaker. The Ohio members of the party are to be congratulated on the selection of such a man to head the ticket. "It's a great year," he says, "and a great opportunity for the New Emancipation under the leadership of Wallace and Lincoln."

Herbert R. Gill, candidate for State Auditor, is president of the Consumers Supply Company of Columbus. Mr. Gill writes: "In my youth I hoped to live to see Single Tax, woman suffrage and Prohibition successful. I thought Single Tax would be first because most important. Now it begins to look as if I were really to see the Henry George philosophy put over, and I am proud to lend myself to this work."

About 20,000 signatures are required to put the presidential electors on the ballot in Ohio. The campaign committee will pay a good price to those securing such signatures and prefers to engage Single Taxers for such work. If this meets the eye of any Ohio Single Taxer who wants to help in this work for pay, he is requested to address the campaign secretary, James Bruce Lindsay, Commonwealth Land Party, Ulmer Building, Cleveland.

Readers of LAND AND FREEDOM will note among the presidential electors and candidates in Ohio the presence of many who were not with the party four years ago.

Oregon

THERE is every prospect that Oregon will again be on the ballot this Fall. But help will be needed.

A meeting on March 24 at the Central Library Hall in Portland was addressed by Mr. Hermann in which the relation of the Teapot Dome scandal to our solution of the treatment of all natural resources was thoroughly aired.

Pennsylvania

THE Henry George Club of Pittsburgh has been organized with a charter membership of thirty, and has elected as officers, M. S. Robinson, President; Ralph E. Smith, Treasurer; P. R. Williams, General Secretary; and F. W. Maguire, Field Secretary.

Treasurer Smith and Secretary Williams are both identified with the present city administration of Mayor William A. Magee, Mr. Smith serving as a police court magistrate and Mr. Williams as a member of the City Board of Assessors, President Robinson is an active member of the Pittsburgh Real Estate Board, being in the real estate mortgage business. Field Secretary Maguire was, for a number of years, Librarian of the Chicago Single Tax Club, but is now located in Pittsburgh, his old home.

The Club is holding regular weekly luncheon meetings every Friday at Kaufmann & Baer's department store. Though there has been no active Single Tax organization in Pittsburgh since the war, there has been a marked revival of interest in the past few months and the club is growing in membership daily. The club is organizing a local speakers' bureau and is already engaged in various propaganda activities. All Single Taxers in the Pittsburgh district are cordially invited to join the club and to participate in the activities of its various committees.

Death of C. J. Buell

THE sudden death of C. J. Buell, of St. Paul, Minnesota, at Fairhope, Ala., on March 4, will cause sorrow to many Single Taxers, to whom he was known for years of work in behalf of the cause. His contributions to papers and publications, his speeches and pamphlets on various phases of the movement, his work for legislative measures looking in our direction, have attracted general attention. Most of the progressive movements in his own state owe their impetus to his zealous advocacy, and he had been an advocate of Georgism since the publication of the first edition of Progress and Poverty.

He was married in 1912 to Miss Irene Lucier, of Fairhope, whom he met during one of his visits to the Single Tax Colony, and for the last year or two Mrs. Buell had remained there in company with their two children who were pupils at Fairhope's famous Organic School, in which Mrs. Buell was greatly interested. She was planning with her husband to return to St. Paul and take up the work there.

Mr. Buell was buried in the Fairhope cemetery. His work has left its impress on the world of thought in which he lived.

Death of Martin Williams

THE death of Colonel H. Martin Williams, at Riverdale, Md., on March 8, at the age of 84, is announced. Mr. Williams was a Single Taxer of long standing and campaigned for Henry George. He was an effective political orator.

He was appointed Reading Clerk in the House of Representatives in 1911, and has been called the best clerk that ever filled that position. He was acquainted with practically every public man of his time.

At the funeral, tributes to his life and services were paid by Hon. Robert Crosser, Hon. Edward Keating, Col. William C. Harlee, Mrs. Louis F. Post, Mr. F. S. Mooney and many others. Mr. John Salmon wrote:

"Well, maybe his labors are just beginning, Who knows? This future state may only be an extension and continuation of the good work he so ably and faithfully