

REPUBLICAN FINANCIER CALLED TO PORTLAND

William L. Thompson Made Officer of First National.

MAY QUIT HIGHWAY BOARD

Rise in Banking World Rapid After Start as Janitor in Eastern Institution.

William L. Thompson of Pendleton, one of the most widely known country bankers in the northwest...

It is kind of breaking traditions of the First National to bring in a man from the outside for an executive position...

Mr. Mills says that a special department will be created for Mr. Thompson, who will look after the out-of-town trade...

Governor Told of Plans

It is the plan of Mr. Thompson to divide his time between Portland and Pendleton and to retain his residence in the latter city until January, 1920...

As he retains his residence in Pendleton, it is presumed that he will not be disturbed on the highway commission for the time being...

From being janitor of a small-town bank to president of the First National, one of the largest financial institutions in the Pacific northwest...

Rise in West Rapid

From \$15 a month he worked up to \$50, and then in 1898 he decided to come west and land in Lewiston, Idaho...

For the past 15 years Mr. Thompson has been active in the business world of eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and part of Idaho...

Lack of system in the old mercantile world disgusted Mr. Thompson...

New Methods Installed

In Pendleton he began insisting on modern business system with his customers. The old country bank idea of lending money to farmers...

Handling the wheat, cattle and sheep business made Mr. Thompson an important factor in the financial world of the inland empire...

Prominent in Loan Work

He was chairman of all the liberty loan campaigns and the Victory loan drive in Umatilla county...

As a member of the state highway commission Mr. Thompson has become generally known outside of the inland empire...

With Mr. Thompson entering the First National in Portland, there will be some changes in the executive council of the American Bank association...

JUDGE'S SALARY HELD UP

GOVERNOR IS WARNED NOT TO PAY TAZWELL STIPEND.

J. W. Kaste, Portland Attorney, Sends Protest to Olcott; Action May Follow.

SALEM, Or., June 25.—(Special)—Official notice that he will be held personally liable as secretary of state for all money paid to George Tazwell...

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER BECOMES VICE-PRESIDENT OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK.



W. L. THOMPSON, OF PENDLETON.

MARRIED LIFE IS DISLIKED

GOWN TORN FROM MOTHER-IN-LAW, WIFE CHARGES.

May Penne Asks Divorce, Alimony and Property; Jennie Love Says Husband Is Cruel.

Among other acts of violence alleged in the divorce complaint of May Penne, filed in the circuit court yesterday...

L. S. SPOONER WINS MEDAL

Portland Lieutenant Takes Honors in Army Shooting Match.

Lieutenant Lloyd S. Spooner, of Portland, former member of the Oregon National Guard rifle team...

Toppish Boy Drowns

HOQUIAM, Wash., June 25.—(Special).—While the mother was attending a wedding at the home of a neighbor...

Stock Exchange Closes Two Days

NEW YORK, June 25.—At the request of the members, the New York stock exchange will be closed Saturday, July 5, as well as Independence day.

NEW YORK MENAGED BY FOOD SHORTAGE

Produce Rots on Piers When Teamsters Go on Strike.

APPEAL FOR HELP IS MADE

Governors of Five States Asked to Intercede With New York's Executive to End Walkout.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Commission merchants whose produce is rotting on New York piers because of the strike of market teamsters...

The statement is made that farmers in those states will suffer great financial injury if the strike continues.

The situation today became so acute that a representative of the department of labor arrived in the city to aid in the settlement of the strike.

The walkout Monday has seriously diminished the city's supply of fresh vegetables and fruits...

BUILDING FUND GROWING

U. of O. Women Are Successful in Securing Subscriptions.

At the weekly luncheon of the campaign captains for the women's building fund of the University of Oregon...

Rainier Park Now Open

SEATTLE, Wash., June 25.—Prediction that at least five times the number of visitors will enter Rainier national park this year as did last year...

Mile. Bertillon Visits Denver

DENVER, Colo., June 25.—Mile. Jacqueline Bertillon, advocate of the court of appeals, Paris, and niece of Alphonse Bertillon, the French scientist who invented the criminal identification system...

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The Epidemic Breeder. The unsanitary garbage can is a constant menace to life and health. It always contains uncounted millions of disease germs. Flies, natural spreaders of disease, gather around the garbage can, and children play near it.

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