

NEW TURN IN IDAHO WORRIES LEADERS

Trial of Attorney-General and its Results Cause of Political Thought.

FACTIONS NOW DISTINCT

Opinion Against Bureau of Farm Markets Act Creates Stir and Van Valkenburg Case Adds More Fuel to Political Flames.

BOISE, Idaho, June 19.—(Special.)—Leaders in Idaho have been close students of state developments during the past week in the effort to learn their probable effect on the future of politics in this state.

Three incidents stand out above all others—the recent trial of Attorney-General Peterson, the trial of E. Van Valkenburg, ex-State Insurance Commissioner, and the opinion given by Assistant Attorney-General Davis to Fred L. Huston, State Auditor, questioning the constitutionality of the act creating the farm markets bureau appropriation of \$10,000.

Report Leads to Indictment. Attorney-General Peterson was exonerated of the charge of complicity in the looting of the state treasury. The jury acquitted him on the first ballot.

The Peterson indictment and the indictments returned against other state officials were based on the showing made in the report of Axel P. Ramstedt, president of the Public Utility Commission. The charge has been made that the indictments were actuated by politics.

Mr. Ramstedt was appointed to examine the treasury department by the then Republican Governor, John M. Staines. It was the discovery of the \$92,990 shortage in the treasury for which A. V. Allen, ex-State Treasurer, and Fred M. Coleman, ex-Deputy Treasurer under Allen, are now serving indeterminate sentences in the penitentiary.

Money Regarded as Allen's, He Says. The Attorney-General has been prominent in Idaho politics for several years. He is now serving his second term.

The Ramstedt report showed that items of \$600, including a note for \$500 and three receipts for money advanced to the Attorney-General, had been carried as cash by Allen to assist in covering his shortage. Mr. Peterson's defense was that the money advanced to him had always considered as belonging to Allen.

Two Other Incidents Cause Stir. Van Valkenburg, ex-Commissioner, accused of a \$500 shortage, has not been prominently identified with state politics, but his case is attracting interest, coming on the heels of the Allen shortage in the treasury department.

Assistant Attorney-General Davis emphatically denies any political motive on his part when he advised the State Auditor that he believed there was a conflict in the farm markets bureau act in that the title of the bill did not refer to the \$10,000 appropriation carried in the body of the act.

His enemies, however, declare that he was inspired to attack the bureau because the disingenuous Mr. Moose party leader and an appointee of a Democratic Governor.

SCHOOL SPURNS OBJECTION

District Will Erect Building on Land Held by Railroad.

EUGENE, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Ignoring the railroad's refusal to grant permission, the Alpha School District No. 125 is going ahead with the erection of its buildings on railroad land. The site had been cleared and was the only one available under existing circumstances. It has the only spring for miles and heavy timber surrounds it.

LOVE OUTRUNS COURTS

Lane County Has 394 Marriage Licenses and but 65 Divorces.

EUGENE, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Cupid's batting average in Lane County during the year ending June 1, 1915, was .85, according to statistics compiled from the records of the Lane County Court. In other words, out of 394 marriage licenses issued between June 1, 1914, and June 1, 1915, the Lane County Court granted 65 divorces within 15 months. The oldest couple to obtain a divorce was one married in Kentucky in 1862.

ASTORIANS OPPOSE PAVING

Injunction Asked to Prevent Collection of Assessments.

ASTORIA, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—A suit was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by Charles E. Lanier and 19 other property owners against the City of Astoria and Chief of Police Houghton, asking that the defendants be restrained from selling the plaintiffs' property to collect assessments to defray the cost of improving Franklin avenue, between Fifth and Second streets, and of Second street, between Franklin and Grand avenues.

ALBANY RESIDENT PASSES

Claus Peter School, 77, Leaves Widow and Seven Children.

ALBANY, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Claus Peter School, a resident of this vicinity for 28 years, died at his home in Albany yesterday. He was 77 years old, native of Germany. Mr. School came to America when 17 years old. He lived in Iowa several years and came to Oregon in 1886, locating on a farm in Benton County, near this city.

NEWSPAPER WOMAN BECOMES RAILROAD OFFICIAL

Miss Olive E. Lender, Spokane, Wash., June 19.—(Special.)—Miss Olive E. Lender, who has been appointed traveling passenger and ticket agent of the O. W. R. & N. Company, out of Spokane, formerly was society editor of the Chicago Examiner and has done newspaper work since coming to Spokane.

Miss Lender also has seen something of pioneer life, having taken a homestead under one of the Government drawings and settling on a tract remote from any other white woman.

city. He resided there until 15 years ago, when he retired from work and moved to this city.

Mr. School is survived by his widow and seven children—William School, of Portland; Mrs. Julius Voss and Edward School, of Albany; Mrs. A. F. Luther, Charles School and Henry School, of North Albany, and Louis School, of Lebanon.

BISHOP'S JUBILEE JUNE 29

Dignitaries of Catholic Church Will Gather in Baker.

BAKER, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Dignitaries of the Catholic Church from all parts of Eastern Oregon are expected to be here June 29 to take a prominent part in the silver jubilee of Right Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, bishop of Eastern Oregon.

The celebration of the bishop's 25 years in the priesthood will be in charge of the members of St. Francis' Cathedral, of Baker. At 2 o'clock in the morning pontifical services will be held at the cathedral and visitors will assist the bishop in the ceremony.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon a banquet will be tendered visiting members of the clergy at Bishop O'Reilly's residence. The big event of the day will be the reception at the Baker Theater at 7:30 o'clock, at which Mayor C. L. Palmer, other city officials and prominent citizens will take part.

THREE FINISH HIGH SCHOOL

Commencement Exercises Held in M. E. Church at Dundee.

DUNDEE, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—The commencement exercises of the graduating class of the Dundee High School were held at the Methodist Episcopal Church Thursday evening. The members of the class were: Edith M. Ricks, who delivered the class history; Paul R. Terry, who delivered the class address; and Edward B. Hibbs, who delivered the class prophecy. Professor Pennington, of Pacific College, delivered the address to the class and R. W. Swink, an ex-principal of the school, presented the diplomas.

KLAMATH FOURTH PLANNED

Representative Sinnott to Make Address of Day.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—The commencement exercises of the business men for the fourth of July celebration is meeting every day and perfecting plans for a big celebration. A purse of \$75 is offered for the best tug-of-war team. Teams from Merrill, Bonanza and Fort Klamath and other communities of the county will compete. A log-rolling contest will be held in Lake Ewauna, for the winner in which a purse of \$40 is offered.

ASHLAND PLANS BOOKLET

Literature Will Be Distributed at California Expositions.

ASHLAND, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—A striking example of literature, differing entirely from the ordinary community booklet, in preparation by the city, setting forth Ashland's advantages as a watering and pleasure resort. More than 50,000 copies will be printed for general distribution, a large number of which will be sent to the expositions at both San Francisco and San Diego. The publication will be issued at an early date, in order to be available the present season.

Albany to Get Warehouse.

ALBANY, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—A warehouse, designed especially for the accommodation of fruit shipments, will be erected this summer along the Oregon Electric Railroad at the west end of Second street. It will be built by C. M. Miller, of Portland, who recently purchased property here and is preparing to establish a fruit evaporator in Albany.

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BRUTALITY IS DENIED PRISONERS IN AFRICA TREATED WELL, SAYS AMBASSADOR... CHAUTAUQUA NOW BOOKED Albany Attractions Completed and Park Prepared for Summer.

WILSONVILLE, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—The Stangle & Young garage and machine shop is completed and machinery installed... If You were sure... The Needlecraft Shop

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