

OLD GUARD RALLIES TO BACK UP PINCHOT TO BACK UP PINCHOT

Pennsylvania Machine Shakes After Defeat.

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Opponents of Victor in Primaries to Get Behind Nominee for November Election.

BY DAVID FENSLER. (Copyright, 1922, by The Oregonian.) HARRISBURG, Pa., May 20.—(Special.)—The old republican organization in Pennsylvania—the product of three generations of political bosses, Quay, Cameron and Penrose—is shaking on its foundations today as a result of the shattering blow it received Tuesday when Hiram Pinchot was elected by important elements of the machine, won the republican nomination for governor.

From the moment Wednesday when returns indicated Pinchot would win over George E. Aker, attorney-general, there was the carrying of political leaders from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh to get under the banner of the ex-state forester. Today it is hard to find an Aker man left. In fact the parade started primary day when "Buck" Devlin, one-time Penna. lieutenant in Philadelphia threw his focus away from the machine candidate.

Pinchot's election in November is a foregone conclusion. It certainly is made even more certain by the steady rush of the old organization to back him up.

Leaders for Nominees. Throughout the state since the primary the leaders have been openly proclaiming their support.

Governor Sproul, who was openly an advocate of Aker, offered his support to Pinchot as soon as the forester's nomination was conceded. Just where the old organization will get off, however, is a question. Hiram Aker has been nominated, Sproul was to have backed for the late Senator Penrose's place upon the national committee and Baker was to have received the organization's support for state committee chairman, a post now held by United States Senator Crow, who has been sick for some time.

Not until the meeting of the state committee June 14 will the fate of the old guard machine be determined. Election of either Sproul or Baker is not considered probable.

Machine Faces Downfall. Displeasing of Sproul and Baker will mean the end of the machine. Pinchot is expected to avail himself of the present organization, however, and be content in giving it a new coat of paint and placing a new crew on board.

Defeat of Aker was not a personal one—he has been a big man in the state and party for years and is expected to continue. A general dissatisfaction over the manner in which the affairs of the state have been conducted under the present administration, brought to a climax by the recent state treasury exposures by Auditor-General Lewis was the chief reason for the Pinchot victory.

The people had particular objection to the manner in which the machine had selected its candidate and the friends of candidates who had been forced to drop out rallied to the support of Pinchot in revenge. Although Pinchot had gathered to his support the progressive element of the party, he also had the backing of some of the most reactionary leaders.

Personal Following Large. Pinchot also had a large personal following. He was a friend of Roosevelt and received thousands of votes from backers of the ex-president and the Bull Moose party. Pinchot was known favorably to the farmers through his conservation policies and had received a great amount of favorable mention on his forestry work. Labor—and particularly the miners—was with him. The woman vote was almost solidly for the forester due to a general aversion on the women's part to a machine picked candidate.

Indications are that the old guard will stand behind Pinchot in the November campaign and in order to maintain their own local leadership will work to their utmost to roll up an overwhelming majority to him.

SCREEN STAR ARRESTED

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Used for an hour with Mr. Gilbert, Mr. James and several motion picture people, Valentino handed a typewritten statement to newspaper men with the comment: "Well, I am at your mercy."

The decision to issue the complaint against Valentino was reached by Mr. Woolwine after considerable deliberation. He said, after several consultations with his staff. The situation is unusual, if not unique, in California criminal proceedings, in that the prosecution residence is located in a county where no overt act of the alleged felony took place.

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The district attorney's contention is that the laws of California have been violated by the marriage at Mexico and subsequent residence in Riverside county, and that action could be undertaken in any part of the state. It was brought out in the complaint that Valentino is a resident of Los Angeles county, and that the interlocutory decree granted his first wife was issued here. Deputy District Attorney Mitchell said he thought these might turn out to be important points in the case.

BRIDE AYOVS LOVE FOR STAR

Winifred Hudnut Arrives in Chicago on Way East.

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All the way on her long trip from the west she steadfastly refused to discuss the case with scores of news-

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