

WILLIAMS MAY NOT GET NOMINATION

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W. B. GLAFKE SEEMS A STRONG FACTOR

Fred Merrill Waiting to See What Albee Will Do, But Declares That He's in Race.

Mayor Williams evidently will have a hard fight for re-nomination at the Republican primaries, and his stock has begun to decline. The opposition to him within his own party is crystallizing, and the prediction is now freely made that some other man will be the Republican nominee.

The latest development in the campaign is the definite announcement of the candidacy of W. B. Glafke, who will seek the nomination for mayor in the Republican primaries. Mr. Glafke was first suggested in connection with the office many months ago, and his friends were enthusiastic in urging him to run. The first public announcement that he had consented to do so was made this morning.

"I shall be a candidate for mayor in the Republican primaries," said Mr. Glafke, when seen at his place of business on Front street. "My friends have been talking to me about it for a number of months, but until very recently I had no intention of seeking the office."

"What will be your platform?" "If I am elected, I shall run the office on business principles—just as I would run by my own business. I believe in giving everyone a square deal. That's my platform."

Glafke Is Popular. Among the commission men on Front street Glafke is very popular, and many of them have interested themselves actively in his candidacy. He has never taken any part in politics, though he has always been a Republican. Inherited that from my father," he said, with a smile. "The papers had me a Democrat last year, when some of my friends were talking about getting me to run for mayor, but that was a mistake. I am a Republican."

Some of Glafke's friends will probably endeavor to secure for him the endorsement of the "new deal" Republican organization. As yet this organization has not formed a candidate for city office, but it will probably do so in the near future. Among the members of the executive committee several names have been discussed in connection with the party nomination for mayor. W. B. Glafke, Ralph W. Hoy, Tyler Woodward and ex-Mayor H. S. Rowe have all been discussed and each has supporters in the committee. Glafke is the only one of the four who is an avowed candidate. Other well-known Republicans have been talked of, but some one of the four mentioned will probably be the choice of the organization for mayor.

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"I am in the race for mayor to stay," said Merrill today. "Why there is no more chance of my withdrawing than of water running up stream in the Willamette river. And what's more, I shall be elected. I am a pretty good advertiser; I guess you know that, and I am going to make the hottest campaign you ever saw. I shall have one of Mark Hanna's men out here from the east to make speeches for me, and I am going to have some other good campaign speakers here, too. Don't you think I have pulled out of the race or that I will do so?"

Among the business men there is much interest in the campaign. Many of them are anxious that Ralph Hoy should become a candidate, and if he should do so he would undoubtedly receive strong backing. Ex-Mayor Rowe has some influential backing, but has not decided whether to seek the office. The Democrats are still at sea. Dr. Harry Lane can have the party nomination if he wishes it, but he will not enter upon a losing fight, and therefore will not decide as to his course until the campaign has assumed more definite shape.

It has been assumed that the liquor interests would unite in supporting Mayor Williams, but there are rumors that a new candidate may be put forward. "Fears that Williams may not be able to get the Republican nomination have shaken the loyalty of the liquor dealers and they regard it as of great importance to pick a winner. A meeting of Republicans of the Eighth ward is to be held this evening at Justice Betton's court room, Union avenue and East Washington street, under the auspices of the "new deal" Republicans. The objects of the meeting are to organize and to bring out candidates for the city council.

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ARE PLANNING NEW CANAL COMMISSION

President and Secretary Taft Perfecting Details Soon to Be Announced.

(Journal Special Service.)

Washington, March 27.—Plans for the organization of the Panama canal commission are rapidly being perfected by the president and Secretary Taft. The announcement of the retirement of the present members of the commission and the appointment of their successors is expected within a day or two. It is stated on good authority that Judge Charles E. Mason will be one of the new commissioners, and act as governor of the canal zone and minister to Panama, and that Chief Engineer Wallace will be retained, and made supreme in all matters pertaining to the engineering features of the work.

BAR ATHLETIC GAMES AT CLARK UNIVERSITY

Students Cannot Longer Indulge In Competitive and Commercial Ventures.

(Journal Special Service.)

Worcester, Mass., March 27.—The annual catalogue of Clark university, Clark college, contains this information regarding the athletic policy of the college: "Students of Clark college will not be allowed to engage in contests with representatives of any other institution, nor will they be allowed to give public entertainments without the consent of the faculty. The announcement of this policy has met with the approval of educators, directors of athletic sports and others. It has also met the approval of the students. "It is to the credit of the men connected with the college that they see clearly that the work of a three years' course cannot be carried out successfully if they engage in competitive and commercial games, which absorb so much time as to interfere so largely with the curriculum of the college. This college must stand for scholarship."

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NETTED \$35,000 IN HOTEL BURGLARIES

A Society "Raffles" Confesses to Having Robbed Guests Systematically.

SECURED A FORTUNE IN JEWELRY AND TRINKETS

Former Princeton Student Becomes Robber Because He "Needed the Money."

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, March 27.—"Yes, I have robbed a half dozen hotels in New York and Philadelphia. I should say that I have secured more than \$35,000 in jewelry and trinkets. Why did I take up a career of robbery? That's easy, if it's all you want to know. I needed the money."

Speaking distinctly and calmly, John Calmus, alias J. T. Standing, alias Howard Berry, and alias several other names, the young hotel "raffia," who was arrested in connection with a jewelry robbery at the Hotel Netherlands, made a confession to Acting Inspector Stephen O'Brien, police headquarters.

"I guess you had better give me a cigarette if you want me to talk right," said Calmus, who is about 21 years old, and a handsome fellow, as he was starting his story. His suppliers took a long puff, flicking away the ashes, and sat back comfortably in the inspector's armchair.

"You were a Princeton student?" "That's the detestable name," responded the young man. "Just be glad for what you are getting. I would go to a hotel with the knowledge of some person who would have there, in the most conspicuous jewelry about. You see it was not on a petty scale."

"Once possessed of the information, I would ask for a room as close to that person I wish to rob as possible. Of course I would watch my chances, and when the man or woman with jewels would leave their room, why, I would make my entrance. I always carried plenty of keys, so this portion of the work was not difficult."

STENOGRAPHER TAKES A MILLION WITH HER

Sophia Beck, Employe of the Story Cotton Company, Disappears With the Coin.

(Journal Special Service.)

Philadelphia, March 25.—Nearly \$1,000,000 in hard cash and negotiable bonds, mostly the proceeds of the business conducted by the Story Cotton company, disappeared under the nose of the authorities into the possession of Sophia E. Beck, one of the country's best stenographers.

Sophia Beck was the stenographer of the Story Cotton company. She is said to have been the personal representative of Frank Marrin, the banker of the concern, and to have been one of the principals in all deals swung by that concern.

The money was obtained by a check transferred of property in the name of Frank Marrin and Ewart Storey. The Beck woman, who is regarded by the secret service agents as the equal of Cassie L. Chadwick, if not her peer, carried away the money in a trunk and was upon the high seas before anyone realized what had happened.

Postal Inspector Meyer of Chicago, the man who worked up the postal scandal at Hartford, Conn., now closed upon the trail of Marrin, alias Judge Franklin Stone. Meyer has positive information that Marrin is going to attempt to leave the country within the next few days.

Another startling thing occurred today when with secret service men accompanied by the chief of the country for him, W. H. Latimer, or "Handsome Harry" boldly returned to this city. Latimer headed the President Investment bureau, connected with the Story company, and the arrest at Hartford brought him back. Francis' bail was reduced today to \$50,000.

CREWS OF WARSHIPS RACE AT GUANTANAMO

(Journal Special Service.)

Hammond, Ind., March 27.—Because they whispered while the minister was trying to start a hymn for the congregation, three young society people here were arrested and fined for breaking up a meeting.

Don Lealle, aged 22, whose father is president of a building and loan company in Chicago, took two girls, one his sweetheart, Rose Watts, and his sister, Nellie Lealle, to revival services at the First Free Methodist church at Crown Point. Being visitors, they were ushered into the rear seats.

The services progressed nicely until the pastor, Rev. Mr. Reynolds, who also acts as chorister, gave out the hymn. He started the music and the three young people, who were now seated over the girls and whispered.

The preacher, embarrassed, broke down, and the congregation, at sea without a leader, quit. The young people laughed and were requested by the pastor to apologize. They refused point blank.

Next day the preacher asked Deacon George Bremmer to swear out a warrant for the arrest of the whisperers. They were tried before Judge Hiram Barton. The trial was a most amusing affair, and wound up by the judge taxing fines against Lealle and the two girls amounting to \$14 apiece.

EMPIRE THEATRE TO HAVE STOCK COMPANY

Manager George L. Baker of the Empire theatre announced this morning that beginning in about two weeks that playhouse would be devoted to 10-cent stock productions of the highest order that the price of admission would warrant. As long as it is profitable, the new policy will not be changed. There will be two performances a day, and at only one price—one dime.

"If it is a question of price," said Mr. Baker, "I am going to give others a run for their money. The Empire has a large stage, and we have any amount of scenery. Good people can be had at summer salaries from now on."

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Hence in planning for this great work, as well as most things in which music plays a great part, our house is invariably consulted in reference to furnishing pianos for the occasion.

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GUGLIELMO'S LAST CHANCE IS GONE

Supreme Court Denies Petition of His Attorneys for Rehearing.

ALLEGED DEFECT IN INDICTMENT WAS BASIS

Tribunal Holds District Attorney Has Power to Affirm Act of Deputy.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., March 27.—Frank Guglielmo must hang. His last chance for life was lost today when the supreme court denied the petition of his attorneys for a rehearing.

The appeal was based on the ground that Guglielmo was indicted by a deputy district attorney. The court held that the attorney had the power to affirm the act of his deputy. Other decisions made today were as follows:

Charles Harding, respondent against Merlin Harding and Clara Harding appellants, appeal from Marion county; affirmed in an opinion by Justice Moore.

Pacific Export Lumber company, respondent against North Pacific Lumber company, appellant, appeal from Multnomah county, decision by A. F. Sears, Jr., judge; affirmed in an opinion by Justice Woodward.

Grant Thorburn, respondent, against G. H. Guthridge, appellant; appeal from Grant county; M. D. Clifford, judge; dismissed.

Shaw & Co. appellants, against Lee Gon and John Kennedy, respondents; affirmed in an opinion by Justice Bean.

State of Oregon, respondent, against R. E. Clark and John Kilham, appellants; appeal from Multnomah county; Sears, Jr., judge; reversed and a new trial ordered in an opinion by Justice Bean.

Thomas Allison and others, appellants, against R. E. Hatton, sheriff of Columbia county, respondent; appeal from Washington county; McBride, judge; reversed in an opinion by Justice Bean.

WOODMEN WELCOMED

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Commander William Reid, Advisory Lieut. B. K. Knapp, Banker W. L. Cunningham, Clerk C. C. Bradley, Escort C. M. Bequette, Watchman H. A. Friedrich, Chief of Police, Manager J. J. Hammer, George Punk, Frank Field, assisted by the following companies of the uniform rank: Prosperity 394, Dallas 298, McKinville 125, Prospect 140, Portland 107.

At 11 o'clock tonight a banquet will be served in Woodmen's hall, Tenth and Washington streets. Tables occupying the entire length of the hall were erected today.

This afternoon carloads of Woodmen will reach the city from Vancouver and Oregon City, and at 5:45 o'clock at the Yamhill street station delegations will arrive from Corvallis, Buena Vista, Philomath, Dusty, Monroe, Toledo, Independence, Monmouth and other cities to the south.

Trains from other parts of the state will reach the city this afternoon and evening. A feature of the celebration will be an exhibition drill by Multnomah camp, No. 27, of Portland, and Newberg camp, No. 115, of Newberg, to be given this evening.

MEETING OF SAINTS

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Science. "If you have a toothache, say so and have the tooth pulled," he urged. Both meetings were attended by crowds which filled the lower floor and balcony of the Marquam, although the house was so cold that the speakers did not remove their overcoats. Tomorrow and from now on the proper heating arrangements will be made.

Castro says Venezuela will defend the interests and honor of both that country and the United States. Now how can Uncle Sam resist such valiant friendship as that?

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PETER HEMMESTEAD DIES FAR FROM HOME

Peter Hemmestead died at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning while seated in the smoking room at the union depot. For a long time he had been a victim of consumption. He was about to take the train to Modesto, Cal., in the hope of prolonging his life, when the end came. His identity was discovered by letters found in his pockets. Several were addressed to Peter Hemmestead, Roseau, Minn. One was from his sister, living at Hallowell, Minn. Only her first name, "Anna," was signed to the letter.

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