

MULTNOMAH BAR PICKS MAN FOR SUPREME BENCH

Delegation Will Urge Governor to Appoint Judge Kavanaugh to Succeed Justice McCamant.

SENATOR OLSON IS OPPOSED

Attorneys of Multnomah County Object to Withcombe's Plan to Meet Political Obligation.

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—A delegation from the Multnomah County Bar association, according to reports reaching here from Portland, will come to Salem within the next few days to petition Governor Withcombe to appoint Judge J. P. Kavanaugh to the supreme court bench in the event that Justice Wallace McCamant resigns on March 1, as it is now reported he will do.

The report is in general circulation that the governor has promised the place to State Senator Conrad F. Olson of Portland, in payment of political obligations, and it is said here that leading members of the Multnomah Bar association are very strongly opposed to the chief executive taking such action. For this reason, it is said, the bar association will not delay in presenting its request to the governor to select Judge Kavanaugh for the vacancy, if it occurs, on the highest court in the state. It is known that Justice McCamant does not want to see Senator Olson, who has had no judicial experience, named to succeed him, while the other members of the supreme court are said to come far from approving such a selection.

Electrical Safety Code Proposed

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—W. C. Wagner, assistant electrical engineer of the federal bureau of standards, is here conferring with members of the public service commission and the commission's electrical engineers in regard to the adoption of the national electrical safety code, which was issued by the bureau last year after more than two years of investigation of the best methods for reducing electrical hazards.

Road Districts Must Have Budgets

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—In an opinion given to the state tax commission, Attorney General Brown holds that road districts must comply with the highest law and prepare and adopt estimates in the form of a budget of their expenditures before a tax levy is made. If any road district does not do this, he advised the attorney general, it will have the burden of establishing its exemption from the budget law and of upholding the validity of its tax by reason of its failure to comply with the statute.

Two Companies Incorporated

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—Articles of incorporation were filed Thursday by the Deschutes Valley Potato Growers association of Redmond, which has a capital stock of \$1000. The incorporators are Gustave E. Slatig, J. J. Ellinger and L. A. Hunt. Articles also were filed by the North Bend Meat company,

Austrian Slacker Puts 'Mr.' Before Name on His Card

Peter Delich, an Austrian of fancy tastes who served a sentence in the county jail for failing to register, when released today and taken before the exemption board for registration, protested against the way his name was "handled."

Abandoning his plan of getting his ideas across verbally he seized a pen and made a mark which exemption board officials are convinced was "Mr."

Two Water Projects Join Their Interests

Big Bend District of Oregon and Riverside District of Idaho Will Ask Federal Aid to Put Land Under Water.

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—The state engineers today announced that the project adopted by the Big Bend Irrigation district of Oregon in which it is proposed that this district, in cooperation with the Riverside Irrigation district of Idaho, contract with the United States reclamation service for the construction of drainage works and the delivery of additional water from the Arrowrock reservoir of the reclamation service.

The Big Bend district, which is located in Malheur county, contains about 6000 acres of land lying along the Snake river, which is partially irrigated by water obtained from the Boise river, while the adjoining Riverside district in Idaho contains about 8000 acres.

It appears that the reclamation of lands in the Boise project of the United States reclamation service, together with irrigation of lands in these two districts, has made it necessary to construct drainage works to prevent water logging of the land. The estimated cost of drainage works for the two districts is \$280,000, while the storage water will be supplied by the United States reclamation service at a cost of \$20,000. The cost of the works will be repaid to the United States reclamation service without interest in 20 annual payments.

Gas Meter Explodes; W. H. Kendall Burned

W. H. Kendall, living at the Garnett hotel, was severely burned this afternoon when a quarter-in-the-slot gas meter exploded in his room. The burns are around the neck and head. It is believed the explosion was caused by failure to turn off the stopcock after the quarter's worth of gas had been used up, another quarter starting the explosion. Kendall was treated at the Emergency hospital.

of North Bend, capital stock \$5000, and incorporators, Swaine Peterson, Gus Peterson and George A. Peterson.

MRS. FALLING CLOSE IN LITTLE THINGS, LAVISH IN BIG, IS TESTIMONY

Son of Contestant Says She Became Suspicious and Cool Toward Him.

CONGRESS DECLARES WAR UPON AUSTRIANS

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The late Xarfa Falling was close and penurious in small things but lavish in large things, was the testimony of Thomas N. Strong, one of the chief beneficiaries under the will, who was on the witness stand today in Judge Tazewell's court where the contest over the estate is in progress.

Strong told at length how Mrs. Falling would save a penny whenever possible, how she disputed his bills for professional services and afterwards paid them when he had made some small concession.

After observing her extreme parsimony in her living—she lived in a wretched room on the east side, he said—she would save him for weeks, when she sent to the Oregon Agricultural college, giving him everything he needed.

Mr. Strong told of the long friendship existing between Mrs. Falling and himself as her lawyer and confidential adviser. His testimony was that in 1887 or 1888, taking with him another woman and \$25,000 of his wife's money, he went to San Francisco, where she suspected he had gone and finally saw him accidentally. He said that, frantic with jealousy, he rushed from the house and shot him dead on the street in the presence of the woman with whom he had eloped.

He defended her at her trial for the killing of her husband, and after the case had gone to the supreme court and was sent back for a new trial, secured her acquittal.

W. Tyler Smith Jr. of Los Angeles, son of the Dr. Smith who is contesting the will, was on the witness stand for a short time to testify that he had known of town that he might return home. He told of calling upon Mrs. Falling, introducing himself as the son of his cousin, Dr. Smith of Sheridan. She was quite cordial at first, he said, but later began to suspect him of some ulterior purpose and became very cool.

KERTCHEN ASKS FOR DIVORCE

Man Alleges His Wife Left Him to Join Her Former Husband.

W. Kertchen has begun suit for divorce against Beulah Kertchen. In his complaint filed Thursday with the county clerk, he asserts that his wife left him to join her former husband. "She told me I was nothing but a moral ticket for the two of them," he further alleges.

O. C. Haley Asks for a Divorce

Albie Haley seeks as he alleges in his complaint, she objected to the way he spent his money. For this and other acts of cruelty he thinks he is entitled to a divorce.

Mildred Hall was given a decree of divorce from Hiram Hall by Presiding Judge Eugene D. Pinto. She told the court she was obliged to work as a telephone operator notwithstanding frequent illness, and had to pay debts contracted by her husband before their marriage.

PRISONER IS TAKEN SOUTH

Sheriff Hurlburt Also Takes Little Junket to California for Man. Sheriff Davis of Modesto, Cal., arrived in Portland Thursday morning and left the same day for California with John Henion, an escaped prisoner from the Modesto jail who was arrested here Tuesday.

No trace of Maurice Goff, a life-timer who escaped with Henion, has been found. Henion refused to give any information as to Goff's whereabouts. Sheriff Hurlburt accompanied Sheriff Davis to California, and will go to San Francisco for San DePinto who is wanted in Portland on a charge of non-support.

Carrie Mitchell Wins Divorce

Carrie Mitchell wins a decree in a hotly contested divorce suit begun by her husband, Joel B. Mitchell, in the circuit court Thursday afternoon. Circuit Judge Oughan of Salem sitting for Judge Tucker, awarded the custody of three minor children to Mrs. Mitchell's mother and ordered the husband to contribute \$25 a month to their support. The allegations, both in the husband's complaint and the wife's cross complaint, were cruelly and inhuman treatment.

Boys' Wish Granted

Ray Cramer, the 12-year-old lad who ran away from his 12-hour home recently, was returned to his father's custody by juvenile court authorities that he be sent to the reform school where he could be sent to contribute \$25 a month to their support. His case was investigated and his father's written consent was obtained. It was found that the boy's mother had been dead four years, that the father who is a carpenter in Kenton, had no proper home.

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LETTERS ARE GRANTED

Letters of administration on the estate of Louisa Morris, age 56, who died intestate November 11, were granted this morning to W. A. Johnson by order of County Judge Tazewell. The estate, estimated in the petition to be valued at \$30,000. The deceased is survived by Mrs. Mary R. Adair, a sister; William E. Morris, a brother of Fortland, and Benjamin Wistar Morris, a brother living at Mount Klisco, N. Y.

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difficulties. Inasmuch as the Austrian declaration, however, is a mere technicality to a more vigorous prosecution against Germany, I vote for the resolution.

La Follette Quits Chamber

Senator La Follette, who took his seat during debate, absented himself from the senate chamber when the roll call was begun.

The senate's vote followed stirring speeches by Senators Stone, Lodge and Hitchcock.

Senator Hitchcock said his objections to a declaration against Austria had been cleared away by President Wilson's stand, assuring Austria free access to the Atlantic.

His only reason for leaving Turkey out is the danger to American lives and property in Turkey.

Travis' End Hoped For

The only reason for leaving Turkey out is the danger to American lives and property in Turkey. "I do not touch Bulgaria in a military sense. But we have a Bulgarian legation in Washington and if the officials are friendly to us they are traitors to their own country and its ally Germany."

"I take no stock in the dream that we can detach Bulgaria and Turkey from the central powers," continued Lodge. "The only result of the war will be final extinction of the Turkish empire in Europe and freeing of the Dardanelles to all nations."

Seventy-four senators voted "yes" to the declaration of war against Austria. Discussion in the senate occupied less than an hour.

Of the 21 senators who did not vote, 20 were absent from the city. These included: Fall, New Mexico, detained by illness; Kendrick and Kenyon, who are out of the country; McNary, Oregon; Thomas, Kansas; Wolcott, Delaware; Jones, New Mexico; Broussard, Louisiana; Myers, Montana; Eshelman, California, and Poindeexter, Washington.

The death of Senator Hastings, Wisconsin, creates a vacancy. Senator Owen, Oklahoma, voted for today's resolution, prefacing his vote with a statement that the measure had been reported by the committee so promptly.

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BIGELOW GETTING LINE ON MAN BEST SUITED FOR BATTALION CHIEF

Rumor Is Commissioner Will Name Grenfell, but Decision Is Not Made.

Commissioner C. A. Bigelow, head of the fire bureau, will not appoint a permanent battalion chief to take the place left vacant by Jay W. Stevens until he has made a personal investigation of the fitness of the fire captains who passed the recent civil service examination.

Captain William D. Heath passed highest with a grade of 88.85 per cent. The two others who passed were Captain James Dillane with a grade of 77.11 per cent and Edward Grenfell with a grade of 76.15 per cent.

It had been rumored that Grenfell is to be appointed. Commissioner Bigelow says, however, that he will not decide on an appointment until he makes an investigation. He has the right to appoint any one of the three.

The place has been filled temporarily by Captain William Kerrigan. He was appointed battalion chief when Fire Marshal Stevens resigned, last June, to accept a position in San Francisco.

A permanent appointment may result in a change in the office of fire marshal. Battalion Chief Young has been holding the position temporarily, and Commissioner Bigelow has refused to make the appointment permanent until the vacancy among the battalion chiefs was filled. The ordinance creating a series of positions for fire marshals provides that a battalion chief shall be appointed to the position.

Christian Church Conference Ends

Cleveland Kleihauer of University Church, Seattle, Is Chosen President of Parliament.

Eugene, Or., Dec. 7.—The Pacific Northwest Parliament of Christian Churches elected officers for the coming year Thursday morning with the following result:

President, Cleveland Kleihauer of University church, Seattle; vice president, Floyd A. Jones of Milton, Ore.; secretary-treasurer, George H. Ramsey, pastor of Ballard church, Seattle.

At the forenoon session, Rev. A. L. Crim of Eugene presided over a series of doctrinal addresses on Hebrews which held the close attention of the members of the parliament and were declared a very thorough exposition of the book.

Dr. Frederick W. Kerchner also delivered his address on "Books and Preachers," urging all pastors to continue to read and study, keeping in touch with the world, but never forgetting that they are preachers.

White Salmon Elects. White Salmon, Wash., Dec. 7.—Tuesday's municipal election resulted in the election of J. C. Higdon, L. Woods and R. Roggy as councilmen, and M. Manley for city treasurer. A light vote was cast.

Woman Asks Share In Hercules Mine

Cour d'Alene, Idaho, Dec. 7.—(L. N. S.)—The famous Hercules lead and silver mine in the Burke district was worth \$4,000,000 in October, 1916, when Mrs. Mathilde Cardoner of Albuquerque, N. M., sold her one sixteenth interest for \$270,000, according to L. W. Hutton, part owner of the mine, testifying in the federal court here in the action now being heard in which Mrs. Cardoner seeks to recover her interest. She alleges the mine was worth \$40,000,000 at the time she sold her interest.

The suit has been brought against Eugene H. Day and other members of the Day family.

August Paulson, a Spokane mining millionaire, also part owner of the mine, on the witness stand declared he considers the price Mrs. Cardoner received was fair.

BALLOT TITLE READY FOR BILL BEARING ON DELINQUENT TAX LIST

Would Repeal Present Laws Requiring Newspaper Advertising and Effect an Economy.

Salem, Or., Dec. 7.—Attorney General Brown has completed the ballot title for the bill being initiated by C. S. Jackson and R. W. Hagood to repeal the present laws requiring newspaper advertising of

Delinquent Tax Notice Bill.—Purpose: To repeal present laws requiring newspaper advertising of delinquent taxes and in lieu thereof providing that tax collector shall after taxes become delinquent each year, mail by letter to each owner of real property at address furnished by him and noted on roll, a written notice containing description, amount of taxes, rate of interest, penalties and date on and after which certificate of delinquency shall issue; providing for posting of delinquent lists and proof by certificate of mailing and posting, making such certificate conclusive evidence thereof, and subjecting collector to damages sustained for failure to comply with act.

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