KENYON'S CHANGE TO JUDGESHIP IS FARM BLOC LOSS

Washington, Feb. 1.-The progressive element in the senate will lose a leader with the departure of William S. Ken-yon, who is now a federal circuit judge. The agricultural bloc will love one of its most uncompromising members and perhaps its principal leader.

Since Kenyon entered the senate in 1911 he has been an outstanding figure. There will be a distinct gap when he goes to the bench.

Kenyon has been consistently "un-regular" and is one of the few men in the senate who have had the courage to differ openly and emphatically with party leaders. He has spoken his mind and where principles and party clashed, party was forsaken. He commanded universal respect among his colleagues, even among those with whom he differed most

TALKED OF FOR PRESIDENT

The realms of politics will lose a figure whose prominence would have increased continually. Already there was talk that Kenyon would be put forward as a presidential candidate in 1924 to oppose President Harding. The talk increased as the administration's disapproval of the farm bloc became more apparent and more pronounced. Kenyor, was somewhat of a malcontent and something of an iconoclast, but he was not an extremist. And he had the sav-ing grace of humor, which is not a mon thing among objectors.

He was gifted with no great ability as an orator, yet he commanded attention when he spoke from the senate His denunciation against the seating of

Senator Newberry was almost a classic. It was typical of his attitude on other questions. His fight to retain high surtax also was typical. So the rather nebulous "progressive wing" among the Republicans is weakened. There are many in the capital who are sorry and a few in the senate. Kenyon has his ear close to the grass roots and he speke a language that the man in the street knew and understood.

RARDING'S MOTIVE SEEN

Senator Pat Harrison, Democrat of Mississippi, and chief mixer of political medicine for the minority, gave voice to a theory from the floor of the senate that will receive credence in some quar-ters. He declared that President Harding offered Kenyon the judgeship to break up the agricultural bloc. Nobody. of course, knows if this is true. But Kenyon's friends say he had wearied of public life and of service in the senate-which many an outstanding figure before him has done, and some believe that maybe Kenyon was not a fighter by instinct, although he fought.
"It will take a great amount of ex-

planation to remove that feeling," said Harrison. "In the West, the farmers, whose eyes are riveted on congress, will wonder if it wasn't the desire of the administration to rid the senate of the leader of the agricultural bloc when it selected Senator Kenyon to be a federal But, he added, "I don't blame Kenyon

for leaving this body." WANTED JUDGESHIP

Kenyon had wanted to take a judgeship when one was offered him som time ago. But there was some confusion at that time over questions of patronage, and in addition other senators canted him to continue his work as Kenyon and Senator Cummings, also from Iowa, were unable to ult of the deadlock was Kenyon's nom

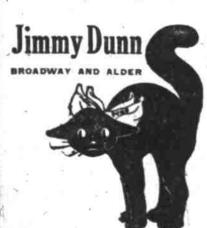
While a "progressive," Kenyon never was a member of that party. He supported Taft in 1912, although he had first gained prominence as a special attorney for the department of justice under Roosevelt : he was a "trust buster It was characteristic of the man that he remained a staunch friend of Roose velt. Cummings in that election sup-ported the new party, which had out a candidate against Kenyon.

Final Services Held For Pope Benedict

Rome, Feb. 1.-(U. P.)-The fina funeral service for Pope Benedict XV was celebrated today with the most solemn ceremonies. Afterwards the Sistine chapel was hastily prepared to serve as which meets tomorrow to elect a new

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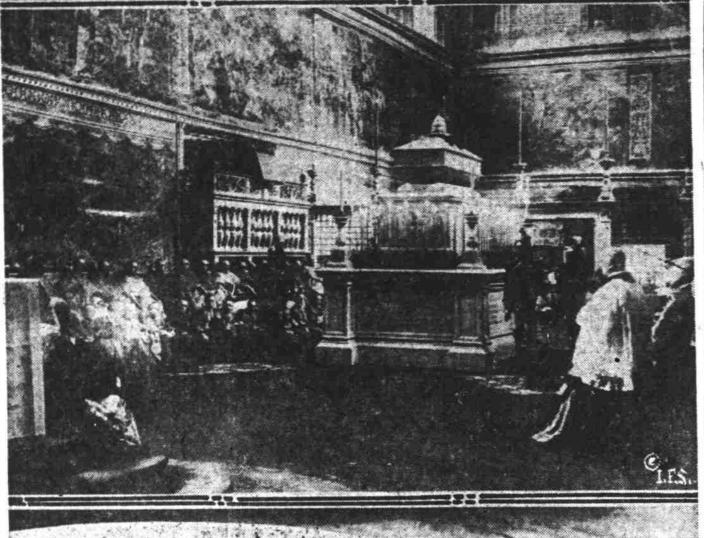


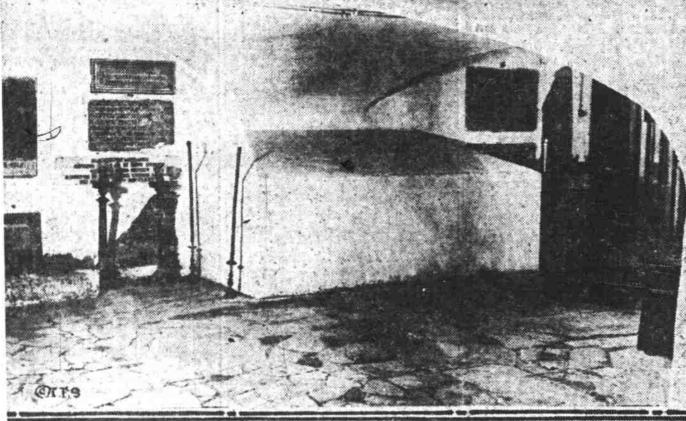
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\$21,000 and progress is considered satis- after a long illness. He was 75 years of

BERT SPRAGUE Roseburg. Feb. 1.—Bert Sprague, a of the McClennan hotel, and just before prominent citizen, died. Monday night, his illness, of the Douglas hotel.

age. His wife survives. He had lived here for 35 years, was formerly manager

Ashland, Feb. 1.-The cash register at the Elks' clubroom was rifled by burglars and between \$555 and \$60 taken. Checks were left, but emblems were

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By Clayton Whitehill

United News Staff Correspondent. Washington, Feb. 1. - Locked be neath the tablelands of Northern Alaska, near the Arctic circle, are thought to be vast reservoirs of petroleum which may Recent investigations in the northern wilderness have brought conviction that great oil reservoir lies on the public omain. The matter lately has received and his cabinet.

Leading oil companies have become interested and projects for exploitation are now being considered. President Harding, in his conference with newspaper men at the White House, Tuesday, said an announcement would be made shortly of the discovery of natural resources hitherto unknown. It was to Alaskan oil that he referred. DISTRICT UNEXPLORED

The chief obstacles to getting out the oil, of course, have been placed by na-The region is hundreds of miles to the north of the northermost railway. Much of it is unexplored. While t has a spring and summer, the warm periods are brief and the winters are bitterly cold. However, the tundra country of Alaska is more hospitable than the glacial steppes of Northern Siperia. Ocean currents temper the cold

"Already oil companies have prospect-.3 this region," Governor Scott C. Bon. told the United News in an exclusive annual official visit.

"As yet the exploitation of this field has not gone beyond the prospecting stage, but geologists are coming back with news of oil. night be disposed of

"Members of the United States geomiles long up there in the Artic regions," probably Hull logical survey have prospected there

within the last year, and they bring back similar news of oil. "The Standard Oil company has stak ed some of the country and I understand a Pacific Coast company plans to spend \$3,000,000 in prospecting this coming

Governor Bone, lies about 500 miles north of Fairbanks, the terminal point of the Seward-Fairbanks government railroad and extends probably to Point Barrow on the Arctic coast. INDICATIONS ENCOURAGE

Government investigators have found furnish future generations with oil as seepage oil over a wide area and this the supplies now being utilized diminish. fact, coupled with knowledge of the structural formation, has led them to believe petroleum exists there in large quantities and that the country is worth further and more intensive exploration the personal attention of Secretary of the government report further acknowthe proposition with President Harding due near Smith bay, 100 miles southeast of Point Barrow, where several large seepages were disclosed.

"The climate allows nearly three months of work a year in a temperature approaching 70 degrees and at no time uring the winter does the temperature fall below 40 degrees below zero," said

"In short the climate is similar to that of Minnesota and North Dakota, This mildness is due to the ocean winds sweeping the coast. The interior of Alaska is far colder.

"Therefore the working of these poential oil treasures is entirely feasible "Transportation, however, is another natter. A pipe line alone can solve that problem and I think is possible to lay ipes on the ground to the coast. From there the oil could be conveyed by

TO INSURE TRANSPORTATION With Bone is Colonel Frederick Mears, United States army, who built the Seward-Fairbanks railroad. They will con-Bone is in Washington on his fer with the secretary of the interio and congressional leaders regarding

legislation for joint arrangements be-tween the rail and steamer transporta- mains to be prospected. ion. This accomplished, Bone says, the

"Then too, there is a coal bed 125 tween Goteborg and a British

mains to be prospected." ning to establish a car ferry service

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