

THREE WOULD BE SENATE PRESIDENT

CARSON, DIMICK AND MALARKY ARE SAID TO BE ASPIRANTS IN UPPER HOUSE—MARION MAN MOST ACTIVE—LETTERS SENT TO ALL HOLDOVER SENATORS ASKING SUPPORT—C. N. McARTHUR GROOMED AS SPEAKER OF HOUSE BY FRIENDS.

(From Daily Oregonian, Monday, May 20.)

Speculation as to the organization of the Oregon legislature already is current, although theoretical election of presiding officers will not take place until the lawmakers assemble in biennial session at Salem, January 13. So far as the state senate is concerned, speculation as to its officers has been assumed definite shape at this early date. Three of the 15 holdover members of the upper house are aspirants for the presidency of that body and at least two of them are seeking already to find out how badly their colleagues desire to award to them the coveted honor of presiding officer.

The three are John A. Carson, of Marion; Walter A. Dimick, of Clackamas, and Dan J. Malarky, of Multnomah. Of the trio, Mr. Carson is the most active. He has written the holdover senators, requesting their support of his candidacy for the presidency.

Dimick Said to Aspire

Some time ago, when urged to become a candidate against W. C. Hawley for the Republican nomination for representative in the First Congressional district, Mr. Dimick let it become known that if he declined to enter the congressional race, he would seek election as president of the senate next winter. The Clackamas county man did not enter the race against Hawley and is reported to be planning an aggressive campaign for presiding officer of the senate.

Although Mr. Malarky has not made any statement as to his candidacy, he is being pushed forward as a candidate by his friends, including some of his associates in the legislative session. There also is another rumor in circulation to the effect that if the contest between Carson, Dimick and Malarky becomes so badly complicated, either L. E.

Bean or W. W. Calkins, the two holdover senators from Lane county, may go after the presidency.

Early Campaign Probable

Thirteen of the 15 holdover members of the state senate are Republicans. This gives the three Republican aspirants for president of the senate a field of 13 to work upon in advance of the election next November, when the other 15 members of the upper house will be elected. It is the practice of senators seeking the office of presiding officer to begin early and assemble what strength they can from among the holdover members and take chances of enlisting the support of a sufficient number of the newly-elected members later in the campaign to land the coveted plumb.

Aside from Carson, Dimick and Malarky, the holdover senators are: Hal D. Patton, of Marion; W. W. Calkins and L. E. Bean, of Lane; H. von der Hellen, of Jackson; C. L. Hawley, of Polk; J. L. Hoskins, of Yamhill; George W. Joseph, of Multnomah; C. F. Lester, of Clatsop; C. A. Barrett, of Umatilla; J. N. Burgess, of Umatilla; Claud C. McCulloch, of Baker, and Milton A. Miller, of Linn. McCulloch and Miller are the two holdover Democrats.

In the case of the house, the situation is different. The 60 members of this branch are elected biennially for one term. They will not be elected until next November. However, friends of C. N. McArthur, one of the 12 candidates for state representative in the Republican ticket from this county, already are grooming him for the speakership next winter, confident that he will be elected along with his 11 associates from this county. Mr. McArthur was speaker of the house at the 1909 session and later served as private secretary to Governor Benson.

RICHESON PAYS THE PENALTY

Boston, May 21.—"And may God, in His infinite goodness, have mercy on your soul."

Ring in the ears of the tall, powerfully built, waxen faced man on whom the stern mandate of the law was carried out in the death house in Charlestown prison yesterday were those words, uttered four months and two weeks ago to him, as he clung to the railing in the crowded courtroom in Boston, by Judge Sanderson, as the latter imposed the only penalty possible for his admission of the most cruel murder in the history of the state. Rev. C. V. T. Richeson, Baptist minister, who first betrayed and then murdered confiding, trusting Avis Linnell, belle of the little village of Hyannis, down on Cape Cod, had hoped by his open confession to avoid the ignominious death in the cruel chair. His lawyers had told him that he could probably earn a commutation of the death sentence by clearing up a murder mystery which, no matter how conclusive the evidence, would always have left suspicion in the minds of those op-

posed to circumstantial evidence in capital cases. And the man who had disgraced his holy calling, grasping at the straw, had pleaded guilty in the hope that after all he might save his life, even though doomed to spend the remainder of it in prison.

But the closing words of the black robed, stern faced judge brought the realization of how slender his hope was and Richeson had to be carried out of the courthouse to the prison van that returned him to the Charles Street jail, where most of the time since his sentence has been spent. Jail officials admitted today that he was greatly depressed from the moment he was brought back from hearing his fate pronounced. He realized that the closing words of the court, although a formula dating from past centuries, meant that his only hope was in the God whose calling he had betrayed and even since his waking and sleeping hours have been haunted by the spectre of the broad arm chair, with its bright metal base and cruel network of wires.

New York, May 21.—Bitter denunciation of what he termed the "mock religious" atmosphere surrounding the electrocution at Boston of Clarence V. T. Richeson, former pastor of a Cambridge church, was voiced here today by Rev. Dr. Madison Peters, a prominent Baptist minister of New York. He said:

"It is just such mock solemnity that most horrifies a hardened person. If the Rev. Mr. Johnson really asked Richeson: 'Are you ready to

die for Jesus' sake?' it was the worst travesty on the church and religion ever coming to my notice. It is just such maudlin and sacrilegious things that most disgust sensible people. "Richeson did not die for the sake of Jesus Christ. He died to satisfy the demands of justice. Such things only glorify murder and attract attention to murderers."

Hyannis, Mass., May 21.—Convinced that Clarence Richeson went to his death an insane man, Mrs. Linnell, mother of Avis Linnell, announced here today that she had forgiven the former pastor for murdering her daughter.

"I am convinced," Mrs. Linnell said at her home here today, "that Richeson had been mentally irresponsible for some time and died insane. Of course, I will accept the picture he left for me. Why not? It is a picture of my own daughter."

Douglas Richeson announced here this afternoon that he would not decide until tomorrow whether to claim his brother's body. He is awaiting word from his father. It is known that Richeson's father mortgaged his Virginia home to supply his son with delicacies during his last days. If the Richeson family does not claim the body, Attorney Morse will either ask the Edmunds to furnish funds for its burial or pay the expenses himself.

FINE CLEAN COMEDY FOR WEDNESDAY EVENING

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When the curtain goes up at the Grand Wednesday evening one of the prettiest, cleanest little comedies ever written will be presented. Not only is the play clean throughout, but it is brimful of laughter from beginning to end. Following is the cast:

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- Gretchen Lansing, the little sister, who wants to grow up..... Emmaline Klein
- Mrs. Wilburton, aunt to Tom, Madge and Gretchen..... Rhea Willson
- Miles Alden, a Boston law student..... Stephen Henderson
- Sidney Hilton, a student card sharp..... Robin Day
- Billy Merrill, a little freshman..... Perry Reigleman
- Ralph Lawrence, a football coach..... Lloyd Westley
- The Burglar, a knight of the Jimmy..... Robin Day
- Millicent Merrill, in search of her prince..... Ethel Thomas
- Shirley Hathaway, who thinks all the world of Ralph..... Emma Loubridge
- Dixie Davis, superstitious Southern co-ed..... Blanche Liston
- Louise Elmer, fond of art and adjectives..... Olive McGee
- Francis Palmer, with literary aspirations..... Hazel Erickson
- Jack, her faithful follower..... Jack Blinn
- Amy Dean, a co-ed who loves football..... Bertha Eckerlen
- Tilly, a maid, who "loves der pitcher poy"..... Alice Judd

Almost a Miracle.

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendon, Texas, was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by 10 bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for coughs and colds with excellent results. It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 Trial bottle free at J. C. Perry's."

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ALASKA CRUISER THE EOLA

J. P. Rogers, the Salem banker, who is touring Europe, is the gentleman referred to in the following from the Oregonian:

"The first motor boat built on the Willamette River to essay a trip to Alaska will be the cruiser Eola, owned by J. P. Rogers, present at the meetings of the Portland Motor Boat club, where it will remain until late in August when the start will be made. From stem to stern everything is of the finest and the workmanship is the acme of skill.

"The boat was built at Salem in the yard of Mr. Rogers. It is 65 feet long 13 wide and draws 3 feet 4 inches at the deepest point. The power plant consists of two 40-horsepower Westman engines which propel twin screws, sending the boat along at 11 or 12 miles an hour.

The Eola has three tanks having a total capacity of 500 gallons, while another tank holds 100 gallons of gasoline. Fresh water is taken along in another tank which holds 250 gallons.

One Engine Provides Light.

"Besides the two big engines, there is another smaller which drives a separate generator set for the lighting of the boat and working the bilge pumps. By manipulating the valves on the pump water is taken in from the outside and delivered at pressure in case of fire.

"She has a forward stateroom and a forward cabin. Back of these is the engine room, then the galley and bathroom and then the aft cabin. The last is large and roomy and along the sides are upholstered seats which can be converted into double berths.

"Still further to the stern is the rear stateroom, which is larger and more spacious than the other one. It has two big berths. In the wall of this room is an ice box which will hold 150 pounds of frozen water which can be put in from the deck.

Color Scheme Is White and Gray.

"Inside the boat is all finished in gloss white, while on the outside it is gray and white. It has a large funnel for the outlet from the engines and the galley and carries two masts.

"Mr. Rogers, who is a banker at Salem, will take a few friends with him on the trip, which he figures starting in August. Stops will be made at Seattle and at some of the points on the inside course to Alaska. R. L. White will be captain of the ship while Henry S. Folker will run the engines."

Land Bargains

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\$150 per acre will buy a fine ranch of 140 acres on Howell prairie. This is a fine place—good soil, well located, nicely drained, all cleared and in crop but about 20 acres in timber and pasture. Half crop goes with the place. Good house, barn, granary, outbuildings, family orchard, on good road. This is as fine a piece of land as there is in the valley. Can be sold on terms to suit.

\$140 per acre will buy 20 to 60 acres of fine land on good road in best part of Howell prairie. All cleared, all in crop, half crop goes with place. No buildings. Very easy terms can be arranged.

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WILLAMETTE GOES AGAINST FOREST GROVE

Wednesday the Willamette track team will journey to Forest Grove for the return meet with Pacific University. Since Pacific was here this month, Willamette has had no meets. The team has trained hard with the exception of the last few nights that the track has been too muddy. The track manager received word from Forest Grove that the track there was in fine condition and beyond all probability it will not rain enough to spoil it for Wednesday afternoon's meet. In the proceedings on the Methodist field at the Mat Day exercises, the Pacific aggregation walked away with the best end of things by three points. On account of some misunderstanding between the two managers, the 50-yard dash was not run in the meet here, with the understanding that it is to be run in the meet tomorrow, and the Willamette supporters are depending on that for three or four extra points to win the mix tomorrow. Pacific University's team is strong in the distance runs and the weights. Mayfield threw the discus 105 feet, winning by a margin of five or six feet and Austin won the mile and the half, although he worked harder for his points than Mayfield. The Willamette team will probably tie up several sprints in the sprints as Francis McInturff and Mills showed up well in the May Day meet. The two meets with Pacific University is an annual event at Willamette and on account of the defeat on the eighth, the students are praying that the Salem school will at least break even by winning the coming meet.

May Play at Harmless Games.

(From the Albany Herald.) The Methodist conference is still hesitating over the rule about dancing, but it ought to be safe to permit the members to play three-old-cat.

Other cities are trying to locate the Northwestern stove works, that will be removed from the state prison June 1.



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