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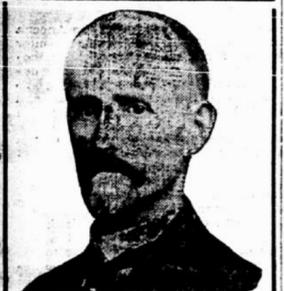
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SEES CUMMINS WINNER

SENATOR KENYON GIVES OUT INTERVIEW WHILE IN CHICAGO ON BUSINESS.

SAYS COUNTRY WEST OF MISSISSIPPI IS UNITED

Predicts That Progressives, With Cummins as Nominee, Will Come Back to Republican Party—Native Sons Not to Be Opposed—Cummins Coming Fast, Says Kenyon.

Senator William S. Kenyon of Iowa, in Chicago yesterday, put forward his colleague, Senator Albert B. Cummins, as the logical republican presidential candidate, according to the Chicago Tribune. Senator Kenyon positively disclaimed any intention on behalf of the Cummins men to attempt to secure delegates in "favorite son" states. He contended Minnesota, the first primary battleground, was certain to be for the senior Iowa senator, Iowa, standpaters and progressives, will be solidly for Cummins, Senator Kenyon says. His statement is printed herewith: "Senator Cummins as a presidential candidate combines ability and availability. The great country west of the Mississippi river never has furnished the republican presidential candidate. It is the thought and hope of that part of the republic that the precedent may be broken at the June convention in Chicago. "Senator Cummins has a strategic geographical position. He is not unacquainted, however, with conditions in the entire country. A candidate born in the west and spending a large portion of his life in the west knows well the needs, hopes, and aspirations of all our people. "Three Terms as Governor. "These terms as governor of Iowa have given him large executive experience. Two terms as United States senator have added broad legislative experience. He ranks today in the United States senate as probably the clearest thinker and most constructive statesman of that body. A careful student of economic questions; a thoughtful, powerful man—where can we find a better man equipped for the great executive office? "A brilliant orator, a magnetic personality, a spotless private and public life, a record of legislative accomplishment—where can the party find a stronger leader to oppose democracy in this campaign? "Further, his nomination will bring the progressive back to the party. The conservatives of the party will not hesitate to support him. The men who will be strongly for him, for it was he who wrote into the Clayton bill the emancipation proclamation for labor, viz: 'That the labor of a human being is not a commodity in commerce.' "Native Sons Unopposed. "I say nothing in disparagement of other good men who are candidates for this great office. The Cummins men will make no fight for delegates in any state having a favorite son. Iowa people think highly of Senator Sherman and have no intention of trying to secure delegates from Illinois. "In those states having no candidates we should make a dignified fight for our candidate and try to have the people familiarized with his record. "Minnesota will be the first battleground, and the sentiment there seems so strong for Senator Cummins that the opposition does not seem able to secure any one to go on the primary ballot against him. "The country west of the Mississippi river will, in my judgment, unite on Senator Cummins, and that vote will be powerful in the convention. Cummins is coming and coming fast.

Grinnell and Vicinity. Special to Times-Republican. Grinnell, Jan. 1.—Mrs. E. Shadbolt died at her home, 608 11th street, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon after a lingering and painful illness. She leaves a husband and two daughters. Funeral services will be held at the home at 10 o'clock tomorrow and the body will be taken to Brooklyn, the old home of the family, for interment. Charles Porter, 725 Spring street, has been seriously ill for several days from an attack of pneumonia, from which he does not seem to rally very hopefully. Mrs. A. L. Frisbie, Jr., was called suddenly yesterday by her former home at Northwood by the news of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Frank Scammon. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brainard are celebrating today the fifty-third anniversary of their marriage. They are among the very early citizens of this county and have lived in this city many years. Both are prominent in Odd Fellowship circles and Mr. Brainard is the weather oracle of the vicinity, with the government appliances for observations. Miss Vashti Kaye is taking a well earned vacation from the strenuous work in the college office and is going east after first making a visit of a few weeks with friends at Cresco. Even the best of chains will not always hold the automobiles on the present treacherous paving of the streets, as Dr. P. E. Somers found out when his machine slewed enough to tear off a hind wheel against the curb on Sixth avenue. Fortunately no one in the car was hurt and no other damage done to the car. Miss Ellen Price returned to Iowa City this afternoon to continue her post collegiate study of English, after spending the holidays at the home here on Prairie street with her mother, Mrs. Amy Price. The Elks opened their elegant lodge rooms last evening for a merry goodbye to 1915 and a joyful welcome to 1916. Cards, dancing and other amusements to suit the taste of all were in vogue and members and their families were invited. The engagement of Helen Wiley Hughes to Fred Reid Pearson, of Burlington, has been publicly announced by the mother of the bride-to-be, Mrs. Hugh W. Hughes. The annual reunion of the Grinnell high school class of 1912 was held at the home of Miss Gretchen Bayer, ending up with a supper at the Antlers cafe. Election of officers resulted in making Miss Mae Hammond president

for the next year and Miss Mabel Cowden secretary. An important business change takes place with the coming in of the new year. A. J. Cavana sells his interest in the hardware business of Richards & Cavana to C. S. George, the business being continued without a break, under the firm name of Richards & George. Mr. Cavana has been a partner in this business for the past four years. Prior to that time he had been for many years principal and superintendent of schools at Iowa Falls, Union, and Eldora. The invoice of the stock will be made next week. Mrs. Fred Kahler, who was taken to Iowa City six weeks ago and died of a fatal tumor of the brain, died in a hospital there on Monday and the body was taken to Oxford for interment. Daise Deslink, who developed a cough and seemed going into a rapid decline while confined in the county jail under a six months sentence for bootlegging, has been let out on parole, on the petition of County Attorney Henry G. Lyman, of this city, and Sheriff Lamb, Deslink is a Belgian and has a family somewhere in the war district on the western border, to whom he sent money some time ago to bring them here, but has heard nothing from them. Beaman News Items. Special to Times-Republican. Beaman, Jan. 1.—There are thirty-eight well defined cases of grip in town. John Johnson and wife have returned from Fairfield where they went to spend the holidays. Considerable corn is being marketed at 45 cents for seventy pounds. Hugh Brown, 53 years old, is having a severe tussle with the grip. He has symptoms of pneumonia. Skater Drowned at Burlington. Burlington, Jan. 1.—Herbert Madison, aged 11 years, the son of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Madison, of Burlington, was drowned in the Mississippi river here while skating. The pulmotor was used in an effort to revive him, but the lad could not be saved. He skated into an airhole. This is the first skating accident of the season and has cast a gloom over all. Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c. DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address on the envelope. You will receive a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, croup, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments, and for constipation, headache and sluggish bowels. McBride & Will Drug Co.

GATHERED BY THE WAYSIDE [By Ora Williams.] Des Moines, Jan. 1.—Not very often does an appellant court insert in the record it makes of cases decided a tribute to a former member of the court, tho it is frequently necessary to remark regarding judges and courts. But the Iowa court was justified the other day in departing from the rule, because a man practicing before the court had taken the liberty of making it of record that he thought a certain previous opinion of the court was not worthy to be followed as a precedent. The court last week, in an opinion, said of the matter: "The cases so mentioned are but few of the very many holding to the principle of the Delaney case and we suggest with all due deference that counsel indulge in them not disturb its standing as respectable authority. We should not take the time we have given to this subject were it not that the criticism of counsel's argument goes to the extent of a personal disparagement of the court, and that the opinion of the men who have occupied this bench in the history of the state not one has brought to it greater learning or more conscientious purpose to be right in his exposition of the law than did Justice McClain. He was untiring in labor, a close student of the cases and withal modest to a marked degree. To charge him with 'pretentiousness' is to do his memory a gross injustice and is one that a lawyer preparing a brief to go into the permanent records of the court of last resort can ill afford."

The other day a visitor to the state house was telling a group of friends how that about all "they" think about at the state house is how to get their salaries raised and how to get more money and spend more of the taxpayers' money. A few pertinent questions altered his harangue. But elsewhere in the state house officials were at work trying to untangle a complication in a border county of the state which they declared disclosed the smoothest job of extracting money from the public treasury that had come to their attention. It involved the "working" of general assemblies. In this county some years ago the board of supervisors was induced to grant the treasurer and auditor both additional compensation above the statutory salaries. As the county had a little less than 30,000 population this was legal as to the auditor, but not legal as to the treasurer. But the county officials came to the state capitol and induced the Thirty-fourth general assembly to change the population limit and it was legalized as to the treasurer. Then to get still more the auditor presented a bill to a city in the county for making up the tax list, tho the county paid the clerks for doing the work, and the city paid \$300. Now comes the Thirty-fifth general assembly with a bill readjusting salaries, and before it could get thru the influence of county officials in the afore-said city is so effected that an amendment permitting a deviation from the rule in that county alone, no other county being so favored. Now the state accountants in going back over the records find the various and sundry illegal payments and have made a report to the auditor, the sums thus wrongfully extracted from the public treasury must be paid back. Inasmuch as the claim is based on an accusation of fraud it is probable the statute of limitations does not apply and the county will get back considerable sums. And the situation fairly illustrates the winds of which the state is trying to straighten out to save the money of the taxpayers.

A broad generalization as to Senator Cummins, and his candidacy for the republican nomination for president, was made by his friends, reads as follows: "Born amid humble surroundings in western Pennsylvania, commencing life

as a wage earner, Mr. Cummins has ever had unwavering faith in American citizenship. His keynote has been individualism; emphasizing the rights and duties of men and women; always looking to the home as the unit and foundation of republican institutions. "Mr. Cummins came to prominence as a lawyer by winning, practically single handed and against enormous odds, a notable court victory that broke an oppressive monopoly, reduced the price of barbed wire more than half and saved millions of dollars each year to the American farmers. "Thus early he was champion of the rights of the many. "Mr. Cummins at great personal sacrifice responded to the call of the people to help restore to them the power lost and protect their rights thru needed political reforms. He was governor of Iowa seven years and while in office he banished the seductive free pass and the boss ridden caucus, put the corrupting lobby to rest, and gave to the citizenship of his own state political equality under the primary system and the direct election of senators. "Thus he earned the gratitude of all men who love free political institutions. "Mr. Cummins carried into the larger field of national politics the principles he had helped crystallize into law for Iowa, and fought for them with the same vigor and earnestness in the regulation of corporations, the income tax, national finances and banking, anti-trust legislation, the tariff, liberal support for education, the status and relation of labor and capital, and progress along political lines. As a true servant of the people he has been very important in the work in the interest of the farmers, the wage earners, the manufacturers, the shippers, tradesmen—the independent and free Americans—who create the wealth and conserve the political institutions of the great republic. "He does not need to make either promises oratory; his record is conclusive that his heart beats right."

TO INVITE M'ADOO

IOWA DEMOCRATS DESIRE TO HEAR TREASURY HEAD AT JACKSON BANQUET.

MARSH TO ENTERTAIN PARTY WORKERS OF STATE

National Committee For Iowa to Be Host at Waterloo on Jan. 10—Secret Meeting Held to Lay Plans For Iowa Campaign—County Clubs to Be Organized.

Council Bluffs, Jan. 1.—William McAdoo, secretary of treasury, will be invited to speak at a Jackson day banquet to be tendered democrats of Iowa by Wilbur W. Marsh, national committeeman, in Waterloo, his home town, the night of Jan. 10, according to a statement given out following a conference of the state party leaders in Council Bluffs.

The meeting was held in the red room at the Grand hotel. Much secrecy surrounded it. The conference opened shortly after 1 o'clock and did not break up until 7 o'clock.

During the afternoon the organization of democratic clubs in every county in Iowa received much attention, and ways and means of extending it to every section of the state were discussed. To further plans outlined, a meeting of the state central committee to be held at Des Moines Thursday was announced by Dr. J. W. Reynolds, state chairman.

At the Des Moines meeting conferences for every congressional district in Iowa will be arranged for. These conferences will be under the direction of Marsh. From the meetings in the congressional districts are expected to spring democratic clubs of a local character that will be affiliated with the state organization.

All Officers Are Present. The officers of the Iowa Democratic Club, of which Emmet Tinley, of Council Bluffs is president, E. T. Meredith, of Des Moines, is treasurer and J. J. Doty, of Shenandoah, is secretary. It was denied after the conference

that state policies and candidates received extended attention. During the afternoon the candidacy of Meredith for the nomination of governor at the primaries next fall was brought up, but he made no announcement. It was said that he would enter the race. While his name was being discussed by other party leaders Meredith suggested the use of the name of Emmet Tinley for governor. Tinley refused to listen to his name being used, declaring that the campaign would be very distasteful to him.

GRIP EPIDEMIC IN IOWA. Approximately 200,000 Iowans Suffering With Disease. Des Moines, Jan. 1.—City Physician Saylor declared today that there are more than 10,000 cases of grip in Des Moines, the worst epidemic of its kind that has ever visited the city. Physicians are laboring overtime, drug stores and towns indicate that there is nearly everybody is either in bed or sneezing.

That the grip is spread more by sneezes emitted in crowds is the warning issued by the local health department which urges people to remain away from the public gatherings until the epidemic is over.

One little sneeze by a grip victim sends into the air thousands of little grip germs which flutter about anxiously awaiting to be inhaled by an unsuspecting victim who the next day complains of a headache, chills and other grip symptoms.

The grip situation over the state is little improved, according to the state health department. Since Dr. Sumner, chairman of the board, declared a few days ago that one third of Iowa has the grip reports from half a dozen cities and towns indicate that there was a grain of truth in the doctor's estimate.

Conservative estimates by state health officials place the number of Iowa grip victims at 200,000. There is, however, no way of determining the exact number of sufferers from the ailment.

RURAL CHURCH BURNED. Edifice Near Lakota Filled For Entertainment When Fire Is Discovers. Oskaloosa, Jan. 1.—The United Brethren church and chapel near Lakota, was burned to the ground on Wednesday evening. An entertainment was in progress at the time, a lady impersonator from Clark College in Toledo, was giving the entertainment. The chapel was filled to its capacity when the fire broke out, the program was about half over and there was a lively scramble of people from the burning building. It is thought the roof took fire from sparks from a chimney, and only the organ and a part of the lighting system of the building were saved.

The church is located just three miles south of Lakota on the Monro county line. No plans for the rebuilding of the church have been started or talked of, and it is not known at the present time what decision in the matter will be made.

News of Union. Special to Times-Republican. Union, Jan. 1.—David Hauser has purchased of Mrs. Jennie Chaplin Lepley the two vacant lots on North Main street just north of the W. H. Bowen home. Mr. Hauser will erect a modern home on the site the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Miller returned Friday from the exposition and a visit with parents in Portland, Ore., spending two months in the West.

Mrs. E. B. Watson has been a great sufferer the past few days with inflammation rheumatism.

Steve Miller, of Washington Springs, S. D., formerly in business here, is visiting his friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cordie are confined to the bed suffering with the grip.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hutson is enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harper Meyers and family, of North Dakota. Mrs. Meyers is a daughter of Mrs. Hutson.

George Lepley, Jr., was circulating a petition among the patrons of the Union postoffice Friday asking their endorsement as postmaster at the expiration of the term of the present postmaster, Jesse V. Williams. Mr. Lepley was postmaster under the administration of Cleveland and gave entire satisfaction.

Reversal to English Custom. Davenport, Jan. 1.—Office houses to take the places of the saloons which will go out of business at Davenport the first of the year were advocated at a meeting of the Friendly House, Davenport's leading social settlement. The coffee houses are planned to serve the needs of the working class.

Sounds Fishy. A New York lawyer tells of a case tried in a fishing town of Massachusetts, during which the chief witness under cross-examination refused to state the amount of his gross income. "You must answer the question," said the judge. "But, Your Honor," said the man, "I have no gross income; I am a fisherman, and it's all net."

Hard Luck Indeed. Betty was lamenting to her aunt the fact that the only had one grandfather while her little friend had two. Her aunt tried to console her by saying one grandfather was in heaven, to which she replied: "Oh, dear, I've had awful luck with my grandfathers; one is in heaven and the other one is lame."

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PROSECUTOR MARSHALL AND MONNETT, ONE OF EIGHT MEN ACCUSED OF PLOTTING

Frank Buchanan, of Illinois, member of the United States house of representatives; H. Robert Fowler, a former member of that body; Frank S. Monnett, a former attorney general of Ohio; Franz Rintelen, a captain in the German navy; David Lamar, a Wall street operator; Jacob C. Taylor, the president of Labor's National Peace Council, and two other officials of that organization, Henry B. Martin and Herman Schultze, were indicted by a federal grand jury in New York for conspiracy to prevent the manufacture and shipment of arms, ammunition, aeroplanes, automobiles, railway supplies and locomotives and other articles needed in modern warfare, from this country to Great Britain, France and the nations allied with them. These indictments are the first that have been handed down for alleged instigation of strikes and attempts to obstruct the manufacture of munitions, other alleged pro-Teuton conspirators having been charged with plots to blow up ships, destroy the Welland canal and otherwise violate neutrality. The provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law in respect of restraint of trade were invoked in the case of Labor's National Peace Council. H. Snowden Marshall, United States district attorney for the southern district of New York, is the prosecutor in the case.



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LORIMER CASE CALLED. Former Senator Placed on Trial, But Hearing is Continued. Chicago, Dec. 31.—William Lorimer, former United States senator and president of the defunct LaSalle Trust and Savings bank, was formally placed on trial today on a charge of looting the institution of \$2,000,000 in money and securities, and the case was then continued to Jan. 17, when the selection of jurors is to begin.

OVERROEDER ARRESTED. Defaulter Wanted in Illinois Believed in Custody at "Frisco." San Francisco, Dec. 31.—A man who the police said was William H. Overroeder, was arrested today as a fugitive from justice in connection with an alleged shortage of \$40,000 in the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway freight office at Peru, Ill.

DEFEND SEARCH OF MAIL. Manchester Guardian Finds Practice Unfortunate But Necessary. London, Dec. 16.—In an editorial on the subject "Contraband by Parcel

Post," the Manchester Guardian today says: "Despite protests by the Dutch and Swedish governments, to be followed in all probability by one from the United States, there can be no doubt that mail gives protection to the carriage of contraband. The editorial argues that it is unfortunate that delays in delivery should be necessary from the search, and continues: "There is no question of law involved, except the old question on which the American has argued so cleverly about the validity of the March orders in council."

The Guardian expresses the hope that the foreign office will be allowed a free hand to deal with the question.

Never Saw a Woman Do It. 'I've seen millions, I don't know but billions, of men and boys stop to compare their watches by the chronometers in jewelers' windows,' said a man who thinks his watch is always correct, and who likes himself to so compare it, 'but I never saw a woman do that. Did you?'

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