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IS GOVERNOR CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATOR?

George F. Authier, political writer for the Minneapolis Tribune, claims that Governor Johnson is being groomed by the democrats as a candidate for U. S. senator, to succeed Moses E. Clapp; and among other things which he writes as indicative of this action on the part of the "dems." Authier says:

"The situation is peculiar, but not entirely impossible, as the democratic leaders view it. Whether W. S. Hammond, John Lind or John A. Johnson himself becomes the leader of the democratic gubernatorial fight, John A. Johnson will be the real candidate for the senatorship, and this plan will include the support of republican votes. In many districts it is proposed to put up Johnson as senator, and the test will be whether or not the legislature will be for him in the joint caucus or not. Such a test will furnish a nice situation. It will determine whether or not Johnson can carry his personal following in the senatorial fight, or whether he will lose it when he leaves the gubernatorial office.

"From the northern part of the state, Johnson, in a fight like this, may expect added support. Republican senators, like Pugh, Laybourn, Alderman and others, would be in an embarrassing position. Johnson was the saving grace for the northern part of the state in his veto of the tonnage tax. Northern senators coming to St. Paul say that as a result of that veto, Johnson can have anything he wants from that section, and it is safe to assume that the Johnson forces are taking this situation into consideration in framing up their attack on the senatorship. Whether they would lose more in the southern part of the state than they have gained in the northern portion, remains to be seen."

HOLDS VANDERBILT TO BLAME

Antonio A. Ruiz Discusses Death of Former Wife.

Paris, June 26.—Antonio A. Ruiz, former husband of Mrs. Mary Agnes Ruiz, who recently killed herself in London, freely discussed the death of his former wife. Ruiz, who was once a diplomat in the service of his country, Cuba, did not mince his words nor try to hide his feelings. He said emphatically he holds Alfred G. Vanderbilt responsible for his marital unhappiness and attributes the death of the woman he divorced to her unhappy association with the young New York millionaire.

"Although I divorced Mrs. Ruiz I have never forgotten that she once was my wife and I am inexpressibly grieved that she was brought to such an end by that man."

THEIR LOVE HAS A PRICE

Fifty Women Sign Pledge to Marry Only Equal Suffrage Advocates.

New York, June 26.—Following Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont's suggestion that women become modern Lyelstratas and force men to comply with their wishes by withholding love fifty unmarried members of the Progressive Woman's Suffrage union of this city have signed a pledge not to marry any man who will not first formally agree not only to support woman suffrage, but take an active part in the fight for it.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat.
 Minneapolis, June 25.—Wheat—July, \$1.27 1/2; Sept., \$1.11 1/2; Dec., \$1.09 1/4. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.31; No. 1 Northern, \$1.30; No. 2 Northern, \$1.28 @ 1.28 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.26 @ 1.27.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
 Duluth, June 25.—Wheat—On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.30 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.29 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.27 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.25 1/2. Flax—Sept., \$1.12; Oct., \$1.10; Nov., \$1.08. Sheep—Wethers, \$5.00 @ 5.25; yearlings, \$3.75 @ 4.25; lambs, \$7.25 @ 7.75; spring lambs, \$7.50 @ 8.25.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
 St. Paul, June 25.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50 @ 6.75; fair to good, \$4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.50 @ 5.50; veals, \$5.50 @ 6.25. Hogs—\$7.00 @ 7.35. Sheep—Wethers, \$5.00 @ 5.25; yearlings, \$3.75 @ 4.25; lambs, \$7.25 @ 7.75; spring lambs, \$7.50 @ 8.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
 Chicago, June 25.—Wheat—July, \$1.15 1/2 @ 1.16; Sept., \$1.10 1/2; Dec., \$1.08 1/4 @ 1.09; May, \$1.11 1/2. Corn—July, 70 1/2c; Sept., 67 1/2c @ 67 3/4c; Dec., 58c; May, 58 1/2c @ 58 3/4c. Oats—July, 50 1/2c; Sept., 43 1/2c; Dec., 43 1/2c @ 44c; May, 46c. Pork—July, \$20.15; Sept., \$20.35. Butter—Creameries, 22 @ 25c; dairies, 20 @ 25c. Eggs—15 @ 21c. Poultry—Turkeys, 14c; chickens, 12 1/2c; springs, 16 @ 22c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
 Chicago, June 25.—Cattle—Beeves, \$8.10 @ 7.35; Texas steers, \$4.75 @ 6.25; Western steers, \$4.75 @ 6.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.60 @ 5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.50 @ 6.50; calves, \$6.50 @ 7.50. Hogs—Light, \$7.08 @ 7.70; mixed, \$7.25 @ 7.35; heavy, \$7.50 @ 7.90; rough, \$7.30 @ 7.50; good to choice heavy, \$7.50 @ 7.90; pigs, \$6.10 @ 6.50. Sheep—Native, \$3.50 @ 5.85; yearlings, \$6.00 @ 7.00; lambs, \$5.00 @ 8.00; spring lambs, \$5.50 @ 8.25.

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LEON LING MAY BE ON STEAMER

Chinaman of Similar Name Sails on Arizonian.

JOINED CREW ON JUNE 11

Vessel Left New York on Following Day, Loaded a Cargo of Coal at Lamberts Point, Va., and Is Now En Route to San Francisco—Not Likely to Touch at Any Port for Some Weeks.

Norfolk, Va., June 26.—The Hawaiian Steamship company's steamer Arizonian, which sailed from Norfolk Thursday bound for San Francisco, is believed to have on board Leon Ling, or Lang, who was signed as a member of the vessel's Chinese crew in New York June 11. He left on the steamer June 12 for Lamberts Point, where on Thursday she finished taking on a cargo of government coal for the Pacific coast.

Leon Ling, or Lang, is only one of three Chinamen who signed as members of the crew of the Arizonian, which up to this time has been plying between New York, Philadelphia and Mexican ports in the sugar trade. She



WILLIAM LEON.

is now to run between San Francisco and Hawaii. The first port at which the Arizonian is likely to stop on her way southward is St. Lucia, in the British West Indies, but being an oil burner it is quite possible that she may make no stop until Punta Arenas, in the Straits of Magellan, is reached.

The script writing filed at the Norfolk customhouse is not sufficiently clear to tell exactly whether the name of the suspect aboard the Arizonian is "Ling" or "Lang," it could be taken for either. While the age of Elsie Sigel's murderer is given from New York as thirty-five years the age of Leon Ling, or Lang, aboard the Arizonian, is given as thirty-seven years.

LEON TRACED TO WASHINGTON

Chinaman Sent Message to Parents of Elsie Sigel.

New York, June 26.—The fact that the telegram sent to the parents of Elsie Sigel from Washington on the night of her disappearance, assuring them of her safety and promising her early return, had been sent by Leon Ling, the young Chinaman whom the police charge with her murder, was established by Detective Van Wagner, who returned from Washington armed

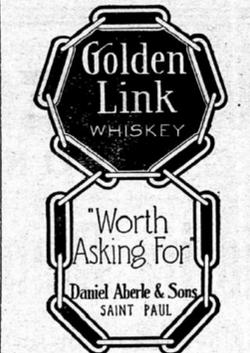
with the original of the telegram. Detective Van Wagner was able to compare admitted handwriting of the missing Chinaman with that on the telegram form and the similarity is marked. The detective also found a number of persons who had seen Leon in the National hotel, Washington, and all doubt of his having been in the capital on the day the telegram was sent has been removed.

Tuckers Agree to a Divorce.

Chicago, June 26.—Notice was given Judge Barnes of the superior court that Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Logan Tucker and her husband, Colonel William F. Tucker, who was recently retired from active service in the United States army, have reached an agreement whereby Mrs. Tucker will ask for a decree of divorce on the grounds of desertion.

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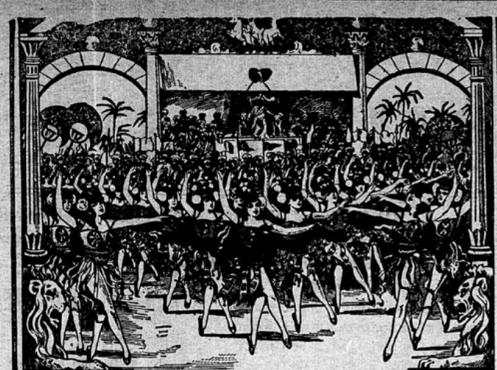
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Registration for all these lands extends from July 15 to August 5, 1909. Drawing will take place August 9, 1909. Entries will not be made before April 1, 1909.

For the Flathead land, registration is at Missoula, Montana. For Coeur d'Alene land at Coeur d'Alene City, Idaho. For Spokane land at Spokane, Washington.

For detailed information regarding lands etc., write to C. W. MOITZ, Gen. Emig. Agent Northern Pacific R'y, ST. PAUL, MINN. For full information about Summer Parties and Home-seekers' fares and train service write to

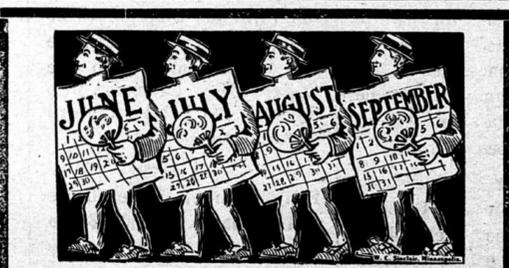
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