MISSION FOR BISHOP WINKER

Must Yield Up His Fat Job and Rustle.

But He Doesn't Wish to Travel and Appeals to Brother Penrose.

Cites Case of Brother Smoot and Gets His Seven Fathers-in-Law

Strictly Confidential, MORMONTON, Utah, Oct. 14 - Dear Brother Penrose (Apostle and Editor of the Descret News) -You will be surprised to get a few lines from your old pal in polygamy, but things have been doing with me lately and I just can't restrain

myself in silence any longer. I must let somebody in on the latest outrac, against one who has always been in narmony with his quorum, and after reading your able denunciation of the enemies the kingdom of God, I concluded I would open my heart to you just as I used to do, when we were pals, before you got into the apostolate and out of my gospel

My No. 5 met your No. 2 the other day and from her I learned that the report that you had been gagged was a mistake, although she said that you were champing on the bit a great deal and sweating blood. She said it was rather quiet about the temple these days, now that all plural marriages had to take place in Mexico.

Fits Him Down to the Ground.

Well, to get back to what I wished to tell you. You know this bishop business just fits me down to the ground. With the casy grafting that goes with the job and the seven Mrs. Winker to do all the work, my natural aversion to any exertion, excepting that of the chin, has kept me in harmony with the quorum, and if there is any real joy in living I was getting it, with the aid of a cob pipe and a doublejointed corkscrew.

But now all is changed. I have had letter from Box B giving me notice that I have been set apart for a mission. None of the agonizing particulars are given, but I am informed that the details will be delivered by one of the brethren in person. When I thought of the holy graft that I would have to let get away from me, I was so Jown in the mouth that I could

You know that my zeal and eagerness for the advancement of the Lord's kingsom, Prother P., has always been up to the high water mark, but always I was singularly averse to labor. You and I are alike in this. I was reading your biography the other day in the L. D. S. Encyclopedia, and I came to the line which says "for the first time in his life he went to work-for which he was natur-Then I knew that we were two souls with but a single thought, and that was to escape from the drudgery of earning a living and from the annoyance of clammy perspiration.

Born for a Bishopric.

ras so tired when I was a boy that father used to single me out of a famof sixty-four and say that I was so my that he was sure that I was cut out for a bishop, or perhaps an apostle. Alack, he died and left me an orphan at is, and then I had to hustle for myself.

Work was out of the question. I'm just naturally as artistocratic as an angora goat, and my whiskers prove it. My idea is to have an easy, calm, luxurious life, with nothing to do and plenty of time to do it in. Give me the best and enough of waste, and I ask for nothing more. But I hate skimpiness. I could endure yachts, motor cars, country houses, boxes at the opera and all that sort of thing, if I hadn't been a Mormon. But having been born a Mormon, I took

to religion and yellow legged chickens like Methodist, and hated water like a native Kentuckian. So I made up my mind, such as it was, to work up in religion. Nothing was too high or too good for me. decided to be a bishop, then an apostle and finally the first president. After you got into the quorum of twelve, I knew that there was no reason why I couldn't got in. I hate work just as hard as you do, and do as little of te

Not Too Smooth.

I know I'm not as smooth as carbolized vaseline and I can't dodge the truth like you can, but I can see just as many great men in my looking glass as some other men who don't pay their tithes. I saw hat the way to rise in the church was stand in with the first families and get first families to pull for you. This

es rather a choice thought for an orphan without riches or relatives, and I nailed it down just as I would limburger cheese or anything else that might get away.

Then I began to live up to my privileges. never lost sight of the fact that I was Saint, and that the earth belongs to the Saints. The Lord enabled me to define my views with proper persuasive eloquence to the daughters of the first families, with the success that you have already applauded. I became a respected son-in-law in seven of the first families, and from that to bishop of this ward was as easy as kicking the roof off the limit, whatever

that may mean. I developed the real fervor in collecting tithes, and my life became one grand, sweet song, as Brigham Young have said if he had thought of it before Grover Cleveland. There was no man in the ward who could practice at Brother Nephi's bar with the capacity and staying

qualities of your old pai Winker.

Set Apart for a Mission. But, alas, now the jig is up. I'm set art for a mission. I must yield up this mphant existence, and get in motionething that I have sidestepped for ty years. If I had only accumulated instead of comfort, of course I

might square things, but I have laid up all my treasures in heaven instead of on earth, and I can't get at 'em now when need them. But I have got my seven

fathers-in-law to work. You know our old friend Brother Reed Smoot had a mission of two years abroad changed to a mission of five years at his me in Prove looking after his weeten business, and with you and Brother Smoot in the quorum, there is no reason why you can't steer things my way. A mission here in Mormonton is the thing.

Ought to Be Able to Make Good. Any highly respected bishop like myself, whose diplomacy in politics and large family connections are well known, ought to be able to make good to the Mormon church right now when the American party is scaring the liver, lights and lungs

out of Brother Spry and agitating the apostles like a case of smallpox in the suorum, and everybody opposed to vaccination and too much frightened to lay on Brother Smoot is the only man in the

twelve who isn't agliated. I take off my lid to Brother Smoot. He's it. Those who say he doesn't know enough to get excited don't know him as we do. If the did there would be more-that is to say more things to pay. But Brother Smoot makes the other apostles look like thirty cents when it comes to getting there with cold feet. When he visited our ward, we had the band out playing "Hall to the Chief' and "There's a New Coon Town" and other appropriate tunes. Brother Smoot's all right, even if he does say it himself, who had not ought to say

Now, I want you and Brother Smoot to do all you can for me. I'm not threatening to expose you or anybody else know what happened to Brother Thatcher and to Brother Roberts, and I don't want it to appen to me. Besides, I'm too fat to crawl on my belly as they did. Of course, if I must go and the quorum feels that way about it and absolutely nothing else will do, why all right-the mission goes and I go with the mission. See? But it is d-d hard luck for a bishop. Your true

brother in the gospel,
CEPHAS AURELIUS WINKER,
Bishop of Mormonton.
P. S.—Here's looking at you.

SMOOTLER LIARS DENOUNCED.

Judge Powers Says a Few Plain Words to Large Crowd at Logan, Special to The Tribune

LOGAN, Oct. 14-Judge O. W. Powers, Democratic candidate for Congress, came into Cache valley this afternoon and made two speeches, the first at Lewiston at is o'clock, the second at Richmond at night. He will speak tomorrow at Smithfield and then go to Box Elder county. This is the first appearance of Judge Powers during this campaign in the northern part of Cache valley, and his reception at Lewiston and at Richmond, the home of Apostic Marriner W. Merrill, the Republican apostolic leader. The delayed train caused Judge Powers to be three hours late at Lewiston, but an enthusiastic crowd waited for his coming. At Richmond the crowd was so large that the commodious operahouse only accommodated about one-half the crowd that gathered. The Hyde Parke band and the Sagebrush Glee club, fifteen strong of Logan, helped to keep up the enthusiasm. Democratic candidate for Congress, came

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Judge Powers discovered when he reached the county that the Smoot element had been conducting a dirty and discreditable campaign and he denounced the efforts of Chairman Spry's committee in plain and vigorous language. Judge Powers said among other things.

"I don't want to be elected to Congress if I have to he by the false statements made by my friends against Joseph Howell." He referred to the current report that Senator Frank Cannon's advent into the American party was made at the instance of Simon Bamberger and himself. He denounced this as an unqualified lie and said that any man who repeats this story after his published denial is a liar. He said that Chairman Spry's committee is conducting a gum shoe campaign, and whispering slanders from mouth to mouth. Continuing, he said. 'I call on you, Joseph Howell, in your home county of Cache and ask if you can afford to walk back into Congress on a pathway paved with lies; and, more than this go to your friends on the street and call all those party workers who are appealing to the religious prejudices of the people."

BULLDOZING CHARGED.

Alleged and Denied That Men Were Discharged for Political Reasons. Special to The Tribune.

EUREKA, Oct. 14.-James Earles, su-EUREKA, Oct. 14.—James Farles, su-jerintendent of the Buillon-Beck mine, re-jetived a telephone message this evening from P. T. Farnsworth, manager of the Buillon-Beck Mining company, to dis-charge Harry Earles and Joseph E. D'Brien, two employees of the company, on the spot.

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Superintendent Earles says there has been no complaint against either of the men, and as both men have been faithful in the discharge of their duties, the only conclusion that can be reached here is that they were discharged because they joined the American party, which was organized here Tuesday night, and have taken a prominent part in it.

That is the opinion expressed by Foreman Anderson of the mine, who is in a position to know. Harry Earles is the sen of Superintendent Earles, and occuples the position of master mechanic. He has been an employee of the company for fifteen months and during the underground fire in the mine a year ago worked day and night in assisting to extinguish it.

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Mr. O'Brien has been working for the company a year and had charge of the carpenter shop. Both were members of the committee on resolutions at the organization of the American party here.

The Gentile population of the camp is indignant over the situation and condemn the action of President Farnsworth in decided language. Joseph F. Smith is the vice-president of the Bullion-Beck company.

Mr. Farnsworth had retired when a representative of The Tribune called at his home in Salt Lake last evening, but sent word by his daughter that there was not a word of truth in the statement that he had had Earles and O Brien discharged because of their connection with the American party. Mr. Farnsworth made no further statement as to why the men were discharged.

Morgan County Democrats Nominate.

Special to The Tribune. MORGAN, Utah, Oct. 14.-The Demo-MORGAN, Utah, Oct. 14-116 ratic county convention neminated the ollowing county ticket, three of whom he the present incumbents.

Representative—Joseph E. Francis.

Commissioner (long term)—Joseph Dur-

Commissioner (short term)-James Hop-

County Clerk-William Robison.
Trensurer-J. R. Rawle.
Attorney-John V. Stewart.
Sheriff-P. Rock, Jr.
Assessor-William Giles.
Recorder-W. J. Edington.
Surveyor-F. W. Clark.
Superintendent of Schools-H. B. Fry.

Cockran's Date in Salt Lake.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The Democratic National committee announces that Representative W. Bourke Cockran will speak is New York October 17. Chicago October 29. Davenport Ia., October 21. Kansas City October 22. Salt Lake City October 24. Butte. Mont. October 25, and Indianapolis October 23.

IT IS NOW UP TO CHAIRMAN SPRY

Characterization of His Story Severe.

Frank J. Cannon Issues Challenge That Puts Smoot Leader in a Hole.

He Must Divulge Informant's Name or Stand Accused of Wilful Falsifying American Party Leader.

Attention is now centered on the statement, recently made by one of the subidized weeklies, and the corroboration of hairman Spry, to the effect that the Naional Democratic organization is responsible for Senator Frank J. Cannon's in-

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It was stated by the subsidized weekly
that Senator Kearns and Judge O. W.
Fowers had had to do with the arrangements.

In an interview printed in the Herald
Chairmen Spry is quoted as saying.

"It comes to me from a man in whom
I have every confidence, and a man who
is as close to Frank Cannon, probably,
as any man living. I can't give you his
name, but we have proof of the story."
Chairman Spry said last night that he
had given the foregoing in an interview
with the exception that he did not say
anything about having the "proof."
The chairman was shown the following
from Senator Frank J. Cannon yesterday
afternoon:

"The statement for which Chairman Spry of the Republican committee gives an unnamed authority, is a falsehood from beginning to end. The man who is responsible for it is a falsifier. I challenge Chairman Spry to give the name of his informant-lacking which, he is free to accept for himself the responsibility for the story which I have above characterized and whose author I have also

above characterized."

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Last night a representative of The Tribune called by appointment at head-quarters and asked if the chairman was ready to say anything concerning Senator Cannon's characterization.

"I was unable to find my informant this afternoon," said Chairman Spry. I think he must be out of the city. It would, of course, be a breach of faith on my part to use his name without consulting him The statement was made not alone to me, but to haif a dozen or more men in these headquarters, and I am convinced of the truthfulness of the assertion.

"But" he continued, "there is now additional evidence that the matter charged against Senator Cannon and others is true We secured corroborative evidence today from a source different from that mentioned before."

"Then you believe such a deal was made."

"I have no reason to question for a moment the source of my information."

"But you will admit that the charge is a serious one against Senator Cannon, and that he has prepared a very severe characterization of it, will you not?"

"Yes. It is to the point, I can say no more now. I have been drawn into this without having any more to do with it than several others, but I guess I will have to stand it."

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"Don't you know, Mr. Spry, that when a serious charge is made against a person as in this case. It discredits the statement you make when you say you cannot give the name of your informant?"

"Possibly it does."

Possibly it does "And that when a confidence involves other, as you are involved in this case, right should be speedily waived by ur informant to justify your state-

your informant to justify your statement?"
Well, perhaps that is so, I must see my informant, however. He may have something to say himself."
Secretary Sanford said that the party probably had peculiar reasons why he would object to the use of his name.
American party leaders denounce the story as a cheap bit of lying that emanates from mere amateurs in politics. Democrats say there is absolutely no possible ground for the statement.
Friends to Chairman Spry say they hope the Chairman will be able to purge himself from the imputation that the story was coined by him or circulated by him with full knowledge that it is a falschood. It is conceded that Senator Cannon has issued a challenge, being the most interested party cannot afford to let pass unmet without subjecting himself to the severest criticism.

It was whispered around in the inner circles of the Smootized Republican organization that a handsome contribution had been received from the National campaign committee. The matter seemed to be closely guarded, so far as a verification was concerned. Not much credence is given the rumor by those who have had to do with the politics of Utah in the past. It is conceded that the National committees.

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cured in that way.

Heretofore the deal has been made by the powers at the Eee Hive house and no funds of consequence ever passed through the hands of the committees.

The Callister-Anderson-Eidredge clique may get a few thousand dollars from the National committee on the false pretense that Utah is doubtful, but there will be none of it used to the furtherance of men's candidacy who are not teeth and toe for the clique. That is a fact which every man who knows their methods will concede.

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John C. Cutler, Frank Emery, Jody Eldredge and the County Commissioners
will receive the greater benefit of the
Smootler organization work and Republicans know this well Emery and Eldredge would have been pleased to see
every nomines on the county ticket a
non-Mormon but themselves. Some of
their friends worked to that end with
such boldness that it attracted attention.
Now it is a growing opinion that every
Gentile on the ticket will be traded for
votes for Cutler, Emery and Eldredge.
Signs already point that way And funds
that reach the committee will be diverted
into the channel these men, and no other,
direct.

Jody Eldredge is a clever young men.

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Jody Eldredge is a clever young man, the control of the most bigoted men in the county. He may have never voted for a Gentile in his life if there were a Mormon way out of it. And Frank Emery is a notorious Gentile-hater. These are cold facts. They are too well understood to require specifying.

Let the Gentile Republicans keep their eyes on the districts most thoroughly under the demination of the Anderson-Callister-Eldredge clique. The returns will

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cun scores of votes ahead of Carbis, Per-kins and Fisher, Stick a pin here and then study the elec-

If Chairman Spry and County Chairman idredge get their hands on National ampaign funds of any considerable sum, will be a sorry day for the Gentiles on

The American party is busy checking the canvassers books and the developments of the first canvass are most gratifying. These books will be corrected week by week until the close of the campaign and brought to the highest possible point of perfection.

The totals will not be divulged to any one outside of the committee. The committee knows that "Pikers" "pikers" have been Get Much Smoother organization for the express purpose of obtaining information that would assist the Smoothea, but these are spotted and promptly treated kindly and permitted to return to those who dispatch them with plenty of "information." There are some smooth guys over in the D. F. Walker building," remarked an American party leader, "who will know a whole lot more about politics after the election than they have time to dream about these days."

Every day brings fresh proof that there

Every day brings fresh proof that there will be an unusual amount of mixing in the present campaign. Unless all calculations are unreliable, Reed Smoot will find that the effort to be the sole and only political power in Utah will cost him more than he can smoot ever hope to gain.

Weaving a Web.

He is weaving a wet around himself and those who aided him as agents of the

Mormon church that will forever be to Mormon church that will forever be to his undoing
Smoot is in a hole with two entrances and two exits. He cannot retrace his steps and the exits are so closely guarded that there is no possible escape for him. The Senste Committee on Privileges and Elections will have so much evidence against him as an ecclesiastical power in the politics and business of Utah that it will be impossible to report other than against him. If there were anything lacking the campaign this year has supplied it.

Politicians of the Smoot stripe were tell-ing that the American party would secure no support at Bingham. They heard from Thursday night's American rally and have been forced to revise their figures.

If the American party sentiment con-tinues to grow as it has the past two weeks the Smootized ticket will be third in the fight in Sait Lake county. Men have offered wagers already that the American ticket will not be less than sec-ond place.

Keefe hall Saturday evening was that of Senator Kearns of Utah. The Senator had received no intimation that he would be called upon to speak, but on bying pressed into service made a clever, common-sense talk, replete with good argument and clever hits. As a story-teller Senator Kearns is without a peer and he cantivated his audience with and he captivated his audience with

Why don't the Smootized subsidized weeklies drop their abuse of American party leaders a few days," asked one, and devote a few columns to answers to "It is not sufficient to say the American party makes no arguments. That will not so. Let the subsidized weeklies produce some reason why they were ought and stay bought two months at a

Smootites in Sait Lake county are having much difficulty in explaining why they had inserted in the county convention resolutions a declaration against church interference. It is a plague that is cursing them on every hand.

The question asked is, "Why was it necessary to incerporate such a plank?" But the only answer that has been offered, so far as The Tribune can learn, is that Clesson S. Kinney, being a prominent anti-church interference man, was on the resolutions committee and urged it.

If the Gentile Republicans on the State, Legislative and county tickets permit themselves to be traded by the Anderson-Callister-Eldredge-Emery clique, it will be with their eyes open. The warning has been sounded in ample time to safe-guard their interests as much as possible.

A glance at the non-Mormons who are aiding the Smootized Republican committee with its organization work will convince any one what are their motives. They are condidates, ple hunters or have a spite against some of the American party leaders—nearly every one of them. Think it over and note how accurate is the statement.

the statement. . . . The gold Democrats are all in line for Parker and Davis, but the silverites are not so easily led into the Parker-Cleveland-Belmont-Hill combine.

There is as much difference between the scenes about the American party head-quarters and the Smootized Republican headquarters as a circus and an overland medicine outfit.

The total registrations for Salt Lake
City for the first two days is 6010. The
county districts will probably bring the
digures up to 800.
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as Expected. Sin the Twelfth,
where 175 votes were
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smallest was the Fourteenth, which regis-The total registrations for Salt Lake

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A big American rally will be pulled off at Murray one hight next week Another one, perhaps, at West Jordan.

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CONDITION IN COLORADO.

David B. Hill Describes It as Reign of Terror. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 14

Four days of continuous speech-making is beginning to tell on the vocal powers of Henry G. Davis, Democratic Vice-Presidential candidate. Aside from hourseness, however, Mr. Davis seems as fit as when he began his continuous performance tour "I am sure that if Alton B. Parker be elected President he will en

deavor to have the Department of Commerce and Labor divided, and see to it a practical labor man, a genuin and intelligent representative of labor interests, will have the place devoted to labor interests, as was originally intended, and a man devoted to the interests of commerce at the head of the Commerce department."

This was David B. Hill's contribution to the campaign today. To it he added:
"Our candidate for President, while
always impartially enforcing the laws, has always been friendly to the inter-ests of those who work."

The condition in Colorado was described as a reign of terror, with the militia running the State government. The Adjutant-General, Mr. Hill said, was one of the rough vider. was one of the rough riders, or perhaps one of the tough riders of Roosevelt's. With a continuance of Republican rule, Mr. Hill predicted that militarism would pervade the United States.

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WAR AGAINST GERMANY.

Old Enemy of a Decade Ago Begins

Hostilities.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.-Germany's old enemy of a decade ago, Hendrik Withol, according to a dispatch from Windhoek, Germg to a dispatch from Windhoek, Ger-man Southwest Africa, has declared war against the Germans. The station at Morenga, which recently was reported to have been attacked by insurgent Witbols, is offering a firm resistance and is con-tinually receiving reinforcements of mounted and unmounted Germans. It is expected in German official quarters that Witbol will cause a number of Hottentot

Withol will cause a number o ST. LOUIS AND RETURN \$32.50

MAIL OPENED BY RUSSIANS Pouch Containing Letters for V.

Cruiser Cincinnati Seizel WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.-It tests today that a pouch containing rail to the United States cruiser Cincinnal by at Nagasaki, Japan, which was im the British steamer Calchas when essel was seized by the Russian " vostok squadron, had been opened up in the possession of the Russian cubs subsequently resealed and sent on up destination.

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This information came to the Peak department today in a communication to the front the Japanese Postal administration in conformity with a practice always in conformity with a practice always in the delivery of mall-pouches. There will be referred to the State ment for action, as was done witcase of the ordinary United State on the vessel at the time she was. This latest phase of the seisure of Calchas mails has caused a painful prise in official circles, and if the set of opening the pouch addressed to the cinnati was done wittingly, the probable a second protest will be lodged the Russian Government.

It is said at the Navy department in the mail-pouch referred to did not stain any official communications, significant the mail-pouch referred to did not be tain any official communications, significant the mail-pouch referred to did not be tain any official communications, significant the mail for the men aboard the ship.

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Most people drink P tea; don't know any k

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