

# POLITICAL NEWS



Key Pittman, whose election to succeed himself as United States Senator was accurately forecast by the vote at the primary election, is continuing his march to victory on November 6.

In his address in Las Vegas last Saturday night Senator Pittman recounted the history of the campaign for Boulder Dam legislation and declared that his opponent had no part in shaping the policies finally adopted by congress, those policies having been shaped and established prior to 1927. No new policies have been created since 1926, Senator Pittman declared.

## MORLEY GRISWOLD

The contest between Morley Griswold and Richard Kirman for the office of Governor has assumed added intensity during the past week. The Democrats are trying to show a link between Griswold and the Wingfield chain of banks and the Republicans are making the charge that Kirman is in sympathy with and being supported by the Bank of America and the public utilities.

Griswold seems to have the almost united support of the so-called "liberal" element who are acting upon the theory that Griswold has been tested in the school of experience in state affairs and they know his stand on business affairs of the state while Kirman, new in politics, is an unknown quantity. At any rate the contest promises to be a close one with the Republicans confident that Griswold will lead on election day.

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

The fight between Fred Alward, democrat, and Bert Henderson, republican, for the office of Lieutenant Governor, is an interesting one. Both are well known Clark County attorneys. Alward was speaker of the Assembly in the last session of the legislature, while Henderson has long represented Clark county first in the Assembly and later in the Senate.

## MRS. ARENTZ

For State Treasurer, Mrs. Harriet K. Arentz, widow of the late Congressman, Samuel S. Arentz, seems, by reason of her wide acquaintanceship over the state, to have the lead over Dan Franks of Lincoln county. Mrs. Arentz has been somewhat handicapped during the campaign by the illness of her small daughter which kept her at home for a time. It is noticeable that the women of the state are throwing their support strongly to Mrs. Arentz.

## CONTROLLER

Ed Peterson, thoroughly experienced in the work of his office, is making a very strong showing in his campaign for reelection as State Controller. His wide acquaintanceship throughout the state is also an element of strength. Henry C. Schmidt is making his first flight into state politics. His friends know him as a man of fine character and ability, but he obviously has a hard row to hoe in his efforts to defeat Ed. Peterson.

## CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

Mrs. Eva Hatton, candidate for reelection as Clerk of the Supreme Court, has made a most excellent record for herself during the last four years. She has the support of the legal fraternity because of their appreciation of her ability in that particularly exacting position. George Brodigan, during his long

absence from the state, rather lost touch with the political strength of his party, although twenty years ago when he was secretary of state he was considered one of Nevada's most clever politicians.

## ASSEMBLYMEN

There are three able Republican nominees for the Assembly, to which four representatives from Clark county are to be elected. They are Harry E. Miller of Las Vegas, and Doug Rather and Jack Way of Boulder City.

The democrats, by reason of their overwhelming preponderance in numbers of registered voters, confidently expect to elect their four nominees. It is quite probable, however, that political affiliations will be largely disregarded in the election of assemblymen and that the delegation as elected will comprise two Democrats and two Republicans. Harry Miller the only Republican nominee for the assembly from Las Vegas is conceded an excellent chance for election. Boulder City voters in all probability, will concentrate upon one or the other of their republican nominees.

Raby Newton, Dick Arnold, Ambrose Murphy and Raby Newton, the four Democratic nominees for the assembly are all working hard, each determined to be in the list of victors November 6.

## COUNTY CLERK

Herbert Krause and Lloyd Payne are still neck and neck in the fight for county clerk. Both are well-known and both are depending largely upon their personal friends for their strength. The chances are that political lines will be largely ignored in this contest.

## AUDITOR and RECORDER

David Farnsworth, because of his wide acquaintanceship and known qualifications for the office he has so well conducted in the past, and also because he is a resident of Las Vegas, seems to have the lead for Auditor and Recorder. Ernest L. Ward, is well known in Boulder City and is expected to poll a strong vote in that region.

## Several Hundred Hear Griswold At Battle Mt.

**BATTLE MOUNTAIN**—(Special to the Age)— Before a crowd of several hundred people here Wednesday night Republican candidates for state offices discussed the various issues of the campaign.

Morley Griswold, candidate for governor discussed the banking situation at length. Taking up Richard Kirman's statement that one of the first things Kirman planned to do if elected would be to take the state out of the financial morass in which it is now engulfed, Griswold showed where the state is in an extremely prosperous condition with all bills paid and over \$1,000,000 in the treasury. He stated that the bonded indebtedness of the state was reduced over \$1,000,000 by the present administration, and that \$300,000 of a defalcation shortage had been paid and that \$300,000 more was in the General fund.

In taking up the power question, he said that Boulder Dam power shall never pass to the hands of the power trust as long as he is governor. He told of his refusal to reduce the taxes of the public util-

## New Keno Parlor Opens at Apache

Another bright and beautiful spot was added to the amusement enterprises of Las Vegas with the opening last Saturday night of the Apache Casino Keno parlor.

Not as large as other resorts, the new Keno parlor has an air of cozy sociability which is very pleasing to its patrons. Another feature of interest is that the Casino may be entered either from Fremont of through the Apache Hotel on Second street. The place readily adapts itself to groups or parties seeking an occasional hour of harmless entertainment.

## LEFT FOR HOMECOMING DAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ward and Mr. and Mrs. R. Roschl left Thursday for Reno to attend the homecoming.

ities which now have suits pending against state and counties for the recovery of \$1,800,000 in taxes, which was paid under protest.

## Yates and Myers Report Success On Hunting Trip

O. W. Yates and Dr. Myers have returned from a hunting expedition which proved most successful, judging by the fact that they brought home three deer. They did not do their deer hunting in Kalbab Forest where deer hunting is about as noble and thrilling a sport as going out in the back yard and shooting the family cow.

They went into the Quinn Canyon mountains, about 65 miles northwest of Alamo, in the very N. W. corner of Lincoln county. There they found a remote and comparatively inaccessible region abounding with game, but where it takes the skill of marksmanship and the courage and endurance of real pioneers to bag and bring out a deer. Although rather tired and worn from their exertions, the hunters report a wonderful trip.

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