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JUDGE BENNETT AND CIVIL SERVICE.

Gen. Bob Vance to be a Candidate for Congress in the Ninth District---Other Washington News.

Correspondence of THE OBSERVER.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—There is general and great curiosity to hear Judge Bennett on the civil service question in connection with the pending bill. Yesterday the Judge went over on the Republican side, an unusual occurrence, and listened intently. He seemed to be ready several times to jump upon Cannon, but refrained from asking questions. Cannon had refused to yield to others. Asked if he would speak, Judge Bennett said that he had not yet decided whether he would or not.

Springer made a most spirited and successful defence of Commissioner Black, and Reed was only able to get even by a quip, which caused a laugh at the expense of the very position he was advocating, namely, that Black was not carrying out the civil service policy.

Rumors from time to time that Gen. R. B. Vance was preparing to stand for the nomination for Congress in the Ninth District have been circulated. It has been said that this must be so, because he has offered for sale his residence here and sent his children to Asheville. But these two facts are not in themselves conclusive evidence of such intention. There is, however, a general belief here that Gen. Vance will be a candidate in the convention.

Mr. London, of Pittsboro, nephew of Maj. H. A. London, is in the city, on his way home from Poughkeepsie Business College, where he has been for five months. H

THE RECTOR PASSED HER BY

Communion Denied to Miss Mayo at the Elizabeth, N. J., Christ Church.

New York World.

The Rev. H. H. Oberly, rector of Christ church, Elizabeth, N. J., is in hot water with his congregation. Reports are current of a scene last Sunday in Christ church, when he refused communion to Miss Mayo, a member of the church. It is said the lady wept bitterly when he passed her by without administering the sacrament This is not the first time he has done the same thing. It is stated that he has refused to give Miss Mayo communion since the time an altercation arose between them and she struck the pastor. The affair was published at the time in the World.

Miss Mayo is a lady of refinement, and is a member of a well known family of Richmond, Va., and a niece of the late Gen. Winfield Scott. Her brother-in-law, Gen. Gracie, was a distinguished officer in the Confedate army. Miss Mayo is a devout church goer, and is noted for works of charity. She dresses in a rather eccentric way, and it is said can be found kneeling at the church door long before the doors of the edifice are opened. The quarrel between the pastor and herself has had many versions, but the following, from an intimate friend of the lady told to the World reporter, is considered the most reliable;

He states Miss Mayo went to the church and entered the vestry to get a silver plate belonging to her, which was lying beside the baptismal fount. Rev. Mr. Oberly was in the vestry. When she reached her hand for the plate he pushed it to one side and said she could not have it. She became indignant at this, whereupon he ordered the sexton to put her out. When that worthy attempted to place his hand on her arm Miss Mayo gave him a violent push back. He stumbled and fell over a coal scuttle The rector made a motion which she construed into an intention to strike her. She instantly took the aggressive and struck him with her hand, in which she held a hymnal. She then abruptly left the church. On the following Sunday the pastor in giving communion passed her by.

"I asked the minister why this was done," said the gentleman who narrated the above story, "and he haughtily replied, 'Oh, we've excommunicated her.' I was puzzled to know," said the gentleman, "where the authority was given the rector to excommunicate anybody for such an offense without consulting his superiors."

It is only a short time ago that Mr. Oberly removed Mr. Colburn, the blind organist, who had served the church in that capacity over thirty years. This caused a commotion, and intensified the dissatisfaction against the rector. The congregation of Christ church includes the most aristocratic people of Elizabeth. The rupture between the rector and a portion of his flock is serious, and growing wider daily.

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SOCIAL PRECEDENCE.

A Question That Has Agitated Official Circles Settled by the Marriage.

Philadelphia Times.

The nuptial ceremony in the White House among other happy results has set at rest that abstruse problem in the social economy of the Executive household which has been agitating Washington since the installation of the widowed President Arthur in the place of the murdered Garfield. There had been widowed Presidents before. The wife of Jefferson had died nearly twenty years before her husband became President. Their highly cultivated and beautiful daughters, Mrs. Randolph and Mrs. Eppes, divided the honors of the social regime, relieved when absent by Dolly Payne Madison, the buxom, bustling, somewhat rollicking Quaker wife of his Secretary of State. Mrs. Jackson, a delicate, sensitive woman, was overwhelmed into eternal sleep just before her husband's inauguration by the foul slanders born of partisan malice and heaped upon the idol of her heart, the brave old hero of Pensacola and New Orleans. Her two nieces, Mrs. Andrew Donelson and Mrs. Andrew Jackson, Jr., did the honors of the White House during those stormy times of political antagonisms and social and domestic scandals. Angelica Singleton Van Buren, a dark-eyed beauty of South Carolina, the wife of the son of Martin Van Buren, was advanced to the place of presiding lady, the rightful occupant of that place having been dead fully twenty years when that scion of Knickerbocker blood entered upon the duties of Chief Magistrate. The death of the first Mrs. Tyler in the White House caused the social duties of the early part of the administration to devolve upon the wife of the President's son. That high functionary later conferred that honor upon Julia Gardner, of New York, by making that queenly lady his wife. That superb daughter of Pennsylvania, Harriet Lane, a niece, adorned the social environments of James Buchanan in his high office of President.

In those days of elegant manners and regard for social conventionalities and proprieties among the high-born and cultured ladies North and South, who were the leaders of society at the capital, this question of the first lady of the land, the President not having a wife, was never mooted. No one doubted the right of the President to invest some lady member of his family—a daughter, a sister or a niece—with the domestic and social prerogatives of his high station. It was during the captivating social reign of Mary Arthur McElroy, the petite and pretty sister of President Arthur, that Blue Grass statesmen and dames undertook to force this heretical doctrine into the social forms of official life. The wife of the Speaker was exalted as the first lady of the land, and held a rump court at one of the hotels.

The inauguration of Grover Cleveland revived this vigorous controversy in a more formidable shape. In the administration of President Arthur there was simply a President pro tem. of the Senate, then in the line of succession to the executive office, but whose wife was an invalid, and upon which frail assumption the wife of the Speaker aspired to the honors of reigning queen. The election of Thomas A. Hendricks as Vice President placed the wife of that officer next in line in the van of the aspiring fashion of the feminine world of the great government. Mrs. Hendricks had made the appointment of the rugged "Joe" McDonald a political impossibility, and when Miss Rose Cleveland took her place as the presiding lady of the White House notice was served against her assuming social precedence as first lady of the land.

President Cleveland, with an exhibition of sagacity in fine points of etiquette surpassed only by the delicate sensibilities displayed in his love, courtship and marriage, clipped the wings of this threatened rebellion in the social world by giving to the late Miss Katharine Bayard, the daughter of his Secretary of State, the place of precedence next to Miss Cleveland at the initial levee held under the auspices of his administration. The wife of the Vice President was ignored as a claimant not only to the post of first lady, but even of the honors of the first social entertainment.

The act of January 19, 1886, the first act on the American statute books to lay down a distinct order of official precedence, designating the Secretary of State and after him, in specified order, the other members of the Cabinet as the respective successors to the Presidental office, in event of the demise of the President and Vice President, disposes of all pretensions of the wife of the Speaker to the social honor of being the First Lady in the Land The marriage of the President has settled the new social problem as to whether the rule of precedence applicable to the Cabinet successors to the political prerogatives of the Presidential office, in event of a vacancy, would not extend to the ladies of their families. Had the President not married, the Secretary of State, being a widower, Mrs. Manning, the wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, would have had claims to social recognition which the wife of the Speaker never had by statute, custom or common sense.

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Chicago Ledger.

A bright little five year old boy was visiting his father, who belonged to a New York regiment, in camp.

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"You are mistaken; come here, I am no doctor."

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