

NEW GOVERNOR TO LIST HIS AIDS

Six in Townsend Regime
Resign, Including Attorney
General Jackson.

By NOBLE REED

A new lineup of State officials will be announced by Henry F. Schricker late today.

Six present State officials, some of whom learned that they would not be reappointed by Mr. Schricker, announced their resignations during the week-end.

They were T. A. Dicus of Swayze, chairman of the State Highway Commission; Frank E. Finney of Martinsville, chief of the Motor License Bureau; Mark Rodenbeck, assistant chief of the Motor License Bureau; Clifford W. Sniff of Ft. Wayne, member of the State Highway Commission; Marshall Williams, Indianapolis, Democratic member of the State Tax Board, and Attorney General Samuel D. Jackson.

Effective Wednesday

Their resignations will become effective Wednesday when Mr. Schricker's appointments are expected to become effective.

Two others who announced their resignations earlier were Virgil M. Simmons of Bluffton, State Conservation director, and Kenneth M. Kunkel of Bluffton, assistant director of the Conservation Department.

Attorney General Jackson, who had been asked to remain, indicated several days ago that he would not accept reappointment because of his desire to resume law practice in Ft. Wayne. He formally announced his resignation Saturday, effective as soon as a new Attorney General is appointed.

Biemer Mentioned

It was reported that Mr. Schricker was considering George Biemer of South Bend for the Attorney General post. Also State Democratic Chairman Fred F. Bays had been mentioned for the post.

Mr. Jackson was appointed to the office last June to fill out the term of Homer S. Jackson, who died.

Mr. Dicus and Mr. Sniff resigned from the highway posts after they learned that they would not be reappointed. Mr. Dicus did not announce his future plans but Mr. Sniff said he had accepted a post in connection with the Federal works program.

Mr. Finney said he has accepted a post with the National Defense Advisory Commission in charge of work in the Middle West. He also resigned as Seventh District Democratic Chairman and as chairman of the Indiana Commission on Inter-State Co-operation. He had been head of the Motor License Division since 1933.

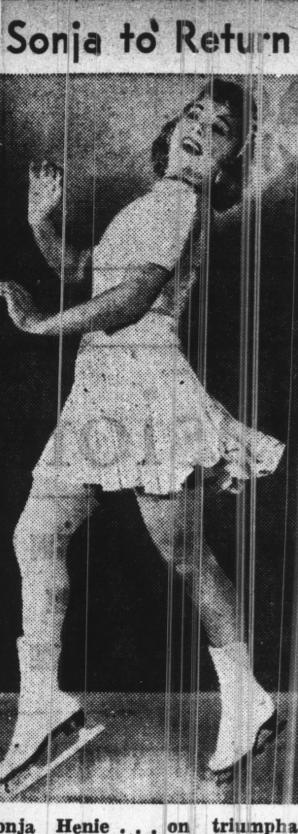
Will Open Insurance Office

Mr. Rodenbeck said he would open an insurance office here soon.

Mr. Williams said he resigned from the Tax Board to resume law practice in Indianapolis, specializing in tax matters. He has been a member of the Board since April 1, 1937.

Several other state officials were expected to be replaced by Mr. Schricker.

Several of those who resigned had not supported Mr. Schricker at the State Convention last June.



Sonja to Return

TEXT OF DAWSON INAUGURAL TALK

'Duty Bound to Lend Best Effort to Improving Government.'

Following is the text of Lieut. Gov. Charles M. Dawson's inaugural address:

I have just been privileged to take the oath of office required by the people of this state from whom they have chosen as their executives in the government of the State of Indiana.

I am impressed by the solemnity of that oath. I am impressed by the obligation which that oath emphasizes. I am impressed by the duty which the acceptance of that oath places upon me.

To me the oath of office means far more than the mere acceptance of the obligations imposed by law upon any officer of this state. It means far more than fulfillment of law. To me the acceptance of that oath means that I am duty bound not only to carry out those obligations which are fixed by law, but to lend my every effort, my best efforts, toward a continually improving government for the processes of democratic government.

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To me the oath of office means that I am duty bound to strive constantly about new developments in the field of government and to apply them for the benefit of my people. To me that oath means the selection, insofar as it is within my power to select, of high-grade, conscientious efficient division department heads who know no loyalty other than to the people.

FAITH IS PARAMOUNT

To me that oath means that I am duty bound to strive constantly for better and better government. It is a contract but much more than a scrap of paper and a scratch of a pen. It is something in which faith is the paramount factor—in which trust is written in bold letters at the beginning.

It is a contract not only binding upon me personally, but upon the party of which I am a member.

As a part of that contract I am bound to exert my utmost energies to carry out the platform pledges of my party. For in those platform pledges is the written part of my contract with the people. I intend to carry out, insofar as I can do so, the written part of that contract our platform pledges.

That platform was based primarily on the thesis of good government. It called for definite changes in government. It set up certain fixed principles of government. The people read and understood those party platform pledges and elected its officials on that basis.

So I plan to devote my time, my energies and my judgment toward the program laid down in the Republican platform. I shall be true to those pledges insofar as that is possible in the changing condition of the world and our state today.

Another important aspect of the reorganization of government in Indiana is the hands of the people. Decentralization must be the method to be followed if this is to be accomplished. My contract makes it mandatory that I follow that line of endeavor, and that I shall do.

NO NEW TAXES

My party platform calls for no new taxes; for a reduction wherever possible in state expenditures for government; for a government closer to the people; for the removal of paternal, benevolent and corrective institutions from the realm of political control; for the elimination of politics from those departments dealing with our unfortunate and our sick. These and other platform provisions I shall work for and attempt to carry them to fulfillment.

In conclusion I wish to emphasize one important point: I believe that the best government comes to a people who have as their representatives men and women who know the meaning of the word "co-operation."

We face in this state a situation unprecedented in recent administrations. I mean, of course, that condition which results in the Governor of this State being of one political faith and all the other elected officers of an opposite political faith. Immediately after the election and when the results became known many of the people of this state were alarmed by the prospect of continuous strife when the new administration came into existence.

FEAR HAS DIMINISHED

I am pleased to say today, and to believe, that those fears have to a large extent been allayed. Those of my political faith have, I am proud to say, soberly and sanely gone forward to develop a program of state government for Indiana which is in keeping with their party's pledges to the people. The same is true of those who have appeared in the leadership on the other side. For both I am grateful. We are at a stage, nationally and locally, where all our collective energies must be devoted to co-operative action in the fullest sense, or we head for serious trouble.

Good government to me implies co-operative action.

I, for one, pledge myself to approach our problems co-operatively and in the best judgment. Thank you.

PRIEST TO SPEAK

The Rev. Father Leonard Wernsing, diocesan superintendent of Catholic schools, will speak on "The Priesthood and Sacrifice" at 8 o'clock this evening in the reading room at Capitol Ave. and Georgia Sts.

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Text of Governor Schricker's Inauguration Address

Following is the text of Governor Henry F. Schricker's inaugural address at the State House today:

This day marks the beginning of a new administration in the political history of Indiana, and I stand before you with unaffected humility to assume the responsibilities of the high office of Governor, which a free and noble people have so generously bestowed upon me. To me it is a day of awe and reverent devotion, and to you, my fellow citizens, I trust it will be a day of earnest prayer and increasing faith in the processes of democratic government.

You are assembled today under the dome of this majestic State House to witness the transfer of executive authority from the hands of one Hoosier to another, and by your presence pay tribute to him who now retires from this exacting service and also to encourage him in the acceptance of that oath placed upon me.

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We are reminded again, on this occasion, of the precious privileges and rare opportunities for unselfish service which have been so carefully woven into the rich tapestry of American citizenship. All of the material wealth of the world fades into insignificance when compared to the processes of a free government that will elevate a man of simple birth to the high position of Governor of a great and sovereign nation.

I welcome this opportunity to take a solemn oath in support of its Constitutional authority and to acknowledge my own debt to the venerable founders of our Republic and also to those who have preserved its liberties and opportunities to our own day.

CITES UNUSUAL SITUATION

Thomas Jefferson once declared that "good government exists in jealousy rather than in confidence." How jealous then you and I ought to be in this tragic hour of world disaster to preserve, at any and all costs, those fundamental principles, ideals and purposes from which our priceless citizenship derives its strength. These constitute the rock whence we are hewn, the source of our liberty, the safeguard of our heritage, and the hope of our future.

In entering upon the solemn duties of chief executive I am not unmindful of the unusual political complexity existing in my immediate environment. Neither do I minimize the fact that another important branch of our State Government, the General Assembly, is in complete control of a political party other than my own. This situation has been a matter of speculation and perhaps grave concern, to party leaders and to the people generally since election day.

I freely admit my party's responsibility for this situation, but with reference to these conditions, but as far as they have I entertained the slightest doubt concerning the sincere patriotism of any other elected official, regardless of party.

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CANT IGNORE THREATS

Within the week our own National Guard units will be mobilized for a year's intensive training. Hundreds of other young men from our own homes are being called to the colors under the Selective Service laws.

This obligation, above everything else, clearly defines our relationship to the people, and happily furnishes the best and most reliable of platforms upon which to launch our future activities together. It shall be my purpose never to lose sight of this.

From this hour, you and I share a joint responsibility, a responsibility that runs directly to the people first, and then to the party to which we owe allegiance. Political parties are important and necessary under our form of government, but you and I will do well to remember that the party which serves his country best also serves his party best. The people of Indiana have chosen us for a very definite and important service.

Prudence should dictate a willingness in every heart to work together for the common good. I give you now my solemn pledge that I shall entertain no other purpose.

The indomitable courage of our forbears, coupled with our own faith in popular government, must be fervently expended in an effort to provide adequate national defense.

Even our own beloved country, while still at peace, is rapidly assuming the proportion of an armed camp and billions of dollars are being feverishly expended in an effort to provide adequate national defense.

At this very hour the whole world is plunged into darkness and despair. Intolerance, greed and the lust for power, have wrecked the whole universe, brought untold misery and death to countless thousands, and completely undermined and shattered the economic welfare of almost every nation.

From the very beginning of her proud record her sons and daughters have kept faith with the principles upon which the Republic was founded, and have attracted the world's attention by their political fervor and rare capacity for high public service.

The art of politics, with all of its intriguing possibilities, has been an inseparable portion of the daily menu of every Hoosier household, and both of the great political parties represented that this inaugural platform have been co-authors in writing the glowing pages of her governmental achievements. No sister state can lay claim to a more progressive or constructive record, and no spot on earth offers a finer opportunity for honest and unselfish service.

"The worth of a state, in the long run," in the words of an English philosopher, "is the worth of the individuals composing it." In the light of this great truth we offer Indiana's proud record as a challenge to succeeding generations who shall carry the torch of human progress in the future.

In the fields of labor and industry, agriculture and science, literature and art, education and religion, our people have established not only their own worth, but also the worth

of their party, and their party's worth to the state.

One of our major problems, under these distressful and tragic conditions, in my own humble opinion, is that of the continued existence



of our great state. They have wrought a matchless record in every field of human endeavor, met every crisis with indomitable courage, and constantly nurtured a spirit of tolerance and neighborly unity that has brought renown to Hoosierdom throughout the civilized world.

It is for a continued and steady growth of this priceless spirit of tolerance and unity that I plead earnestly in these closing words of my inaugural message. With it, we can face the future with great confidence, and together accomplish the tasks immediately before us; without it, we may well bring discredit upon ourselves and merit the just indignation of those who have honored us with their approval.

ONLY ONE PURPOSE

I fervently pray that this day shall mark the beginning of a new era of political and social unity in Indiana; that it shall be remembered as a day of honest consecration to public duty, and that we may carry from here a deeper devotion to the God-given virtues that have made us a great and noble people.

I am deeply grateful to a kindly Providence that cast my lot on Indiana's soil; and also to a generous people who bestowed this high trust to my keeping. Their continuing loyalty, honest counsel and unswerving confidence will become increasingly precious to me in the discharge of my official duties.

I have only one purpose: this is to dedicate myself wholly and completely to the task of providing good and honest government to all of our people.

To this end I pledge my earnest co-operation with all other branches

CLERIC TO DESCRIBE FUND REQUIREMENTS

Dr. George Emerson Barnes of Overbrook, Pa., will describe the needs arising out of the present wars at a dinner for Presbyterians of 11 counties this evening in the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Barnes is the executive secretary of the Presbyterian United World Fund of \$500,000 to be given to six special causes "over and above" the usual Presbyterian benevolences. The causes are spiritual welfare of soldiers and sailors, Presbyterian and other missions, European churches, China relief and refugees.

Dr. Roy Ewing Vale, Tabernacle pastor and dinner host, is also local Dr. Alexander E. Sharp, executive secretary of the Indiana Synod; the Rev. Harold Turpin and Fermor S. Cannon.

To this end I pledge my earnest co-operation with all other branches

of Government and with every other official in public service. I entertain no selfish desire for unwarranted power, neither do I wish to write my record in terms of petty political advantage.

The people of Indiana have chosen me as their chief executive and I shall strive to bring a dignified and honorable service to that important office.

I have given my solemn oath to "take care that the laws be faithfully executed." This shall be done to the best of my ability, without fear or favor and certainly without malice toward any man. God helping me, I cannot fail in this high and sacred undertaking.

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