

HORNBLOWER GOES ON APPEALS BENCH

Glynn Also Designates Cardozo for That Tribunal and Names Weeks for Supreme Court.

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ALBANY, Feb. 2.—Gov. Glynn sent to the Senate to-night the nomination of William B. Hornblower for Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals to succeed Willard Bartlett, elected Chief Judge of that tribunal last Fall.

Gov. Glynn also sent in the designation of Supreme Court Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo of New York for the place which became vacant when Frank H. Hiscock succeeded John Clinton Gray as an elective Judge of the Court of Appeals. Until his election Mr. Hiscock had held his place as a Court of Appeals Judge by designation.

The Governor also nominated Bartow S. Weeks of New York for Supreme Court Justice in New York County to succeed James W. Gerard, who resigned last year to become Ambassador to Germany. Mr. Weeks last year was appointed to fill an unexpired term on the Supreme Court bench by Gov. Sulzer, and was a candidate for the Supreme Court in the late election, but with the rest of the Democratic ticket went down to defeat. Gov. Glynn said Mr. Weeks had the indorsement of practically every jurist in New York for his present appointment. Mr. Weeks is a member of Tammany Hall.

Benjamin N. Cardozo, another of Gov. Glynn's appointees, was a candidate for the Supreme Court on the Fusion ticket last Fall and was elected by a large majority. He will be, perhaps, the youngest man ever to serve in the highest tribunal of this State; he is only 43. Under his designation Justice Cardozo becomes a full-fledged member of the Court of Appeals, with the prospect of serving a full term of fourteen years. Mr. Hornblower's appointment is for a year only.

The Senate unanimously confirmed the nominations of Messrs. Hornblower and Weeks. No action was necessary in the case of Mr. Cardozo, that being a designation.

From the viewpoint of observers here, the only grain of comfort Tammany possibly can get out of to-night's batch of appointments is the nomination of Bartow S. Weeks, and his appointment is only for one year. Gov. Glynn was informed that Mr. Weeks would be a candidate for the Supreme Court again next Fall.

William B. Hornblower and Benjamin N. Cardozo are both known as independent Democrats. Mr. Hornblower is known as one of the most eminent lawyers in this State. He is senior member of the law firm of Hornblower, Miller & Potter in New York City. Of recent years he has spent most of his time as a writer and lecturer on legal topics. Since 1904 he has been a member of the Board of Statutory Consolidation appointed to codify the laws of the State. At one time Mr. Hornblower was President of the State Bar Association.

Mr. Hornblower was born in Paterson, N. J., on May 13, 1851. His father, the Rev. William H. Hornblower, was Professor of Theology at the Allegany Theological Seminary. His grandfather, Joseph C. Hornblower, was for many years Chief Justice of New Jersey. William D. Hornblower was graduated from Princeton in 1871 and from Columbia Law School in 1875.

Grover Cleveland named Mr. Hornblower for the Supreme Court of the United States, but owing to a factional fight in the United States Senate the nominee failed of confirmation. In 1890 Gov. Hill named him on the committee created to propose amendments to the judiciary article of the State Constitution.

Benjamin N. Cardozo was born in New York City in 1870. He was graduated from Columbia University, taking every honor to which he was eligible. He is known as a profound student of law. On his mother's side he is related to the Stexas family of Revolutionary fame. His maternal grandfather was one of the founders of the New York Stock Exchange. He has been prominently identified with many Jewish philanthropies for years.

Bartow S. Weeks is 53 years old. He is a native of New York City and was educated at the public schools, the City College, and Columbia Law School. He was an Assistant District Attorney under Col. Asa Bird Gardiner. Mr. Weeks in 1893 served as President of the American Athletic Union.