

BOURNE WILL SEEK SENATE TOGA ANYWAY

STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE PUBLISHED TODAY

Finds That 12 Per Cent of the Voters of Oregon Wish Him to Run as Independent and He Accepts the Call—Inconsistency of His Career Pointed Out by Disinterested Parties.

Portland, Oct. 5.—Senator Jonathan Bourne, Jr., this morning accepted a renomination. He will go on the ballot as a "popular government candidate."

Bourne's statement follows: "Since the people adopted a constitutional provision permitting eight per cent of the voters to propose a law under the initiative and demand the referendum, I feel a petition of 12 per cent of the voters of Oregon urging me to run, is a call to which I ought to respond."

Bourne was defeated in the Republican nomination in the state primaries, having made no personal appeal to the voters. He referred the voters to his record, and lost. Ben Selling of Portland secured the nomination.

Bourne was not in Oregon during the campaign. He failed to receive the nomination for senator on the Bull Moose ticket and friends then petitioned him to run independent. His fate at the election is predicted by many to be overwhelming defeat, against as Bourne is not a resident of Oregon and pays less than \$3.00 taxes—his interests are chiefly in the big woolen mills of the East and those who are disinterested spectators are looking back on the day not long since when Bourne swore by and stood by and helped protect the primary election and popular choice for senator. The popular measure he stood sponsor for beat him and today he announces the primary was not fair and he was not eliminated.

Masons of High Degree to Meet.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5.—The most distinguished Masonic gathering of an international character that has ever met in the United States will assemble in this city next week for an international conference of supreme councils of the fraternity. The foreign delegates, a number of whom arrived in the city today, include Masons of the highest degree from France and Italy, Belgium, Greece, Egypt, Mexico, Switzerland and from several of the countries of South America and many of the larger cities of Canada.

Convention Next Week.

Elgin, Ore., Oct. 5.—(Special)—Arrangements are now being made to entertain a large number of delegates different parts of the county at the Sunday school convention next week. An excellent program is prepared and the people of this city will show all visitors a hospitable welcome.

DOMINION ELECTION MONDAY

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 5.—Nominations were made today for the bi-election in the MacDonald constituency. The election is fixed for next Saturday and the contest promises to be one of the most spectacular in the history of the West. R. L. Richardson, publisher of the Winnipeg Tribune, and former member of parliament for Lisgar, is running as an independent candidate with the support of the Liberals. The Conservative candidate is Alex-

ROSENTHAL MURDER TRIAL OPEN MONDAY

GOUGH'S BOLDEST CRIME

CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF FAMOUS ROSENTHAL CASE.

Important Chapter Will Be Begun on Monday—Becker To Be Tried.

New York, Oct. 5.—Next Monday the Becker trial wherein it is hoped to avenge the death of Gambler Herman Rosenthal, commences. It is Gotham's greatest scandal and here is the list of events leading from the murder, to the present trial:

July 16—Herman Rosenthal, a notorious gambler who had threatened to expose an alleged connection between Lieft. Becker and New York's gambling and vice syndicate, was shot down in the glare of the lights of the Hotel Metropole, within a few hours of the time he was scheduled to tell his story before the grand jury.

July 16—Within a few hours of the crime the car in which the murderers are alleged to have escaped, with William Shapiro, the driver, were arrested.

July 10—"Bald Jack" Rose, well-known gambler and former partner of Rosenthal, surrendered to the district attorney, to whom he is said to have confessed to having acted as Becker's collector, also giving the details of the alleged murder conspiracy and the names of those concerned.

July 21—On the strength of the statement made by Rose, "Bridgey" Webber, alleged gambling house proprietor, and Sam Paul, notorious gang leader, were arrested and charged with complicity in the murder. Both are said to have admitted having an intimate acquaintance with Becker.

July 23—Harry Vallons, a gangster suspected of being one of the occupants of the murder car, surrendered to the police.

July 26—Frank Cirofici, another suspect, taken into custody.

July 26—Mrs. Rosenthal, widow of the murdered gambler, testified before the grand jury that Becker collected money from her husband, as did Rose for Becker.

July 29—Lieutenant Becker arrested and locked up on a charge of murder.

Aug. 1—Frank Muller, alias "Whitney Lewis, one of the gangsters who fled from the city immediately after the murder, arrested in the Catskills.

Aug. 5—Disclosures concerning alleged deposits of thousands of dollars put in banks in New York City and elsewhere by Lieut. Becker and his wife.

Aug. 20—Blanket indictment returned against Becker.

Aug. 22—Sam Schepps, who is alleged by Jack Rose to have been the man who hired gangsters for Becker and paid them off after the murder had been accomplished, was apprehended in Hot Springs, Ark., and returned to New York.

Sept. 3—Becker's trial fixed to begin before Recorder Goff on September 12.

Sept. 11—The trial of Becker postponed by agreement of counsel until October 7.

Sept. 14—Harry Horowitz, alias "Gyp the Blood," and Louis Rosenberg, alias "Lefty Louis," found in a flat in Brooklyn and arrested in a flat in

JUSTICE JOHN W. GOFF.

He is Designated to Preside Over Rosenthal Murder Trials.



der. These two were suspected of having done the actual shooting of Rosenthal and their capture completed the round-up of all of those believed to have been directly concerned in the crime.

Sept. 26—John F. McIntyre, Becker's chief counsel, declared his belief that the accused police lieutenant would be acquitted or that there would be a disagreement of the jury, because of the character of the witnesses and because of the legal questions involved.

victed of murder.

"RUBBERING" JAIL OFFENSE

LOS ANGELES SETS A NEW PRECEDENT.

Exposed Portion of Females' Limbs to Be Protected.

Los Angeles, Oct. 5.—The Los Angeles police have been ordered to arrest hereafter any persons caught "rubbering" at exposed female ankles during wet weather. The order was promulgated by the women of the police force.

PAY DAY FOR TEACHERS.

"Ghost Walks" the First Time This Fall for All Teachers.

City School CA. C. Williams was the popular man of the city today for those who teach school as a profession. It was pay day and the pay checks were called for long before the usual hour of humdrum affairs that come to his office. This is the first time that pay day has come around this fall.

DENVERITE LIKES CITY

Man on Way to Vancouver to Locate Is Well Pleased With Valley.

Wm. McFeeley of Denver, a relative of the Seth Baker family of South La Grande, left for Vancouver yesterday, where he expects to locate. While in La Grande he took a look at the orchards in Fruitdale. They looked pretty big to him, and altogether, he was pleased with the Grande Ronde valley.

EMORY R. BUCKNER.

Counsel For Aldermen's Committee to Investigate Becker Case.



Photo by American Press Association.

IS IT THE THING TO DO?

To those who contemplate voting for the U'Ren single tax measures, we would suggest that they go deeply into the subject. Suppose it relieves a certain class of us from paying tax and imposes all tax upon the land. How long will it be before, in the readjustment that is bound to follow, there will be failures and business disaster. Remember, all wealth must come from the land. In some form or other, and in voting, try and look at the matter in a broad sense. For after all, this is a co-operative world. It is essential for prosperity to beget-eral if it is lasting, and to tax land with all the burden means a commercial disturbance that will not be welcome.

COMING WEEK POLITICS-BUSY

MANY EVENTS OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE

Political Activities Center in Middle-west States.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5.—The middle West promises to be the storm center of the national political campaign the coming week. Governor Wilson will be heard in Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Ohio. Colonel Roosevelt will visit the same section and will be heard in several cities of Illinois a day or two before the appearance of the Democratic standard-bearer. Governor Marshall, Democratic candidate for vice president, expects to devote the week to Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin.

Republicans and Democrats of Rhode Island will hold their state conventions to name candidates for governor and other state officers and representatives in congress.

The trial of Police Lieutenant Becker for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, which is expected to be one of the most notable criminal trials that has taken place in this country in years, is scheduled to begin in New York City on Monday.

The bi-election in the MacDonald constituency in Manitoba, which is fixed for Saturday, is attracting international attention from the fact that reciprocity with the United States is figuring as the most prominent issue in the contest.

Many educators of wide note will gather at South Hadley, Mass., on Tuesday for a two days' celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Mount Holyoke College.

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Fly Killers Vie Lustily In Tussles

Compilation of statistics in the fly killing campaign conducted by the Boy Scouts, show a grand total of over 800,000. The revised list, unpublished yesterday by oversight, follows:

Lynn Wright	171,150
Claude Holbrook	129,270
Fred Bock	128,300
Stephen Burley	95,000
Joe Reynold	90,000
Ralph Westerling	73,204
Frank Thomas	42,606
Julian Ash	29,885
Roy Alasworth	26,543
Claude Finley	23,587
Amisy Strong	22,950
Guy Davis	12,200
Kenneth Williamson	9,362
Campbell Garrick	7,050
Albert Currey	3,022
Lucien Leonard	2,000
Kenneth Keeney	700
George McDonald	446
Total	4765

Confesses Plot

Tulsa, Okla., Oct. 5.—Charles T. Reuter murder case, one of the most sensational in the history of Tulsa, was called in court today and it is expected that the trial will get under way the first of next week. Charles T. Reuter, a lawyer, formerly of Peoria, Ill., was murdered in his home in the best residence section of this city on the night of May 5 last. The police investigation resulted in the indictments for murder being returned against Mrs. Laura M. Reuter, widow of the slain man, and Guy D. Mackenzie, "Dud" Bellow and Joe Baker. Bellow is alleged to have confessed that the motive for the murder was "love, revenge and robbery," though declaring at the same time that the wife had no knowledge that he husband was to be killed. Mrs. Reuter is confident of acquittal, and public sentiment now appears to be strong in her favor.

PALMER JUNCTION IMPROVES.

Extensive Improvements and Changes at Palmer Camps Soon.

Considerable changes are now in progress at the Looking Glass and in a short time the appearance of the whole landscape at that place will be so altered as to be hardly recognizable, says the Elgin Recorder. The Palmer Lumber company is putting in a big camp on the stream near the mouth, and the Palmer Junction post-office will be moved there from its present location. The railroad company will build a station on the east side of the stream, and the logging company will build about half a mile of track along the east bank, over which some 22,000,000 feet of logs will be taken out. By putting in two or three dams the stream can be logged and the timber brought to the end of the railroad. The camps now in operation will be continued for some time.

Before very long the Palmer company will also have a camp on Smith Mountain in operation, in which neighborhood they have large holdings that include some of the best timber lands in this part of the state. Shortage of men has handicapped them in their work of late.

To Enthroned Bishop Weller.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Oct. 5.—The enthronement of Rt. Rev. Reginald Heber Weller, who succeeds the late Bishop Grafton as head of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Fond du Lac, is to take place tomorrow in St. Paul's Cathedral. The services will be simple, at the special request of Bishop Weller.

Senator Lodge Presides.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 5.—Senator Henry Cabot Lodge occupied the chair and delivered the keynote speech at the Republican state convention which met today in the Mont Temple to nominate 18 presidential electors and frame a platform for the state campaign.

4 YANKEES DIE FIGHTING FOR NICARAGUANS

GENERAL OF REBEL

FORCES SLAIN IN FIGHT

Not Known if American Who Figured in Yesterday's Battle Were Sailors or Marines—Were Under Federal Admiral When Participating in the Struggle—Rebels Flee to Safety.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Four Americans were killed and six wounded while a hundred Nicaraguan federals were killed in a battle with Nicaraguan rebels near Coyote, Nicaragua, yesterday, according to telegrams to the state department from M. Chamorro the Nicaraguan foreign minister.

The Americans were under Admiral Southerland and the rebels under General Zeledon. Zeledon was wounded and captured and died near Maysa. It is unknown whether the slain Americans were marines or sailors. Zeledon refused Southerland's demand to surrender, and the Americans fired at the rebels for more than a half hour. The rebels fled with the Americans and federals in close pursuit.

Zeledon's death leaves the revolution without a leader and speedy collapse is expected.

SCHOOL SITE PURCHASED.

Catholic Church Prepares to Erect a Magnificent Academy Home.

The Catholic church this week purchased of Thomas McConnell, through Geo. H. Currey, the land man, Block 43 in Chaplin's addition, just back of the Sacred Heart academy. This property was purchased with a view of later building a large school building to cost probably \$65,000.00. This denomination has great faith in the future development of La Grande and is arranging to erect some magnificent buildings. A few months ago a block facing on Fourth street was purchased which will be occupied by a new stone church edifice.

Hold Banquet Tomorrow.

The local Knights of Columbus lodge will hold a banquet tomorrow evening at the Foley hotel. Several out of town guests will be present including Charles Murphy, state deputy, of Baker and John W. Kelly, city editor of the Portland Telegram.

Wilson the Guest of Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 5.—William J. Bryan welcomed Governor Woodrow Wilson upon the latter's arrival in Lincoln today to deliver an address. The Democratic presidential candidate will remain over tomorrow as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan at Fairview.

Ready for Fleet's Visit.

New York, Oct. 5.—Before this time next week the mightiest fleet of warships ever assembled under the American flag will be riding at anchor in the Hudson river. Rear Admiral Osterhaus is due to arrive with sixteen battleships tomorrow, being followed on Thursday next by the reserve, including eleven battleships and four before the end of the week will make a total of 22 battleships, 4 armored cruisers, 4 protected cruisers, 21 special type vessels, 3 colliers, 6 naval militia ships, 26 destroyers, 16 torpedo boats and 10 submarines, a total of 127 vessels. The secretary of the navy will inspect the vessels on Monday next week and the next day the fleet will be reviewed by President Taft.