

TELL DELEGATES WHAT HE WILL DO

Roosevelt Will Not Speak on Third Term Till They Are Settled.

HIS PURPOSE NOT CHANGED

Not Length of Service, but Doing Things That Count, Is What He Regards—Give Another Man a Chance.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The persistent demand that President Roosevelt accept the nomination for a third term will not draw another word on the subject from him until the delegates from his own state have been elected. He will then declare his wishes on the subject, but before that time he will not reiterate, qualify, or retract his declaration to the contrary that he will not again be a candidate for the Presidency.

Will Adhere to Purpose.

Moreover, there is not a Presidential aspirant who would not prefer to give way in the convention to Roosevelt rather than to anyone else. Nevertheless, signs are multiplying that Mr. Roosevelt will stick to his declaration of 1904. These indications are so numerous, and signify such a settled policy on the part of his cabinet officers, that every Cabinet officer is following his example and arranging to retire with his term.

Others in close personal relations with the President are equally confident that he will not allow himself to be swayed from his determination. To a few people, and only to a few, the President has stated the reasons controlling him.

Some are personal, involving his own plans for the future; others indicate his ideas on the subject of Presidential tenure, which may be summed up briefly in the statement that it is not how long a man is President, but what he does while President, that counts.

Give Someone Else a Chance.

Mr. Roosevelt believes that while President he has done some things that count, and he now purposes to give someone else an equal opportunity. He believes it to be the best for the country and best for himself that this should be done.

Those who know the President's personal plans have no right to discuss them publicly; those who do not know them are making many wild and absurd guesses.

It may be said, however, that they are all based on a determined purpose to leave the White House at the close of his present term, and no one who is in close relations with Mr. Roosevelt believes that his purpose can be altered.

TALK TAFT MERELY AS A BLIND

Machine Faction Will Drop Him in the Convention.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 12.—Political lines are forming in Kansas for a fight between the old machine and square deal factions in the Republican party and it will be a fight to the finish. This contest not only reaches to the Senatorship but extends far as far as this state's delegation is concerned.

During the last two weeks La Follette's stock has made great strides in Kansas and the Wisconsin Senator has a good show of capturing this delegation. This machine faction is making a hard fight for a Taft delegation. The machine faction is making a hard fight for a Taft delegation, but there is little sincerity among the leaders. They are talking for Taft because it is the popular thing to do and because it will help them to control the state and save Senator Long. When the time comes they will adtrack Taft and go to Hughes or Cortelyou, if there is a chance to defeat the Secretary of War.

The machine forces count confidently on the help of the railroads and other corporations to help them find a way to "get away from Taft." If this element controls the convention that selects National delegates the Kansas delegation will be for Taft only upon the condition that his nomination is assured. If the Stubbs faction wins, the delegation will go to La Follette if he is a candidate. Both elements are talking Taft as a blind to get their forces lined up.

Roosevelt First Choice

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take to take any chances and name for the Presidency at this time any man who is not entirely familiar with the policies inaugurated by the President, and who is not capable of carrying out those policies.

Admiration for Hughes.

Local Republicans regard Governor Hughes a capable man and a fearless official, who might prove equal to the emergency. But it was discovered from the canvass of the three buildings that the New Yorker is considered an untitled man, and in that regard Taft, who has been tried and "made good," is more readily to be entrusted with the ship of state. It is considered by the friends of the Administration that Taft is not only abundantly qualified to take up the work where Roosevelt will leave off, but is capable of initiating other policies that will redound to the material good of the country.

Friends of Governor Hughes, however, maintain that he is equally as desirable individually as Taft, and while admitting that he is not as strong in the West, assert that he is stronger throughout the East, where, with the aid of the anti-Roosevelt element, he may become a more formidable candidate than he now appears.

Some of the Interviews.

Talking on the relative merits of the different candidates, the following expressions were offered among those giving their choice of Presidential candidates:

Judge George H. Williams—Assuming that President Roosevelt is not to be considered, either Taft or Hughes would be acceptable to me. While I consider Hughes the most available man I do not think he has had the experience Taft has had. It is quite probable Taft might better represent the policies of the present administration than any other man that could be named.

W. M. Calk—I have but one choice and that is Roosevelt. He should be retained to carry out the vigorous policies he has inaugurated. He is a man of remarkable ability for meeting issues, and great tenacity of purpose. He is possessed of wonderful capacity for executing his policies and above all enjoys the fullest confidence of the people.

Taft Logical Successor.

L. A. McNary—The candidate for President must be one that will carry out the policies inaugurated by President Roosevelt. Taft is not only the logical man but he is decidedly the man for the place.

B. S. Pague—I am opposed to Roosevelt's centralization policy and his general impulsiveness and egotism. Favor Taft if he would not be run by Roosevelt too much.

Dr. C. E. Stoite—Roosevelt is my first choice; then Bryan.

James E. Page—Hughes for me all the time, but the party's candidate always.

Mark T. Kady—Recalling Grant's third term candidacy, I believe Roosevelt should

Table with 2 columns: Name, Party, and Count. Includes Republicans (Roosevelt 15, Taft 21, Hughes 18) and Democrats (Bryan 3, Johnson 2).

be willing to rest on his laurels. I prefer Taft to Hughes for the reason that he has been tried and his nomination would mean a continuance of Roosevelt's policies.

H. E. McGinn—Roosevelt most decidedly. Aside from him my choice is Taft, for I consider he would more nearly carry out the President's policies than any other man that could be named.

Roosevelt Leads All.

H. A. Holmes—We never did have a better administration of this country than that under Roosevelt. His successor should be a man who will represent and continue the enforcement of the policies he has inaugurated.

Wilfred Farrell—Roosevelt first; then Bryan.

Richard W. Montague—Bryan meets with my approval.

W. T. Vaughn—Bryan suits me all right. Can see no reason why I should not support him.

Thomas G. Greene—Bryan is good enough for me.

E. E. Covert—Taft, if Roosevelt cannot be induced to accept the nomination.

F. J. Raley—Roosevelt first, last and all the time.

J. B. Lober—It's easy, just one, two, three order—Roosevelt, Taft, Hughes.

C. H. Carey—As National Committee man for Oregon I do not desire at this time to express my preference.

J. C. Veasie—Taft is my choice against the field.

EXPRESS DRIVERS ROBBERS

CACHE FOR STOLEN ARTICLES IN OLD BARN.

Seattle Has Been Pillaged for Months—Discovery Made Through Refusal to Deliver Baggage.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 12.—(Special.)—Seattle police have found more than a score of trunks, grips and old pieces of baggage concealed in an old barn near Rainier boulevard and Dean street, in the southeastern part of the city, and believe they have unearthed a gang of robbing express-wagon drivers who have used the barn as a cache for their plunder.

Most of the trunks and grips had been broken into and identification marks changed, but after two hours' work today eight pieces of baggage were identified. Among them were a grip belonging to Arthur Langrish, of Dunsmuir, Cal.; a grip owned by Miss Mabel Rivers, fourteenth and Davis streets, Portland; a case of new books belonging to Verna Garger, of Everett. Other baggage was identified, but the addresses of the owners are not known. The discovery of the cache grew out of the arrest of Henry Imhoff, an expressman who refused to deliver baggage for Rev. Peter Orloff, priest of an Alaska Greek church. In searching for the priest's baggage the cache was found in the old barn.

ENJOYS ESCAPE FROM JAIL

Gets Through Fence and Proceeds to Get Drunk.

PENDELTON, Or., Oct. 12.—In the Circuit Court last Thursday, J. Burton was permitted to plead guilty to a charge of assault after a charge of mayhem had been withdrawn by the prosecuting attorney. Burton bit off the end of Mark Shackelford's nose in a drunken fight. He was sentenced to 90 days in the County Jail by Judge Bean.

Burton was put to work about the courthouse lawn. He enjoyed life for a short time, but the responsibility was too great a burden for him, and he twisted through the gates and got away into town. In the afternoon Assistant District Attorney McCourt ran across Burton in a joyous condition of inebriety and celebrating his escape from the penitentiary. He was promptly turned over to a policeman and locked up in the City Jail until the Sheriff could get a grip on him.

MAN WHO KILLS BANDIT FREE

Gust Lindley Will Not Be Tried for Murder of Jake Terry.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Oct. 12.—(Special.)—Gust Lindley will not be tried for killing the notorious bandit, Jake Terry, in self-defense at Sumas July 5. Prosecuting Attorney Peringer appeared before Judge Neterer this morning and filed a motion for dismissal of the case against Lindley. The motion was granted. In support of the motion the Prosecuting Attorney cites the fact that Terry gave Lindley a severe beating and on divers occasions made threats against Lindley.

The affidavits of M. Lucas and Mrs. Lindley accompanied the affidavit of the Prosecuting Attorney. Lucas swears that a day or two before the killing he heard of a quick indictment for murder by the grand jury today. As the boy has confessed his guilt, the only question to be discussed is what his punishment shall be. It is likely that an early date will be set for the trial.

Young Wood's confession marks him as one of those abnormalities that set the milestones in the records of juvenile crime. Sixteen years old, with a mop of unkempt, tow colored hair, small face for his age and wizened in features, the boy has evinced not the slightest indication that he has any idea of the enormity of his deed. He confessed because he was sleepy and wanted to go to bed and get his feet warm. After telling a story that drove chills through the policemen, Wood slept like the child that he is in custody.

The authorities say the boy presents a problem. It is generally conceded that morally he is too deficient to deserve death and too dangerous to be at large. He probably will be found guilty of the murder and then imprisoned for a long term of years.

Eugene Property Changes Hands.

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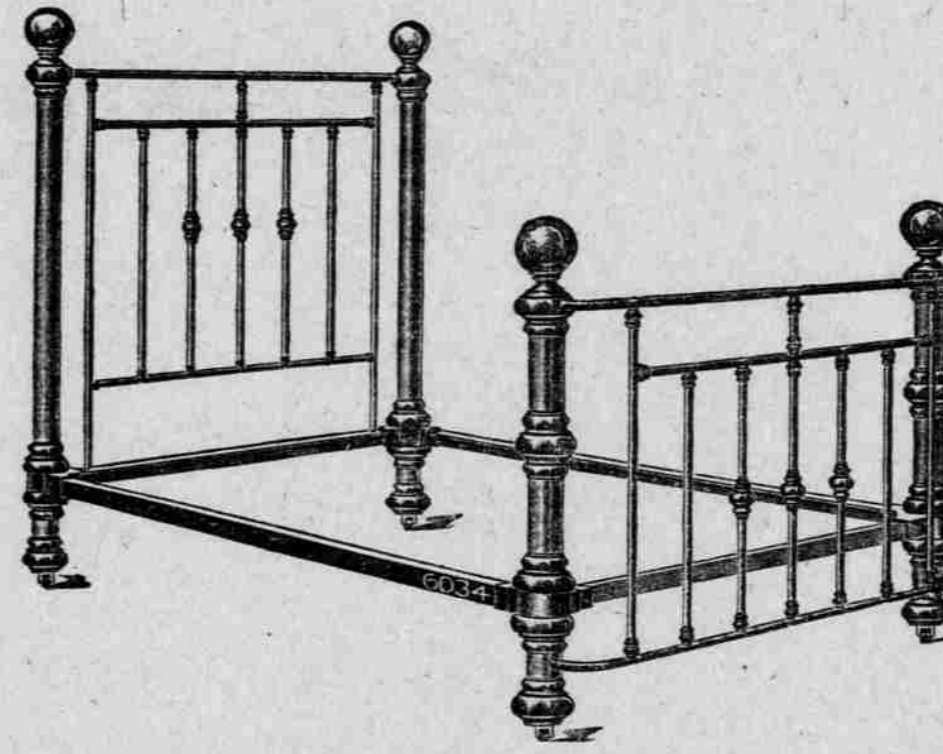
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\$7.00 Full and three-quarter size Iron Bed, green or cream enamel... \$5.25
\$7.50 Iron Bed in cream enamel, full size only... \$5.75
\$9.50 White Enamel Iron Bed, continuous post, extra heavy chills... \$7.25
\$11.00 Iron Bed in cream and gold, brass spindle head and foot... \$7.50
\$12.00 Iron Bed, finished in white enamel, 1 1-16-inch post... \$7.75

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\$8.50 White and Gold Iron Bed, Vernis Martin, open chills head and foot... \$6.25
\$14.00 Green and Gold Enamel Iron Bed, shaped head and foot, 3/4 size only... \$7.00
\$11.00 Iron Bed, blue, white and gold enamel, continuous post... \$6.50
\$15.00 Iron Bed, finished in Vernis Martin or green enamel, ex. heavy open chills... \$10.75
\$14.00 Cream Enamel or Vernis Martin Iron Bed, oval shaped head and foot... \$8.75
\$11.00 Iron Bed in cream enamel or Vernis Martin, heavy chills... \$7.75
\$18.00 Cream Enamel Iron Bed, extra heavy gold chills, brass spindles head and foot... \$11.50
\$39.00 Extra Heavy Iron Bed, finished in ivory or Vernis Martin, two-inch continuous post... \$27.50

- Brass Beds
\$41.50 Full Brass Bed, 2-inch post, polish or satin finish... \$28.50
\$42.50 Full Brass Bed, bow foot, 2-inch post, polished or satin finish... \$27.50
\$52.50 Brass Bed, 2-inch post, 7/8-inch filling, polish or satin finish... \$36.50
\$53.50 Polished Brass Bed, 2-inch continuous post... \$39.00
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A full Brass Bed with 2-inch post and extra heavy filling, straight or bow foot, polished or satin finish; regular value \$42.50—

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\$76.00 Full Brass Bed, 2-inch post, 3/4-inch filling, polet finish... \$50.00
\$95.00 Napoleon Brass Bed, shaped foot, low head and foot... \$74.00
\$100.00 Satin finished Brass Bed, square posts and filling... \$60.00
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BOY MONSTER CONFESSES
Murdered Girl, but Has no Conception of Crime's Enormity.
CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 12.—Seemingly as devoid of moral perception as was Jesse Pomeroy when he murdered Katie Curran in 1874, Joseph Wood, the 16-year-old slayer of Ethel Nevins, nine years old, was made the subject of a quick indictment for murder by the grand jury today. As the boy has confessed his guilt, the only question to be discussed is what his punishment shall be.

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NEW INTERURBAN ROAD
Company to Build Between Seattle and Tacoma Along the Sound.
TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 12.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation of the Seattle-Tacoma Short Line were filed today. The capital stock is \$5,000,000 and the company is to build an interurban road between Tacoma and Seattle. It is the outgrowth of what has heretofore been known as the Muckler-Whitman line, for which franchises have been secured in Tacoma and Seattle. The new line will make the trip between Tacoma and Seattle in one hour, following the Sound much of the way, making an ideal scenic road. Construction will begin as soon as the remaining right of way contracts can be made and the material secured. Paving Plant Reaches Eugene. EUGENE, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special.)—The first carload of the first section of the large paving plant which was shipped from Boise, Idaho, to do the paving in Eugene this Fall and Winter, arrived today. The new plant is a third larger than the old one, which will be shipped to Salem, and is considered adequate for the large paving contract which the city wishes carried out as early as possible.