

MAY ACCEPT IF FORCED TO DO SO

Modest Way of Mr. Riis in Discussing Roosevelt's Third Term.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 21.—Unusual interest is manifested in Jacob Riis' address before the first Roosevelt club in St. Paul, and his statements with reference to a third term for President Roosevelt.

Although refusing to make any further statement himself, Mr. Riis talked with a number of personal friends, referring to the question in such a way as to leave the opinion that it is his judgment President Roosevelt will be forced to run through the activities of those who differ with him and oppose Taft because the latter is the president's friend.

FURNAS ALLEGES LAND CONSPIRACY

Allegation Is Contained in Defendant's Answer to Suit by Maxwell Company.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., Oct. 21.—In an answer filed by the defendants in the case of the Maxwell Land & Irrigation company against L. W. Furnas and wife some sensational allegations were made against the former officers of the irrigation company.

On January 20, 1904, an agreement was made between the Minnehaha Irrigation company and Furnas whereby the company was to supply water for the reclamation of 220 acres of land to be filed on under the desert land act by Furnas.

According to the allegations contained in the answer just filed, it was the mutual understanding that Furnas would deed the company 240 acres of land instead of the \$19,400. But after the contract was made the Minnehaha company sold out to the Maxwell Land & Irrigation company.

BRYAN MAKES HIS POLITICAL FIGHT

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Oct. 21.—The belief among the political leaders of both parties that William J. Bryan aspires to be the Democratic standard bearer again next year and the feeling, moreover, that he will soon make formal announcement of his candidacy for the nomination has created a more or less lively interest in his present visit to the east.

Mr. Bryan was to have made his initial speech tonight in Cooper Union, which has a comparatively small seating capacity, but in Madison square garden, which was the scene of one of his most notable triumphs on the occasion of his welcome home on his return from a tour of the world.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) La Grande, Or., Oct. 21.—The sale of the Halston two-story brick building on the corner of Depot and Adams avenue to Tom Loftus of Starkey has just been made for \$18,000. This is one of the old and substantial buildings put up in the business section of La Grande some years ago.

COLORED LABORER CONFESSES CRIME

Murdered the Night Watchman of a New Jersey Factory.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Bridgeton, N. J., Oct. 21.—After having confessed that he killed James E. Camm, night watchman at the South Jersey Basket and Hamper company's factory, Gilbert Maddox, colored, has been held by the coroner to await the action of the grand jury.

The confession was obtained from Maddox by J. Hampton Fithian, prosecuting attorney, who laid it before the coroner's jury at the inquest today. There has been considerable feeling against the prisoner since his arrest and today, in view of his confession, which had been kept secret until presented to the coroner's jury, Mr. Fithian decided to keep Maddox in jail to avoid a possible demonstration at the investigation.

"We find that James E. Camm came to his death as the result of a blow on the head from a woodchopper's ax in the hand of Gilbert Maddox," the inquest was of short duration. George Toler, a stableman at the plant, was the first witness. He described his finding of Camm's body on Sunday morning about seven o'clock lying on the office floor in a pool of blood.

Camm's head was almost hacked from the body. The first theory of the police was that Camm, who is a man of small stature, had been murdered for his week's wages. This was disproved afterward when the bloody envelope was found beneath the body.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH DEDICATED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Oct. 21.—The Norwegian Lutheran church of Eugene was dedicated yesterday. The building was formerly used by the Cumberland Presbyterians, but sold to the Norwegian Lutherans at the time the Cumberland church was merged with the Presbyterian church. Since then the building has been remodeled and renovated. It is now one of the neatest church buildings in the city.

The dedication services were conducted on Sunday, Oct. 20, at 10 o'clock, assisted by Rev. Reinertsen and Rev. Kristensen. The pastor, Rev. M. P. Sommermaes, and Attorney E. P. Ness, who is clerk of the church, also spoke.

EUGENE CATHOLICS HOLD A JUBILEE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Oct. 21.—The Catholics of Eugene held a twentieth anniversary jubilee service yesterday. The rector, Rev. Father O'Farrell, assisted by the male choir, chanted high mass at 10:30 o'clock and Rev. Father J. J. Gallagher, C. S. C., president of Columbia university, Portland, delivered the sermon. At 7:30 in the evening Rev. Father Fitzgerald, George Grove delivered a sermon before a large audience.

The church was organized in 1887 by Father Beck, who acted as rector for many years. Father O'Farrell was appointed rector in February, 1906, and he immediately began preparations for the erection of a modern house of worship. By March 24, 1907, one of the finest buildings in the diocese was finished and dedicated. Since Father O'Farrell has been rector the congregation has grown from a mere handful to nearly 400.

KENNEWICK TO HAVE FIRE PROTECTION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Kennewick, Wash., Oct. 21.—The Kennewick volunteer fire department has adopted resolutions requesting the town council to order apparatus to the extent of about \$1,500. The council promised, when the department was reorganized recently, that it would comply with any reasonable request for apparatus, and it is expected that at its next meeting it will make the necessary appropriation.

Would Enlarge Trade.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Buenos Ayres, Oct. 21.—The government of Argentina has negotiated a commercial treaty with Great Britain. Before the strikers of this port surrendered, they sought the services of the Socialist member of the house of deputies to arbitrate for them, but he refused on the ground that "their movement had its origin in certain political causes, and no advantage for the working classes."

Meeting of Press Clubs.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 21.—Representatives of press clubs in many of the large cities of the United States and Canada are gathering in Birmingham to take part in the annual convention of the International League of Press Clubs, which will be in session here during the remainder of the week. The gathering from present indications will be the largest and most representative of its kind ever held in America.

Fifty Years in National Guard.

New York, Oct. 21.—Probably without a parallel in the entire country is the record of Lieutenant-Colonel William H. Kipp of the Seventh regiment, who today rounded out 50 years of service in the National guard of New York. Colonel Kipp entered the Seventh regiment as a private October 21, 1857, and with the same regiment he served through the civil war, rising to the rank of second lieutenant. He headed his command in the draft riots of 1863, again in the Orange riots of 1870, the Croton Dam riot in 1895, and was wounded in the trolley strike riot in the same year. In addition to his service in the National guard Colonel Kipp has a splendid record as an official of the New York police department, having been chief clerk of the department since 1873.

Diamonds — ON — Easy Payments

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(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Olympia, Wash., Oct. 21.—The supreme court in an opinion written by Justice Dunbar and concurred in by five other members of the bench has refused to allow the increase of salaries granted by the act of the last legislature to a number of the appointive state officers, including the members of the board of control, labor commissioner, mine inspector and land commissioner.

The action was brought in the supreme court by James H. Davis, member of the state board of control. He was appointed on April 1, 1905, for the term of six years, the salary at that time being \$2,000 per annum. By chapter 166 of the laws of 1907 the legislature increased the salary to \$3,000 per annum. The governor then recommended Davis as a member of the board of control, under date of June 12, 1907.

In accordance therewith, Davis presented his salary claim for monthly allowance at the rate of \$3,000 per annum. State Auditor Clausen, acting on the advice of Attorney-General Atkinson, refused to honor the requisition for increased salary, on the ground that Davis was a member of the board at the time of the passage of the act of 1907, and that his salary could not be legally increased during the term for which he was appointed.

Davis contended that the provision of the law of 1907 which prescribes the time at which the term of office begins, was repealed by the act of 1907 and is no longer the law, and that therefore the governor was called on to recommit the members of the board, their terms of office dating from the new commission.

STREETCAR COMPANY PAYS FOR INJURIES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Olympia, Wash., Oct. 21.—The supreme court has affirmed the case of Millie Payne and Thomas Payne, her husband, respondents, vs. Whatcom County Railway and Light & Power company, William Walker and Joseph Ives, appellants. This was a personal injury case for injuries sustained by Mrs. Payne as a passenger on a streetcar in Bellingham on July 4, 1905. She was standing on the footboard of a crowded car when another car passed and she was hurt by being jammed between the cars. It was admitted that the two motormen were negligent, but the company claimed that it is unable to find any error in the case and considers the amount of the judgment reasonable in the light of the evidence.

SMALL-FARM IDEA SEIZES KENNEWICK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Kennewick, Wash., Oct. 21.—The contractors who make a specialty of leveling and grading orchard tracts in the Kennewick valley report that they are overwhelmed with work and simply cannot keep up with business offered them. An unusual number of tracts are being put in condition for planting this fall, and the indications are that even more land will be set out in vines and trees this year than last. E. J. Jagan has just had a 30-acre tract leveled and has installed a pumping plant close to the canal. Mr. Jagan intends to plant a nursery on this land and his preparations are well under way. Otto Hanson is having a large tract leveled close to the Columbia river, and George Armstrong, a local building contractor, will have a 40-acre tract leveled. Most of the leveling, however, is being done on five and 10-acre tracts.

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Montie Gwinn Gives Site for a Home

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Boise, Ida., Oct. 21.—Montie B. Gwinn, formerly of Boise, and now of Pendleton, Oregon, has donated the grand lodge of Odd Fellows a 10-acre tract of land at Caldwell, and an Odd Fellows' home is to be erected on it as soon as arrangements can be made. The grand lodge has a \$12,000 building fund for this purpose on hand.

Jubilee Celebration.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Terra Haute, Ind., Oct. 21.—The Sisters of Providence at St. Mary-of-the-Woods will this week hold a jubilee celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of their order. The order was established by women of the French nobility a century ago, but it was not till 1840 that it was introduced into the United States. The order exists for educational purposes. The college for girls is one of the most famous Catholic schools in America. It is expected that a number of dignitaries of the church will attend the celebration.

Circle of Brotherhood.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 21.—The supreme circle of the Brotherhood of America began a convention at the Jamestown exposition today with an attendance of delegates representing a number of states. A proposal to make an increase or readjustment of the dues of the death benefit fund is one of the principal matters to receive the attention of the convention.

To Improve Upper Mississippi.

Moine, Ill., Oct. 21.—Everything is in readiness for the annual meeting of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association, which will convene in this city tomorrow for a two days' session. The meeting will be attended by delegates representing nearly all the cities

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