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FIFTY-SIXTH YEAR.

DAY BEFORE THE BATTLE IN IDAHO

Question of Indicating Candidate For Senator at Convention Stirs Politicians.

LINES BEING SHARPLY DRAWN

Delegates From Far Northern Counties Hold Caucus and Agree on Demands.

Insist on Congressman, Secretary of State, Auditor and Superintendent of State Schools.

(Special to the "News.")

Pocatello, Ida., July 31.—No political convention in the history of Idaho has been fraught with more interest than the one which will assemble here tomorrow. The Republican leaders from every county are either already here or will arrive during the day. The hotels are all filled and private homes are being crowded with visitors and delegates as rapidly as they arrive.

Caucus caucuses have been held in some instances, and the Gooding-Brady forces on one side, and the Borah followers on the other, have been extremely busy. Today and tonight will witness the line-up between the combatants. It is worthy of note that the difference between them is not as personally bitter as some have supposed. The question which divides the party most at this time, and there is no question as to a division, is the proposition to indicate in the convention the choice for United States senator. Whether that will be done or not, is today a matter of conjecture. No man can say with absolute certainty that it will be done, nor can it be with assurance declared that it will not be done, although conditions may shape themselves in the final rally that he can with a degree of confidence, say "I told you so."

The question of geography promises to cut quite a figure and the northern counties have been in caucus today to see to it that their rights are recognized.

ON THE GROUND EARLY.

The delegates commenced to arrive early. As they came interest has continued to grow apace. There have been small gatherings here and there, informal and otherwise. Gov. Gooding got here on Sunday. Borah arrived yesterday and Senator Heyburn and Judge Beatty were among the more prominent of this morning's contingent.

The delegations that got here in advance of the crowds were from Oneida, Elmore, Lemhi and Cassia. They came yesterday as did also part of those from Bingham and Idaho counties. They were among the busy people last night, and this morning. But so far as that is concerned everybody is busy. He has got to be so or fall out of line. Of course there are not a few of the saw-wood-and-say-nothing class, but it is said that even they are "doing things."

CLAIM OF THE BORAH CAMP.

There are all sorts of confident claims being announced from the Borah camp. If you listen to the Borahites' talk, it is as good as settled right now. They contend most unequivocally that the victory has already been won. They say that the ballots will quickly determine that; 150 votes are necessary to a choice. They say they already have 170 that they can depend on in any kind of an emergency.

GOODING-BRADY FORCES.

Whatever the outcome it must be said that the Gooding-Brady forces are playing discreet politics. They are in no wise brass banding their campaign. Rather are they keeping and receiving reports, keeping their eyes wide open and maintaining their own counsel. They say the other side is welcome to all the claiming business it desires, and that it will have a rude awakening when the results are announced. They add further that the administration forces will control the convention and nominate the ticket.

THE GOVERNORSHIP.

In all the lines of political work, activity was greatest in the governorship camp. Gooding has many staunch friends, friends who point to his splendid record as chief executive of the state and who contend that he is, by all the rights of precedent and political wisdom, entitled to another term. But that is not the rock upon which the delegates of the convention are likely to split. It is upon what is being called the larger and graver problem as to whether or not the convention should indicate who shall be the candidate for United States senator to succeed Fred T. Dubois. It is a difficult matter to size up the governorship fight at this time. Dr. Hugh Francis of Shoshone is being much talked of, dark horse, talk, too, is heard from many directions. But the Brady people declare that Gooding is going to be successful.

MORNING ACTIVITY.

The bustling and buttonholing of delegates commenced early this morning and was augmented in large degree on the arrival of a special train from the north bearing delegates from Kootenai, Nez Perce, Latah, Idaho and Washington counties. The delegates numbered 84, and 82 of them, it is claimed, were wearing Borah badges. This was like carrying a flag into the enemy's camp, and soon messages were sent out that caused the badges to disappear one by one, until later in the day there was hardly a Borah badge to be seen in the town. This

did not necessarily mean that there were fewer Borah men than before, but it simply showed that the political judgment of those in control had deemed the display not a wise one.

TOWN FULL OF PEOPLE.

Pocatello is crowded with strangers and hotel room is entirely gone. Late arrivals are being cared for by a committee of citizens, which directs them to private homes, where every courtesy is extended. The Bannock hotel is the headquarters of the political camps, which are veritable hives of action. A fact worthy of note is that nearly every editor in the state of Idaho is here to attend the convention. There appeared to be little organization before the arrival of the leaders yesterday and this morning, but it is being made effective as the day progresses. Some enterprising newspaper man or politician had printed slips of the comparative political figures as applied to the Idaho situation, published in last Saturday's "News." The lineup there given was recognized as being about the most definite information obtainable on the ground today.

NORTHERN COUNTIES CAUCUS.

The delegates from the four northern counties of the state, Latah, Kootenai, Nez Perce and Idaho, who traveled 800 miles by way of Spokane to attend the convention, met in caucus at noon today, with two delegates from Washington county. They assembled in the L. D. S. amusement hall and excluded all not in sympathy with the purpose for which they met.

Charles Heitman was made chairman of the caucus. Heitman is probably the best known political character of northern Idaho and is known as the czar of the Kootenai country. Heitman made a brief speech, in which he said that the north came to the convention with 94 votes, which was about one-third of the total that would be cast, and if the north didn't understand what it could do with a lever of that strength, it was about time it commenced to learn wisdom.

CONGRESSMAN FRENCH.

Heitman called on Congressman French, who made a regular glad-hand speech, stirring the delegates to a high pitch of enthusiasm. He declared that never before had there been a time when it was so necessary for the north to stand solidly together on all political questions as today. He added that the time was not far distant when the north would have one-half of the votes of the state. When that time arrived, then it would get half of what it was entitled to.

OTHER SPEECHES.

Nugent of Grangeville, Idaho county, was the next speaker. He said his county brought 16 votes to the convention and would cast them solidly and in the right way.

A VOICE FROM THE SOUTH.

Avery Moore, editor of the Weiser World, Washington county, made the best speech of the day so far as arousing the delegates was concerned. He said that he belonged to the south, but was loyal to the north, and advised it to stand together for recognition and assured it if it did so that recognition would come. Hereafter the men of the north had literally down at each other's throats, with the result that they had been their own worst enemies and had thus permitted the south to walk away with the prize. Now it should get all that it was entitled to.

Allen Miller of Grangeville, state insurance commissioner, made a brief speech, which consisted mainly of advising the delegates to get down to work.

COMMITTEE NAMED.

On motion, a committee of five, one from each county, was named to canvass the situation, and ascertain what the north could get, which caused Robert S. Gragaw, state auditor from Kootenai county, to say that the north was entitled to congressmen, secretary of state, auditor and superintendent of schools. The committee named consisted of Thompson of Nez Perce, Nugent of Idaho, David of Latah, Whitlaw of Kootenai, and Moore of Washington. The name of D. A. Uter was later substituted for that of Moore. At 1 o'clock the caucus adjourned until 4:30, when it is to reconvene, and make report as to what has been ascertained with regard to the offices that are to go to the north.

AS TO INSURANCE.

Resolutions by National Association of Credit Men.

President Arthur Parsons of the Utah Association of Credit Men, is in receipt of a communication from Charles E. Meek, secretary and treasurer of the National Association of Credit Men at New York, enclosing a copy of a preamble and resolution adopted at the recent Baltimore convention of the association, relative to the policy of some of the insurance companies in the payment of San Francisco losses.

The instrument says: "Whereas, the disaster that has recently occurred in San Francisco presents for the consideration of the insurance men problems which they have never had to deal with before, and

"Whereas, it is reported that the ablest insurance adjusters in the United States will be called to San Francisco to adjust the insurance losses suffered by the people there, and

"Whereas, it is for the interest of the business community of the United States that it be kept informed of the proceedings taken by the adjusters of the various companies in adjusting these losses

"Resolved, That this association appoint a committee of five whose duty it shall be to inform themselves of the adjustments made by the various insurance companies carrying policies in San Francisco, and to report that this association may be fully informed as to the insurance companies which deal justly and liberally with the people of San Francisco in the adjustment of their losses.

"Resolved, That said committee, after such adjustments have been made, report its findings to this association and that a copy of such findings be sent to every association of credit men in the United States, that due credit may be given to those companies to which credit is due for just and prompt adjustment."

GREEK KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Bolt From the Sky Struck Laborer on the Head This Morning.

ANOTHER BADLY INJURED.

Men Were at Work in a Gravel Pit When the Fatal Flash Came Suddenly.

(Special to the "News.")

Garfield, July 31.—Nick Azernitis, a Greek laborer who was employed by Contractor C. H. Thompson at this place, was instantly killed by a bolt of lightning shortly after 11 o'clock this morning. A companion who was working with Azernitis was also struck but his injuries were not fatal though quite painful.

The victim, with other men, was at work in a gravel pit. A thunderstorm arose and there were several flashes of lightning. Suddenly Azernitis was seen to fall to the ground writhing in agony. Before assistance could reach him he was dead. The lightning struck the unfortunate man on the top of the head. His body was badly burned, his clothing torn and one of his shoes was literally ripped to pieces. The name of the man injured was not learned. It is believed he will soon recover from the terrible experience.

The body of the dead man will be sent to Salt Lake this afternoon where it will be prepared for burial. It is understood that his relatives reside in Salt Lake. Arrangements for the funeral, which will be held in the city, will be made shortly after the arrival of the body.

D. W. ALDRIDGE DEAD.

General Eastern Agent of Chicago-Northwestern Crosses Divide.

Mr. C. A. Walker, general agent for the Chicago & Northwestern in this city, is in receipt of a telegram from the general agent at Detroit, conveying the sad news of the death at Detroit at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon of D. W. Aldridge, general agent of the company.

Mr. Aldridge was formerly agent at Denver, and while located in that city he frequently visited Salt Lake and had many warm friends here, who will be pained to learn of his death. Mr. Aldridge had been failing in health for several months and for the past three months was at a sanitarium in Detroit where it was hoped he would finally recover.

During the last few days, however, he grew worse until death came yesterday afternoon and relieved him of his sufferings.

DIED IN JAIL.

Alcoholic Fit Proved Fatal for "Shorty" Noble This Morning.

Benjamin S. Noble, known in police circles as "Shorty" Noble, died at 7:30 o'clock this morning in a cell at the city jail. He was taken into custody at an early hour in the morning by Officer Cassidy. Noble was in a drunken condition and was placed in a cell provided for such cases. He was seized with an alcoholic fit and failed to revive.

Since coming to Salt Lake two or three years ago Noble has either been in the hospital or in jail most of the time. He had a fondness for liquor which he apparently could not overcome. Often he would appear voluntarily before the desk sergeant at the close of a night's debauch and say that he was ready to be locked up.

Noble came here from Matton, Illinois, where, it is said, he has immediate relatives. He also has a sister living in Los Angeles. He was about 50 years of age, and a painter by profession. The body is at an undertaker's, and unless relatives and friends come forward to give him a proper burial, the remains will be interred at the city's expense.

NEW NAME FOR CALDER'S

Will be Announced in Electric Light Display Tomorrow Night.

It will be remembered that the Calder's Park Amusement association some time ago offered a prize of \$100 for the best name for the beautiful resort that it controls a short distance south of this city. Several thousand names were received by the committee which held its final meeting this afternoon and agreed on the name which will be announced in huge electric light letters at Calder's Park tomorrow evening when it is expected a great crowd will be in attendance to see what the verdict of the committee will be.

When asked today what the name was the committee declared it could not announce that in advance, but it said that the selection was most beautiful and one that in its judgment would meet with hearty popular approval.

HIGH WAGES AT TONOPAH.

They Range From \$4 to \$5.50 for Miners.

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LAYING STEEL TODAY

On Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad.

Chicago, July 31.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road will today begin the laying of steel on its new Pacific coast extension. The rails are to be laid from Glenham, a point on the shore of Lake Superior in South Dakota, to Flora, on the Missouri river, 12 miles above Everts from where the coast line will proceed. The grading on this stretch is already completed, and the construction work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

NEW RUSSIAN CABINET CERTAIN

Premier Stolypin Considers Its Reorganization as an Accomplished Fact.

HAD TO MAKE CONCESSIONS.

Program Contemplates Immediate Reforms for Pacification of the People.

(Special to the "News.")

St. Petersburg, July 31.—The Associated Press was informed from a high source late this afternoon that Premier Stolypin considers the reorganization of the cabinet to be an accomplished fact. The negotiations are terminated and the premier entertains no doubt of the acquiescence of the emperor with the conditions to which he has agreed and an official announcement of the reorganization of the ministry may be made tonight or tomorrow.

St. Petersburg, July 31, 6 p. m.—At a late hour this afternoon Premier Stolypin issued a statement through the St. Petersburg Official News agency to the effect that the assignment of the unfilled portfolios has not yet been entirely decided upon. This may postpone an announcement of the new cabinet for several days, but it is accepted as a fact that the cabinet has been virtually agreed upon and approved by the emperor.

A number of Octoberists who declined to sign the Viborg manifesto have now constituted themselves into a party for the peaceful reconstruction of the ministry. Premier Stolypin agreed tentatively to certain conditions which they proposed and thereupon a number of the Octoberist Liberals offered to accept office in the cabinets.

The Novoe Vremya says this involves the retirement of M. Chicholovoff, the minister of justice; M. Schwabach, controller of the empire; and M. Kauffmann, minister of education, and the entrance of Count Heyden as controller of the empire. Alexander Gucharkoff as chief of the department of trade and industry, Prince Nicholas Lovoff, of Saratov as minister of agriculture; Paul Vinogradoff, minister of education; and Anatolia Koni, minister of justice.

The program contemplates putting the Liberal reforms into immediate execution with the design of pacifying the people of the country and preparing the way for next year's duma. It involves an agrarian program looking to the expropriation of land in extreme cases or the purpose of correcting inequities where the peasant lands have been divided and separated into private holdings, but maintaining the principle of the integrity of private property and the gradual abolition of exceptional laws. It provides for the abolition of the death penalty except in the army and navy and in places where martial law supercedes the civil administration with military authority.

Premier Stolypin has given his first illustration of the modified policy of the government with the members of the duma who have arrayed themselves against him. A week ago he directed the commencement of legal proceedings against those who signed the Viborg manifesto; then later he announced that the government intended to entirely ignore the action of the members of the duma at Viborg, and now he turns again and announces that proceedings will be initiated, although he doubtless has no intention of forcing a trial. He will probably hold the prosecution of these cases against the accused to prevent them from becoming candidates for re-election to the duma.

BRYAN REBUFFED.

Wanted Nat'l Committeeman Sullivan To Resign But He Refused.

Chicago, July 31.—Judge Owen P. Thompson of Jacksonville, Ill., announced this afternoon that in a letter dated July 17, W. J. Bryan requested that Judge Thompson call upon Mr. Roger Sullivan with a message from the members of parliament at Viborg, in the interest of harmony, resign as national committeeman from Illinois. Judge Thompson says he saw Mr. Sullivan and delivered Mr. Bryan's message. Mr. Sullivan declined to resign as requested.

Judge Thompson, thereupon made public a letter from Mr. Bryan declaring that National Committeeman Sullivan holds the office by fraud and that it is impossible for honest Democrats to associate with Mr. Sullivan as a member of the national committee.

ONE OF DIETZ'S VICTIMS.

Raddison, Wis., July 31.—After crawling on his hands and knees for a day through the brush and forest, Duys Roglich of Milwaukee, wounded in three places by Clarence Dietz, reached the home of Charles Johnson and was later carried into Winter, where he secured medical attention. Slight hope is entertained for his recovery. He had been terribly exposed and when he reached the Johnson place, his wounds had become filled with dirt.

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NEGROES EXPECT ATTACK ON JAIL

Gather in Large Numbers at Mound City, Ill., to Prevent a Lynching.

IT IS THREATENED BY WHITES

Sam McDonald, Negro, Killed a Man During a Picnic Last Saturday.

(Special to the "News.")

St. Louis, July 31.—A special to the Post Dispatch from Mound City, Ill., says negroes are gathering here anticipating an attack on the jail by whites to lynch Sam McDonald, who killed Homer Morris during a picnic near Union, Saturday. Threats by whites have caused much excitement and a bloody clash is probable if the latter attempt to mob McDonald.

An attempt at lynching was made last night when officers brought McDonald to the county jail here from Perkins. The mob was foiled by deputies who placed the negro in a vehicle and drove into the country until the excitement cooled down.

AMERICAN PILGRIMS.

Pope Receives Those Hailed by Rev. Henry Gabriels.

Rome, July 31.—The pope today received the American pilgrims organized by the Right Rev. Henry Gabriels, bishop of Odessa, N. Y., and John J. McGowan, Brooklyn, N. Y. The pilgrims, who are enjoying excellent health, recalled that immediately after his election the first pilgrim he received was Cardinal Gibbons, who was presented by Cardinal Gibbons. Bishop Gabriels read an address in which he said Catholicism was making rapid strides in the United States, due to the complete freedom which the church enjoyed and the good-will of the American people. Bishop Gabriels also quoted President Roosevelt as saying: "I am proud to have the pope in my country." The pope thanked the bishop most warmly, expressing his great love for the United States and also in case of President Roosevelt. The pontiff also presented the leaders of the pilgrimage with medals and commended to be photographed in the group of pilgrims.

AGAIN SECY. LOEB SAYS

PRESIDENT NOT A CANDIDATE

Feared Ill July 31.—A positive announcement from President Roosevelt that he will not be a candidate for a second term was made today in a letter addressed to Mrs. L. A. Kinney of Peoria by Secy. William Loeb for President Roosevelt. The text of the letter follows:

"White House, Oyster Bay, L. I., July 31, 1906.—Dear Madam: Your letter of recent date has been received. I thank you in the president's behalf for calling attention to the enclosed clipping. I would say, however, that the president is not going to add to the statement issued after the election in 1904. His decision is announced at that time is irrevocable.

"Your

"WILLIAM LOEB,

"Secretary to the President."

This expression from the president was called forth by an editorial in the Peoria Herald-Examiner, which was called to the attention of the president through Mrs. Kinney, wife of a prominent politician. The editorial was in the form of an appeal to the president to accept a third term.

AUTOMOBILE HILL

CLIMBING CONTEST.

Crawford Notch, N. H., July 31.—Although the roads were still somewhat muddy as the result of yesterday's rain, the westerners who were called to the automobile hill-climbing contest and the automobile hill-climbing contest postponed from yesterday, were started with over 20 cars competing in the various events. The contest was held on a steep grade from the old Willey house to Crawford.

The cars for the hill-climbing contest for 10 events, including a free-for-all for racing and stripped cars. The distance up through the Notch from the Willey house to the Crawford road is a quarter of a mile and a quarter.

Event No. 1 for stock cars costing over \$100 and not more than \$200 was won by Cote, driving a gasoline car. Time—3:24.

Charles Burham, driving a gasoline car, was second. Time—3:44.

J. C. O'Brien, with a 40-horsepower gasoline car, was third. Time—3:44.

Event No. 2 for stock cars costing over \$200 and not more than \$300 was won by Cote, driving a gasoline car. Time—3:12.

W. J. Keeler, the only other entrant, was second, driving his own 20-horsepower gasoline car. Time—4:00.

ROOSEVELT CUP.

American Yachts Built to Defend It Are Trying Out.

Marblehead, Mass., July 31.—A majority of the 15 American 25-racing yachts that have been built for the defense of the Roosevelt cup against the three German yachts for that trophy are now engaged in a series of tuning up races in these events will probably continue almost daily until the trial races, which will have been held here, and others will be directed to the Eastern yacht club, which originated the international contest for these small boats and donated the cup named for President Roosevelt with his permission.

After the trial races the club will select 15 yachts to sail against the three German boats which are now being brought to this country on steamers.

The cup races will take place during the week of Sept. 3, and five races will be sailed, the trophy going to the yacht that wins the majority of the contests or wins the fifth race of the series.

IOWA REPUBLICAN

STATE CONVENTION.

Des Moines, Ia., July 31.—The morning train brought additional delegates to the Republican state convention. Fully two-thirds of them are now here, and others will arrive by tonight, which is leaving the delegates by the friends of Governor Perkins, in a candidate for governor, against R. C. Simmons, who seeks a re-election. In three of the 15 cases submitted, the chairman of the "Columbia" delegation refused to give "information," and then the "Columbia" following will "stand pat" and await the calling to either warship.

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order of the convention. The committee will not, perhaps, reach a conclusion before tonight or tomorrow morning. The majority are said to be opposed to taking any action which might result in a result in two state tickets, and the impression seems to be getting stronger that the committee will find a way out of the difficulty by controlling them and come to a decision that will lead to only one ticket. While the "Columbia" people are still contented that they control the situation, the Perkins following have not abandoned their position that they have or will have a majority of the legally elected delegates.

The inside talk this morning points toward a joint ticket. Though no proposition has yet been formulated, it is said that the compromise will be attempted.

THE MOMUS LAUNCHED.

Built for Southern Pacific for New York-New Orleans Traffic.

Philadelphia, July 31.—The steamship Momus, which is being built for the Atlantic line of the Southern Pacific railroad company, was launched today at Cramp's shipyard.

Mrs. C. V. Jansen, wife of the manager of the Southern Pacific railroad, acted as sponsor.

The Momus, which will be the third passenger boat to be placed in commission on the Southern Pacific's Atlantic line between New York and New Orleans, will be 50 feet over all, 40 feet between perpendiculars and 25 feet with a displacement of about 25 feet. The boat's speed will be 16 knots.

The Momus will have accommodations for 152 first cabin passengers, 18 second class passengers and 25 in the steerage.

MUTUAL POLICYHOLDERS

FINALLY SECURE A LIST.

New York, July 31.—The Mutual Life Policyholders' association has, it is announced today, secured a list of the list of the company through the cooperation of the officials of the company. The list is a duplicate of the one filed in Albany and is not the special steel card which the company is using for itself. The association, therefore, has the same names as the International Policyholders' committee, which the latter secured at great expense through copying the names at Albany.

The association's list was obtained from the Troy Printing company, which made up the Mutual's first list. It was directed to make six copies of the typewritten names. It made seven, so as to have a spare list for business reasons and also in case there should be demand for another. The Policyholders' association heard of this list and began negotiations with the Mutual's officers to obtain it. The negotiations occupied several days and finally the list was secured.

The association therefore finds itself in the same position as the international committee of the policyholders at practically no expense.

A conference between Richard Olney, chairman, and Samuel Untermyer, counsel, of the International Policyholders' committee, and Bernard B. Baker, chairman of the Mutual Life Policyholders' association, has been arranged for this afternoon.

A LONG SERVICE.

Chas. J. Osborn Completes 47 Years' Employment as Correspondent.

St. Louis, July 31.—Charles Jones Osborn, the St. Louis correspondent of the Associated Press, 185 to 1902, marking a correspondent service of 47 years, and settling him to the distinction of being the longest lived of the Associated Press, celebrated his eightieth birthday anniversary today. Mr. Osborn, who is familiarly known throughout the service as "Major," an honorary title, retired from active work four years ago, but is still affiliated with the St. Louis office in an advisory capacity. He is remarkably hale and hearty and very active, despite his years.

Maj. Osborn was born in Utica, N. Y., learned telegraphy in Pittsburgh, Pa., in 1847, and came to St. Louis as a telegraph operator from Cincinnati in 1853. Two years later he entered the service of the Associated Press as an operator and shortly afterward was appointed correspondent.

While Maj. Osborn was learning telegraphy in Pittsburgh he became acquainted with Andrew Carnegie, who was then a messenger boy in the telegraph office. Osborn was sent by the telegraph office to Chicago in 1861 as a manager of that part of the system known as the O'Reilly Telegraph company. He found the headquarters to be located in a very ramshackle frame building that threatened to fall down without warning. His first work was to move into better quarters in a new, four-story brick building about 50 feet square on Clark street, the finest office building in Chicago at the time.

He was manager of the O'Reilly company for two years. After becoming correspondent of the Associated Press at St. Louis the pony express service for sending news to San Francisco newspapers was organized. Maj. Osborn would gather a batch of news and send the bundle to Tipton, Mo., by railroad. Tipton was the terminus of the pony express, which ran from St. Louis. From this point news was sent by the Missouri Pacific Railroad system.

At Tipton the news bundle was delivered to the stage coach and reached its destination in about three weeks.

PHILIPPINE VICE GOV.

Washington, July 31.—Judge James F. Tracey of the Philippine supreme court, is expected