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Former Portland Cartoonist and
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Fighter Pleads by Telegrams
With Jack King.

DENVER, Jan. 22.—(Special).—Oscar Matthews (Batling) Nelson, of Hegewisch, Ill., and former lightweight champion of the world, and Fay King, cartoonist for the Denver Post, will be married tomorrow in Hegewisch, according to an announcement made by them just as they boarded a train tonight for the East.

Despite the announcement, it is stated positively, however, by friends of Miss King, that she and Nelson were married today before leaving Denver. At a Denver hotel, where Miss King has been living, the report is current that the ceremony has been performed.

It is said that the decision to wed was reached suddenly today, although a warm friendship and perhaps a mutual understanding has existed between the couple since their first meeting seven years ago. They left on a Rock Island train at 10 o'clock tonight and according to Miss King, the ceremony will be performed soon after their arrival at Nelson's home at Hegewisch.

MARRIAGE SURPRISES PARENTS

Pugilist's Pleading for Daughter's
Hands Finally Gets Benediction.

The announcement of the marriage of Miss Fay King came as a bolt from the sky to Mr. and Mrs. Jack King, father and mother of the young Denver cartoonist, who formerly lived in Portland.

Within the last 35 hours Mr. King has received more than 20 telegrams from the ex-lightweight champion telling of his desire to win his daughter's hand.

After debating for hours with himself, Mr. King finally yielded, and at 2 o'clock this morning he announced that he would give his benediction to the young couple and would continue to hold Batling Nelson in the esteem in which he has always held him.

The couple will return to Denver in a few days and they will establish their permanent residence in this city.

It was apparently a sudden change of mind on the part of Miss King, for early yesterday morning she telegraphed her mother, after knowing that the once great fighter had sent several telegrams to her folks, and said there was absolutely no chance of her marrying any one for a long time.

Mr. King received the final telegram from his future son-in-law at 10 o'clock last night, saying that he was leaving for Hegewisch, Ill., with Miss King to be married January 23. Miss King has been communicating with her parents, saying that she and Nelson were to be married, but Miss King would always write her parents, upon hearing of the business trip, that there was no truth in the report.

Mr. King received his first telegram from the ex-lightweight champion yesterday morning saying that he had just arrived in Denver from Hegewisch and was going to arrange to marry Miss King and wanted Mr. King to come to Denver on the next train. Mr. King could not leave because of business and answered by telegram saying that Fay King was just enough to know what she is doing.

Mr. Nelson sent another telegram later in the afternoon containing 247 words and again asked the father's consent to marry the clever cartoonist, and telling of another suit whom he bitterly denounced. Nearly every hour Mr. King continued to receive telegrams from the pugilist.

"I have nothing against Batling Nelson," said Mr. King last night. "He is a good fellow and I have always said so. I don't know what he is doing. He happened in the last few hours at Denver. I received word from my daughter telling me that she did not intend to marry any one."

Mr. King was much upset when he was told by an Oregonian reporter of the announcement of the marriage.

Save for a few hours in the past visiting other cities on the Pacific Coast, Miss King, who is 23 years old, was never out of Portland until she was offered the position on the Denver Post as sporting cartoonist. Batling Nelson, who has been a friend of Miss King for a half dozen years, secured the position for her.

She is a natural born artist and never received any instructions in her art. She was identified with the Bussell Advertising Agency with the Spectator and with the Bleacher, in all of which publications her clever and original illustrations and writing appeared regularly. She is a petite brunette and dresses stylishly. She has been called Mabel Hite's double. Her friends in Portland are legion.

Batling Nelson visited Miss King's parents on several occasions in the last five years and on each visit the subject of Fay's marriage to the pugilist became food for discussion. Invariably Miss King's mother decided that an engagement existed.

LOWER HOUSE DISTURBED

Legislators Complain of Noise in
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SALEM, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special).—Secretary of State Ben Olcott, who is custodian of the Capitol building, has received complaints from the Speaker, clerks and various members of the House of Representatives, about the noise overhead in the Supreme Court library. They state that the proceedings are seriously hampered by the confusion above and ask that something be done.

Owing to the overcrowded condition of the building at this time, every department is in more or less confusion, and as committee meetings are being held in every nook and cranny, considerable racket is seemingly unavoidable. Mr. Olcott is, however, taking the matter up with Miss Hawley, the law librarian, and a system will be worked out whereby the disturbance, if not totally stopped, will be minimized.

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Our New Home
After April 1st
7th & Morrison

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273-275
Morrison Street
at Fourth

UTES STOP WHITES

Fifty Led by Big Rabbit Hold
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MEN LET GO UNHARMED

Former Agent Appointed to Act as
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CORTEZ, Colo., Jan. 24.—George Filbert, of St. Paul, and James D. Quinn, of Denver, were held up today by the hand of 50 Ute Indians, led by the outlaw, Big Rabbit. When the white men passed the Indians' hiding place in the Ute Mountains, Quinn and Filbert reached Cortez tonight and told of their encounter with the Indians. They declared they were traveling along the edge of the Ute reservation on private business and, while passing through a canyon, they were confronted by a score or more of Indians, who leveled rifles at them and commanded them to stop.

Through an interpreter, a member of the band, the whites conveyed to the Indians they did not intend harm, and were permitted to continue their journey. The Indians explained that they feared Quinn and Filbert were some of the Sheriff's party.

David Day, of Durango, Indian agent under President Cleveland for the Ute reservation, and who in 1884-85 quelled a similar uprising of the Utes, was appointed today by the Washington authorities special agent to intercede with the Indians in behalf of peace, according to word received here today.

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BELDING BROS.

ALLEGED

Bankrupt Auction Sale of Jewelry

Belding Bros., the oldest and most reliable jewelers in the city, located in the Multnomah Hotel, No. 45 Third street, have been adjudged involuntary bankrupts in the United States District Court, H. S. Butterfield having been appointed receiver.

Everything Must Be Sold

SALE 2:30 AND 7:30 P. M. DAILY

Never in the history of Portland were such bargains offered to the public as yesterday and Saturday. Now is your opportunity to buy jewelry at astonishing prices. This stock is of the best quality, consisting of Watches, Diamonds, Clocks, Rings, Bracelets, etc. Nothing reserved. Largest crowds ever seen at a Portland auction.

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