

BOOTH OUT FOR FULTON

LANE COUNTY MAN PASSES UP JOURNAL'S TAFFY.

Says Astoria Aspirant Is Logical Candidate and Ought to Be Elected.

C. W. Fulton is rapidly gaining strength in his senatorial campaign, and it is becoming more and more evident that he will have an easy race for the toga.

The Geer adherents have for some time past been trying to make it appear that State Senator Booth of Lane county was a senatorial candidate, or, rather, have been endeavoring to place a buzzing bee in his bonnet.

The sentiment in favor of Mr. Fulton is developing rapidly, particularly in the Willamette valley. The people there are tired of being worked politically, and now demand the election of a man who will pay more attention to Oregon and less to the benefits of federal patronage.

The Portland Journal is out with a story that H. W. Scott, while sojourning in the British isles, is fondly nursing his senatorial aspirations, and that he will, at an opportune moment, throw the harpoon into Mr. Fulton and cause himself to be elected to the senate.

It is gratifying to Mr. Fulton's friends to note that the frantic efforts of the Geer-Bourne followers to weaken him are falling flat, and it would seem that the Astoria man will have a certain victory when the time for balloting comes.

IRVING-ERICKSON

Pleasant Wedding of Prominent Young People of Svensen.

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. Roland Irving Masten and Miss Augusta Erickson were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson, at Svensen, Rev. Oscar Ostrom of Astoria officiating. The parlor was beautifully decorated

with plants and flowers. The bride looked very pretty in a dress of cream white tulle trimmed in white lace, and she carried white chrysanthemums. The groom was in conventional black. A bountiful wedding supper was served and the bridal couple took the evening train for Portland where they will remain a few days after which they will return to their new home at Svensen. The bridegroom is the well known foreman of the logging camp at Svensen, and brother of Mr. Chas. Masten, the parents of whom are residents of Skamokawa. The bride is a young lady who has grown up at Svensen and is justly popular in the neighborhood. Both bride and groom have a host of friends, all of whom will be pleased to extend congratulations. Following were guests in attendance: Messrs. J. S. Masten, Charles Masten, John Wedin, Lund, H. C. Svensen, H. F. Fisher, Nina Thoren and Misses Amy Fisher, Selma Welch, Eva Masten, Carrie Norlund. The gentlemen were Messrs. J. S. Masten, Chas. Masten, C. W. Masten, John Dedin, Chas. Lund, Magnus Welin, Hugo Strom, Andie Strom, Carl Fisher and W. I. Armstrong.

"THE LITTLE DUKE."

Cast for the Operetta to Be Presented Monday Evening.

The operetta "Little Duke" will be presented tomorrow night at Fishers' opera house. The advance sale of seats has been very large and it is certain the capacity of the house will be taxed. The cast of characters follows: Frabrice....."The Little Duke" Mrs. J. T. Ross.

Blanche de Cambry....."The Duchess" Miss Sadie Sutherland. Channonalase de Lausac, of the Convent School.....Miss K. Shively. Captain Montland.....John C. McCue. Frimousse.....Frank Carnahan. Officers of the King's Regiment: De Tanneville.....Dan B. Allen. De Merigac.....Bert Griffiths. Bernard.....Roland Mills. Maids of Honor: Helene.....Miss Emma Shedd. Martha.....Miss Nanette Adams. Maliss.....Miss Bertha Simpson. Emma.....Miss Clara Marion. Marion.....Miss Mary McIntosh.

Pages: Robert.....John Kearney. Girard.....John McCann. Gaston.....Rees Emmerson. Louis.....L. Rodgers. Alphonse.....Walter Mayo. Mile. de la Roche.....Miss Emma Shedd. Mile. de Champert.....Mrs. D. B. Allen. Mile. St. Amanda.....Miss Nellie Lidwell. Frimousse's Scullions: James Johnson, Dr. Barr, Will Gratke, C. Onslow. Convent School Quartet: Miss Bess Reed, Miss May Utzinger, Miss Amy Lemon, Miss Margaret Busey. Vivandierres: Mrs. D. B. Allen, Miss Maude Stone, Miss M. Sovey, Miss N. Lidwell.

Chorus of soldiers, courtiers, court ladies, maids of honor and villagers: Bess Reed, May Utzinger, Nellie Lidwell, Laura McCann, Annie Mikelson, Bertha Stevenson, Elizabeth Busey, Margaret Busey, Amy Lemon, Mrs. D. Allen, Maude Stone, Madge Sovey, Bertha Simpson, Clara Marion, Nanette Adams, Laura Pastebend, Mary McIntosh, Hattie Utzinger, Emma Shedd, Mary Gramms, Dr. Barr, Bert Griffiths, D. Allen, J. Allen, J. Johnson, R. Mills, C. Stevenson, Will Cole, C. Onslow, J. McCann, Will Gratke, J. Carney, W. Mayo, F. Woodfield, L. Rodgers, R. Emmerson, F. Gerdes. The ladies' quartet will sing three numbers during the evening.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Alfred Kinney spent yesterday in Portland.

W. W. Sale of Youngs river was in the city yesterday.

Walter Kindred of Warrenton spent last night in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood were in the city yesterday from Warrenton.

Alexander Sigurdson, a prominent violinist of the west side, is in the city.

Mrs. O. West is in Portland where she will remain a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hutton.

Miss Lena Hutton, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. O. West, has returned to her home in Portland.

Bert Ross, who is now located at South Bend in the employ of the Toke Point Oyster company, is in the city today.

Miss Eva Coffman of Seaside accompanied her friend, Miss McKay, to this city yesterday. Miss Coffman returned home on the evening train.

Mrs. J. F. Sale of Youngs river, who has been visiting in Corvallis for some days, left yesterday for California where she will remain for a month.

Miss Lanie McKay, who has been visiting with Mrs. Kittener at Seaside for some months, passed through the city yesterday enroute for her home in Garret, Mont.

Descendant of "Mad Anthony" Wayne Placed Under Arrest for Disturbing the Peace.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—W. Wayne Bevin, a descendant of "Mad Anthony" Wayne, and formerly president of the North Pacific Railroad company and president of the Washington Improvement company of Seattle, was arraigned in court yesterday, charged with disorderly conduct in the office of a downtown firm where he wanted to sell 10,000 shares of National City bank stock. He was held in \$5000 bonds to keep the peace for six months.

Mr. Bevin, it is said, has figured in many eccentric escapades here in recent years and in November 1899, was committed to Bellevue hospital for examination as to his sanity, but was later discharged.

INTERCEPTS A BURGLAR.

Citizen Grapples With Night Prowler and Is Shot.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Richard Burke, an attendant of the Long Island City supreme court on reaching his home in Flushing, L. I., early this morning found a burglar trying to enter the house through a window. When Burke grappled with him the burglar drew a revolver and fired four shots. One bullet struck Burke in the chest and another in the neck. The wounded man was removed to the hospital. He was able to describe his assailant, for whom the police are now searching.

SECRET SESSION.

Southern Athletic Association Holds Preparatory Meeting in Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 20.—The executive committee of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic association met here yesterday in secret session, preparatory to the general meeting today. Nothing was given out regarding the proceedings.

WRECKER OBTAINS VESSEL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—The damaged steamer Progress, lying at the Fulton Iron works wharf, has been sold to J. H. Rogers, the wrecker, for \$12,300. He will attempt to recover all that is valuable in the vessel. James Tyson, the shipping man, has purchased the Norwegian bark Andromeda now in Honolulu harbor for \$4100.

TREATY EXTRADITION RATIFIED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The Brazilian chamber of deputies, according to a Herald dispatch from Rio Janeiro, has ratified the treaty of extradition with the United States.

The government has decided also to issue a loan for improving the sanitary conditions of Rio Janeiro. The government lease of the railways has been authorized by the chamber.

LOEB REACHES BERKELEY.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 20.—Professor Jacques Loeb, the eminent biologist, who, on November 11, was chosen by the board of regents a member of the faculty of the University of California, has reached Berkeley, coming direct from Chicago. He will soon begin his experimental work in the laboratory.

YOUNG MAN MURDERED.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 20.—Rufus Ayres, aged 22 years, was shot and killed early this morning by Len J. Douglas. Douglas is in jail here. The young man had trouble at a dance.

SNOWFALL IN NEW MEXICO.

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 20.—Ten inches of snow has fallen in Taos and Mora counties. The snowfall was the heaviest since 1892.

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