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**ASTORIA MAYORALTY**

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head; but they make no nominations for the office of auditor and police judge, and for the office of city treasurer. It seems to be recognized that both Judge Anderson and Mr. Dealey have filled their positions to the satisfaction of the community, and have acted not as partisans. Their records have been so excellent that their reward comes voluntarily and with much good-will. Apparently it "pays" for office-holders to act for the whole city, and to perform public duties courteously and very faithfully. But the Republicans have placed a full ticket in the field for the Common Council and besides this there are several nominations for the office of street superintendent.

The Astorian herewith gives a full list of all the nominations made by the petitions filed in the office of the city auditor, and following is the ticket endorsed by the Republicans:

- Mayor—Samuel Elmore.
- City Surveyor—A. S. Tee.
- Superintendent of Streets—Republican Nominee at Primaries.
- Council-at-Large—H. Prael.
- Water Commissioner-at-Large—C. S. Wright.
- Police Commissioner—R. Carruthers.

**FIRST WARD.**

- Water Commissioners.
- Asmus Brix .....8-year term
- Franz Kankkonen .....4-year term

**SECOND WARD.**

- Water Commissioners.
- F. A. Fisher .....8-year term
- H. C. Van Dusen .....4-year term

**THIRD WARD.**

- Water Commissioners.
- Gus Holmes .....8-year term
- Jas. W. Welch .....4-year term

**FOURTH WARD.**

- Water Commissioners.
- Max Young .....8-year term
- Otto Peterson .....4-year term

**FOURTH WARD.**

- Water Commissioners.
- P. L. Stangelund .....4-year term
- L. O. Belland .....2-year term

In addition to these Republican nominations Isaac Bergman filed his petition for the office of Mayor, and Dr. W. C. Logan for the Council for the second ward. They both filed as Democrats.

For street superintendent there are four Republicans filed, as follows: Thomas B. Loughery, J. F. Kearney, F. Sherman and H. E. Steffensen. They are all good men, and it will be left to the primary to determine which man will run.

Charles H. Abercrombie also filed for the office of city attorney, and it is probable that he will meet no opposition, having made a good record.

**MAAK GIVES HIS VIEWS**

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President "In sending out his cabinet on the stump" shows that he is "frightened to death. If they don't put ropes on the President or nail him down, he will be out on the stump, too. If Roosevelt goes on the stump people will know Bryan is elected."

Mack said Bryan would speak in Patterson, N. J., Monday, after which he will keep six engagements in New York. Friday he is to speak in Ohio, Indiana, Saturday and Chicago Saturday night.

**FOUR PATIENTS LEAVE THE HOSPITAL**

EACH WAS SERIOUSLY AFFLICTED BUT NOW ARE ON ROAD TO RECOVERY

P. Malone, of Gray's River, who entered St. Mary's hospital a couple of weeks ago with typhoid fever, returned to his home yesterday. He is practically recovered from the illness, though still weak.

Frank Horn, the logger who was struck by a tree and thrown through the air for perhaps 50 feet or more, and presumably dangerously injured, also has gone back to the Gray's River district. He left the hospital Friday night. Horn's escape from severe injury or death seemed miraculous, yet he escaped with several broken ribs and a bad shaking up. His fine constitution pulled him through in remarkable shape. When he was injured his comrades carried him for miles through a rough country, in the darkness of a stormy night, several times pitching him out onto the ground as they stumbled or fell into holes.

Another lucky man is James McDonough, of Bear Cliff, near Altoona, where the McDonoughs are very well known. A week ago Mr. McDonough entered the hospital with pneumonia, and probably by today or tomorrow he will go home again, recovered from that dangerous sickness.

For several weeks George Polizos, a Greek, who was badly injured at the Hammond mills by a pile of lumber falling on him, has lain at St. Mary's, but yesterday he also went back to work. He is in good shape again.

**ASTORIA MERCHANTS**

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promiscuously, and up to last reports, and according to stubs for checks, had passed upon their unsuspecting victims checks amounting to \$360. Among these were \$128 to Victor Ross for two watches; A. Danziger & Co., \$27.50 for a suit of clothes, and \$325 for other goods; Spexarth & Co., \$85; A. Jaloff, \$53; and P. A. Stokes, for clothes, \$21.25.

About 8 o'clock last night P. A. Stokes interviewed Acting Chief Oberg and stated that he thought he was victimized by a bad check, and asked that action be taken immediately. Oberg lost no time but repaired to the Megler House, where he was told the men stopped, but realizing that his uniform and star might betray him returned to the station and reappeared as a "plain clothes man." Calling Officer Thompson he proceeded to the Megler House and found his men whom he immediately took to the station.

He had no sooner landed his prisoners, and the news got abroad, than the office was besieged by victims clamoring for justice and a restitution of their property.

A search of the prisoners resulted in the finding of the bank books, \$104 in coin, two gold rings, both new, and several other articles. Singer had \$94 and his co-worker \$10 and the former claimed that the amount belonged to him.

The man who posed as "Kramer" on the business cards gave the name of Samuel Marbo at the station and Singer was mooked as "S. Singer" and both are being held pending charges to be made against them.

It may be shown, aside from the entries on the check book, that other checks have been issued and it is thought that probably there are.

The quick work done by the police in the matter is to be commended, and while the culprits have been landed and are safely under control, Acting Chief Oberg was last night sifting the matter as thoroughly as was possible at the late hour at which he received his first intimation of supposed wrong doing, and there may be further developments. That the men, or at least Singer, are adepts at the business, was shown by their method of procedure and it is to the credit of Astoria that the men were "rounded up" in this city. It is thought that probably other cities will make inquiry regarding the prisoners and further developments are expected.

**GREAT FOREST FIRE.**

LA CHUTE, Quebec, Oct. 24.—The village of St. Michael De Wentworth is doomed. The forest fires which have been raging for three days are now within a mile of this city.

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**CALM BEFORE STORM. MINING CONGRESS. BATTLING MOROS. HEAD OF YELLOWSTONE.**

**Republican Headquarters Getting Ready For Final Whirl.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The quiet which prevailed at the Republican national and state headquarters today is the calm which precedes political whirlwind to strike this region next week. For the first time in two weeks there were no prominent callers at either headquarters. Chairman Hitchcock will return Monday from Chicago in time to meet Taft before the latter's departure for New Haven. Besides the big meetings in Brooklyn Monday which Taft will address on his return from Connecticut, and in Manhattan Wednesday of next week, will witness still another gathering in New York City which expected to prove unusually interesting. This is a college mass meeting at Carnegie Hall Friday night. Among the speakers will be ex-Governor Black, Senator Dolliver and Secretary Strauss.

**BOMB NO. 23.**

**Another Explosion In Chicago Despite All Police Precaution.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Bomb No. 23 exploded early today, after the policemen placed on watch in all parts of Chicago since the renewal of the bomb outrages had gone home. It did more damage than any of its predecessors, practically destroying a one-story brick building in Fourteenth Street, just east of Michigan Avenue occupied by Bernard Marcus as a saloon.

Firemen who were asleep in their quarters across the street were thrown from their beds by the explosion, which tore out most of the front and completely wrecked the interior of the building. Patients in St. Luke's Hospital were aroused and a slight panic prevailed for that building was shaken from basement to roof and only prompt work by the nurses prevented disorder.

Marcus, the saloonkeeper told the police he was at a loss to explain why the bomb had been placed on his premises. He declared he had built the place only a month ago.

A man who refused to give his name to the police was arrested near the scene of the explosion. He said he saw a man running away, but when the police began questioning him he became confused and would not answer. He was then arrested.

**Extension Of Operations And Betterment Of Methods.**

DENVER, Oct. 24.—The executive committee of the American Mining Congress yesterday issued the official call for the eleventh annual convention to be held in Pittsburgh, December 2, 3, 4 and 5, 1908.

A special effort, is contemplated looking to the final enactment of the bill for the creation of a bureau of mines now on the calendar of the United States Senate for third reading.

Particular attention is called to the work of congress in making investigations relating to the protection of the lives of mineral proposals for the elimination of fraudulent mining stock operations; the relations between customs smelters and the ore producer; federal aid for mining schools and experiment stations; the exploitation of the rare mineral resources of the country; the conservation of mineral resources, the timber and water supply, and the unification of the mining laws of the several states are the particular subjects which will be under discussion.

It is announced the convention will be an open forum for the discussion of all mining subjects. The call invites the President of the United States, the governors and heads of commercial bodies to appoint delegates.

A special feature of the body will be a coal mine gas testing plant, now in course of construction in Pittsburg, under an appropriation made during the last session of congress, which will then be completed.

**20,000 SHEEP PERISH.**

SANTA FE, N. Mex., Oct. 24.—Twenty thousand sheep grazing in the Cumbres mountain range 140 miles north of here, are reported to have perished by a blizzard which raged the last three days. The storm is the worst in years. Snow fell five to ten feet deep. Six herders are missing and it is believed they also are frozen to death.

**CHOLERA PASSING.**

MANILA, Oct. 24.—The cholera in this city is dwindling to proportions of little importance. But one new case was reported yesterday and a like record prevailed today.

**Deadly Conflict On The Island Of Mindanao, Far Away.**

MANILA, Oct. 24.—In a desperate fight, prolonged for hours, which occurred yesterday near Iligan, Island of Mindanao, nine of the Filipino laborers and their superintendent, also a native, were killed by the Moros and four other natives were wounded. Whether or not the attacking Moros suffered any loss cannot now be ascertained. The fight took place upon the Shepherd plantation. The Moro band, following the tactics usually employed by the outlaws, attempted a surprise which was so far successful that several men were killed in the first rush. The Filipinos then rallied and after a bloody hand to hand struggle, drove the Moros to shelter, after which the battle was continued for several hours at long range. The bodies of the dead Filipinos were mutilated in a horrible manner. Before being driven off the Moros succeeded in firing the plantation stores which with their contents were destroyed.

**THE RICHEST CITY.**

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—National City, Ill., the richest city in the world because of the location within its limits of the big packing houses and the National Stockyards, with its industries and business, is bankrupt.

Robert Monroe, mayor, yesterday floated a loan for \$10, with which to pay current expenses. Anticipation warrants will be issued against this loan and the money will be repaid when the taxes for next year are collected.

The village is only two years old, but the expenditures this year for improvement and for levee protection used up the funds which had been collected to run the city.

**According to information received at army headquarters in this city, Major Harry C. Benson, who has been stationed at the Presidio here for three years, has been appointed superintendent of the Yellowstone National Park to succeed General Samuel Young. Major Benson since his coming to California has had charge of the Summer encampments in the Yosemite and is now on his way back at the head of eight troops of cavalry.**

TOKIO, Oct. 24.—Lord Northcott, governor general of Australia, who has been touring the Orient since his departure from the colonial seat of government, was received in audience by the Emperor this afternoon.

**BASEBALL GAMES.**

San Francisco 11, Los Angeles 4. Portland 5, Oakland 2.

**FOOTBALL GAMES.**

At Reno—Sanford 11, Nevada 0. At New Haven—Yale 38, Washington 0. At Eugene—Oregon 15, Willamette 0.

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