

NOTABLE MEET OF OREGON POLITICIANS

State Heavy Weights
Gather Down by
the Sea.

THE MITCHELL FORCE

Eating Clams and Laying Plans
for the Coming Strife
of Votes.

SCOTT AND FULTON ARE THERE

And Meanwhile "Little Joe" Sits
Back and Does Some
Work.

(Journal Special Service.)

SEASIDE, Aug. 19.—The Oregon politicians are gathered here for the annual meeting of the Oregon Political Association. The meeting is being held at the Seaside Hotel. The politicians are gathered here for the annual meeting of the Oregon Political Association. The meeting is being held at the Seaside Hotel. The politicians are gathered here for the annual meeting of the Oregon Political Association. The meeting is being held at the Seaside Hotel.

On Saturday, in a great four-horse team, Senator Mitchell, Messrs. Scott, Fulton, Hall, Minto and Col. Dunne made a formal visit to Mr. Hirsch at the Seaside Hotel.

On Sunday, in almost equal state array, Mr. Hirsch returned the call.

What was said and what was done, only the waves could tell, and they won't.

One had to give the high sign, known to the initiated, to get within hailing distance.

They all looked happy, but, on one job go around? A great prize is at stake, and great plans are being hatched by great minds, according as greatness goes out here, in Oregon.

ONE IS NOT THERE.

Meanwhile, the silent little man up in the Abington building in Portland, says nothing. He partakes of no crab, no clam, no trout, excepting it be without knowledge or consent of the dignitaries who are assembled here or who were on Sunday. Yet, it is said that he is doing some business on the quiet, and that that silent, little man in the Abington will be heard from later when hearing from counts. This statement is not made upon the authority of the guns that boomed here on Sunday. It is speculation from observation and much thought upon the political possibilities in this Oregon of ours.

LAUGHS AND CLOUDS.

Through all of the festivities, there is the rippling laugh of Mr. Fulton, and everyone who knows him knows that he has a rippling laugh and that it ripples and ripples and ripples whenever rippling is called for by the circumstances. And this is not to say that it does not ripple naturally, for no man in Oregon has a more naturally rippling laugh than the genial statesman from Clatsop who fain would go back to Washington as the junior under the senior Senator Mitchell. So, Mr. Fulton, as one of the hosts, laughs and makes his guests at home, as few others can do, for he is certainly the royal entertainer.

HEAVY MISTS OVER THE HEAD.

PROPOSE A GIANT EXODUS.
(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
TOLEDO, Ohio, Aug. 19.—The Canadian government has instructed its homesteading agent here to proceed to the anthracite coal region and offer inducements to 30,000 or more strikers and their families to form a colony and settle in Canada on land to be donated by the government. Work will be provided for the men until they have prepared their land for crops.

most people believe that Mr. Scott is a candidate for the United States Senate. BAND-WAGON LOAD DON'T SUIT HIM.
So, the load of passengers in the band wagon with Mr. Scott in the seat as driver does not please the Senator from Astoria. And, what wonder? For would anyone have predicted that two years subsequent to two years ago Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Scott and those who follow them would today be on terms of so close intimacy and so completely have buried the hatchet that had been flourishing for a generation past?

AT HIS OLD TRICKS

Will Neither Pay His Debts Nor
Keep His Word.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
LONDON, Aug. 19.—A Constantinople dispatch says that official relations between the Porte and the American legation are strained because the former has failed to fulfill a certain undertaking relative to American claims. Further delay may lead to serious action by the United States.

COAL AT NOME LOCKED UP

Boston Company Secures an Im-
mense Vein at Cape Lisbon.

TACOMA, Aug. 19.—A company of Boston men have secured control of a 45-foot vein of coal at Cape Lisbon which will supply Nome and Behring Sea coast with fuel.

VANDERBILTS

Arrived in New York Today--The
Duchesses First Visit.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The Duchess of Marlborough (Consuelo Vanderbilt) arrived from England today, her first visit since she married seven years ago. She is accompanied by her mother and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., the latter a sister of Charles Fair. The news of the death of the latter and wife, caused intense sorrow among the party.

THE DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH.



Society is stirred up over the visit of the Duchess of Marlborough. There is a general belief that Consuelo has brought with her the wonderful coronation gown she was to have worn at the postponed ceremony. Above is her latest photograph. The duchess arrived in New York today with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

A BIG FETE HAD VIC. SCHILLING In Honor of the Chosen Carnival Queen.

AT HOTEL PORTLAND

Will Celebrate Her Victory--Miss
Douglas Thanks Her
Friends.

The big contest for Carnival Queen is over at last, and Miss Maybelle Douglas, of the guests' telephone booth at the Portland Hotel, has won the coveted honor as well as the \$500 prize. Miss Douglas is a charming young woman with a host of friends, and there is every reason to believe that the magnificent throne which is to be erected near the Temple of Music will be well occupied, and the court royally ruled. It is understood that preliminary arrangements are being made for the "swellest" banquet which was ever given at the Portland, in honor of Her Majesty the Queen. Hundreds of invitations will be given out to the numberless friends of Miss Douglas, and Mr. Bowers will spare neither effort nor expense to make it one of the grandest occasions of the season. Leon Hirsch, of the Meier & Frank Company, has telegraphed to New York City for the royal robes of purple and white satin, and it is thought that they will arrive during the latter part of this week. A splendid beauregard robe for the queen will be presented to the queen by John Flaggman, of the Leibes & Company store, and many other presents are being received by Miss Douglas.

The carnival committee wishes to thank the young women who entered the race, and asks them to remember that they are entitled to a great deal of credit for having stayed in the contest until its close.

Miss Maybelle Douglas.....\$3,316
Miss Grace Walton.....4,295
Miss Sadie L. Ridgeway.....1,489
Miss Carrie Burgoyne.....962

The result of the vote was approved by the executive committee last evening, and the next step is to arrange for coronation day, which it is said will be an elaborate affair.

All candidates extend thanks to their friends who have stood so royally by them in the race for the honors of queen. Miss Douglas said: "I was so surprised when they phoned up and told me I had won by a majority of more than 8000 votes that I could hardly believe it. I was under the impression that Mr. Bowers and some other friends were saving out some votes for me, but never dreamed of such a number," and expressed her heartfelt appreciation of the manner in which her friends had treated her.

"Now, if I can only do my part and make a successful queen all will be well."

L. Q. Swetland has withdrawn his bid for the exclusive privilege of selling candy on the grounds, and the committee was ordered to advertise again for bids for this concession.

H. C. Bowers, chairman of the committee on decorations, was given the privilege of opening the contest for the prizes to be given for the best decorated store windows anywhere in the city. An appropriation was made last night for money to be set aside for cash prizes, and it is expected that many novel and striking decorations will be made.

ARMY AND NAVY

Captain McCalla's Daughter to Wed
General Arthur's Son.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 19.—Miss Mary McCalla, daughter of Capt. B. H. McCalla, of the navy and Lieut. Arthur McArthur, of the navy, son of General MacArthur, will be married here Thursday.

SIX OF THEM DEAD

Burned In a Tumble-Down Tenement Building.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Six lives were lost in a fire which burned a ramshackle tenement at 26 Essex street this morning. After the fire was subdued the firemen searched the building from cellar to roof, finding six bodies. The dead are Mrs. Annie Botocin, an unidentified woman, Callie Leibwitz, Louis Leibwitz, Jules Leibwitz, Morris, Leibwitz.

TENNIS DOUBLES.

The Dohertys, and Collins and
Wadner in Championship Games.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 19.—The twenty-second annual tournament of the United States National Tennis Association opened today by a match in championship doubles between R. and H. I. Doherty, winners of Eastern, and Collins and Wadner, winners of Western doubles.

PRESIDENT FIRM FOR RECIPROCITY.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The extra session gossip is again revived, but the information is guardedly disseminated. The President's southwestern trip will probably be abandoned. The general impression among those let into the secret is that the President intends to remain here and renew the fight for Cuban reciprocity.

WARNKE WASHERY

Getting Ready to Start,
Yet Preparing for
Serious Trouble.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
WILKESBARRE, Aug. 19.—Every preparation for resumption of work at the Warnke washery at Duryea tomorrow is being made. Forty men arrived this morning and steam was gotten up. That trouble is feared is shown by the active steps being made to meet any move on the part of the strikers calculated to prevent the starting of the works. Additional arms have been procured, and the force of coal and iron police increased.

AT ROTTERDAM

Visit Steyn and Will Go to Utrecht
to See Kruger.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
ROTTERDAM, Aug. 19.—The Boer generals, Botha, Dewet and Delarey, arrived here this morning. During the day they will visit ex-President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, after which they will go to Utrecht to see Kruger. The Queen extended a most cordial invitation to the generals to visit her.

BIGGEST IN ALASKA

Pump That Cost Half
Million Dollars Puts
Water on Mountain.

(Journal Special Service.)
TACOMA, Aug. 19.—At Nome two weeks ago the Wild Goose Mining Co. of San Francisco, started the largest hydraulic mining plant in Alaska. It cost half a million, and lifts four and a half million gallons of water daily to the top of Anvil Mountain for use in sluicing.

PONTON SUNK

Drowning Five Officers Thirty Men
Seventy Chinese.

(Journal Special Service.)
VIENNA, Aug. 19.—A pontoon conveying a detachment of infantry across the Amur river near Pashkova today sank and five officers, 30 men and 70 Chinese camp followers were drowned.

HE GOT IT

Bank Wrecker Gets Out
on Writ of Error.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
DETROIT, Aug. 19.—The Supreme court this morning issued a writ of error in the case of Frank Andrews, the bank wrecker, who was sentenced to 15 years' hard labor Monday. The court caused an order of supersedeas to be issued.

Sensational Story of His Former Doings Here.

GOING THE ROUNDS

He Is Now Said to Be With a
Railroad Company in
Mexico.

WIFE KNOWS NOTHING OF HIM

Father-in-Law Admits There May
Be Some Truth in the
Story.

A sensational report is going the rounds that Victor A. Schilling, city ticket agent of the O. R. & N. Company, who mysteriously disappeared some time ago, is a former wife in Spokane and was induced, under threats of exposure, to leave his Portland bride and resume his obligations to his first marriage. It will be remembered that Schilling was the trusted employee of the O. R. & N. Company for a number of years and when the Union Pacific, the Oregon Short Line and the Southern Pacific were merged, and the several offices of the companies in the city were combined with those of the O. R. & N. Company, such was the confidence reposed in Mr. Schilling that he was given charge of all. Several months ago, after a short engagement, he was married to Miss Lena Shelby, daughter of Eugene Shelby, who is with the Wells, Fargo & Company, and after a few weeks of what apparently was a happy marriage he suddenly disappeared from Portland.

He was then seen in a hotel in Spokane and from there all trace of him was lost. His wife declared there were no domestic infelicities and could assign no cause to his sudden disappearance. It was feared for awhile that he had met with foul play, all kinds of rumors were reported, but nothing definite could be learned. It is now alleged, however, that when in Spokane several years ago he met and fell in love with a young woman there whom he finally

TROOPS IN CHARGE

Since Killing of Sharp No Further
Disturbance Has Occurred.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
MAHANOY CITY, Pa., Aug. 19.—After the shooting of Patrick Sharp, the strike leader, no further disturbances occurred at Nesquehoning in Panther Creek Valley during the night. Hundreds of strikers walked the streets all night, however, and the situation at several times grew grave, but the civil authorities with cooler headed miners succeeded in pacifying the men. At day-break a battalion of the twelfth regiment arrived on the scene. Five deputies are now confined in the chunk jail charged with being implicated in the killing of Sharp. The situation at Shenandoah continues quiet.

PERMITS FOR WOODEN WALKS

Are Likely to Cause Serious Trou-
ble if They Are Used.

It is stated that permits have been issued for the construction of over a mile of wooden sidewalks in the prohibited district as defined by the recent city ordinances requiring property owners to construct sidewalks of artificial stone, brick, etc. Section 2 of ordinance No. 12-343 provides that: "Upon the streets hereinafter designated no wooden sidewalks or crosswalks shall hereafter be built or constructed."

Several prominent attorneys have expressed the view that the granting of the permits and going ahead with the building of wooden walks is liable to result in litigation for property owners unless legal advice is sought.

WILL CHANGE BY-LAWS.

The Building Trades Council met last night and considered many matters of importance to the organization. A proposition was submitted for making radical alterations in the by-laws, which caused a long discussion. The changes in the by-laws, if made, will have a tendency to do away with many of the labor troubles. The officials seem to think there is no doubt that the alterations will be made.

H. G. Green, business agent of the council, was elected captain of the baseball team which will cross bats with the Federated Trades Council on Labor Day. The winners will be awarded a prize of \$100.

WANT PICKERS.

(Journal Special Service.)
TACOMA, Aug. 19.—Sound hop growers today started agents to British Columbia and lower Sound to obtain hop pickers for September work.