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U.S. SENATORS WISH TO CONTROL IT ALL

Would Have Dr. Kuykendall as President of State Senate and Also Want to Say Who Shall Be Speaker of Lower House.

Dictatorship is always fraught with peril for those who attempt it and the efforts of Oregon's United States senators to control the organization of the next legislature are already arousing murmurs of strong discontent. Senator Mitchell and Senator Fulton have shown their intention of making Dr. Kuykendall an Laker the president of the state senate, and many politicians are of the opinion that they will endeavor to name the speaker as well. It is not strange that evidences of opposition are already apparent.

The anti-Mitchell wing of the Republican party in this state, though crushed, is not extinct. Its representation in the legislature is small but it is capable of combination with the elements which are ready to oppose the present administration. There is a small body of legislators who are strong adherents of Ex-congressman Malcolm Moody, and they have already made it plain that they do not take kindly to the out and out efforts of Mitchell and Fulton. The state senators from eastern Oregon make no secret of their opposition to Kuykendall for president of the senate and they stand ready to throw their votes to almost anyone else who can develop enough strength to make him a possible winner. The personal ambitions of several members of the state senate are also a factor in the situation, and it is impossible that some of them may get together in a combination that would be exceedingly troublesome to Mitchell and Fulton, especially if the speakerhip is to be included in the program.

Kuykendall in Front.

At the present time Kuykendall is well in the lead for the presidency of the senate, yet he cannot be regarded as a sure winner. In order to win he must have most, if not all, of Multnomah's seven votes, in addition to those which the Booth-Kelly influence is expected to give him from southern Oregon. In eastern and central Oregon, Kuykendall is not popular. It is highly important, therefore, that Multnomah's senators should be held in line for the program. It is safe to say that Frank P. Mays will not appear as a candidate for the presidency of the senate as long as Kuykendall is in the race, for both Mays and his partner, Judge Carey, are too closely allied with the Mitchell organization to allow him to interfere with its plans. There has, recently, been some talk of the effect that Sig Michel might enter the lists but the suggestion receives little credence. Probably the story originated in a desire to put another obstacle in the way of Dan Malarkey, whose possible candidacy has been a source of considerable disquiet to those interested in the Kuykendall program. It is well known that if Malarkey could get the support of his own delegation he would have the vote of at least four of eastern Oregon's senators, and this would put him well to the front.

Some Favor Kay.

If the program could be confined strictly to the organization of the senate, there would be little doubt of Kuykendall's election, but there is reason to believe that circumstances will force its extension to the speakership of the house. Senator Fulton is personally favorable to the ambition of Tom Kay of Marion, who aspires to preside over the lower branch of the legislature, and Kay will naturally expect Fulton's active aid. Kay was the first of the Malarkey delegation to leave Gear and go over to Fulton, in the senatorial struggle of 1902, and he changed at a time when the fight had reached its most critical stage. It was only an hour before the election that Kay turned to Fulton. Had he failed to vote as he did, some other man might now be standing in the shoes of Senator Fulton, for Kay was one of the mainstays of Fulton's hopes, and his defection at the supreme moment of the struggle would have been disastrous in the extreme.

Kay Is Confident.

Kay claims that he has votes enough pledged to him to win the speakership. He probably exaggerates his strength, but he is certainly not far from the goal, and Fulton might be able to swing to him the few additional votes that he needs. Under such circumstances an appeal for help could scarcely be ignored by the senator. The awkward nature of the situation from Fulton's point of view at the present moment he champions Kay's cause he runs up against the ambitions of the other candidates in the race for the speakerhip. If Kay were to be elected, it would be a great disappointment for the office, and not merely seeking recognition, he will not submit readily to any interference by Senator Fulton.

Bailey of Multnomah Is Also a sanguine aspirant for the place, and if he should win the backing of his own delegation, he, too, would expect Fulton to keep his hands off. Bailey's candidacy for speaker is being vigorously opposed to keep Malarkey out of the fight for president of the senate on the ground that Multnomah county cannot expect to have both presiding officers of the legislature, and for the present at least it is likely that neither Mitchell nor Fulton will do anything to put Bailey out of the running. Nevertheless, it is believed that the win will be secured, that however reluctant the senators may be to mix in the speakerhip contest, they will be forced to include it in their program.

The Situation Is Not Undertended with danger, for it would seriously impair the prestige of the two senators if their program should miscarry. To Mitchell such a result might be disastrous, for his term will expire in 1907. Fulton takes less risk, for he has two years more than his colleague, but it would be a hard rebuff if the candidates whom he is known to favor for speaker and president of the senate should be turned down.

George C. Brownell is telling his friends that he is supporting Dr. Kuykendall, and he professes to be doing it as an attempt to amend the maximum freight law, and bills relating to this and kindred matters will probably be introduced. Brownell has demonstrated in the past that the chairmanship of the railroad committee does not mean anything of its importance in his hands.



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THIRD AND OAK STREETS

SAYS MOTHER IS RUINING HIS SON

Alleging that his former wife, Bertha E. Martin, takes their little son, Willie Joe Martin, to saloons and generally conducts herself in a way unbecoming a mother, W. E. Martin has instituted an action in the circuit court to secure possession of the boy. Judge Gordon issued an order yesterday restraining her from taking the boy outside the jurisdiction of the court.

The Martins were divorced April 10, 1903, in this city. By the decree of the court the father was awarded the custody of the boy for one year, the mother for the next year, and so on alternately. It is this decree Martin wants modified. It is asserted in the complaint that

Mrs. Martin contracted an illegal marriage with John Reid of Astoria last December 14 and has since lived with him. She is said to have been seen departing in the saloon of T. A. McCourt, at McMinnville, in August, 1904. She is accused of entering Pat Kinney's saloon at Astoria, June 26, 1904, and calling for Jack Ellison. While they were drinking together in a box, she complained, Reid arrived on the scene with a revolver and Ellison and the woman fled. Other instances of Mrs. Martin's alleged bad conduct are given, and she is said at one time to have taken the boy to the Louvre saloon at Astoria.

A horse, a horse, my kingdom for a horse. These are the words you may hear in the Twenty-fifth Street Touring Car, instead. See the Presidential Contest in this issue and then send in your estimate at once.

LATEST "OREGON BOOT" GETS INITIAL TRIAL

W. A. Elliott has the dubious honor of being the first man in the state to wear the late model Oregon boot. One was brought here from Spokane, Wash., about two months ago, but until yesterday no occasion arose making it necessary to outfit any of the prisoners at the county jail with the safeguard against running away.

A few nights ago Elliott, who was a "trusty," violated the rules by leaving the jail at night. He returned in a drunken condition, at an early hour in the morning and was found at the Salmon street door by Jailer Grafton. Since then he has been working on the rockpile.

One of the finest houseboats on the river was launched this afternoon from the ways at the Salmon street wharves. It was built for Robert Inman of the Inman-Poulson mill. The building is a two-story affair and 30 by 60 feet in dimensions. It is divided into a number of apartments. The house will be towed down the river and placed on a big shooting preserve which has been leased for the season.

When fitted up and furnished the house will be an aquatic mansion. A watchman employed to feed the ducks and other wild fowl on the preserve will make it his permanent residence, but the principal rooms will be retained for the use of the owner and his friends when they go down that way on shooting expeditions.

The house is handsomely built with finished material, and both interior and exterior of the structure have been painted. There is many a comfortable looking cottage in the best residence portion of the city that does not look nearly so inviting as the floating palace which will be occupied by the hunters.

INVITING DWELLING TO FLOAT ON RIVER

Attorneys drop TWAITES' DEFENSE

Because they did not like the way in which they had been treated by Thomas Twaites, Attorneys William Gregory and M. A. Butler withdrew from his defense in the suit instituted against him by E. E. Edwards yesterday at the time it was to come up on motion for a new trial. Left without counsel, Twaites had to be granted a continuance by the court.

Twaites was sued for the recovery of furniture, which Edwards claimed he had purchased and never paid for. A verdict was returned in favor of the plaintiff. A motion for a new suit was filed in the time limit and was to have been argued this morning.

Circuit Judge George was hearing the argument of counsel in the suit brought by J. B. Bridges against Robert Wakeland, for the appointment of a receiver for their shipbuilding interests, when attorney Butler approached the court and hurriedly explained that he and Attorney Gregory wished to withdraw from the defense, as Twaites had not treated them right. The request was granted. Nobody being present to argue the motion it had to be continued.

SECURES FORTUNE RISKING "FOUR BITS"

To raise quickly the sum of \$7,500 isn't a very easy task, especially when one has only 50 cents to start on. But Max Politz is city salesman for a firm of cigar dealers at Third and Washington streets.

Two weeks ago he purchased a ticket in a lottery. The ticket cost him 50 cents. A week later he received a draft for \$7,500 with the announcement that he had been lucky enough to win that much on his half dollar. The big killing hasn't made the lucky man foolish, nearly so inviting as the floating palace which will be occupied by the hunters.

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MANY TOPICS TO HOLD COMMISSION

VARIED PROGRAM WILL GREET MEMBERS AT SATURDAY'S MEETING—ALL SORTS OF REQUESTS TO BE CONSIDERED BY SEN LEWIS AND CLARK COMMISSION.

From the program already laid out for the meeting of the state commission of the Lewis and Clark fair, Saturday, will be a busy one and several matters of importance will be discussed and probably decided.

The commission has received a letter from Mrs. Sarah E. Rorer, who has achieved national reputation as a cooking demonstrator, asking under what agreement she can come next year to the Lewis and Clark fair and conduct a model cooking school and cafe. Mrs. Rorer is at present in charge of the east pavilion cafe at the St. Louis fair.

The request of the Astoria chamber of commerce that funds be set aside for the erection of a monument in honor of Lewis and Clark near that city will be considered by the commission. Astoria citizens believe that the spot where the explorers made their camp in 1805 and 1806 should be marked by a monument. It is the opinion of several of the commissioners that the body has no power to set aside funds for such a purpose.

Another topic of interest will be the discussion of the offer of the Mammas to employ guides and keep an open house at Mount Hood for the visitors to the fair. If the commission will build the lodge house, this proposition was formally made to President Myers this morning by a delegation from the society and receives the president's approval, but whether the commission's funds can be used for this purpose legally has not yet been ascertained.

The Universal Exposition company, that is publishing the history of the St. Louis fair, desires to incorporate in the work 10 or 15 pages dealing with the Lewis and Clark fair and Oregon at the rate of \$200 a page. Governor Chamberlain has placed the matter before the commission and is favorably impressed with the benefits to be received by this advertisement. The management of the St. Louis exhibits and buildings of the state will be discussed at the meeting and the final decision reached concerning the classification lists.

SWISS MUSIC FOR MAZAMA'S CONCERT

Mr. Emmenstetter, a Swiss farmer at Hillsboro, who recently came to this country, has an alpine horn, and an effort is to be made by Col. L. L. Hawkins to secure the horn for the city museum. It is the only one of its kind that has ever been brought to this part of the country and it has been attracting considerable attention around Hillsboro. Its owner is an excellent musician and nearly every evening he delights the residents of the village with music.

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- NOT BRACH HUMAN TANNERS**
- NOT WITH THE ARKELLY—THAT IS A**
- DIFFERENT STORY. THE TWO TWELVE-TWO SEVEN**
- DO NOT ALWAYS FIND THEM BARE; BUT IF THE**
- OWNERS HAVE FOUND THE BARE THE**
- SAFETY OF SEVEN DO WHATEVER WORK OFFERS**
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- WORK.**

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A "company" of soldiers may be adequately armed for ordinary service with rifles only—if the rifles are modern and of long range.

A regiment, if operating independently in actual service, must needs have at least a few "field guns," perhaps some breach-loading, rapid-fire "three-pounders."

A brigade, isolated from its base, must carry at least a small artillery corps, equipped with field guns large enough to "pound" a fortified enemy, or to cover either an offensive movement or a retreat.

An army division, in hostile country, can move only as fast as its "big guns" can be transported; for the big guns are the "mated fist" of a major-general. Without them he is partially disarmed; losing any of them to the enemy is counted to be a humiliating reverse, apt to nullify a whole plan of campaign.

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A "will-be-big-store," like a brigade, must carry "bigger guns," must expand its display advertising from inches into columns.

A really "big" store, like an army division, must carry the "biggest guns," must use whole pages for "broadside" and must make its advertising the "mated fist" for competition, and its "glowed hand" for patron.