

W. H. TAFT VETS WILL VOTE FOR TAFT

Incur Dislike of Enlisted Men When Boss of Philip-pines by High-handed Acts — The Grafton Case Recalled.

Veterans of the Spanish-American war who served in the ranks as enlisted men do not look with favor upon the candidacy of W. H. Taft for president, and are announcing their intention of bolting the ticket in November, according to Seneca Fouts, commander of the Portland camp, Spanish-American War Veterans' association.

Private soldiers of the regular army are also dissatisfied with the candidacy of Mr. Taft, and do not want to see him elected president. In both instances this attitude has been caused by the treatment accorded the enlisted men in both the volunteer and the regular army by Mr. Taft while he was governor-general of the Philippines.

Commander Fouts does not like to talk about the conditions found among the ranks of the Spanish war veterans. Mr. Fouts is a Republican and is supporting the ticket, though Taft was not his choice for the presidential nominee. Therefore he does not like to discuss the conditions. However, he admits it when he is questioned.

"Is it not a fact," Mr. Fouts was asked, "that the Spanish-American war veterans are not lining up their hats over the candidacy of Mr. Taft, and that many of them do not take to his candidacy who would otherwise?"

"I do not like to discuss the matter," said Mr. Fouts; "I am a Republican and am supporting Mr. Taft as far as my influence goes, though he was not my choice for the Republican nomination. I am in somewhat of a delicate position therefore."

Disapprove of Taft.
"But is not that the situation?" he was asked again.
"Yes," he answered. "Not among the officers who served in the islands, but among the enlisted men. They are not practically all of them. In the talk I hear on the street and on meeting nights, and whenever a bunch of the rank and file get together, they express their disapproval of Mr. Taft. Most of them are Republicans and many of them openly say they will not vote for Bryan, but they will not vote for Taft in November. Some of these contend that they will not vote for Bryan, but they will vote for Taft from the polls or vote for other candidates. Large numbers, however, say they intend to vote for Bryan."

Promenade Forbidden.
"Over in Manila," continued Mr. Fouts, "it is the universal custom for the people to take a promenade after sundown. Along the bay front in this city, outside of the old walled town, is a magnificent driveway terminating in a plaza. It was the custom of the elite of the city, the aristocracy and the officers of the army, to drive in prom-

enade down this Luneta and attend the band concerts every evening.

"Taft, then commander general, issued an order from his office forbidding enlisted men to promenade on the Luneta in the evening. This was the only place where the men of the ranks could get a breath of fresh air after the heat of the day and the order was resented by every soldier of the line stationed in the city.

Band Stayed Away.
"It was customary for the commander of the troops stationed in Manila to detail a regimental band each evening to furnish the music for the evening concert and on the evening following the order by Mr. Taft barring the enlisted men there was no band. This was resented though Taft was not permitted on the Luneta and the officer in command was asked why the band had not been sent as usual. Word was sent back that the order had barred enlisted men from the promenade and that the members of the band were enlisted men, therefore they were not permitted to play in territory forbidden them. A few days after this the order was countermanded."

"What was the Grafton case?" Mr. Fouts was asked.

"That was the case of Homer L. Grafton, a private in the Twelfth Infantry, shot two Filipinos one night while on post. The natives had been holding the outposts and when the soldiers came near him, acting suspiciously, he shot them. Grafton may have been heavy but he explained that he was not desirous of taking any lives. He was tried by the military tribunal and acquitted.

The case was then taken up and a demand made that Grafton be turned over to the civil authorities for trial. Taft was appealed to and sustained the demand turning Grafton over to the civil courts. He was tried by a jury composed partly of natives and was convicted and sentenced to 12 years and one day in prison.

Taft Favored Long Sentence.
"General Corbin at that time was in command of the troops in Manila and sent detail to the prison commencing the custody of Grafton. Taft was again appealed to and ordered that the man be again turned over to the civil authorities. Grafton was armed and word was passed to the delegation after him that they could take him, but it was not his life they wanted. He did not take him. In the meantime the soldiers in the islands raised a riot and a riotous insurrection and carried the case to the supreme court, where Grafton was again acquitted and ordered discharged from the army."

"It is because of these incidents," concluded Mr. Fouts, "that the enlisted men do not consider that he was a friend of the common soldiers and therefore many of them do not support him. The dissatisfaction is widespread and from what I hear the same sentiment is to be found among the ranks of the regular soldiers as well as among those who were volunteers in Manila."

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RECLAIMING ARID LAND.

Irrigation for 60 Acres of Klamath Foothill Land.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Klamath Falls, Or., Oct. 3.—Fred Melbaase will put in a pumping plant to irrigate 60 acres of land on the foothills east of this city. This land, with 3,000 other acres, is above the government canal, and is practically worthless, as not a drop of water can be put on it. With irrigation it will be the finest fruit land in the valley, worth over \$100 an acre.

The government has surveyed a ditch through this hill land, to be used after its pumping plant is established. Mr. Melbaase will use this survey and later turn his plant over to the city and will receive electric power from the Moore electric plant.

DWELLING IS DESTROYED.

Residence of P. N. Couch Is Burned to the Ground.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Harrisburg, Or., Oct. 3.—About 7 o'clock yesterday morning the dwelling of P. N. Couch caught fire and burned to the ground. Mr. Couch was at home alone, and says he had just sat down to breakfast when he heard the roaring of the flames. Few of the contents were saved. Three hundred dollars' worth of insurance was carried on the house, and \$200 on the contents.

FRANCHISE IS VOID.

Phone Company Breaks Terms of Agreement at Astoria.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., Oct. 3.—The Northwest Long Distance Telephone company failed to accept the franchise for an automatic telephone system, granted by the council, and also failed to deposit the \$500 forfeiture within the 30 days, which expired last evening. The franchise has been declared void.

TO NATIONALIZE BANK.

Additional Capital Is Also Added to Bank of Oregon.
Marshfield, Or., Oct. 3.—L. J. and Captain A. M. Simpson, owners of the Bank of Oregon, North Bend, have added a large stockholders and officers of the bank, John S. Coke, Marshfield; Henry Hewitt, Jr., Tacoma, and Seymour Bell. The bank will be nationalized soon.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. G. Cleland and daughter Madge, left last evening for an extended visit throughout the east visiting Des Moines, Iowa, and other points.



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Steins worth up to \$3.00, special	\$1.25	Steins worth up to \$8.00, special	\$4.75
Steins worth up to \$3.00, special	\$1.65	Steins worth up to \$10.00, special	\$6.00
Steins worth up to \$4.00, special	\$2.00	Steins worth up to \$12.00, special	\$8.00
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IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES.

Dedication of Roseburg's Fountain Memorial Event.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., Oct. 3.—The dedicatory ceremonies of the drinking fountain presented to Roseburg by the '98 Mental Culture club and the W. C. T. U. society, are declared to be the most beautiful and impressive ever carried out in this city.

Prominent society women of "The City of Roses" are active workers for the two organizations whose untiring labors made the fountain possible. Mrs. Marie Seldon Flint is the president of the '98 Mental Culture club, having been elected for the third time. She is a descendant of Colonel Samuel Seldon, of Revolutionary fame, and a prominent society leader and enthusiastic club and church worker. She has been leader of the Presbyterian church choir for several years.

Mrs. A. C. Marsters, wife of ex-Senator Marsters of this city, has been prominent in the work of the Methodist church for a number of years and has also served as president of the local W. C. T. U. for 10 years. She is now county president, and state recording secretary of that organization. Mrs. Marsters has always taken a deep interest in the work of the society, being ready to assist in any movement to better the standing of the community.

The acceptance of the fountain was marked by addresses by the Honorable Dexter Rice, Mayor E. V. Hoover and Hinger Hermann. Mr. Rice reviewed the work done by the ladies' club and said: "This fountain should ever be an inspiration to all of our citizens in the way of civic improvement."

Mayor E. V. Hoover deserves much credit. He took the responsibility of having the fountain placed in the public street, a direct violation of the city ordinance. His speech of acceptance was brief, pointed and was heartily applauded.

Hinger Hermann touched upon the beauty of the fountain and gave a history of the sculptor, who was a great genius of his time. He once carved a figure of a dying hero on the wall at Lake Lugano, Switzerland, and it was pronounced so perfect that it stands without an equal in the sculptural world. The statue upon the fountain stands as taken from the statue of "Hebe" designed by this famous Danish sculptor, and represents "Beauty of Youth."

METALINE EXTENSION.

Rich Country Will Be Tapped by New Railroad.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Spokane, Wash., Oct. 3.—The Metaline extension of the Idaho, Washington & Northern railroad is now assured. E. A. Black, president of the company, has announced the sale of \$2,500,000 worth of bonds to the Peabody-Houghtaling company, one of the largest

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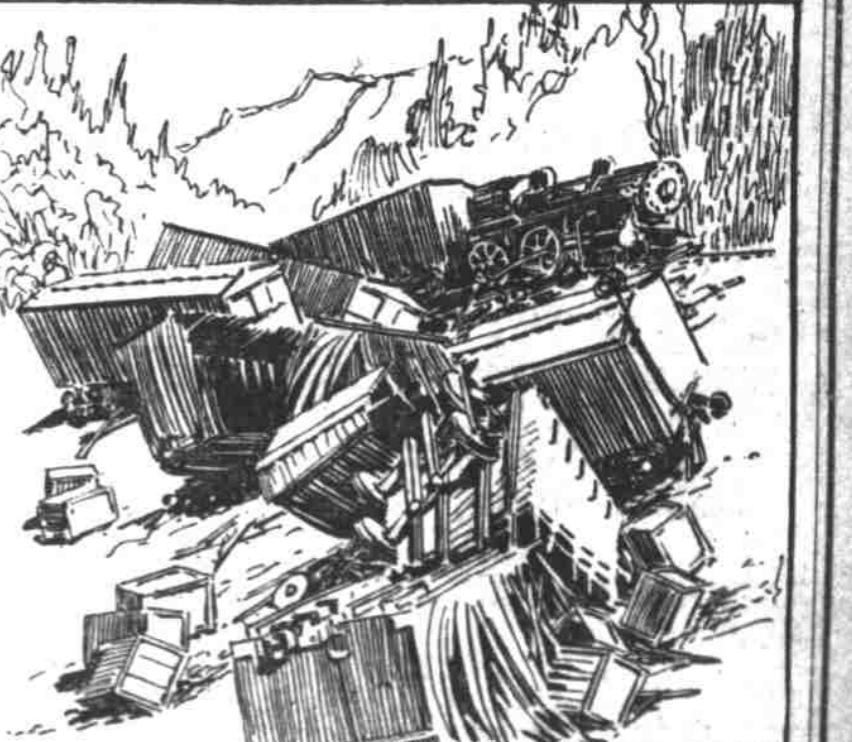
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- \$5.79 for business or Dress Suits, single or double-breasted styles, worth to \$20.00.
- \$12.79 buys finest hand-tailored Suits and Cravenettes, all the new shades and styles; worth to \$30.00.
- MEN'S PANTS**
800 pairs, all shades, weights, \$1.29 for corduroy and other Pants worth to \$2.50.
- \$2.45 for fine Dress Pants worth to \$4.00.
- \$3.35 for best tailored Pants worth to \$7.00.
- MEN'S FURNISHINGS**
5c for cotton Hose worth 15c.
- 10c for black wool Hose worth 25c.
- 19c for heavy wool Hose worth 35c.
- 7c for men's balbriggan Underwear, soiled, worth to 50c.
- 29c for Deisher knit Underwear worth to \$1.00.
- 69c for natural wool Underwear worth to \$1.25.
- 39c for Work Shirts, all kinds, worth to 75c.
- 59c for Dress Shirts, Monarch and others, worth to \$1.50.
- \$1.29 for finest Dress Shirts worth to \$2.50.
- BOYS' SUITS**
Schooltime is here, and of course you want your boy to look nice.
- \$1.35 for Boys' School Suits worth to \$3.00.
- \$1.85 for Boys' fine School Suits worth \$4.00.
- MEN'S HATS**
\$1.85 for Stetson and other styles worth to \$4.00.



- LADIES' COATS**
\$2.89 for velvet-trimmed Coats worth \$10.
- Fine models and Children's Coats at like prices.
- LADIES' FIXIN'S**
9c for black Hose worth to 20c.
- 22c for Ladies' Underwear worth to 40c.
- 43c for Neister Underwear worth to \$1.00.
- 69c, knit Underskirts worth \$1.25.
- BLANKETS**
69c buys 11-4 double Blankets worth \$1.50.
- \$2.39 buys fine white and gray Blankets, worth \$4.00.
- \$1.10 lb. for best California wool Blankets; always sold at \$1.50 lb.
- SKIRTS AND WAISTS**
95c for lace-effect Waists worth \$3.00.
- \$2.25 for Dress Skirts worth to \$6.00.
- \$4.65 for Voiles, Passamas, etc., worth to \$12.00.
- \$4.95 for Silk Petticoats worth to \$10.00.
- Shoes for Everybody**
\$1.29 for Ladies' Vici Kid Shoes worth to \$2.50.
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