

EXTRA SESSION

Justification For Making Announcement of the President's Views.

AS NOT ALTERED HIS OPINION, HOWEVER.

Leaders Assure Him That Press Will Take Definite Action Session Will Do—The Venezuelan Trouble.

Washington, Aug. 13.—As far as there is no justification for the announcement of the president's views on the occasion of the extra session to consider the reciprocity treaty with Cuba. The state department last night from Oyster Bay undoubtedly the personal expression of the president's views. According to this he is in the same mind as when congress adjourned. He is determined that congress shall be granted as soon as possible if he should receive assurance from the party leaders that during the next session will be taken up to force a reciprocity treaty on the senate before the regular meeting.

Philippine Veterans.

Who Fought Against Filipinos Hold Reunions.

Well Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 13.—Battle re-enacted in Council Bluffs today. The air resounds with music. Thousands of veterans, old and young, are to be seen about the grounds and other outward indications that a great military gathering is on the tapis. The occasion is the third annual reunion of the National Society, Army of the Philippines, which was formally organized and will continue through the remainder of the week.

Officers of high rank are taking active interest in the reunion, the number being General Arthur, General Charles King, General Irving Hale, General Lloyd and others. Today's program consisted of addresses of welcome and responses and the work of organization. President Donald Jr., and Secretary Sumner greeted the visitors on behalf of Iowa veterans, and response made by General Francis Green, chief of the national society. Addresses of greeting were received from President Roosevelt, Senator Dingley and others. The roll call was held in a large attendance, particularly from Minnesota, the Dakotas, Kansas and Michigan.

Congressman Joy Renamed.

Louis, Mo., Aug. 13.—The result of the republican primaries of the fourth congressional district today was the re-nomination of Congressman Charles F. Joy. Mr. Joy has been in the house and all placed at some disadvantage by the recent democratic nomination, his friends are confident of his success this fall. Just before Congressman Joy is recovering from the effects of a recent accident at Hot Springs, Va., in which he received a broken rib and a number of bruises. The accident resulted from the turning over of one of the hotel omnibuses. The driver killed and several passengers severely injured. Mr. Joy among the

GAYNOR AND GREENE FREE

PERMITS ARE ONLY ISSUED TEMPORARILY, HOWEVER.

Extradition Papers Are Still Pending—The Crime for Which Captain Carter Is Serving a Term in Prison.

Quebec, Aug. 13.—A motion made by the United States government to dismiss the writs of habeas corpus was granted. Gayner and Green, wanted in the United States for alleged connection with the Savannah harbor swindle, for which Captain Oberlin Carter was sent to the penitentiary, was dismissed today. The decision permits the defendants to go free temporarily. Extradition proceedings are still pending.

WINTER IN EAST.

New Hampshire People Wearing Overcoats and Sleet Abundant.

Fabyans, N. H., Aug. 13.—On Mount Washington this morning the thermometer registered 28 degrees and the summit was coated with sleet and ice. Overcoats and mittens were at a premium.

MYSTERY DEEPENS

INEXPLICABLE CIRCUMSTANCES IN BARTHOLOMEW CASE.

There is Doubt of Identity of the Corpse Found in Weeds—it May Be Minnie Mitchell—Police Puzzled.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—New and seemingly inexplicable circumstances now appear in the case of the Bartholomew Mitchell murder mystery. Declarations of the coroner and physician have been made casting doubts on the identity of the corpse of the woman found in the weeds, and is said to be that of Minnie Mitchell, which is given color by the finding of a switch belonging to Grace Lambert, who disappeared two weeks ago. Beyond the report that Bartholomew spent last Monday night in Joplin, Mo., the police are still without clues as to his whereabouts.

C. G. Acret Paralyzed.

C. G. Acret, drummer for a Cincinnati toy house, is in town in a serious condition. He arrived here Tuesday afternoon on the W. & C. R. railroad and was apparently well. He stopped at a hotel and went to his room in the evening feeling all right. When he arose from bed this morning he complained of feeling bad and it was only a few minutes until his whole right side was paralyzed and he had to be helped to his room. Dr. Cole was called and if Mr. Acret does not get better he will be taken to the Sisters' hospital.

E. O. "Concerted."

Mr. C. Nutten, patentee of the symphony harp and slipper guitar, of this city, favored the East Oregonian with a concert Tuesday afternoon, after working hours. The whole force assembled in the main room of the office, where Mr. Nutten rendered several beautiful selections. He was joined in some of the selections by Mr. Danner, who seconded him with his violin, and the combination was a good one. Mr. Nutten's instrument is a wonderful one, and he is a skilled performer.

Excursion to Circus.

On August 15th the O. R. & N. Co. will sell excursion tickets from Pendleton to Walla Walla and return at \$1.90 for the round trip, in order to accommodate those desiring to see the Ringling Bros.' circus. Train leaves Pendleton at 8:15 a. m. and a special train will leave Walla Walla, returning at 11 p. m., after evening performance.

Insurgents Cut Cable.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Minister to Venezuela Bowman cabled the state department that he was unable to get into communication with the gunboat Marietta, which it is proposed to send to Barcelona to assist in protecting American interests there. The cable between Barcelona and Caracas is again cut, presumably by insurgents.

Picnic every Sunday at Kline's grove. Dancing begins at 2 o'clock. Music by Kirkman's orchestra.

THE DEADLY MOROS

Attack Outposts of Camp and Slay United States Soldiers, Making Good Their Escape.

MUTILATED THE BODIES WITH SAVAGE BRUTALITY.

Officer From Seattle Killed—Believed That Some of the Moros Were Wounded by Americans—Fourth Anniversary of Surrender of Manila Observed.

Manila, Aug. 13.—Last night 10 or 12 Moros armed with spears and swords, attacked the outpost at Camp Vicars, Mindanao, killing Sergeant Foley and Private Carey. The Moros escaped, but it is believed that a number of them were wounded by the murdered soldiers' comrades. The dead men were terribly mutilated. Private Vandorn was severely wounded.

Seattle Man Among Wounded.

Manila, Aug. 13.—Constabulary inspector William Schermerhorn, whose home is in Seattle, was mortally wounded in a recent fight at Iligan, Mindanao, with Ladrones.

Anniversary Observed.

The fourth anniversary of the surrender of Manila was observed as a general holiday today.

TO MEET COMPETITION.

Nova Scotians are Discussing This Question at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 13.—The question of ways and means for successfully meeting the ever growing competition of the United States is to be exhaustively discussed at the annual meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which was formally opened here today. The convention is a notable assembly of business men representing all branches of commercial activity of the Dominion. Vancouver, Winnipeg, Montreal, Hamilton, Toronto and other leading cities of the country are represented and the importance of the gathering is indicated by the prominence of the speakers scheduled for the annual banquet among the number being several leading statesmen, financiers and heads of large industrial enterprises.

Reports of the various officers show that the association is making encouraging progress. It is doing everything possible to urge on the people of Canada a pride in their manufactures, and is endeavoring to secure legislation which, it is believed, will materially assist Canadian industry.

TUG BLOWS UP.

Four of the Crew Were Killed or Drowned.

New York, Aug. 13.—Tug Jacob Kuper, while coming down the bay, and when near St. George, Staten Island, this morning blew up. Five of the crew were killed or drowned, and six injured.

The tug sank 30 seconds after the explosion. The cotton-laden lighter which the tug was towing, was pulled ashore in a sinking condition. The dead are: Captain Henry Johnson, of the tug, three deck hands and the cook. All of the dead were either blown to bits or sent to the bottom.

Big Tennis Tournament.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 13.—One of the biggest tennis tournaments ever held in this part of the country opened auspiciously today on the courts of the Town and Gown Golf club. Among the contestants are the best players from Denver, Pueblo, Salt Lake, Cripple Creek, Kansas City and a number of other places. The tournament continues through the remainder of the week and at the conclusion several handsome trophies will be given to the winners.

Col. Theodore Ewert to Wed.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 13.—A number of guests are here from out of town for the wedding of Col. Theodore Ewert, assistant adjutant general, and Miss Nellie M. Bell, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. John C. Bell. The ceremony will be performed this evening at the residence of the bride's parents, the officiating clergyman being the bridegroom's brother, the Rev. A. L. T. Ewert, of Jacksonville, chaplain of the Fifth Regiment, I. N. G.

GAGE IS ARRESTED

California Executive Charged With Criminal Libel By Spreckles of the Call.

WAS IMMEDIATELY RELEASED ON BAIL.

The Point is Made That the Governor Cannot Be Arrested and Habeas Corpus Proceedings Are Set for Tomorrow.

Los Angeles, Aug. 13.—Governor Gage was arrested for libel this morning on complaint by Spreckles. He was released on bail. Detective Gibson, of San Francisco, who made the arrest, was later served with a writ of habeas corpus returnable tomorrow. The governor argued before Judge Shaw that a governor could not be arrested. The contention was disallowed.

Governor Retaliates.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—Spreckles and Leake were arrested this afternoon for libel. The warrant was sworn to by Governor Gage. They were immediately released on bonds.

PAID DOLLAR ADMISSION.

Was the Price to See Play of Crowned King.

London, Aug. 13.—Public was admitted to Westminster Abbey today to view the coronation scene. Admission fee of one dollar was charged. Many took advantage of the chance to see the play where the King was crowned, including many Americans.

KING EDWARD.

The New-Crowned King Reviews His Indian Troops.

London, Aug. 13.—The king reviewed the Indian troops in front of Buckingham palace today. It was a magnificent spectacle.

Kentucky Northern Begun.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 13.—The construction of the Kentucky Northern railroad through the northeast corner of Estill county to a connection with the Louisville & Atlantic has begun and will be pushed to rapid completion. The new road will assist in the development of some 8,000 acres of the most valuable coal and timber lands in the state.

Minor to be Named Again.

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 13.—The republicans of the ninth district are holding a convention here today to nominate a candidate for congress. Notwithstanding the early talk of opposition to Congressman Minor all indications now point to his re-nomination.

Strike Situation Quiet.

Sheandoah, Pa., Aug. 13.—Absolute quiet reigns in the strike region today, in spite of rumors to the contrary. The soldiers will not be taken away until the trouble is settled.

Jackson Bound Over.

Deputy Sheriff C. P. Davis returned this forenoon from Huntington, where he went as a witness against J. J. Jackson, the colored man picked up here a week ago with his arms full of shoes and ladies' hose. Jackson was bound over. He is charged with having taken the stuff out of a freight car.

Anderson Bound Over.

The trouble between John Anderson and Mat Kasori was aired in Judge Fitz Gerald's court yesterday afternoon. The evidence brought out was practically as published yesterday in regard to Anderson shooting at Kasori. Anderson was bound over to the district court under \$250 bond, which was furnished.

Light Line Improvements.

The Pendleton Electric Light Co. is making improvements along its lines in town. New poles are being set in place of the old ones and the line is otherwise being improved.

"Talk about hard bills to collect!" exclaimed the fashionable florist. "I know the limit. The banner for impossibility is borne off by the bill for blossoms run up by the young man whose engagement has been broken off."

WASHINGTON FOREST FIRES

WHILE DESTROYING FORESTS MILLS ARE BURNED.

Lumbermen Are Fighting Fire for All They Are Worth, at Many Places in the State.

Tacoma, Aug. 13.—Forest fires destroyed the Dennis Shingle Mill at Montesano, and the Blair mill, at Arlington, and is also raging about the Connell mill. Elma lumbermen are fighting fire at many places.

TYPOGRAPHICAL CONVENTION.

Portland Making a Fight for the 1905 Meeting.

Cincinnati, Aug. 13.—Interest in today's session of the typographical convention centers in the fight for the next place of meeting. Washington looks like the winner. Portland, Or., is making a strong bid for the 1905 convention.

Another Fire Alarm.

Policeman Fee was compelled to turn in another fire alarm last night, as a result of the burning of the sawdust and debris at the old brewery, burned last Friday morning.

IN REGAL SPLendor

SECOND DAY OF ELKS AT SALT LAKE CITY.

Costumes Worn of Dazzling Beauty, and Unique Originality—Valuable Prizes to be Given to Contestants.

Salt Lake City, Aug. 13.—The second day of the Elks' reunion was ushered in by a parade of all visiting lodges, for \$1750 in prizes for general appearance and bearing, beauty and originality of costume and number in line. Prizes were also offered for the most unique display and float and the best marching band.

JOURNAL LOVING CUP.

Pendleton Elks Place Frank Frazier in the Race and Propose to Elect Him.

Who will get the B. P. O. E. loving cup to be given by the Oregon Daily Journal, of Portland, to the most popular Elk in Oregon or Washington? This is the question which is somewhat agitating the local Elks and they have centered themselves upon their choice with the intention of winning this cup for Pendleton, if possible.

Pendleton lodge of Elks has a membership of 80 members and they have centered their energies upon Frank Frazier, as the most popular member of the lodge and are determined, if possible, to see Frank carry off the honors. Mr. Frazier is one of the most popular men in Eastern Oregon. He is known all over the state, has been a resident of Pendleton for many years and is known as the "fine horse fancier." Frank drives the fastest horses in the state and seldom gets left when he enters a horse in a race either in the Northwest or national circuits.

Frank will not only receive all the votes of Pendleton, but will receive the votes of his many friends all over the state. Anybody can vote who is a subscriber to the Daily Journal. The only conditions being that the man voted for must be an Elk in good standing. For one month's subscription to the Daily Journal 60 votes will be allowed; for three months', 180 votes; for six months', 360; and for a year's subscription one will be allowed to cast 720 votes.

In this contest votes will only be credited from coupons cut from the Oregon Daily Journal or on paid subscriptions.

The cup is valued at \$125 and is engraved with the words: "Oregon Daily Journal Cup, presented to the most popular Elk, Portland, Sept. 13, 1902." The contest closes September 13.

Pythians Parade.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—The street parade of the uniform rank was the principal feature of the Pythian convention today.

Wheat Market.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—Wheat—\$1.13% @ 1/4.

MR. NEWELL TALKS

Tells of the Initiatory Steps in Oregon Irrigation at Portland.

WORK WILL BEGIN AS SOON AS PLANS ARE LAID.

Water is to Be Common Property, is Sold to the Land and There Will Be No Wrangling—As to Small Farms.

F. H. Newell, chief engineer of the United States reclamation service, was in Portland Monday and submitted to an interview by the Oregon Daily Journal. His business in the west is to form the initial plans for reclaiming the great northwestern arid section by means of the irrigation plans to be adopted under the recent act of congress.

He gave the following valuable information to the Journal:

Water Common Property.

"My mission at this time," Mr. Newell said last evening, "is to take a general survey of the country, consult with the people and ascertain from them, so far as I can, their desires. The new law is one of the most carefully written of any of the recent enactments, and to achieve the best results must be delicately handled. In a nutshell, it treats unappropriated waters of the country as the common property of the people, and they must not become the asset of any single individual. No man can buy them at any price. They are an heritage from the benefactor to be used only for the healthy anointing of his soil or the propulsion of industry's wheels."

How a Start Will be Made.

"To inaugurate a system of irrigation in any locality we must ascertain: Can water be obtained; is there arid land in sufficient quantity in the vicinity to make its reclamation an object; what will be the cost."

"If all these conditions are satisfactory the government advances the money to do all things necessary to house the water and distribute it where it is needed. The cost of such control of the supply and its distribution will, of course, vary. One location, for example, may cost but \$5 per acre; another \$10, another \$12, and in difficult locations even up to \$20 or \$25. Say that the first cost to the government is \$12 per acre. That sum is charged up to the irrigated land, and the owner of the soil may repay the government in ten annual payments. With the surety of a crop each season, this may be undertaken with absolute confidence, and will not prove a burden to the beneficiary of the law."

Must Pay.

"The water for irrigation is not sold to any individual. It is sold to the land only, and the charge becomes a lien upon the property. In default of payment for two years the rights are forfeited, and the benefited land will be sold for its liquidation. In case of homesteads, to which government title has not been acquired, the land reverts back to the government in case of default, and subject to entry as if not previously filed upon. And another thing; no person can acquire a right to a greater quantity of water than is necessary to irrigate the land actually cultivated by him. For example, if a person owning 160 acres of land should acquire water rights for that acreage, and then cultivate but 80 acres, all his rights would be cancelled. No trickery, chicanery or false representations will be tolerated by the government, its one purpose being to husband the water resources of the arid regions, and employ such water to the best advantage in making valuable soil that is at present without value."

No Wrangling.

"In cases where streams are already appropriated there will be no wrangling with the claimants, so far as the government is concerned. We will simply leave them alone until they have settled their differences among themselves, and then, if possible, the United States will take up the work and proceed along its own lines. Where the value of manufacturing concerns are impaired by reason of destruction of water powers, the government is not engaging in disputes, but intends to put this beneficial law into active service with as little friction as possible."

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