

A CORDIAL RECEPTION

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dreds of Editors

VISITING IN SEATTLE

Ride on Lake and Entertain-
ment at Madison Park

ELECTION OF STATE ASSOCIATION

Excursion to Port Orchard on the
Steamship Queen—Other
Matters of Interest

A vast, good-natured crowd gathered at the Northern Pacific station yesterday afternoon to welcome the delegates of the National Editorial association, who are on their way home.

The visitors were given to understand as soon as they arrived in the city, that nothing was too good for them. Committees appointed by the mayor, the chamber of commerce, the Seattle Press club, and the Mining Exchange were on hand early, and a committee of ladies looked after the fair sex among the visitors. Members of the State Press association were also at the train to aid in receiving the visitors. The scene at the station when the train arrived was an interesting one. Men and women from every state in the nation were soon mingling with the crowd, making their way up Columbia street toward Second avenue.

After a dinner and a short rest, the editors accompanied by the state delegates, the Seattle Press club, and committees and members of the city government, boarded the cars for the lake. The steamer line was well patronized, although some went to Madrona and waited there for the steamers.

At Leach park, the flotilla of five steamers, each beautifully illuminated with Japanese lanterns, and two barges lay at rest.

The arrangements for the accommodation of the crowd were perfect. The ride down the lake was a jolly one. At Madison park the steamers fell into line and rested for a few minutes, while from the park burst forth a splendid display of fireworks.

One battery of 36 rockets was fired as a salute, and a set-piece welcomed the editors in the following words: "Seattle Welcomes Editors."

When the Madison street pavilion was reached, the visitors grouped themselves around the tables in the brilliantly illuminated hall, where a lunch was served. Sandwiches, punch, lemonade and other beverages proved an excellent repast. The lemonade and punch bowls were huge cakes of ice hollowed out. After the luncheon, Wagner's band opened the exercises on the platform with a patriotic selection.

The addresses.

Mayor Humes then, in a humorous five minutes' speech, welcomed the visitors to the city. He extended the freedom of the city to them and said the citizens would try their best to entertain them while they were in Seattle.

Mr. Macabee, of Boston, the retiring president of the National association, responded to the address of welcome in a neat and pretty speech. He paid a glowing tribute to the hospitality of the people of the coast and in this connection mentioned particularly Portland and Seattle.

The president-elect of the association, Mr. Henry, of Jackson, Miss., the next speaker, said that while they had been given splendid receptions all along the route of travel, they had seen nothing to compare with the present entertainment in beauty, grandeur, and exquisite taste.

Mr. Dunham, president of the State association, who was next introduced, gave some interesting statistics in regard to the state.

After an announcement by E. R. Piper as to the program for today, the proceedings were closed with "A Hot Time in the Old Town" by the band.

Considerable time was spent by the delegates upon their return to the city in viewing the brilliantly lighted streets.

Today's Program.

The program today, in which both the State and National delegates are participating, is a most interesting one.

The down-town hotels were thronged quite early by the "men of the quill," their wives, and families. Many took advantage of the hearty invitation of Capt. Coulson to visit the dispatch boat McCulloch, while crowds traveled over the various street-car lines to view Seattle and her picturesque environments.

No! for the Iowa.

Shortly before noon Ocean dock was the busiest spot in the city for the delegates had gathered in large numbers to take the steamer Queen for a ride to the government naval station and dry dock, at Port Orchard. The scene was an animated one, for the visiting editors know well how to enjoy themselves, and they took no pains to conceal the evident pleasure the occasion gave them. At Port Orchard the battle-ship Iowa was visited, and on the return trip a stop was made at the immense saw mill at Port Blakely. Delightful music by Wagner's band was provided during the trip, and tasty refreshments served in excellent style, left nothing else to be desired.

The State Press association brought its yearly proceedings to a most successful close today, and the

visiting delegates will, this evening and tomorrow, leave for their respective homes to once more mould public opinion in their different localities.

Today's session, while brief was very important. A large amount of routine business was transacted, the new officers were elected, and the meeting place for next year was selected.

After a spirited contest, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, O. M. Moore, of the Seattle Times.

First Vice-President, Orso Strong, Spokane.

Second Vice-President, Mrs. Minnie H. Sargeant, of the Pullman Tribune.

Third Vice-President, E. M. Day, of Whatcom.

Secretary and Treasurer, Will A. Steel, Seattle.

Historian, Charles Froesch, of Seattle.

Poet, Frank Teck, Whatcom.

Orator, T. J. Nicklen, Seattle.

Chairman Executive Committee, James N. Vernon, Everett Times.

Executive Committee, E. M. Day, Whatcom; Frank R. Baker, Tacoma; Walter Lingerfelder, Walla Walla; A. H. Sheffield, Ellensburg.

Seventeen members were nominated delegates to the National Editorial association next year. The following were elected: N. W. Durham, Spokesman-Review; J. A. C. Brandt, Vancouver Columbian; Frank C. Teck, Whatcom; Orso Strong, Spokane; S. L. Alexander, Cheney Free Press; F. D. Schubert, Ellensburg Localist; H. H. Collier, Puyallup News; Tacoma, A. P. Tugwell, Tacoma News. The alternates selected were: Frank C. Teck and E. M. Day.

A strong argument for Whatcom as the next meeting place of the association, and it was finally decided to meet there next year.

This morning's session was wound up in good time to let the delegates join the National association on the excursion to Port Orchard. A hearty vote of thanks to the citizens of Seattle for their splendid reception and entertainment was passed.

Fire on Japanese Steamer

LONDON, Eng., July 13.—Fire broke out this morning on the Japanese steamer, and the fourth officer and a seaman were killed by suffocation and 10 men were seriously injured.

The Paris in Good Condition

FALMOUTH, Eng., July 13.—While entering the harbor here last night, the steamer Paris struck the break-water with great force. It was feared the vessel was badly damaged, but an examination showed that the fears were unfounded. The Paris was not seriously strained, by her long imprisonment on the Manacles.

ROUTE OF THE
EXCURSION

W. C. T. U. Delegates Have a
Pleasant Trip Planned.

The official route of the W. C. T. U. excursion was announced this morning. The train will leave Chicago over the Wisconsin Central lines, and at St. Paul it will take the Great Northern road for Seattle. The delegates will occupy a special W. C. T. U. train, and it will be decorated with W. C. T. U. flags, bannars, and bunting. A lay-off will be made at Grand Forks, North Dakota, from 12 o'clock Saturday night to 12 o'clock Sunday night, thus avoiding Sunday travel. It is scheduled to arrive in Seattle Wednesday, October 18. The train will be in charge of the national officers of the W. C. T. U. One fare for the round trip from Chicago is the rate secured.

A CHECK TO
YELLOW FEVER

HAVANA, July 13.—Yellow fever in Havana has been brought to a standstill. The most stringent precautions, however, continue to be taken.

Considerable excitement has been caused by the discovery of valuable copper deposits within five miles of Havana.

The authorities are determined to enforce the compulsory education law.

Provisions are being sent by the government to the destitute in Havana and Pinar-del-Rio provinces.

No Scalping.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 13.—The Southern California Railway company, through W. G. Nevin, general manager, today filed a suit against all the ticket brokers or scalpers in the city to restrain them from selling return National Educational association convention tickets. Judge Shaw granted the company a temporary injunction, preventing the sale of such tickets until Saturday, when the case will be heard.

RAIN SKIRTS
DISCARDED

BALTIMORE, Md., July 13.—The Women's Short-skirted Rainy Day Club, Baltimore's short skirt order, failed in a quorum at its meetings yesterday. Most of the club members have provided themselves with short skirts, trim-looking jackets and "rainy day" hats, which they faithfully wear whenever occasion offers, but they have had so many rebuffs that their enthusiasm is beginning to wane. Now they propose to use every effort to secure such a cleanly condition of the streets that long skirts can be worn with comfort.

MANY LIVES WERE LOST

In Fierce South
Sea Storms.

BIG STEAMERS TOTAL WRECKS

Australian Coast Again Swept by
Disastrous Storms—British
Vessels Lost.

FREEMANTLE, Australia, July 13.—Two shipping disasters, involving, it is thought, the loss of a large number of lives, were reported here by incoming vessels today. The British steamer Carlisle Castle went down off Rockingham, near this port. It is feared the loss of life from the disaster is serious. The steamer left San Francisco April 13 last. Another disaster in which mariners lost their lives, is that which resulted in the complete wreck of the British ship City of York. She was wrecked off Rotneet island, and the captain and 11 men are reported missing.

A severe storm of wide area has prevailed for several days along the West Australian coast.

Many of the small craft have undoubtedly been wrecked, and it is believed there has been a heavy loss of life.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

To be Held on the Old Uni-
versity Campus.

The executive committee of the City Christian Endeavor society met last night in the First Baptist church. The matter of arranging for evangelistic meetings for the summer was taken up. These will probably be held on the old University campus every Sunday afternoon and evening. A large tent has been secured for this purpose.

Arrangements were also made for Christian Endeavor day at the Baptist meetings this summer at Chautauqua beach. August 12 was the day selected. The detail of the work will be left in the hands of a committee.

The chairman of the good citizenship committee was instructed to fill up his committee to the full limit of five members, at once.

AN OREGON MINER'S LUCK

BAKER CITY, Ore., July 13.—Rasmus Nelson, who sold to this city his discovery of an 8-foot ledge in Slaughterhouse gulch, near Susanville, Grant county, assaying \$5000 to \$10,000 to the ton in free gold. The yellow metal is visible to the casual observer. The discoverer is a pioneer resident of the Susanville district. The new find is so located that it will be easy to develop. Mining experts, now investigating the camp, predict that great wealth will be uncovered.

BRAVE BOYS AT 'FRISCO

Oregon Volunteers
From Manila.

ALL CLASSES WELCOMED THEM

Transporters May Go Direct to Port-
land—Soldiers Will With Joy
at Reaching Home.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—The shrieking of steam whistles, clanging of bells, and the firing of cannon early last evening announced to the people of this city that the first batch of returning volunteers from Manila were nearing the shores of California. Thousands of people gathered along the waterfront to see the transports Newport and Ohio steam up the harbor under the escort of a score of vessels. The Oregon volunteer regiment from Manila, which was on board, received a hearty welcome from many notables, including Gov. Irwin, Mayor Phelan, and officials of the National Guard of California.

There were only one or two cases of sickness among the soldiers on the transports, but 72 suffered from

wounds received in the Philippines. It is yet undecided whether the Oregon volunteers will be allowed to land in San Francisco before going to Oregon.

The governors of California and Oregon have joined with Major General Shafter in an effort to give the returning volunteers a suitable welcome.

MUSTERED OUT AT 'FRISCO

WASHINGTON, O. C., July 13.—President McKinley decided this morning that the Oregon volunteers will be mustered out at San Francisco. They will be paid off there as soon as arrangements can be made.

A KLONDIKE NUGGET.

With the treasures brought down on the Humboldt yesterday was a nugget from No. 8 Below on Hunker. This nugget is 3 1/4 inches long, 2 inches wide, and averages between 3/4 and 1 of an inch in thickness. The gold in it is worth \$117.50. This claim is the property of Verner Watch.

WANTED—A COOK.

The free employment office has advertised for a cook for the posthouse. Only one who has had the small-pox need apply.

Lady Salisbury Stricken.

LONDON, Eng., July 13.—Lady Salisbury, the wife of the prime minister, suffered a stroke of paralysis today.

In Behalf of Transvaal.

THE HAGUE, July 13.—The several committees of Hollanders are preparing appeals to England in behalf of the Transvaal.

CALDWELL MAY LIVE

Late News From the
Seattle Doctor.

Frank Crawford, a well-known Seattle boy, who has just returned from Dawson, tells a tale of prosperity and good times, and he shows no ill effects after two years of roughing it in the north. Crawford went into the Klondike country to mine, but he interested himself in the electric light plant at Dawson. Being asked regarding the condition of Dr. Caldwell, he replied that he was one of those who saw him put aboard the boat at Dawson. He states that while the doctor was very ill, he expects him to arrive in Seattle alive.

"The wealth of the Klondike is not exaggerated," he said. "I am certain there was \$200,000 come down on the Humboldt with me, and probably more than I knew nothing of. As to the 20 million output, it is quite likely there will be more than that. There is no doubt a good many claims as rich as the Lippy claim, only they have not been worked. Prof. Lippy had about 40 men at work all the time, and, of course, his claim shows up best. The 10 per cent. royalty is having a bad effect on developments, many of the miners holding off and trusting that more reasonable laws will be enacted."

"Just as I was leaving a movement was on foot to establish a saw mill larger than any there. I do not know who will be back of it, but it will be built this summer. Dawson is full of Seattle boys, and they are all doing well; but this is a bad time for new men to go in."

DEATH OF GOODALL

The Old Mariner Pas-
sages Away Today.

The many friends of Capt. Charles Goodall, in this city and, in fact, everywhere on the coast, will hear with regret of his death, at his old home in England. The particulars of his demise were received at the office of the Pacific Coast Steamship company this morning, and the news quickly spread through the city. Capt. Goodall was 80 years old. He left San Francisco last May, to visit his old homestead in England, fully expecting to return here this fall at the latest. He was well known on the coast, as for years he stood at the helm of the Pacific Coast Steamship company, holding the responsible position as director up to the time of his death. He was senior partner of the firm of Goodall Perkins & Co., and in this position won the esteem and respect of all who came in contact with him.

The flags are flying at half-mast on all Pacific coast steamers, and many others vessels, out of respect for the departed mariner.

STRUCK FREE GOLD QUARTZ

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore., July 13.—News was received last evening from Bohemia of another rich strike of free gold in the Muske mine. This strike was made in the west end of No. 2 level, which has 800 feet of tunnel. The vein is 4 feet wide and the gold is visible to the eye. This find is richer than the Helena, as the gold is heavier and solidier than the quartz. This property was recently sold to Montreal and New York parties for \$150,000. J. H. Bligham, of Spokane, has charge. The property has about 3000 feet of tunnels, and one five and one 10-stamp mill, which are in operation day and night.

DROVE OUT THE REBELS

Another Fierce Skir-
mish Reported.

M'GRAW'S BRAVE MEN

They Killed 35 Insurgents and
Chased 500 to the Hills.

ANOTHER STRONG POINT WON

Insurgents Had No Chance Against
150 of Fourth Cavalry—Two
Americans Wounded.

MANILA, July 13.—Three troops of the Fourth cavalry, under command of Capt. McGraw, had an engagement Tuesday with 500 insurgents at Mantilupa, on the south shore of Laguna de Bay.

The rebels entrenched near the shore, but the army gunboat Napiid shelled them. About 150 American soldiers landed and drove them out, by a sharp running fire, to the hills. There the insurgents took up a position too strong for the small American force to attack it. The rebels left 10 dead on the field. The total loss is supposed to be 35. The American loss was two wounded.

A sharp fight between the insurgents and cavalry under Lieut. Babcock is also reported about Balingag. A large force of insurgents is active near San Ildefonso.

THE WAR PORTFOLIO

WASHINGTON, O. C., July 13.—Roosevelt is being boomed in some quarters for secretary of war. While he would make a very efficient secretary, and would take such measures as speedily to bring the rebellion in the Philippines to a close, he will not be selected. If Roosevelt was secretary of war, he would not allow the adjutant-general to supersede him in every branch of the military service and the president knows that Roosevelt would insist upon taking vigorous action without regard to policy and politics, which is not the kind of a man McKinley wants. If the president and the entire cabinet, all being very anxious to have Alger go, should find some method of forcing him out, no man like Roosevelt, with opinions of his own and determined to carry them out, would be selected as his successor.

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OPPOSED TO THE SALOON

The Anti-Saloon league held the regular monthly meeting last night at the First Methodist Episcopal church. The 44 sub-organizations connected with the league were nearly all represented by delegates, and a lively session was the result. The delegates were most enthusiastic in the work of the league. The evening was largely taken up with reports of committees and short discussion thereon.

A special committee was appointed to take up the matter of instruction in the schools, showing the effects of alcoholic liquor and tobacco.

The agitation committee was instructed to inaugurate a summer campaign, the object being to bring out more prominently the work of the league.

Young Man Drowned.

ABERDEEN, July 13.—Yesterday, at a place called Bear Slough, a mile up the Wishkah river from Aberdeen, while several boys were playing in a boat, they upset, and young Al Hoffman, the 14-year-old son of Nicholas Hoffman, was drowned. Misfortune has fallen heavily on this family during the last few years. The parents are well known and much respected here, having the general sympathy of all.

The wharves of the various saw-mills are keeping well cleared of surplus lumber. Nearly all the mills are working overtime and cannot keep up with their orders. There has been a good supply of vessels in the past two weeks.

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Regard the Voice of Reason.

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Mining Press.

The understanding of most of us finds itself swallowed up in the immensity of the void that surrounds it. This is a blunt if not a very polite way of stating that we are given over to a childish impotence of mind.

For weeks we have been presenting undoubted facts and figures relative to the copper industry, all going to show that money invested in reliable stocks was sure to make money, and yet that whimsical fancy of yours haunts your judgment, with such ghastly spectres and apparitions that you hesitate to let go of the unemployed dollars for fear they will be tied up in a losing speculation. Somewhere we have read that an ounce of mother wit is worth a pound of clergy. We no longer question the statement.

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