

NO TIME TO ATTACK.

Peru is Bankrupt, but if Rich Would Not Take the Present Chance to Get Even With Chile.

SHORT CHAT WITH MR. MUELLIERO.

Senator Mylin Refuses to Be Side-Track, and if Not Nominated Will Quit Politics.

CORPORAL TANNER SHOUTS FOR BLAINE.

A Few Reasons Why Clever Politicians are Said to Be Good Poker Players.

G. Muelliero, a New York exporter to South America and a Peruvian by birth, has been stopping at the Duquesne for several days. He went to Wheelburg yesterday to spend Sunday with W. R. Thompson, the banker. Mr. Muelliero hasn't much love for Chile, and he has not forgotten how they treated his country in the last war.

"People think," he said, "that this would be a good time for us to get even with the Chileans, but it is not as easily done as a good Peru at present bankrupt, and it would take considerable money to carry a war. Until we can float our bonds, Peru must keep quiet. A few days ago I met our Minister at Cape May and had a talk with him on this subject. He opposed it, and remarked it would not be fair to take advantage of Chile in its present trouble. Our fight with Chile was about the rich saltpetre mines. They had the advantage over us in having fine warships, and we were practically at their mercy. The insurgent party, which is composed of the best people in the country, admit that we were not treated fairly. The only thing that Peru can do is to lie low and prepare herself for another war, or if the international committee come out against the situation may be changed. Balboa is recognized as a tyrant, and some of his law officers he holds through his pockets. In New York, who had some with James Gordon Bennett a few years ago, is one of the editors in the insurgent party, and is doing great work. I see the Chileans are now getting into trouble with Russia."

REPLYING TO THE KNIGHTS.

Senator Dunlap Talks a Little Bit on the Con. Con. Question.

Relative to Democratic opposition in the Legislature to the calling of a convention to revise the Constitution of 1874, complained of by some Knights of Labor, Senator Dunlap, of Wheelburg, had this to say on the train which was carrying him to his home the other evening, that is the substance of his remarks was: That in the first place, the representation proposed by Senator Robinson was extremely partisan and unfair considering that, though the Democratic party be in a minority in the State, yet it is a minority that represents a very large number of people. It is not fair to assume that the Republican majority, further, Mr. Dunlap states that the constitution of 1874 was framed by able and patriotic men, and the representation under the Buckalew bill was a fair one and the result of the work is probably about as efficient for good as any likely to be accomplished by another convention. Mr. Dunlap thinks the main trouble with our present constitution is not in the instrument itself, but in the fact that it is not made operative.

TWO VERY HAPPY MEN.

If the Logans Continue to Strike Oil Their Smiles Will Be Perennial.

Two of the most good-natured and accomplished men in Pittsburgh at present are A. H. and W. P. Logan. They are to be recognized a mile off by their long gray beards and broad smiles. For some time the smile has not left their faces, and if the good luck continues it will break out into wild whoops of ecstatic joy. It is pleasant to feel that while you sleep oil wells at McDonald's station are filling tanks as fast as they can be created.

It was rumored that the brothers had been offered \$100,000 for some of their leases in the new field. W. P. Logan, when asked about it yesterday, said it was news to him. He promptly added that they would not sell any of their land in that territory, as they love it and have a good and sure thing.

POKER AND POLITICS.

Good Politicians Said to Be Well Up in the Game of Draw.

"I asked a well-known politician the other day," said Ralph Wells, at the Anderson yesterday, "why most successful statesmen are said to be good poker players. I have always understood that politics and poker are closely associated. He replied that it was easy to explain.

THINKS IT WILL BE BLAINE.

Corporal Tanner Says No Other Man Is Talked of in Washington.

Corporal Tanner, ex-Commissioner of Penitents, was at the Union depot yesterday morning going home from Detroit. He had been lending his assistance to have the next encampment held in Washington, and was accompanied by a number of people from the capital. He says Blaine will be the next Republican nominee for President. In Washington no other man is talked about, though Harrison is using all the machinery of the administration to improve his chances. He thinks the next political fight will be the hottest in the history of the country.

CHEAP RIDE TO THE SEA.

The Next B. & O. Excursion to Atlantic City to Leave on Thursday.

The next excursion on the Baltimore and Ohio road to Atlantic City will leave Pittsburgh next Thursday, August 13. A number of parlor cars will be put on the morning train, and the excursion will be provided for the Philadelphia express in the evening. Division Passenger Agent Smith is at the seashore now, but he will be home to-morrow to go out with the crowd. According to present indications the excursion will be the largest of the season. The people are very anxious to get out of the city to escape the dog days. One of the most astonishing things to the local passengers is how the excursion business keeps up. The strikes may have hurt the people a little, but not enough to keep them from taking their usual summer outing.

WILL OPEN IN THREE WEEKS.

The Exposition is Promised to Be a Good One This Year.

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FOR PURE POLITICS.

The McKeesport Board of Trade in a Non-Partisan Movement.

TO SECURE HONEST GOVERNMENT.

A Stirring Address Issued to Voters to Choose Only the Best Men.

TO FILL OFFICES OF RESPONSIBILITY.

The McKeesport Board of Trade has for some time been discussing ways and means to lessen the influence of professional politicians. The following address—both the salient features of it and the fact that McKeesport people will be interested to all who think voters should have some control of city government. The plan was intended for use in the organization of the city government, but owing to some opposition within the board to a public meeting prior to the charter election the plan devised was not submitted.

NO SUBSTITUTE ALLOWED.

An Old Englishman Who Couldn't Serve Out a Companion's Time.

Paul Kingston, an old Englishman, and John Gorman, a bricklayer, of the Second ward, Allegheny, were sent to the workhouse yesterday morning for violating a city ordinance in living in a boat within the city limits. He was fined \$5, and appealed the case to court. It was held that the city had no right to make an ordinance governing the occupation of the river, as the river was the property of the United States, and only the United States court has control. Judge Slagle, in his opinion, held that, though the United States has general control and power over the river, still the city has a police jurisdiction over it to the middle of the stream. The boat in question was not used for navigation, but as a dwelling, and the city has a right to make the ordinance. The judgment of the magistrate was affirmed.

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