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EMPEROR OF CHINA DEAD

STATED THAT IT WAS SUICIDE.

It Is Alleged That the Emperor Killed Himself After Giving Control of the Government to the Old Empress—It Means Murder and Serious Trouble.

London, Oct. 3.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says:

Telegrams furnished by a tao tai, or local governor, to Chinese papers here allege that the emperor of China committed suicide September 21, after signing the decree which placed the dowager empress at the head of affairs in China.

This, it is added, is understood to mean that the emperor was assassinated. All English-speaking secretaries and the principal members of the Chinese foreign office, it is further announced, have been banished.

The British foreign office today received a dispatch from her majesty's minister at Pekin saying that Mr. Mortimer, a member of the British legation, on returning home yesterday with a lady, was insulted and attacked by a mob which stoned him and covered him with mud. Later in the day, the dispatch adds, some American missionaries were similarily attacked as was the Chinese secretary of the United States legation. The latter's ribs were broken.

Sir Claude McDonald, British minister at Pekin, reports there is dangerous feeling abroad.

A later dispatch from Shanghai says it was semi-officially announced there that the emperor of China committed suicide September 21.

Emperor's Advisors Executed.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Minister Conger cabled the following to the state department:

Penang, Oct. 1.—Six alleged conspirators were executed by order of the empress yesterday. Kang, the leading reformer, an adviser of the emperor, escaped in a British vessel. Order and quiet prevail here. Trouble is feared at interior points.

WASHINGTON.

Fire which started at 5:30 Friday evening at Wilbur, caused property loss of nearly $4,000 and injuries received by J. H. Friedlander may result fatally.

Mrs. A. S. Ruth of Olympia has been notified that she was left a legacy of $10,000 worth of Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad bonds by a friend she had not seen for years.

The Red Cross society of Walla Walla offers a prize to the member who secures the greatest number of new members between now and next August. There will be a second prize also.

The report of the municipal officers of Seattle at the close of this year will show that unusual activity has prevailed in 1898 in street improvements. It is not easy to estimate the amount of street work that has been given out during the year, but at the present time there are contracts under way that will not fall far short of $100,000 in the aggregate.

The hop crop of Lewis county is about all in. With the exception of the Dobson yard, picking is finished. Dobson will finish in three or four days. According to the most reliable estimates that can be made at this time, the crop in the valleys around Chehalis will be 4,000 bales—about the same as last year. The quality of the hops is much better on the whole than usual.

County Treasurer Judson has issued a call for $10,000 of general fund warrants issued by school district No. 10, Tacoma. The interest on the warrants stops on October 3. This call clears the school district of its outstanding warrant indebtedness up to February. County Treasurer Judson says that if tax payments increase at their present rate the district will be out of debt so far as warrants are concerned, within a short time.

John C. Evans, proprietor of the daily and weekly Reveille, at New Whatcom, has sold that newspaper to John Hull & Co. The Reveille is one of the oldest newspapers in the northwest. It has always been republican in politics, and will remain so. Mr. Hull resided on Shaw island, San Juan county, for several years.

W. J. Brooks, a clerk until recently in the employ of the National Bank of Commerce of Seattle, is under arrest in Chicago, charged with embezzlement. He fled from Seattle three weeks ago, during an investigation of his accounts, which revealed a shortage of $1,000. The young man squandered the money on one of Washington street's dissolute women.

Preparations on a large scale are making to bore for oil in what is known as the land company gulch, at Tacoma. In a small way indications of oil have been found on this property, near where the recently destroyed exposition building stood. Some tests were made, which were reported to have been highly satisfactory, and now a systematic test will be made of the matter.

Maroons Hostile.

New York, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Port Antonio says:

The maroons are assuming a more hostile demeanor. Five hundred of them have located in a town near this city and say they will hold it. The police of all the adjacent towns have been sent here to strengthen the force of officials, as serious trouble is feared. The uprising is spreading widely.

Berlin used up 811,918 tons of coal and coke during the first six months of this year. England furnished 132,622 tons of this amount.

MONTANA.

During the next 60 days the farmers of Clarke's Fork valley will be supplied with a flouring mill.

There are now enrolled in the public schools of Philipsburg 359 pupils, which is 60 more than for the corresponding week last year.

James and Ed. Fraser have arrived in Billings from The Dalles, Or., with 1000 head of Delaine rams, which they purchased on Hay creek, in that state.

The big steer of the Lu— has been shipped to Chicago with the Phillips shipment. He is the largest animal of his kind ever produced in Custer county, if not in Montana, and his weight is estimated from 1800 to 2000 pounds.

The mineral portion of the poor farm, 120 acres, near Virginia City, has been sold to P. N. Moore, representing H. G. Bixby, trustee, for $7000. Twenty acres has been reserved for a poor farm. The transaction is one that meets with general approval. The poor farm was purchased about three years ago for $4000.

Major General Steel was in Choteau last week for the purpose of leasing some school land adjoining his Birch creek ranches. The major is putting up an immense crop of hay this year and says that if the weather permits he will have at the end of the haying season between 500 and 600 tons.

J. Soss, superintendent of the Montana Building Company, the concern that received the contract for building the state capitol, came over from Butte, bringing his bond for $50,000. The sureties on the bond are Andrew J. Davis and Charles W. Clark. The bond was promptly accepted by the governor.

J. M. Vail, the special agent of the department of justice, Washington, D. C., is in Billings for the purpose of taking testimony for claimants in Indian depredation claims. He has just returned from a similar mission to the Fort Belknap and Fort Peck agencies, and is here in the interests of the Crow agency claims.

The conference just held between representatives of the United States government and the Indians of the Flathead reservation, was not productive of any results toward opening up the reservation for settlement. The Indians stubbornly refused to entertain any proposition made by the government looking toward taking their land away from them.

Mrs. Sarah Gannon of Missoula is in receipt of a letter from her son, George, who went to Puerto Rico during the war. The lad says he is with the surveying and engineering department, and is thoroughly satisfied with his station. When discharged he says he will remain on the tropical island.

Mary Dodge, a pretty 17-year-old girl, who recently arrived in Butte from Missoula, is dead, from the effects of a dose of poison administered with suicidal intent. Before succumbing to the effects of the poison she indited several letters relating the pathetic story of her young life, and confessing her love for a married man of her native city.

TACOMA WOOLEN MILL FIRE.

Plant Valued at One Hundred Thousand Dollars Is a Total Loss.

Tacoma, Oct. 3.—The Tacoma Woolen Mill Company's plant burned yesterday morning and is almost a total loss. The value of the plant and the stock is placed at $55,000 and is covered by $24,000 insurance. The plant will probably be rebuilt. The fire originated in the pickling room and is attributed to overheating of a machine or a spark from a nail in the wool. The mill had received a large supply of wool the day before and this was destroyed, with a clothing shipment of 200 bolts to New York which was being packed. The mill was one of the largest on the coast and was being transformed from a blanket mill for the manufacture of cheviots and had established a large eastern trade. The property had passed out of the hands of the original company and is held by a number of its bondholders.

Three Hundred Pounds of Wrath.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 3.—Postmaster Willis has received a letter from General Shafter dated Camp Wikoff, September 26, in which he says of newspaper attacks upon him:

"The attacks of the yellow press upon me and others of the army administration are simply outrageous. The articles are filled with untruths, beginning with the one that I was responsible for the equipment of the army with Springfield rifles, which you and every other sensible man knows is a lie. The behavior of some of the yellow journalists was so outrageous before we even got into Cuba that I had to put my hand on them and after we got into Cuba it was still worse. Their letters are the result of personal spite. If I had come back with a defeated army there might have been some excuse for their talk, but having landed one of the most successful campaigns of modern military history, it is simply an outrage.

"I am very fond of Evans (pension commissioner) and am very glad you are defending him. Some of the G. A. R. are simply unbearable and seem to think if they cannot have the treasury turned over to them that they are being defrauded. Very truly yours,

"WILLIAM R. SHAFTER."

Rioters Resting.

Cincinnati, Oct. 3.—A Washington, Ind., special states that there was no renewal last night of the labor riots and the reported loss of life is not confirmed. The houses of the negroes are badly wrecked and it is expected another raid on the non-union men will occur tonight.

The area of Puerto Rico is, approximately, 4,000 square miles. It claims but 150 miles of fairly respectable highway.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS.

The Occurrences of the Time From Far and Near—Odds and Ends of General Interest—Casualities and Crimes—Notes of Business Matters and Events of Interest.

General Gomez has ordered all Cuban officers to obey American commanders.

The presence of a British man-of-war prevented Germany from raising her flag at Apia, Samoa.

The Portuguese authorities have been warned of an anarchist plot to assassinate King Carlos.

The international conference proposed by Italy to discuss measures for the suppression of anarchism will be held in October.

The Spanish peace commission has been instructed to maintain Spain's indisputable sovereignty over the Philippine islands.

John Donahue, a San Francisco cable gripman, found $61,000 belonging to George Mulligan, a returned Klondiker. He was given $20.

General Lee may not be given the command of our army of occupation in Cuba. General Wade of the regular army is likely to get the place.

Mrs. Berry of New York finding a burglar ransacking her house, choked him into submission and marched him to the police station.

Hogs are dying of cholera by hundreds near Valparaiso, Ind. It is estimated that farmers of that section ill lose from $15,000 to $20,000.

General Miles is of the opinion that it would not be safe to send the army of occupation to Cuba before the middle of November or the first of December.

It is said in Washington that General Wheeler will organize and equip the cavalry division for Cuba, but that he will not accompany the expedition.

General Blanco has issued an order authorizing the soldiers of the Cuban army to travel unarmed on railway trains in the provinces of Pinar del Rio and Havana.

The failure of many prospectors to reach Dawson City, Klondike, gives rise to the belief that they have perished in the floating marshes between the Nelson and Pease rivers.

Jesse Wilkerson, son of a Sedalia, Mo., policeman, fell and broke both legs the other day. It as the 18th time his left limb has been broken during his short life. The right leg has been broken four times. The right leg has been broken four times, the bones of the 10-year-old boy being so brittle that the least shock fractures them.

Commissioner Scott does not believe that the war tax will be repealed by the next congress, as the proceeds will be needed for some time to come to meet the war expenses of the government.

The Rough Riders' horses were sold in New York last week. The best one of the lot was bought by a farmer for $40. The sale realized $30,000 less than the horses cost the government.

Last week, in Kansas City, L. A. Moore, a clock repairer for the Western Union Telegraph Company, was instantly killed by a fall of three feet. He was standing on a short ladder winding a clock, when he fell backward to the floor, breaking his neck.

The public schools at Muscogee, I. T., opened last week, and for the first time in the history of the Indian Territory white children residing there had an opportunity to attend, public school advantages having heretofore been exclusively confined to Indian children.

A Cynthiana, Ky., man went home to supper the other night and found his wife standing on her head wedged in between the bed and the wall in such a way that she could not move. The poor woman was nearly dead, and without any coaxing promised her husband after she was restored that she would never again try "summersets" to reduce her fatness. She paid a New York firm $2 for a receipt for obesity. At last reports she was as fat as ever.

The Nebraska corn crop is estimated at 150,000,000 bushels, worth $37,500,000.

This year's income in Oregon from grain, hops and wool is estimated at $14,000,000.

Capt. Brooks was murdered on his yacht Chispa, off San Francisco, by two pirates.

Iowa towns along the Mississippi river report the water lower than at any time since 1861.

The American flag will be raised over San Juan, Puerto Rico, with elaborate ceremonies.

Richard Malcolm Davis, the southern novelist and educator, died in Baltimore, aged 76 years.

The agitation in Jamaica for annexation to the United States has almost provoked open violence.

Sir Arthur Curtis, an English baron, is reported to have been murdered by ndians in the Klondike.

An old Georgia law, requiring negroes to sit on the three rear seats in street cars, is being enforced.

Over 10,000 men marched in a big parade in Brooklyn last Sunday as a public protest against blasphemy.

A congress of mothers, under the auspices of the national organization, will be held at Omaha.

Andrew Adams, formerly a newspaper reporter at Providence, R. I., is to marry Princess Kaiulani of Hawaii.

All the coast lights of Puerto Rico, except the one at San Juan, destroyed by the bombardment have been relighted.

Nearly all of the wrecks in Manila harbor have been blown up by dynamite and removed by order of Admiral Dewey.

General Joe Wheeler will command the mounted division in the Knights Templar parade at Pittsburg, Pa., October 11.

Dairy products sold in Kansas last year were valued at $6,000,000, an increase of over 15 per cent over the preceding year.

It is announced in Madrid that 10,000 Spaniards in Puerto Rico have refused to live in the island under the American flag.

Mrs. Julia F. Trout has sued Mrs. Barbara Frieh for $10,000 at Buffalo, N. Y., for saying she used pads to fill out her figure.

Uncle Sam is establishing coaling facilities for the navy along the Atlantic coast from Eastport, Me., to Port Royal, S. C.

Unless Spain requests that Minister Woodford be returned to Madrid a new man will be appointed after the conclusion of peace.

To avoid going to jail as a chicken thief, James Hall, colored, has consented to be chained and saw wood for three days at Melrose Park, Ill.

The yellow fever detention camp at Jackson, Miss., contains 30 people who were exposed to the fever contagion from one white woman.

Two tea plates, each 200 years old, were sold last Saturday for $12.50 and $6 respectively, at the old Satteerthau mansion, Fallingston, Bucks county, Pa.

The supposed remains of Martin Jansen, a Wisconsin soldier, who died at Pensacola, Fla., were found upon arrival at Green Bay to be those of another man.

The visitations of the supposed ghost of Peter Christiano, who was murdered in Orange, N. J., some time ago, are terrifying the Italian community of that town.

John Pierman, in the Montgomery county, Pa., jail, awaiting trial for arson, confessed to setting fire to 18 buildings in Pottstown from April, 1897, to August, 1898.

The absence in Europe of three European ambassadors to the United States has given rise to a story connecting them with the American-Spanish peace negotiations at Paris.

General John B. Callis, a veteran of the civil war, died at Lancaster, Wis., last Sunday. He was the author of the original resolution of congress against the celebrated Klu-Klux Klan.

IDAHO.

Twenty men are employed on the Warm creek dam at American Falls, which will require about one more year to complete.

The telephone line has been completed to Ross Fork, and the construction crew for the telephone company is pushing rapidly toward Blackfoot, which city they will reach in a week or 10 days.

The public schools being closed at Murray this winter owing to lack of funds, the district being in debt, and a proposition to issue a special tax having been voted down, Mrs. George M. Beatty has opened a private school. Some families have moved away, or will do so, owing to the lack of school privileges.

The Moscow public school enrollment has reached the highest mark in its history, 716 pupils being in attendance at the present time. The first day 684 were enrolled, and the number has been and is steadily increasing. Every room, with the exception of three, is crowded, and more seats and room are needed. The graduation class numbers 20 this year, with good prospects of an increase.

Word was received at Rathdrum that the commissioner of the general land office had reversed the decision of the Coeur d'Alene land office in the case of Edwin McBee vs. O. C. Smith, in the Hope townsite case. The commissioner holds that the townsite people are prior in right to Smith's homestead entry, and that his homestead entry must be cancelled. This case involved the title to the land embraced in the town of Hope, and means a complete victory for the citizens of that town.

Two amateur highwaymen held up Andrew Hasfurther, a farmer living a short distance from Genesee, and at the point of revolvers he was commanded to hand over his money. He had during the day made a sale of some wheat, but was cautious enough to deposit the proceeds in a bank. For their trouble the highwaymen received 75 cents.

The enrollment of students at the university of Idaho has reached 148. This is a remarkably large enrollment for so early in the year, and is far ahead of any previous year. The record for the first week is an agreeable surprise to everybody, and the institution bids fair to go beyond even the proudest hopes of its friends both in the number of students and the efficiency of its work. One very gratifying feature of the attendance is the fact that the southern part of the state is sending more students than ever before.

Every one in this country knew Indian Paul Harry, the notorious horse thief and all around bad Indian. In June, 1897, he was found guilty on three charges of horse stealing in the federal court at Moscow, Idaho. Judge Beatty sentenced him to two years' imprisonment in the United States house of correction at Detroit, Mich. Word has just been received from the superintendent of that institution that he died there of consumption on the 22d inst. Paul Harry was a born criminal. There is scarcely a jail in eastern Washington, part of Montana and Idaho, but what he served time in.

Small Steamer Wrecked.

Seattle, Oct. 3.—The steamer Discovery arrived from southeastern Alaska. She reports a small steamer, Lady of the Lake, running between Juneau and Skagway as wrecked near Haine's Mission during a recent storm. The Lady of the Lake is an 8-ton vessel and was towing two barges when she was blown on the rocks by the wind. The crew were saved.

Snowstorm at Salt Lake.

Salt Lake, Utah, Oct. 3.—The first snowstorm of the season began Saturday morning. Several inches have fallen and the storm sontinues.

WISCONSIN'S GREAT LOSS

MILLIONS WORTH OF TIMBER.

Hundreds of Families Are Homeless and Scores Are Thought to Have Perished in the Burning Forests—Rain Gave Relief.

Milwaukee, Oct. 3.—The pecuniary damage wrought by the forest fires in the northwestern part of the state can not be estimated at present. It may amount to anywhere between one and five million dollars. Many days will elapse before the extent of the ruin of the fiery element will be known. A general rain fell throughout the state Saturday night. This will undoubtedly put an end to the devastation.

Clarke, Chippewa and Barron counties appear to have suffered the greatest destruction. Over 100 people are reported missing in the vicinity of Rice Lake. Sixty families are homeless near Cumberland, seventy-five families at Turtle Lake and many farmers have lost all their property and had a narrow escape themselves. It is also believed many persons were burned to death in their efforts at fighting the flames, being unable to escape when their efforts failed.

Many narrow escapes are reported. A party of loggers in charge of August Mason of Chippewa Falls were returning from the camps to Cedar Lake. They had a race for their lives, having a handicap over the flames of eight miles, and having but one mile to cover to reach a place of safety. The party made for a lake, mounted on horses. With the heat and smoke almost unbearable, the first section of the loggers and their horses barely reached the goal in time, dashing into the lake, where they remained until the flames passed over. Four men who were in the rear are missing and are believed to have been lost. Many persons sought refuge in wells.

Reports from Cumberland this afternoon say the town is in danger. Business was suspended and the citizens were out in force to endeavor to check the flames

Relief parties are now out through the burned districts south and west of Rice Lake. The loss of life from the disastrous forest fires can not now be estimated, but it will be great. The work of getting to the burned districts is slow, as all the bridges are down. Over a hundred people are missing. Many dead bodies have been found burned beyond recognition. The remains of one man by the name of Nelson were found this morning at the bottom of a well, where he had gone to escape the fire. At another place a woman and two children were found in a well, and at another place, where a man had been plowing in a field his charred remains and the carcasses of the horses were found. All the cattle, horses and other stock in a large district have been burned to death. The wind this morning is southeast and blowing at a rate of about 40 miles per hour.

AN AUDIENCE WITH M'KINLEY.

Filipino Delegates Given a Conference in Private.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Agoncillo and Lopez, the representatives of Aginaldo, the Philippine insurgent leader, called at the White house Saturday in company with General Greene and had private conference with the president.

General E. V. Greene, who came from the Philippines with them, was present throughout the interview. While the Filipinos refused to discuss the interview, claiming it to have been to "pay their respects," it is presumed they informally talked over their mission, if possible, if not then to be heard by the commission as to the attitude and wishes of the insurgents. No documents were presented.

Death of a Newspaper Man.

New York, Oct. 3.—A. W. Lyman, one of the best known newspaper writers in the country, and for seven years editor and proprietor of the Helena, Mont., Independent, died at his home in Brooklyn this morning.

Lyman was born near Cincinnati in 1848. He early engaged in newspaper work and for 10 years was employed on the New York Sun, having charge of the Washington bureau from 1884 to 1889, when he went to Helena. He was in the service of the Associated Press during the entire period of the war with Spain, having been on the dispatch boat Wanda until the landing of the United States troops in eastern Cuba, when he was stationed at Siboney and took charge of the work of the Associated Press, with the troops in front of Santiago. After the surrender of Santiago, when he returned north, he developed dropsy trouble, which ended in death. The body will be taken to Cleveland for interment.

Murderous Thug Is to Hang.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 3.—Jim Garlington was convicted of train robbery and murder and given the death penalty. Three others will be tried this week for complicity in the same affair. In June last Garlington, Moore, Ellis, Evans and Petty held up a Santa Fe passenger train near here. Garlington and Ellis boarded the engine and shot and killed Engineer Williams and Fireman Whittaker and then kicked their bodies off the engine.

Steamer City of Pekin Turned Back.

San Francisco, Oct. 3.—As the steamer City of Pekin was starting for Hong Kong she met with a mishap which delayed her departure. When off Fort Point her machinery became disabled and she was towed back to Mission bay.

Irish fisheries show a slight improvement this year.

WARRANT OUT FOR QUAY.

The Pennsylvania Senator Charged With Misuse of State Funds.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 3.—Official confirmation was given this afternoon to the rumor that warrants had been issued for the arrest of United States Senator Quay and others, charging misuse of state funds.

District Attorney Graham this afternoon stated that warrants had been issued charging Quay, his son, Richard R. Quay, ex-State Treasurer Benjamin J. Heywood and Charles R. McKee with conspiracy with the late John S. Hopkins, formerly cashier of the People's bank, to make use of the state's funds in stock speculation. The affidavit upon which the warrants were sworn out was made by Detective Myers, who is an attache of the district attorney's office.

Hopkins, who is named in the affidavit, committed suicide March last, and an examination of the bank's condition shows its assets were impaired. The bank went into liquidation. The state had half a million dollars in the institution, but the bank's president, James McNames, made this good.

The warrants have been placed in the hands of Pinkerton detectives for service.

Senator Quay arrived from Washington today, but refuses to talk of the impending arrest.

Forests Are in Flames.

Denver, Oct. 3.—The forest fires which are devastating the western portion of the state are burning with unabated fury, only subsiding where fuel is exhausted. A special from Red Cliff says:

Nothing is heard in Eagle county but talk of fire from all sections. From reports of new territory in the grasp of the demon, when a providential storm comes and the summing up is made, there will be little timber left to tell the tale. A country now sending volumes of fire and smoke heavenward is Bear Willow and Lake Creek, a magnificent stretch of forest. This fire, from its direction, will be swept on Camp Fulford, which has already been scorched from another direction. Ranchmen on Gore creek are having a desperate time saving their homes, as the Gore range foothills here send a continuous run of flames for miles. Along the side hills near Minturn even the ground is burning. Cattlemen are getting their cattle into unburnt districts as rapidly as possible, and even then are compelled to keep a close watch on them and keep them moving. A regular gale is blowing through the country, which means the fast traveling fire will be driven forward a hurricane of flames.

The deserted village of Gold Park was reduced to ashes yesterday, dwellings, barns and storehouses and the stamp mill of the Gold Park M. & M. Co. being licked up in a few hours. This town is three miles from the mouth of the Holy Cross. The miners of that district fought nobly to save the place. The Holy Cross is closed down and the miners are entirely exhausted from their night and day battle with the flames.

Many narrow escapes are reported from different parts of the country. Strong men have succumbed to the smoke and heat and must be carried off by their comrades. As yet no loss of life has occurred, but many head of cattle and horses have been burned.

The Cowardly Murderer.

London, Oct. 3.—The extraordinary lax treatment of the anarchist assassin of the Empress of Austria, the Italian, Lucheni, in the prison of St. Antoine, Geneva, is causing much remark. Today he is allowed wine, cigars, letters and newspapers, spends money and gives newspaper interviews. In fact he is treated like the lion of the prison. When examined before the magistrate he made a parade of jests and frivolous answers.

The trial has been fixed for the first week in November. He will be condemned to solitary confinement for life. Only one man has hitherto undergone the punishment which has more terrors than capital punishment. The prisoner is confined in an underground cell into which no sunshine ever penetrates. He is not allowed a bed but sleeps on the ground and is only permitted to take exercise once a week in the prison yard.

Emperor Surely Dead.

London, Oct. 3.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says:

The announcement of the death of the emeperor is confirmed. The reports as to the means employed in his taking off differ. One story has it that he died of poison, and another that death was caused by strangulation, while a third states that he was subjected to frightful torture, a redhot iron being thrust through his bowels.

New Assistant Secretary of State.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The president has appointed Dr. David J. Hill of Rochester, N. Y., first assistant secretary of state to succeed John B. Moore, resigned. Dr. Hill is president of the Rochester university.

Also, in the navy, Lieutenant Commander John E. Pillsbury to be commander; Passed Assistant Engineer Frank W. Bartlett to be chief engineer.

Closing Out Camp Wikoff.

New York, Oct. 3.—The Second cavalry, numbering 588 men, left Camp Wikoff today for Huntsville, Ala. There are now at camp only two cavalry regiments, the Sixth and the Tenth. General McClernand is in charge to see to the closing of the camp.

Chaplain of the Baltimore.

Logansport, Ind., Oct. 3.—Word was received here that Rev. Thaddeus S. Freeman, chaplain of the Baltimore, now stationed at Manila, had died suddenly in Japan.

COLORADO IN SEAS OF FLAME

CITIES AND FORESTS BURNED.

Colorado Springs Loses a Million in Buildings—Forests Are Perishing in the Western Portion of the Unhappy State.

Colorado Springs, Col., Oct. 3.—This city had a visitation of fire Saturday afternoon which threatened for four hours to destroy the entire business district. The wind was blowing 45 miles an hour from the southwest when the fire started at the D. & R. G. rfeignt depot at the foot of Cucharis street at 2:10 p. m. and grew rapidly. A strip four blocks long, north to south and two blocks wide from east to west has been burned over, but at this hour (8 p. m.) the conflagration is believed to be under control. The flames are still leaping high in the air over the burned district but the wind has died down and there is no doubt that the fire engines which have come from Denver and Pueblo in response to appeals for aid, will be able to confine the flames within the present limits.

The Antlers hotel, one of the largest in the west, three lumber yards and two blocks of business houses have been destroyed. In round numbers the loss is estimated at $1,000,000; insurance one-half of that amount.

The fire started in a pile of rubbish underneath the platform of the Denver & Rio Grande freight depot. Within five minutes it had communicated to freight cars and it spread so rapidly that it was impossible to move any of the cars. Half a car of powder consigned to G. S. Barnes & Sons exploded. The cars ere thrown for hundreds of feet and the wonder is that nobody was injured. Then came the terrible danger to the city.

While the big fires were burning, several small ones broke out throughout the city, destroying several residences, and threw the people into consternation. The limits of the burned district are the Denver & Rio Grande railroad on the west, Cascade avenue on the east, Pike's Peak avenue on the north and Oucharis street on the south. Among the business houses burned out are the following: MacFarland & Hills, blacksmiths; Irving & Sons, blacksmiths; Silver Moon restaurant, Kelly Coal Company, Felix Americano, Bloome, tailor; Dietz, blacksmith; John Kline, painter; Bartlett, blacksmith; Creamer & Jordan, blacksmiths; Moscoits, clothing; A. Sephiro, clothing; J. M. Holliwan, shoemaker; S. K. Kline, jewelry; Marlowe Bros., confectioners; Campbell feed store, second-hand store, restaurant, and grocery next to Gulf depot, Salvation Army hall, Cuba Clothing Company, Seldolridge Warehouse Company. Their losses range from $500 to $5000.

Ten partly loaded freight cars on the Denver & Rio Grande tracks were burned. Several arrests have been made of persons suspected of starting or attempting to start fresh fires, but there is no question that the first fire at the Denver & Rio Grande freight house was entirely accidental, possibly being caused by a spark from a locomotive.

MORE TROOPS FOR PUERTO RICO

Three Additional Regiments Ordered to the Island.

Washington, Oct. 3.—The war department has decided to send more troops to Puerto Rico. Orders have been issued directing the Fifth regiment of cavalry, now at Huntsville, Ala., the Sixth United States volunteer infantry, now at Chickamauga, and the Forty-eighth New York, now at Fort Adams, to proceed to such points in Puerto Rico as may be desired by the commanding general in that island. All troops at Camp Meade will soon be ordered to points in the south. Some of them may go to Cuba, but the majority will, for the present, occupy the new camps recently selected in Georgia and South Carolina.

It is expected the troops sent to garrison Cuba will not remain long, and when they have seen service for a few months will return to this country. The same is probably true as to Puerto Rico.

It is also intimated that when the troops return the volunteers will be given 60 days' furlough and mustered out. By that time congress will have had opportunity to determine what shall be done in regard to garrisoning the new possessions.

This determination is no doubt due to the pressure brought by members of congress for the mustering out of volunteers from their states and districts.

Forest Fires.

Denver, Col., Oct. 3.—The forest fires on the west slope of the Rockies continue to spread and only a heavy rain can stop them. Fires have also appeared on the west slope of Pike's peak and large sections of timber are being destroyed.

The fire on White river has burned over an area of one hundred square miles and is still sweeping eastward in a stretch ten miles wide. The towns of Kokomo and Hahn's Peak are reported to be in danger. Glenwood Springs is enveloped in clouds of smoke and the situation in that vicinity is becoming worse.

Derelict Raft in Port.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Oct. 3.—The derelict raft containing 1,000,000 feet of lumber, which broke loose from the steamer Progresso on the way from Puget sound was found by the steamer Whitesboro and towed into this port.

Indians for Mexico.

Fort Gibson, I. T., Oct. 3.—Richard Adams, general manager for the Delaware Indians, says the tribe has purchased 550,000 acres of land in Sonora, Mexico, and will emigrate there as soon as possible.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8th, 1898.

A BRIGHT FUTURE.

It has been only a few months since the first endeavor in the jobbing trade was attempted in this city. Up to the time W. B. Davey purchased the business and stock of goods formerly owned by Manly, Averill & Co., from Dr. Averill, no particular efforts had been made in that direction. Mr. Davey, while not being a trained mercantile man, possessed that keen business tact to readily see that Grand Forks could, with but little effort, be made the general supply point for all the rich mining districts of which it is practically the center. With that end in view he secured the services of Mr. A. McQueen, an experienced travelling salesman and placed him in charge of his business as manager. Mac after sizing up the situation, mounted the hurricane deck of a bucking cayuse and started out among the many mining camps and settlements that have sprung up in almost every direction from Grand Forks. At first his efforts were furtile and his orders were few and far between, but week after week he made the rounds until at last the tide of trade began to turn this way, and today as a result of his persistent efforts, it is an every day occurance to see team after team being loaded by the Grand Forks Mercantile company with goods for the various mining camps surrounding us

The success of Mr. McQueen stimulated others to follow his example and in every instance the result has been satisfactory. With the event of railway construction through the district there has been a marked improvement shown in all branches of business and today the merchants of Grand Forks are supplying fully two-thirds of everything consumed in the territory laying between Gladstone on one side and Greenwood on the other.

With the extraordinary development of the mining interests, which from this time on is sure to follow, it will only be a question of time until our wholesale and jobbing trade will be divided up into specialties, instead of one, two or three firms carrying a little of everything, as a sort of emergency supply houses for all the small towns within a radius of a 100 miles, there will be large wholesale establishments representing every line of trade.

At the present time there is a bonded warehouse and wholesale liquor store carrying a $50,000 stock; wholesale furniture store; hardware, tinware, stoves and miners' supplies; sash and door factory, which makes a specialty of manufacturing store fronts, bars, counters and store fixtures of all kinds, and for general mercantile establishments all of whom are doing both a good retail and jobbing business.

GRAND FORKS does not desire anything from any other part of the Boundary Creek district to which it is not entitled, but any attempt to trifle with its claim to being recognized as the principal city must be resisted, simply because it is absurd. Not only is its prediction determined by its location, being situated in the centre of the richest mining and agricultural section in the province. it is doing more wholesale business than all the balance of the towns in the district combined. Whatever Grand Forks claims more than it is entitled to, and its claim is shown to be not well founded, it will be relinquished.

THE time check evil is cropping out in this vicinity, by the railway contractors issuing time checks at the end of the month, which are not payable for another twenty days. The effect of this, as everyone knows, is to compel the men employed upon the work to have their time checks scalped before they can get the money which is due them. Already money brokers are opening offices in the various towns along the proposed line of the Robson-Penticton for the purpose of cashing these time checks which they do at a discount ranging from 5 to 20 per cent on the dollar.

THE merchants and business men of Grand Forks should lose no time in seeing that good roads are constructed, connecting Summit camp and the North Fork mining district with this city, in the near future. They will make tributary to this city districts whose development will add greatly to the wealth and business of this vicinity.

A LARGE number of voters in this city have not had their names placed on the voters list. It is important they should do so without delay, otherwise they cannot take any part in the coming municipal election which will take place in January next. Every elector whose name is not on the list should have it put there at once.

ONE swallow does not make a spring, neither does one good season make prosperity. A series of good seasons and good prices will make this hopeful section of ours hum with business and the word exodus will have lost its meaning to the Boundary country.

"IT is an awful thing to play poker," remarked an Eastern editor. We will gamble dollars to doughnuts that he has been up against parties who played better than he did

RAILWAY NOTES.

Contractor Swanson is pushing work on his contract on the Johnson ranch.

Forest fires are bothering some of the camps along the construction line between Brooklyn and Cascade City.

The town presents a very lively appearance with all the railroad men, contractors and others bustling about the streets.

Contractor James Deginn expects to bring his wife and family to live in Grand Forks for the best part of the winter while his work lasts.

The bridge across Porcupine creek is to be 200 feet high and 700 feet long, requiring 1,200,000 feet of timber in its construction, most of which will be hewed.

Contractor McDonald was registered at the Alberta this week. He has a contract in the vicinity of Fisherman creek and expects to make the Forks headquarters for the winter.

Contractor Degnin has established a camp just this side of Morrissey creek where the irrigation ditch crosses the government road, and commenced work on his contract this week. He expects to employ about 100 men.

P. Genelle & Co. now have four logging camps and one tie camp at work in full blast. The latter is located in the vicinity of Burton City. Their two saw mills are running at their full capacity on double time getting out bridge timbers.

Contractor McHugh's camp, known as No. 1, near Robson, has been pulled down and is now moving into the Boundary country, the contract, which was largely easy grading, having been completed. A number of others of the same character will also move this way shortly.

J. W. Stewart, manager for Mann, Foley & Larsen, has been busy the past week awarding contracts between Grand Forks and the summit, nearly all the contracts on the North Fork of the Kettle river have been awarded. Some of the contracts in the vicinity of Fisherman creek are very heavy and it will take nearly the entire winter to do the work.

A. C. McLean and Brother, who have a contract of heavy rock work near the Summit between Brooblyn and Cascade now have four camps running employing about 250 men. The 14-drill compressor, which will be used in boring the 3,100 foot tunnel, was placed aboard of the cars in Ontario on the first of the month. It is expected that it will take about a month to get it installed and in operation. It is estimated that it will take about seven months to complete the work.

Not long since a man by the name of Purcell, in the employe of Burns & Jardon, about four miles below Brooklyn on Lower Arrow lake, while striking a drill lost his balance and fell backward down a steep precipice to the ground below, then rolled about 200 feet further down towards the lake. Remarkable to say, not a broken bone could be found and he received no serious injuries except some severe scalp wounds.

The same day that Purcell met with his accident, Wm. Johnson, who was working for Olaf Olsen, who has a contract twenty-three miles from Brooklyn, had an accident almost identical in character. He also lost his balance while trying to remove a piece of rock with an iron bar and rolled down the hill over seventy-five feet. He fared worse, however, and in addition to serious scalp wounds, broke his right fore arm.

MINING RECORDS.

Records of Mineral Locations From Sept. 28th to October 5th, 1898.

September 29—Frisco, Greenwood camp, Thos Walsh. Josie, Browu's camp, Neil McCallum.

October 1—Latest, Summit camp, G. Coons. Jubilee, Castle mountain, R. P. Matherson.

October 3—Montreal, Summit camp, John Martin. St. Lawrence, Summit camp, Wm. Martin. Monarch, North Fork, J. D. Woulford. Sunday, Wellington camp, Jack Cockell. Monday, Wellington camp, Red. Therin. Tuesday, Wellington camp, H. A. Rose. Wednesday, Wellington camp, C. N. Mardon. Morning, Wellington camp, G. R. Arnett. Canada, Summit camp, L. Bosshart. Union Jack, Summit camp, N. J. La Plant. Trinity, Wellington camp, Elmore Collin. First Chance, and Stemwinder, Brown's camp, Munson Jaggers.

October 4—St. Lawrence, Brown's camp, Tim Townend. Buena Vista, Carson, A. Prather. T. & B. and B. & M., McRae creek, E. W Bryant. Peerless, Summit camp, L. H Moffatt. Chieftain, Summit camp, J. M. O'Toole. Old Hundred, West Fork, W. M. McKay.

October 5—Dublin and Primrose, Eagle mountain, M. R. Feeney.

CERTIFICATE OF WORK.

September 28—Humphrey Davey, C. Gire and E. Colby.

September 29—Little Wonder, R. Wasson.

Sepiember 30—B. C. Chas. Van Ness.

October 1—Queen, H. D. Barns and J. P. Jhannon. Edith B., Frank Bailey.

October 3—Blue Bell, Wm. Shaw and C. McDonald.

October 4—Fantentine, Volcano and Shickshock, R. A. Brown. Key West, A. F. Sanderson. R. J. C. and Novak, R. J. Cameron and J. Novak.

October 5—Sir May, Conture, Santure, Singor and O'Hearn. Antelope, T. Barrett. Undine, Ross Thompson. Mary B. and Norton, G. R. Naden and J. H. Hallett.

TRANSFERS.

September 29—Havana, all int.. Richard Cooper to Richard Elgood Plewman. Rusiler, all int., W. A. Powuder to Oscar Jendron.

October 1—Mountain View, all int., Archie Conners to D. D. Mann. King of the Hills, ¼ int., T. H. White to C. H. Brown.

October 4—Shakespeare, ⅛ int., H. P. Griffin to Angus K. Stuart, and ⅛ int, to E. F. Smith, Blue Bell or Duplicate, power of attorney granted to W. W. Gibbs.

Will Start up Next Week.

Next Wednesday or Thursday morning everything will be in readiness and work will be started on the old tunnel on the Volcano. Mr. Brown expects to run three shifts and continue work until the ledge is tapped. Just how far that will be is an unanswerable question but Mr. Brown is of the opinion that the head of the tunnel is within forty or fifty feet of it at present.

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F. W. RUSSELL.

Grand Forks, 12th September, 1898.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APplication will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an act to incorporate a Company to construct and maintain a railway from a point on the International Boundary Line at or near Cascade City British Columbia, thence in a westerly direction following the valley of the Kettle river to a point on the said Boundary Line, at or near Carson, also from another point on the said Boundary Line at or near Midway, thence northerly, following the valley of Boundary creek to a point about twenty (20) miles north of Midway, with power to construct, and maintain branch lines and at the said Boundary Line to connect with and to operate the whole in conjunction with the Railway Line of the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company, with power to the company to construct, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines, as well for commercial purposes as the business of the railway, and for all other necessary and usual powers.

Dated the 18th day of July, A. D., 1898.

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CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT.

PAY ORE FRACTIONAL MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—In Brown's Camp adjoining the Pathfinder Mineral Claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Smith Curtis as agent for Bannell Sawyer Free Miner's Certificate No. 13310A, Anthony J. McMillan Free Miner's Certificate No. 3252A, William Hart-McHarg Free Miner's Certificate No. 8088A and Smith Curtis Free Miner's Certificate No. 8728A, intend, Sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1898.

Date of first publication, September 3rd, 1898.
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KEYSTONE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District. Where located—In Wellington camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George W. Rumberger Free Miner's Certificate No. 14333A, acting for self and Agent for Joseph M. Taylor Free Miner's Certificate No 89098 and Philliph Feldman Free Miner's Certificate No. 7987A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1898.
Dated of first publication, August 13th, 1898.
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FANTENTINE, VOLCANO AND SHICKSHOCK MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—Brown,s camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, R.A.Brown, free miner's certificate No. 8085A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1898. [01-n26]

OPHIR MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located—In Wellington Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Sydney M. Johnson, acting for self, Free Miner's Certificate No. 4694A, and as agent for Marcus Oppenheimer, Free Miners' certificate, No. 89017; Thos. Kirk, Free Miners' certificate No. 351A; R. Feldman, Free Miners' certificate No. 7987A, and Jane Russell, Free Miners' certificate No. 14,020A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1898. [a13-015

LITTLE BABE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Grand Forks Mining Divison of Yale District. Where located—In Wellington camp, west of and adjoining the American Eagle.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Fred Wollaston as agent for John T. O'Brien, Free Miner's Certificate No. 8051A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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The town is being laid out along the boundary line for a distance of 3,000 feet by 600 feet wide, comprising twenty-four blocks in all. It is situated on a mineral location recently purchased by these gentlemen, and for which a patent has already been applied. The promoters of the new town are acting under the decision made by Judge Hanford, of the United States district court, for Washington, on October 1st to the effect that the south half of the Colville Indian reservation is no longer Indian land and therefore any kind of business may be conducted upon in. The ruling was the result of a case against Dan P. Baynell, the first indicted by a grand Jury for selling liquor on an Indian reservation.

The act of July 1st, 1898, provided among other things that the mineral lands in the Colville Indian reservation should be subject to entry under the laws of the United States in relation to the entry of mineral lands. Basing his plea upon this provision the attorney for Bagnell argued that as the latter had fully complied with the laws relating to mineral land locations, the seizure of his stock of liquors and his indictment was illegal.

The plea in conclusion says: "That by reason of the said location as aforesaid, the right and title to the Indians of the Colville reservation to the said land and mining claim ceased and was abolished and they had no rights of occupancy to said land; but that on the contrary, this affican, as the lessee of the said Medeking, was entitled to the exclusive and undisturbed possession and occupancy of the same, and the same was by the said act of congress excluded from the non-intercourse laws of the United States and the same is not Indian country. That the said goods, merchandise and liquors were not put on the said mining claim, and the said mining claim was not located until after the passage of the said act of congress and at the time the said goods, merchandise and liquors were seized they were not in Indian country and that the said mining claim was not in the possession of the Indians of said reservation or of any other person, and that the non-intercourse laws of the United States do not apply to the same and that the south half of the south half of the said Colville Indian reservation is not subject to said laws and the same is not Indian country."

In sustaining the plea the power of the Indian agent is materially lessened. Formerly it was necessary to give a government bond for $10,000 before any business house could open up on the south half, and even when these conditions were met the agents held power to regulate the business in various ways. This condition of affairs has deterred many persons from engaging in business in that locality. The rule applied alike to large and small concerns, a barber shop being compelled to furnish the same bond as a large mercantile establishment. Now it will be possible for anyone to begin business upon any properly located claim.

Immediately upon the rendering of this decision a townsite was laid out and the erection of a number of business houses has already been commenced, and lumber is now en route from Bossburg for the construction of others.

Messrs. Baldwin and Chezum have let a contract for a two-story building to be used as a hotel.

Ira Black has the lumber and material on the way for a building 50x102 to be used as a saloon, music hall and concert hall.

Geo. Baker, of Rossland, has commenced the erection of a large livery and feed stable.

Mr. Geo. White a cigar store.

R. A. McMann a store building 20x30, in which he expects to open a stock of groceries, provisions, etc.

Kendrick & Co., of Northport, are arranging for the establishment of a general mercantile store.

Last Saturday when it became known that a town was to be started just across the border on the American side of the line, there was a general rush from Cascade city and between Saturday afternoon and Monday night over sixty foundations were laid on the townsite for the purpose of securing the choice locations when the lots are put on the market, which it is thought will be one week from next Monday, October 15th.

It is expected that the large music and concert hall will be ready for business by Sunday Octocer 14th, at which time a grand opening will take place, with a glove contest between Pete Murphey, of the Coeur d'Alenes, and Kid Langley, from Butte, Montana, for a purse of $100 a side and the winner to take the total gate receipts. The contest will be to a finish, and as both of the parties have a clean record among the sporting fraternity, it promises to be a most interesting contest Arrangements have been made for the running of free busess from Cascade City to Monte Carlo every fifteen minutes from early morning until late at night, and as such articles as tobacco, boots, shoes and clothing can be sold there from 20 to 35 per cent cheaper than on this side of the line on account of the duty, it is claimed that all classes of business will have a decided advantage over those on the Canadian side of the line.

The lots are to be placed on the market at a very reasonable price, thus giving everyone who desires to build an opportunity to get in on the ground floor.

All information regarding prices, etc., can be obtained by addressing or calling on Baldwin & Chezum, Cascade City, B. C.

Will Soon Pay Well.

Water and Light Commissioner Johnson has just completed his monthly report, which shows as follows: The cash receipts for the month ending September 30th were $86, credit due the plant for arc lights $40, making a credit for the plant of $126 for the first month; the cost of running both systems is about $250 a month.

Within the last week applications have been filed for 150 more lights which will be taken as soon as the required electric supplies can be brought from Bossburg, where they are now.

With the rapid growth of the city and by energetic work there is no question but that these plants can be put on a paying basis in sixty days time. No person who has ever used electric lights will ever do without them.

Sits on December 15th.

In last week's issue of this paper was stated the county licensing board would convene at Grand Forks on October 15th. It should have read on the 15th of December next. All parties who intend to apply for liquor licenses to this board must give notice by advertisement in the local paper one month before the sitting of the above referred to board, besides this a copy of the above referred to notice shall be served on two of the magistrates composing the licensing board one month before the board meets a petition signed by two-thirds of the residents residing in the locality where the license is sought for must also be presented to the board fourteen days before the sitting of the board.

School Affairs.

The school board has received word from the school superintendent at Victoria to the effect that the government has at last delivered its ultamatum in regard to more school accommodation here.

The proposition now is that the educational department will pay the rent of an additional school, which must not exceed $10 a month.

The only thing left therefore is for a building to be erected at once.

It is to be hoped that this will be accomplished at once and thus provide accommodation for the resident children unable to attend school at present owing to the lack of accommodation.

Can't Get Freighters.

We are in receipt of information from Gladstone to the effect that merchants on the new tote road between Brooklyn and Cascade are having the greatest difficulty in getting freight hauled on account of the scarcity of freighters and the large amount of freight to haul. They are paying from $1.75 to $3 per hundred from Brooklyn to that town, a distance of about twenty-three miles. Here is an opportunity for a good reliable freighter to fall into a good winter's job.

Cutting and Slashing Again.

Messrs. Simpson & Larvea, proprietors of the Grand Forks sawmill started up again Thursday after a ten days shut down on account of a breakage to their engine, and are now running full blast.

Charley desires us to say that he is once more ready to fill orders for lumber, rough or dressed, shingles, etc., on the shortest possible notice.

If you need anything in his line leave word at the Grand Forks hotel and he will give you figures.

Chuck Full of Business.

Jack Coryell, P. L. S., of Midway, was in town a day or two this week in connection with securing a crown grant of the Fantentine, Volcano and Shickshock mineral claims. Jack has been unusually busy this season having made several trips to the Salmon River district in the Slocan country, besides having all the work he could attend to in this section. As soon as he can get around to it he will survey the Palmetta in Wellington camp.

A New Livery Barn.

Messrs. Davis, Stewart & Daniels, of Cranbrook, have leased three lots from Dick Therein, on Bridge street, and have let a contract for the erection of a large livery feed and sale stable. The gentlemen are experienced liverymen and as everything will be new and first-class there is no doubt but what they will get a fair share of the business. Mr. Stewart is now out buying an outfit. The new firm expects to be ready for business about the first of next month.

Makes Grand Forks His Headquarters.

Jack Coryell, P. L. S., in view of the rapid growth of his business in this section will make his headquarters in this city, and he has leased Harry Sheads' office, on Bridge street, where he can be found in the future.

Licenses Granted.

A meeting of the city license commissioners was held last Saturday when a hotel license was granted to Messrs. Dawson and Whitlock, and a saloon license to J. H. Bolan, who will carry on the saloon in the old customs house,

WANT A ROAD

North Fork Property Owners Asking For Aid.

WORK STARTING UP

Several Companies Getting Ready to Do Development Work This Winter.

Mr. Thomas Parkinson, president and manager of the Pathfinder Mining, Reduction and Investment company, was circulating a petition this week, addressed to the chief commissioner of lands and works, praying that a wagon road be constructed on the east of the North Fork of the Kettle river, from Grand Forks to connect with the present wagon road on the west side of the river to the Volcano and Pathfinder mines, where it crosses the Kettle river near Robert Clark's, thereby lessening the distance to Brown's camp and Pathfinder mountain between three and a half to four miles.

The petition contains the names of nearly every prospector, miner, claim owner, merchant and resident of this vicinity and is the second one addressed to the commissioner of lands and works since the present government took charge of the affairs of the province.

One of the chief causes of the defeat of the Turner government in this district at the last session was the niggardly manner in which they used it in regard to building roads, bridges, etc. Now that the much talked of reformers have taken hold of the reins the people are becoming anxious to have them keep their promises.

This is a matter the chief commissioner of lands and works should carefully investigate, as there are several valuable mining properties in that vicinity the owners are making preparations to develop at once. On Volcanic and Pathfinder mountains there are in the neighborhood of 100 mineral locations, the majority of which have a wonderful surface showing, which with development, no one seems to doubt will prove to be valuable mines. The present wagon road is a very miserable excuse of an affair, to say the best of it, and is a disgrace to any government which derives so large a revenue from its subjects for the maintainance of roads as British Columbia does.

This road was originally built by private subscriptions and donations from prospectors and mine owners in that locality. The retired government made one or two appropriations toward it, but they were so small that it required a magnifying glass to see them.

Now that work on the Volcano, Pathfinder, Pay Ore Fraction, Little Bertha and a number of other properties in that neighborhood is soon to be started and pushed all winter, it is more important than ever that the commissioner of lands and works should take immediate action toward building this long needed thoroughfare.

Opened Last Night.

The Criterion was opened to the public last night, with a free lunch, dance and a general good time. The Criterion will be conducted on the European plan, and will be strictly first-class in every respect. They have fourteen bed rooms which have been newly furnished throughout. There is a first-class cafe and bar in connection with the house, which will be opened at all hours of the day and night.

This new departure will be greatly appreciated by all who are going out on the early morning stages. The proprietors, Messrs. Dawson and Whitlock are well and favorably known in the Kootenays and have both been in business in that section at different times and their friends will be glad to know that they have opened up in the Boundary district.

New Ruling by the Minister of Mines.

Hon. J. Fred Hume, minister of mines, has issued instructions forbidding gold commissioners, mining recorders or their employees from holding or dealing in mineral claims. Properties already held by them will not be affected by the new rule.

He also requires a list of all claims at present held by officials of the department, who in the future will not be entitled to hold miner's licenses except to protect their present interests.

Hereafter gold commissioners are probibited from adjudicating upon the affairs of any company in which they are interested.

Will Sink Forty Feet.

R. A. Brown let a contract, last Tuesday, to Geo. Spencer and John Olson, to sink a forty-foot shaft on the Shickshock mineral claim, to be completed in sixty days. Messrs. Spencer and Olson left Thursday morning with their outfit and expected to be able to commence work today.

Among us Again.

William Gutridge, one of this cities pioneers, who has been successfully mining above Rock creek for the last few months, appeared among us last Wednesday having just returned from Gladstone. Billy says that he will likely leave for the old country in a fortnight's time.

Police Court.

P. Sheeby, apparently a working man who had been indulging too much in the flowing bowl, appeared in the police court yesterday, he being charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was fined $2 for his over indulgence.

LOCAL NOTES.

Joseph Wiseman has returned from Portland, Oregon.

City water and electric lights have been placed in the Criterion.

Mayor Davis is in Spokane this week attending the Fruit Fair.

J. K. Johnson visited Cascade City Tuesday in the interest of his insurance business.

W. F. Wilgress went to Greenwood yesterday where he expects to remain about a week.

Frank Hagelberg returned yesterday from Hornet creek where he has been working on the '98.

The fire bell is now in position and it is the hope of the MINER that we may never have any use for it.

Major Biden and ex-Mayor Manly returned this week from a visit to their placer grounds on Snake river.

Ed. Davis, of the firm of Jeff Davis & Co., was in Cascade this week looking after his jobbing trade in that town.

Mrs. L. M. Dennis, wife of the barber who just arrived here from Brooklyn, is down with the fever. She at the Grand Forks hotel.

Dr. Averill returned last evening from Greenwood where he has been for several weeks practicing his profession as a dentist.

A. C. Sutton has moved his office from the Harvey Block to Messrs. Beer and Dunlop's office on Riverside avenue, where he will be found in the future.

From the number of new townsites being surveyed out in all parts of the district a stranger would infer that a real estate cyclone had struck the Boundary country.

Harry Sheads has let a contract for the erection of a store building 20x40 adjoining his assay office on Bridge street. The building is to be completed in thirty days.

The Megaw building is being pushed to completion as fast as the material can be procured and workmen can do the work, and when completed will be a credit to any city.

Mr. Chas. Emmert has opened a feed store in the room formerly occupied by him as a harness shop. Talking about filling a long left want, Charley has hit the nail on the head.

Found—A canvas bundle between Gilpin's ranch and Grand Forks, Friday evening September 30th. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying charges.

W. T. Smith and Tom Welsh, of Greenwood, passed through town last Saturday on their way to the Spokane Fruit Fair. They had charge of the Greenwood mineral exhibit.

L. M. Dennis has opened a barber shop in the Victoria hotel in the room between the restaurant and bar. Mr. Dennis came from Brooklyn having been the first one to open a shop in that place.

Mr. Jack Smith returned this week from Banff, Northwest Territory, where he has been for several months looking after his mining interests in that locality Mr. Smith expects to remain here for sometime to come.

The work of raising the buildings on the east side of Riverside avenue, made necessary by the changing of the grade, is progressing slowly but surely, and it will only be a matter of time until they are up to the grade.

J. E. Almstrom of Northport, and Gus Vossholm of Rossland, are in the city with a view of engaging in business. They are negotiating for the Province block and if they are successful you will known they are in town.

Owing to the absence of the mayor who had gone to Rossland on official business, and Alderman Jones, who was in Cascade City looking after his wholesale trade in that place, there was no meeting of the city council last week.

Wm. Graham, the genial boniface of the hotel at Edwards' ferry, was in the city last Thursday. Notwithstanding the fact that he is crowded with business from early morning till late at night, his shadow don't seem to grow less.

Through the efforts of Mr. Bostock registered mail for the American side can now be sent almost direct instead of around by the coast cities as heretofore. A letter for the United States registered here now goes to Rossland and from there to Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Manly and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gilpin and family left Saturday morning for Spokane to be present at the opening of the Fruit Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Gilpin will visit Seattle and other coast cities before returning home.

Geo. E. Seymour, of the Windsor hotel at Greenwood, spent two or three days in town this week making preparations to put his new town, at the mouth of Fisherman creek, on the market. He reports the advance sale of lots far beyond his expectations.

Messrs. Cox and Jones who have leased the Harvey block are getting every thing in readiness for their opening Wednesday or Thursday evening of next week. Mr. Jones is at present in Spokane getting his bar fixtures and is expected home this evening or tomorrow.

Mr. John Emdal returned yesterday from Meyer's creek where he owns a number of mining properties with Messers. Lane and Dalquest, the latter of whom died there a short time ago. Mr. Emdal is also largely interested up the North Fork on Lynch creek, where he has done a large amount of development and assessment work this season. He expects to remain here a few days when he will go to the Slocan country to take care of his mining interests there.

THE NEW TOWN

On the North Fork at Fisherman Creek.

NIAGARIA IS THE NAME

Not a Week Old, But Several Buildings Already Under Construction—Fifty-three Lots Sold.

Of the many little towns and settlements springing up in this vicinity with the event of railway construction through the district, there is probably none that has a brighter future than the one now being platted out about eight miles from Grand Forks up the North Fork of the Kettle River, at a point where Fisherman creek empties into it, on the pre-emption owned by that eccentric character, known to every prospector and old resident of this section as "Gunny Sack Jones."

The work of laying it out was commenced last Monday by Mr. Sidney Johnson, P. L. S., of Anaconda, who is surveying about forty acres into town lots.

The new town is to be known as Niagaria and notwithstanding the fact that the blue prints are not yet ready, the advance sale of lots has been phenomenal, Mr. Geo. E. Seymour, of Greenwood the active and energetic agent and part owner of the company, which is putting the town on the market, having sold fifty-three lots since last Monday morning.

Besides being within the immediate vicinity of the locality where Mr. Pat Welsh has a five mile contract of the heaviest rock work on the Robson Penticton railway and which will require several months to complete, the town is located at a point where the rich mines of Summit, Seattle and Brown's camp and Pathfinder mountain will eventually become tributary to it. This fact alone has caused a general stampede for choice lots.

The town is beautifully situated at the foot of the mountain, on a level piece of ground in a bend of the North Fork river, with Fisherman creek with its never failing supply of cool spring water running through it, which with a comparatively small expense can be dammed a few hundred feet above the town, and piped to any portion of it—affording one of the most essential acquisitions necessary for the successful upbuilding of a town—an everlasting supply of pure spring water.

Notwithstanding the fact that the first lot was sold just one week ago today, a visit to Niagaria yesterday found the utmost activity and the sound of the saw and hammer could be heard on all sides. Among the new buildings now in course of construction is a large livery barn by Mr. McDowell, of Greenwood; livery and feed barn by Mr. Grey, of this city; a large and first-class hotel by Geo. E. Seymour, of Greenwood; a hotel building by Messrs. Shaw and Lawder, of the Northwest territory; Wm. Brown is erecting a store building 24x40; Mr. McCoen, of this city, is building a feed and provision store; J. G. White has purchase a lot on Columbia street and is building a real estate office; and Mr. D. W. Hicks, of Greenwood, is building a restaurant building 24x40, and is at present doing business in a tent. Negotiations are now being carried on between the owners of the townsite and Messrs. Mann, Foley & Larson, for the establishment of their construction headquarters for this portion of their work, and if they are successful, their large warehouse and hospital will be built there at once.

In conversation with Mr. Seymour, the agent, he stated that the townsite company proposed to pursue a very liberal policy and would offer every inducement within reason, in order to get every branch of business represented. After the fourteenth instant he expects to establish headquarters in Grand Forks, where the blue prints of the town can be seen and all the desired information furnished.

The Last Until April Next.

Judge Spinks arrived from Rossland Thursday night, having come over the Dewdeny trail in company with Ernie Miller, who has been in Rossland on a visit for the last fortnight.

This will be the last time that Judge Spinks will hold court here until April next. He expressed great surprise in the great change that had been made in the appearance of the town since his last visit here. While he does not look for any great boom, he is of the opinion that the Boundary country from now on will experience a steady, but healthy growth, and that another year will see a large amount of development work done in every part of the district, and by the time that trains are running out of here there will be several mines ready to ship ore.

The Judge will remain in the city until to-morrow, when he will go to Midway, where he will hold a sitting of the county court on Monday next.

Died.

Wednesday evening, Oct. 5th, at 9:30 o'clock, of typhoid fever, at the family residence two miles north of Grand Forks, E. G. Sheringham. The deceased was 25 years of age and leaves a wife and two small children.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon under the auspices of Kettle River Lodge, No. 3575, I. O. F., of which order he was a member in good standing, and carried an insurance of $1,000.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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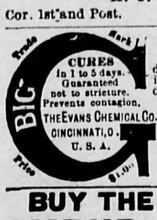

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MINES AND MINING NEWS

THE CAMPS OF THREE STATES.

Large Tunnel in Idaho—Gratifying Results in Saving a High Percentage—Claim Filed on City Property—Ore Is Better Than It Looks—Mining Notes.

Last week the Mammoth Mining company, of Wallace, Idaho, broke ground on the largest piece of development work, with one exception, yet undertaken in the Coeur d'Alenes. This is no less than the running of a tunnel from the level of Canyon creek to cut their lead near the west end of the ground. The tunnel will be approximately 3,500 feet long, and will cut the lead 1,800 feet below the surface, 1,100 feet below the deepest work yet done at the point of intersection, and 600 fet below the deepest spot yet worked in the mine. The time required for the completion of the tunnel is largely conjectural, as the character of the work frequently changes, but it is approximately put at two years.

An undertaking of this kind, costing $75,000 to $100,000 before a dollar of it can possibly be returned, is abundant proof of the faith of the owners in the permanency of the Coeur d'Alene ore bodies, as if the chute did not go down the whole cost would be a dead loss. But in the history of the camp there is no case which would cause any doubt to creep into their minds that there was as much or more ore at that depth than there has been on any of the upper levels.

Before the tunnel is completed the shafts of the Helena-Frisco or Tiger-Poorman may have attained greater depths, measuring from the surface, than this tunnel will cut, but it will be 200 feet deeper than the Helena-Frisco now is and 400 deeper than the Tiger-Poorman. It is confidently expected that both of those properties can be profitably worked to twice the depth they now are, hoisting the ore and pumping the water, and if that be true, the Mammoth with that immense depth before it is necessary to hoist a pound of ore or pump a gallon of water would seem even when the lead is cut there to be only in its infancy, and that it will be generations before its lower levels will be worked out.

Saving a High Per Cent.

The electro-cyanide plant of the Republic company is making a gratifying record in saving a high percentage of the gold. The actual saving for August was 91 per cent. On $100 ore this would leave $9 in the tailings, and these are being saved for future treatment.

The average saving of gold in one day this week was 93 per cent, one vat returning 95 1-2 per cent.

Mining men say these results are remarkable, especially when the high grade of the ore is considered. The percentage of saving is as good in high grade as in low grade ore.

The camp is gratified at this complete vindication of the judgment of Patrick Clark. Old time mining men say the achievements of Mr. Clark, in taking a wild prospect 80 miles from a railroad, locating the ore body, blocking out immense reserves of high grade ore, erecting a large and expensive mill, choosing the right treatment for the ore, putting up the necessary buildings, developing the water power of the property, paying for the big outlay, and declaring a dividend—all inside of 18 months—are unprecedented in the history of American mining.

Mr. Clark's friends are particularly elated because his judgment in selecting the method of treating Republic ores was flatly "turned down" by a number of "experts" who inspected the camp and analyzed the ores.

Camp McKinney Claims.

Camp McKinney, B. C., has the center of the stage in mining matters in Spokane just now. The recent rich strike on the Waterloo has done more, apparently, to attract the attention of mining men to the camp and bring the investors forward with their cash than the steady payment of dividends by the Cariboo company ever did. Free gold, visible to the naked eye, always has an irresistible attraction.

The second payment on the stock of the Cariboo company held under option by the new company recently organized was made last week, although it was not due for about a month. The formal meeting to ratify the sale of the property to the new company will be held in Camp McKinney today. Although Cariboo capitalization has been increased to $1,250,000, the stock is selling in Toronto markets for about 80 cents, which is higher than ever and serves to demonstrate the fondness of the eastern Canadian for a dividend payer, which has always been managed in a conservative manner.

The Waterloo company is completing its incorporation. The promotors' stock, which is half of the capital stock of 1,000,000 shares, was all quickly taken in this city, not in large blocks by a few, but by a large number of mining men and business men of the city. There was a rush to get in on the ground floor and it is said by the officers of the company that the promotors' stock could have been placed several times over.

Placer Claim in Spokane.

William M. Shaw last week filed with the county auditor a notice of the location of a placer claim on the second addition to Railroad addition to the city of Spokane. The claim is for 20 acres, which is said to bear a valuable deposit of fire clay. The name of the claim is Lincoln. The land covered by the location is otherwise described as the south half of southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 19, township 25, range 43.

Mr. Shaw said the location was made to protect his property interests in the tract of land covered by it. He has no intention of interfering in any way with the rights of other property owners there. In view of the fact that other locations have been made recently and that litigation is in progress to establish title to land within the city limits supposed to contain valuable clay, he was advised by his attorney that a safe plan would be to locate this land, which is why the Lincoln is added to the list of Spokane county mining properties.

A Pump for Helena-Frisco.

The Helena-Frisco, at Gem, Idaho, is to have a new pump, which will handle all the water draining into the mine, raising it 1,000 feet at one lift. At present the mine is worked through a tunnel at the level of the mill ore bins, which runs into the mountain to where it is 600 feet below the upper workings of the mine. There a station was built and a shaft sunk. It is now down 1,000 feet from the tunnel level, making the 1,600-foot level of the mine. A station is now being cut at the bottom of the shaft, where, as soon as it is completed, the new pump will be located. Any one but a miner or an engineer of wide experience would stand appalled at the contemplation of such a thing as putting this piece of machinery 1,000 feet down into the bowels of the earth and then supplying it with power sufficient to operate it. Even the pipe to carry the water will have to be very heavy to stand the strain of a column of water 1,000 feet high.

The Rich Ore Looks Cheap.

The reason assigned by mine owners for not exhibiting a representative lot of specimens of the ores of Republic camp at the Spokane fruit fair is that the richest ore in the camp so closely resembles white porphyry that it would cut a sorry figure beside the ores of other districts which show their real value to the naked eye. The Bryan & Sewall and Copper Mountain are the exceptions to this rule.

The construction of a dam at the mouth of Copper Mountain lake is nearly completed. This will make the lake nearly three-fourths of a mile long and about a quarter of a mile wide. There will now be no shortage of water to operate the plant of the Republic Mining company, no matter how extensive it may be in future.

Monitor to Ship Four Cars.

The Monitor, of Saltese, Montana, is preparing to ship four car loads of high grade ore. It will be necessary to pack it four miles on horseback, but it yields well in both gold and copper and will pay even under such conditions. This move will be quite an advertisement for the properties in the gold-copper belt south of Saltese, where there are a number of properties which have a good showing on the surface, and where the development work so far as it has been done fulfills every promise made by the surface showings.

On the Quesnelle.

The Ashcroft Mining Journal states that hydraulic mining on the Quesnelle river is proving highly successful this year. The Bleson dredge working on that stream is bringing up gravel averaging 75 cents to $1.50 per cubic yard. It is expected that dredging operations will assume large proportions on the stream next season if these favorable values continue to appear.

Mining Briefs.

The Washington mine in the Slocan is soon to resume operations.

Six inches of snow fell at the Reco mine in the Slocan last Thursday.

It is said that work is to be resumed on the Virginia Consolidated at Baker City.

Lane C. Gilliam is looking over the gold fields around Baker City, in company with J. F. Hardee.

The Noble Five in the Slocan is bothered seriously with foul air in the lower tunnel.

One car per day is the average shipment from the Idaho mine, in the Slocan, with 90 men employed.

The final payment of $15,000 has been made on the Pothook group of claims near Kamloops, B. C., by the English syndicate.

The Last Chance switch from the K. & S. railway in the Slocan has been completed and work on the new ore house is well under way.

The Sunset No. 2 at Rossland is to be developed by driving the tunnel on the 350-foot level about 300 feet to a point under the discovery shaft. A contract has been let for the work.

The Florence Miner is stirring up the business men of that camp in an endeavor to get them interested sufficiently to make a good road between Florence and the new discoveries in the Hump. A town has been established at the latter place known as Rigley. This new district gives great promise and as is usually the case, the local newspaper is wide awake, endeavoring to get the business for its merchants. The distance between the two camps can be made in six hours with a good road.

SPAIN AND THE SPANIARDS.

Their Cruelty Comes From Their Indolence and Lack of Foresight.

It is not true that the Spaniard is naturally cruel. The ferocities of which he has unquestionably been guilty have come from his unbusinesslike indolence. He lets trouble come from want of precaution in time, and it finds him unprepared. Then he falls into the rage of the indolent man who is aroused out of his indolence, and strikes savagely. Conduct of that kind proves his incapacity for government, and is seen at its worst where he to deal with Creoles, who repeat his own faults in an exaggerated form, and with half-breeds. For that reason, among others, he has lost his colonial empire. It would be a mistake, however, to suppose that Spain is decaying. The population has nearly, if not quite, doubled in the present century, and the country in itself is infinitely better off than it was a hundred years ago. The loss of Cuba will be no evil for Spain, but a gain, for it will stop a dreadful drain of life and treasure. When there is no colonial market to think of, the immense resources of the country itself will probably be better worked. The mere mineral wealth of Spain ought to be enough to make it rich. If it has begun to understand the consequences of bad administration, it may well be one of the most prosperous parts of Europe in another generation.

In the island af Minora, one of the Philippines, the humming birds are pugnacious little creatures. Thousands of them frequently attack huntsmen without the slightest provocation, inflicting sometimes serious wounds on the face and neck.

The wine list of the Cafe Royal, in Regent street London, contains the names of no less than 68 brands of champagne, the prices of which range all the way from $1.50 to $5.25 a quart. All the high-priced brands are vintages of 1874.

General Arelas, military governor of Havana, protested against the raising of the stars and stripes over the American commissioners' headquarters, but was overruled by Blanco.

The carrier pigeon was in use by the state department of the Ottoman Empire as early as the fourteenth century.

Hundreds of lives have been lost in China by the overflow of the Yellow river.

Beer sells at 10 cents a glass in Oregon because of the war tax.

An Overworked Brain

From the Record, Pierceton, Ind.

Determined to rise in his chosen profession as an educator, Ernest Kemper, of Pierceton, Ind., overtaxed himself mentally and physically. He was ambitious, his mind was always on his work. From early morn until late at night he continually poured over his books.

"Burned the candle at both ends."

Few persons, even with the strongest constitutions, can keep up under such a strain.

In addition to his studies, Mr. Kemper was teaching school some three miles from his home. Finally, his excessive study and the exposure of going to and from school in all kinds of weather undermined his health.

He was taken to his bed with pneumonia and his overworked brain almost collapsed. For several weeks he was seriously ill.

Catarrh had taken root in his system and his mind was in a delicate condition. He was sent to Colorado where he spent three months without receiving any benefit. Then a noted specialist from Cleveland treated him without avail, and then a hospital in Chicago was tried, but all absolutely without benefit. Finally his physician recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and from the first box he began to improve. When he had taken nine boxes he was completely cured. This famous blood and nerve medicine had accomplished what all his former expensive treatment failed to accomplish. Mr. Kemper says his catarrh has entirely left him: he is strong again and weighs nine pounds more than he ever did. He gives the pills the entire credit. He is starting teaching again and feels abundantly able to continue the work. To prove that the above is true in every respect, Mr. Kemper made an affidavit as follows:

Overstudy.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of September, 1897.

R. P. WATT, Notary Public.

We doubt if these pills have an equal in all the range of medicine, for building up a run down and debilitated system.

MALAYS IN SWALLOWTAILS.

Aguinaldo Has a Parade and a Banquet—Declares Independence.

New York, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Manila says:

The celebration of the so-called Philippine independence as engineered by Aguinaldo at Malolos Thursday as a native function with an absurd European element in it, born of the dictator's desire to imitate the dress and manner of civilization.

Aguinaldo and his advisers appeared in full evening dress. There was a parade of the barefooted army of the insurgents whose chieftain delivered an address brimming over with patriotic platitudes, the effect of which was marred somewhat by the awkward presence and poor delivery of the speaker.

Afterwards there was a banquet and the few American guests sat down with the Filipino statesmen. The menu was drawn up in the most approved French style. A toast to the United States was given with three cheers and the declaration of Filipino independence was read.

As the result of a conference held at Malolos a high insurgent official informs me that Aguinaldo will, within the next few days, send a delegation to General Otis to offer him formally the protectorate of the Filipino republic.

Four Miners Were Burned.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 3.—Four miners were burned to death in the Lehigh slope of the Lehigh Valley Company at Midvale Saturday. A fire broke out in the slope about noon. At the time there were about 20 men in the mine. All were gotten out but four. The dead: Peter Crick, Peter Coral, Martin Simotocitich, John Soronski. A miner's open lamp is supposed to have set fire to the timber.

Driven Out by Yellow Fever.

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 3.—The announcement of 10 new cases of yellow fever yesterday has had the effect of hastening the departure of the remaining citizens. More cases will doubtless be reported before nightfall. The state officials are leaving the city and the state house is deserted.

Fighting in South Africa.

London, Oct. 3.—A special dispatch from Cape Town says:

The German troops have indecisively engaged the rebels at Asosea. Eleven soldiers were killed. Reinforcements have been asked for.

WARSHIPS ORDERED TO CHINA

DEWEY WILL SEND TWO THERE

The Baltimore and the Petrel Will Go to Tien Tsin, Where the Foreign Fleets Are Gathering—Anxiety for the Future.

Washington, Oct. 3.—Secretary Long, upon advices received at the state department showing the existence of threatening conditions in China, ordered Admiral Dewey to send two warships immediately from Manila, to a point as near the Chinese capital as it is possible for a war ship to approach. The vessels selected are the Baltimore and the Petrel.

This action shows conclusively the concern felt by the administration at the existing condition of affairs in the Celestial empire. It would seem to indicate that more sensational information had been received from Minister Conger than the authorities have made public.

The state department has the following cablegram from Minister Conger at Pekin:

There is no serious danger yet, but considerable anxiety is felt for the future. The foreign fleets are assembling at Tien Tsin. Some of the ministers are ordering marines to Pekin for legation guards.

Twenty-Fifth Comes West.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—The Twenty-fifth U. S. regular infantry (colored), the first regular regiment to be ordered east after the outbreak of hostilities with Spain, arrived in Chicago Saturday from Montauk Point, and later left for the western posts to which the various companies of the regiment have been assigned. Four companies go to Fort Logan, Col., two to Fort Grant, Arizona, two to Fort Huachuca, Arizona, one to Apache, Arizona, and one each to San Carlos, Arizona, Fort Wingate, N. M., and Fort Bayard, N. M. The regiment of 700 men is in command of Major Mott Hooten. The entire regiment goes to La Junta, Col., over the Santa Fe road, and at that point the companies will separate.

Now Has a Rating.

San Francisco, Oct. 3.—The steamer Centennial, which three months ago was engaged as a transport to carry troops to Manila, but was released on reports that she was unfit for the service, has sailed for Seattle for a cargo of coal. The vessel has undergone a complete overhauling and now has a first class rating.

The Missouri land that is still subject to homestead entry is scattered through 49 counties. There are 59,076 acres in this state that can thus be claimed or purchased at the rate of $1.25 an acre, nearly all of it being located in South Missouri.

The dryest of all fishes is, perhaps, the river eel, yet, according to analysis by a German chemist, 60 per cent of its substance is water. Salmon comes next, with 61.4 per cent. Lobsters and oysters are four-fifths water.

This year the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland celebrated its 50th anniversary. It was founded in Kilkenny, and now numbers on its roll 1400 fellows and members, in every part of the globe.

The oyster is one of the strongest of creatures, and the force required to open it is more than 1,300 times its own weight.

THE ILLS OF WOMEN

And How Mrs. Pinkham Helps Overcome Them.

MRS MARY BOLLINGER, 1101 Marianna St., Chicago, Ill., to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I have been troubled for the past two years with falling of the womb, leucorrhœa, pains over my body, sick headaches, backache, nervousness and weakness. I tried doctors and various remedies without relief. After taking two bottles of your Vegetable Compound, the relief I obtained was truly wonderful. I have now taken several more bottles of your famous medicine, and can say that I am entirely cured."

MRS. HENRY DORR, No. 806 Findley St., Cincinnati, Ohio, to Mrs. Pinkham:

"For a long time I suffered with chronic inflammation of the womb, pain in abdomen and bearing-down feeling. Was very nervous at times, and so weak I was hardly able to do anything. Was subject to headaches, also troubled with leucorrhœa. After doctoring for many months with different physicians, and getting no relief, I had given up all hope of being well again when I read of the great good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was doing I decided immediately to give it a trial. The result was simply past belief. After taking four bottles of Vegetable Compound and using three packages of Sanative Wash I can say I feel like a new woman. I deem it my duty to announce the fact to my fellow sufferers that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable remedies have entirely cured me of all my pains and suffering I have her alone to thank for my recovery, for which I am grateful. May heaven bless her for the good work she is doing for our sex."

A Beautiful Present

In order to further introduce **ELASTIC STARCH** (Flat Iron Brand), the manufacturers, J. C. Hubinger Bros. Co., of Keokuk, Iowa, have decided to **GIVE AWAY** a beautiful present with each package of starch sold. These presents are in the form of

Beautiful Pastel Pictures

They are 13x19 inches in size, and are entitled as follows:

Lilacs and Pansies.

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Pansies and Marguerites.

Wild American Poppies.

—

Lilacs and Iris.

These rare pictures, four in number, by the renowned pastel artist, R. LeRoy, of New York, have been chosen from the very choicest subjects in his studio and are now offered for the first time to the public.

The pictures are accurately reproduced in all the colors used in the originals, and are pronounced by competent critics, works of art.

Pastel pictures are the correct thing for the home, nothing surpassing them in beauty, richness of color and artistic merit.

One of these pictures will be given away with each package of **Elastic Starch** purchased of your grocer. It is the best laundry starch on the market, and is sold for 10 cents a package. Ask your grocer for this starch and get a beautiful picture.

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ALL PARIS IN A TURMOIL

SUNDAY FILLED WITH UPROAR.

Arrests Were Numerous, and Over a Score Were Injured in the Fights—The Police Charged on the Mob and Arrested Their Leaders.

New York, Oct. 3.—A dispatch from Paris says

Revisionists and anti-revisionists seem to be spoiling for a fight. Captain Dreyfus, whether guilty or innocent, has certainly caused a veritable cyclone of passion to be let loose. Paris was in a turmoil all Sunday. Crowds scuffling, uproar and arrests was the program of the last 12 hours. At this moment the mounted republican guards are patrolling certain parts of the city and all of the police are on the alert.

About a score of people are said to have been seriously wounded in the various free fights which have broken the monotony of the Parisian Sunday. In one quarter alone over 40 arrests have been made. Of these 13 have been kept and the others liberated.

Prominent Men Arrested.

Among the latter is Francis de Presenze, one of the first authorities on foreign politics in France, and a leading writer in the Temps. With him were arrested M. Ernest Vaughan, director of the Aurore, and M. Morhardt, another of the Temps' editorial staff.

All three were to have addressed a meeting in favor of revision in the Dreyfus case. This manifestation was announced to be held in the Salle Wagram. When M. de Presenze and his colleagues arrived at the meeting place they found it shut and surrounded by a strong cordon of police, busily engaged in keeping back a crowd, variously estimated at numbering from 12,000 to 20,000 persons.

In spite of the protests of M. de Presenze's party, who had paid the rent of the hall, the police refused admission to anyone. Arguments and expostulations were both unavailing as the brigadier of the police remained inexorable.

Charged on the Mob.

The crowd, however, had grown impatient or bolder, for it finally broke through the ring of police. From crushing to giving blows was but a step and many took it. The police agents returned them with interest in the shape of arrests. At once the fight became general. The police made a charge and drove the crowd back to the place des Ternes.

Blood flowed in abundance from noses and in the middle of the riot the three organizers of the meeting were arrested by order of M. Bontier, the police division commissary, and led off to the station. They there found company enough and to spare, almost all bearing the marks of having been handled with anything but care.

ALL AROUND MARKET REPORT.

Wheat Quotations, Wool Figures, and the Price of Produce.

Following are the local quotations. Wholesale prices are given unless otherwise quoted:

Wheat at the warehouse—Country points: Club, bulk 44c, sacked 45c; bluestem, bulk 47c, sacked 48c. At Spokane: Club, bulk 40c, sacked 47c; bluestem, bulk 48c, sacked 49c.

Oats—At Spokane f. o. b., $16 a ton.

Barley—Country points, t. o. b., 70@75c per cwt.

Rye—Country points, f. o. b., 70c per cwt.

Flour, per barrel—Gold Drop, $3.75; Big Loaf, $4.15; Banner, $3.50; Plansifter, $4; Superb, $3.75; Spokane, $3.50; Swan Patent, $4.15; Snowflake, $3.75; White Lily, $3.50; whole wheat, $4; rye, $4.25; graham, $3.50.

Feed—Bran and shorts, $11 per ton; shorts, $12; bran, $19; rolled barley, $20; chicken feed, $15@20.

Hay—Timothy, $8 per ton; baled timothy, $10; wheat hay, $7.50@8.50; oat hay, $7.50; alfalfa, $10.

Corn—Whole, $23; cracked, $24.

Wool—Fine medium, 6@7c per lb; medium, 5@6c per lb.

Produce—Fancy creamery butter, 40 and 60-lb tubs, 28c per lb; 5, 10 and 20-lb tubs, 29c per lb; prints, 25c per lb; country butter, in rolls, 13c per lb; cooking butter, 10c lb; eastern creamery, prints, 25c; cheese, twin, full cream, 12½c lb; cheese, twin, skim milk, 9½@10c lb; ranch eggs, $5.50@6; selected eggs, $6.25; honey, white comb, 13c per lb; fancy, 14c per lb.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 75@90c cwt; cabbage, $1.75 per cwt; turnips, $1.25 per cwt; cucumbers, 75c per box; onions, $1.50 per cwt; beans, 1½@1¾c per lb; carrots, $1.25 per cwt; beets, $1.25 per cwt.

Poultry—Chickens, live weight, 10@11c lb; dressed, 12@13c; spring broilers, $3@3.50; turkeys, live 11@12c, dressed 12@13c; spring ducks, dressed $4@4.50 doz; geese, live 10@11c, dressed 12@12½c.

Meats—Beef cows, live $2.50@2.75, dressed $5@5.50 cwt; steers, live $2.75@3, dressed $5.50@6; hogs, live $4.50@4.75, dressed $6@6.50; mutton, live 4@4½c, dressed 7½@8c lb; dressed veal, 7@8c lb; lamb, 12½c wholesale.

Wheat.

Portland, Or., Oct. 3.—Wheat—Weak and lower; receipts, heavy; Walla Walla, 57@58c; valley and bluestem, 60@61c.

Tacoma, Oct. 3.—Wheat—Club, 59c; bluestem, 61c.

Metals.

San Francisco, Oct. 3.—Bar silver, 60¾c.

Mexican dollars, 47¼@47¾c.

Lead, $3.82 1-2.

Wisconsin possesses a natural bridge with nearly as much attractiveness as the one in Virginia made famous by the visits of George Washington. The Badger bridge is located in the town of Honey Creek, eight miles east of Prairie du Sac.

Why don't you use money-back tea?

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