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OES NOT COVET PEACE AT ANY PRICE

ussian Papers Endorse Witte's Statements that Terms Threatening Russia Will be Refused

Vitte Does Not Attempt to Conceal the Internal Situation of Russia

Petersburg, July 20. — The rview of the Associated ss with M. Witte on Monday last telegraphed back to St. Peters- from New York and was print- throughout the Empire this mor-, receiving from the press, with exception of the extremely reac- ary Sviet and the Moscow Ga- e.

ie Bourse Gazette declares the of the Russian people share in te's view, which now, when the ntion of the whole world is fix- upon the peace conference, are of orical importance. The paper s: "Russia's chief plenipotentiary s not attempt to conceal from countries the internal situation Russia—strong men do not fear truth. Falsehoods are the instru- nts of the weak."

Witte leaves under good auspic- but he made it clear that upon moderation of the Japanese de- rds depended the fate of the nego- ions. The Novoe Vremya en- ses M. Witte's statement that ssia does not covet peace at any e, and that both parties in Russia would unite to resist such terms as might threaten the future of the country.

"M. Witte's extremely impartial and temperate remarks upon the internal conditions and the future should prove instructive abroad," the paper adds, "and should benefit all those who doubt the future destiny of the country."

The Slovoe rejoices at the fact that after the weakness and vacillation which have marked the later stages of Russian history, the peace negotiations have fallen into strong hands, while the paper admits that M. Witte will have no opportunity to retrieve the blunder of others, yet hopes he may be successful in his mission.

The Sviet, whose vote is still for war to the last ditch, sarcastically likens the departure of M. Witte to the pilgrimage of an old Russian Prince, who travelled to the far steppes to make obeisance to the chiefs of the Golden Horse. The Sviet concludes that peace is incompatible with the dignity of the country, which is not yet defeated.

SPORTS

BASSBALL

he Vancouver News-Advertiser of y 19th says: Beginning today, Northwest League will be stron- than ever. The new season be- s with Spokane taking the place Victoria in the circuit and all the ms starting out on even terms. hen the new league was first talk of, many thought the towns were large enough for league ball, and t the organization would be a fail-, but under the able management President Lucas, one of the best own figures in the baseball world, ked by such energetic managers McCloskey, Kid Hullen, Jack Dren and Howlett, the new league been a success right from the rt.

t was unfortunate, of course, that ctoria should have a tail-end team ht from the start. That town did have a fair chance to make good with Spokane to take the place Victoria, the circuit is stronger n ever, for a good team will be in there under the management Charley McIntyre, the old Butte rd baseman, and the fight for the nant will be a hummer.

he Bellingham and Vancouver ms will open the season in Van- ver, while Everett and Spokane t come together in the Smoky y.

he Bellingham team is to be engthened. Billy Hulen has col- ted a fast team while "Honest hn" McCloskey can always be de- ded upon to have a team that will up in the race. Spokane is a good sehall town, and with a team that hold its own, the switch from ctoria to Spokane will add much ength to the league.

NEW CHAMPION IN THE WELTERWEIGHT CLASS

San Francisco, Cal., July 20.—dy Ryan, of Chicago, got the lterweight championship in the entieth round of a 23-round fight th George Peterson of 'Frisco last ht. Peterson's seconds threw up sponge after the local man had n repeatedly knocked down in the t two rounds of fighting.

She—Do you think a sensible man uld marry for money?

He—Of course not. Marrying for oney if more a matter of marrying r dollars than cents.

MARINE

Tug Le Roy and scow were in for coal this morning.

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S.S. Alki is expected in this afternoon for bunker coal.

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SS. Tricolar will complete loading tomorrow afternoon.

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Tug Superior and scow were in for coal this morning.

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S.S. Senator is in port today loading sacked coal for Nome. The Senator has on board a number of passengers.

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Tug Senator has completed the work at the wreck, and after bringing in a scow load of iron and steel (the fittings of the Maimi) she left for Vancouver. The iron and steel will be taken to Seattle for a foundry.

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The Snow and Burgess made a record trip to Nome on her last run up from Ladysmith, doing the voyage in twenty-eight days. This is the fastest trip to Nome ever made by a sailing vessel. The Snow and Burgess left Nome again on July 9 bound for this port for another cargo of coal.

BAND OF THE IRISH GUARD.

His Majesty's Irish Guards band is considered one of the very best bands in the British army by the highest musical authorities in Great Britain and is a favorite household band of His Majesty the King, who, whenever possible, selects it to play at the royal levees, drawing rooms and dinners; in fact, on all state occasions. It was with much difficulty, and only as a special favor to Canada that His Majesty would permit the band leaving British shores, permission to extend the visit to the United States being positively refused. It will be remembered that the Irish Guards, of whom Field Marshal Lord Roberts, V.C., is honorary colonel, were organized in the final years of Her most Gracious Majesty, the late Queen Victoria, in commemoration of Her Majesty's enthusiastic reception on her last visit to Ireland. It is the only regiment in all the empire recruiting for which is confined to one nationality, one of the requirements being that each member shall be an Irishman, or born of Irish parents. The band sails from England on the 17th of August and will arrive at Montreal on the 25th of August. It will then proceed to Toronto to fill an engagement at the Canadian National exhibition of that city, and at the Do-

WANT TO ESTABLISH MUNICIPAL BAKESHOPS

Journeyman Bakers Appeal to all American Union

Asking Assistance in the Establishment of Municipal Control

(Associated Press Despatches.)

New York, July 20.—The journeymen bakers and confectioners' international union of America is now sending an appeal to all unions in America, calling on them to assist in the establishment of municipal bakeshops in all cities of the United States, Canada and Mexico, "along with the public utilities," says the appeal. "The food product industry will be the one that will become the object of Municipal control for the benefit of the people. As it is now possible to put the control of the railroad, street railways, the postoffice, the telegraph, the manufacturers, tobacco, the transportation, the lighting plants, and even the saving institutions in the hands of the state or municipality, as is the case in many European countries and in the United States, why should it not also be possible to have the foor product industry as well as all other industries controlled in the selfsame manner?"

NEED NOT DELIVER TO NON-UNION HOUSES.

Chicago, July 19.—A conference between the Chicago team owners' association and the teamsters' joint council today resulted in an agreement by the team owners that union employees would not be compelled to deliver goods to non-union houses. Any such delivery that the team owners are called upon to make will hereafter be made in wagons driven by the owners.

GONE WHERE BAD NEGROES GO

New Braunfills, Tex., July 20.—A mob battered down the doors of the county jail and lynched Sam Gren, a 16-year old negro boy who attempted crominal assault at this place on Tuesday night on the four-year old daughter of Wm. Karbach, a German farmer. The mob could not break into the cell where the prisoner was kept, so the leaders thrust their guns through the opening of the steel wall fired three shots, and the negro fell to the floor dead.

Mr. Lucas, of Comox, is negotiating with J. S. Scott of this city, for the bakery premises, intending if he receives the same, to engage in business here immediately.

The German Bark Snna is at Chemainus loading lumber for the United Kingdom.

Robert Dick was married on Tuesday evening last to Miss May Robson, by the Rev. J. M. Miller, at the residence of the bride's parents at Rock City.

DISORDERS AT SEVILLE

Madrid, July 20.—Serious disorders have occurred at Seville and Salamanica, arising from the general distress. Four hundred farm laborers invaded Seville, looted the bakeries and shops, and committed other depredations until they were dispersed by a strong force of police and gendarmes. A mob stormed the city hall at Salamanica, broke into the building and sacked it, members of the council fleeing from the rioters, jumping from the windows, and one was killed. The republicans are summoning mass meetings in Madrin and elsewhere.

The government fears a spread of the disorder and is taking precautionary measures.

Yeast—Do you believe retiring early makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise?

Crimsonbeak—Well, I'm quite sure if I had always retired early there are certain things I'd never get wise to.

SHANGHAI CHINESE BOYCOTT

(Associated Press Despatches.)

Shanghai, July 20.—About fifteen hundred people, including the heads of all the principal guilds and delegates from many provinces attended a Chinese mass meeting yesterday, which was arranged to begin the boycott of American goods tomorrow. It was distinctly announced that the action taken was not against the government, whose constant kindness was fully recognized, but it was pointed out that unless the Chinese showed themselves to be in earnest, they would produce no effect on the California labor unions. There is still much doubt as to whether the boycott will really be maintained.

YOUNG LADIES DO WELL

Lawn Sosial Last Evening Was Attended With Success

The young ladies of the Church of England scored a great success last evening, with their ice-cream social on the Pavilion grounds. Sharp at six o'clock people began to flock to the green, and in a short time the ice-cream was disposed of, and tea and cake had all vanished before dark. The fish pond presided over by one of the young ladies of the Guild was the centre of attraction, and a rattling trade was done during the evening, and the contents of the mysterious pond were speedily hooked out. A good revenue was realized.

Last night's social was totally under the auspices of the young ladies, and the success of the affair is entirely due to the energy with which shey have worked. It is understood that each table paid well, and a very substantial sum of money was acquired for the treasury.

At their fortnightly meeting held on Tuesday evening last the local area of Eagles decided to run an excursion to Vancouver on Labor Day, September 4th. The C.P.R. traffic agent has already been interviewed, and has consented to supply the Eagles with a steamboat for the occasion, and in all probability the City of Nanaimo will be chartered. Full particulars will appear later.

LUMBER DRIVERS STRIKE OFF

Chicago, Ills., July 20.—The strike of lumber drivers in this city has been declared off. The 600 striking employees of the lumber dealers voted on the question of stopping the strike and were almost unanimously in favor of returning to their places, regardless of the action of fellow strikers. Other local unions of the teamsters involved in the long continued strike against the Chicago Employers' Association will take similar action. Department drivers' union began voting today on the question of calling the strike off.

Railway express drivers and truck teamsters will vote on the question tomorrow night. It was the action of the lumber drivers, taken without the sanction of the strike leaders, that influenced the teamsters' joint council to adopt a motion advising the strikers in other local unions that the time has come to vote the strike off.

PREMIER GEO. MURRAY, COMING TO THE COAST

Winnipeg, Man., JULY 20.—Hon. Geo. H. Murray of Nova Scotia, is enroute to western and will reach Winnipeg tomorrow at noon. The object of his visit is to see the country and note its development. He is accompanied by a party of four friends and will go through to the coast.

SPENT $1,500,000 TO STRIKE

Enormous Sums of Money Expended by the United Mine Workers

Serious Charges Brought Against Employment Agencies

(Associated Press Despatches.)

New York, July 20.—Testimony has been given at a hearing before Commissioner of Licenses Keating of this city, to the effect that the United Mine Workers of America had spent more than $1,500,000 in order to win a strike which began in the bituminous coal mines of Alabama and Tennessee a year ago. The statements were made by General Labor Agent Hugh DeWitte, of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Co. De Witte asserted that the union contributed an average of $1.00 a day for the maintenance of members of local unions in those states, and that in addition to the $365,000 spent by the organization, the union has expended $26,000 within the last three months for railroad tickets to enable strike breakers to return to their homes.

The statement made by De Witte was brought out in the hearing of complaints against two large employment agencies in that city which have been engaged in obtaining men for the mines. The charges against the agencies are to the effect that they engaged men and sent them south under false pretenses, restraining them on the trains en route against their will. One witness was a wife of a machinist. She told of going with her husband and a carload of other men who broke the windows of the coach at Birmingham and made their escape.

BANK OF ENGLAND CHANGES

London, July 20.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased 353,000 pounds; circulation decreased 280,700 pounds; bullion increased 720,057 pounds; other securities increased 650,000 pounds. Other deposits decreased 110,000; public deposits, increased, 1,085,000. Notes reserved increased 410,000. Government circuits, unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 48.43 per cent. as compared with 49.96 per cent. last week.

WATERWORKS SYSTEMS OF THE TERRITORIES.

Winnipeg, Man., July 20.—Elevated tanks are gradually superceding other systems for fire protection in Manitoba and territorial towns and is being utilized for domestic purposes, where high ground is available reservoirs are preferable.

Grandview has had a water service or some time; Strathcona is now contracting for a 120,000 gallon steel tank to be 80 feet above ground and encased and frost-proof, like railway tanks. St. Boniface is doing the same. It is claimed to be better protection and affords a lower cost, some towns counting on the domestic service produce sufficient revenue for all expenses. Several other towns have the matter under consideration.

An exchange tells the story of an auctioneer who while selling a cow, eulogized the animal as follows:

"Of all the animal friends of man she is the greatest. If I, as you are about to sit down to your Sunday dinner, might take from your table what she had placed thereon, I would remove the cup of milk waiting at the baby's chair. I'd take the cream, the cheese, the butter, the custard pie, the cream biscuits, the roast of beef, and leave you a meal of potatoes and toothpicks. Every scrap of her from nose to tail is used by man. We use her horns to comb our hair, her skin upon our feet, her hair keeps the plaster upon our walls, her hoofs make glue and her tail makes soup. Her blood is used to make our sugar white, her bones are ground to fertilize the soil. She has gone with man from Plymouth Rock to the setting sun. It was her sons that turned the settlers' clearing; it was her sons that drew the prairie schooner for the sturdy pioneers of this country while she followed, and when the day's march was done she came and gave her milk to feed the babe that was perchance to become the ruler of this country."

ANARCHISTS CONTINUE THEIR WORK

They Attempt the Life of the Aged Chief Procurator

The Attempt Failed and the Old Man, Unshaken, Keep Unguarded

Russian headquarters at the front, (location not given) July 20.— e Japanese advance from Korea is taking on a more energetic character and is being pushed toward Mousan, Nagan and Hasasgawa. The Japanese seem to have received reinforcements from Field Marshal Oyama's main army in front of General Linevitch. A landing of Japanese near Vladivostok would not be surprising, and the operations appear to be concentrating in that direction. The Japanese advance in the island of Sakhalin has reached Vladimirovska. The Japanese artillery includes forty machine guns.

St. Petersburg, July 20. — Reports of an attempt to shoot Constantine Petrovitch Pobiedonostseff, chief procurator of the holy synod at the Tsarskoe-Selo in St. Petersburg as recounted by the Associated Press last night have been confirmed. In spite of his greatly advanced age and illness, M. Pobiedonostseff was unshaken by the attempt on his life. He drove to the holy synod and presided at a meeting, telling none of his colleagues of the occurrence until after the session closed. The procurator drove back to the station alone and unguarded, returning to Tsarskoe-Selo.

RUSSIA CONSENTS.

Paris, July 20.—Russia has given notice of her acceptance of the Moroccan conference on the same conditions as Great Britain.

NANAIMO MAN KILLED NEAR SEATTLE

Drank Carbolic Acid and Was Afterwards Mangled by Train

The mangled remains of Thomas Bolton, a coal miner whose home was at Nanaimo, were found on Tuesday near the Northern Pacific track on the Palmer cut-off near Seattle. An empty bottle of carbolic acid lying by his side, and the fact that his lips were burned, indicates that he either committed suicide or drank the poison by mistake and died on the railroad track. The coroner's office was notified, and Deputy Coroner A. G. Austin investigated the case and brought the remains to the morgue in Seattle. The body was badly mangled. It was impossible to ascertain which train struck him, as a number passed the point where he was found during the night. The dead man has a wife and family living at Nanaimo. He was employed at the Occidental mine, and Monday went to Kamosket. He cashed a check for $4 and drank considerable during the day. He started to return to Palmer late last night, and the next morning his remains were found on the railroad track. Owing to the carbolic acid circumstances connected with the tragedy, it may be determined to hold an autopsy after his relatives have been heard from. He was a member of the Oddfellows at Nanaimo and the lodge has been notified.

HEAT CAUSES 200 DEATHS

New York, July 20.—The wave of intense heat which held the city in its grasp for more than a week, caused nearly 200 deaths, several times that number of serious prostrations, and untold suffering to millions, has been strangely shaken.

The relief came yesterday afternoon, when a violent storm of wind and rain swept through the city, and although but of a few minutes' duration, left a cooling breeze and comparatively comfortable night followed.

WILLING TO DIE

OSWEGA, N.Y., July 20.—During the efforts of his own lawyers to save him, Henry W. Manzer, in trial for the murder of Cora Sweet, said today when his defence offered evidence to prove his insanity at the time of the murder: "I was not insane for a minute, and I am willing to suffer death for my act."

Ald. W. Beveridge went up to Nanaimo at noon.

A SURVIVOR OF THE JANE GRAY

May 22nd, 1898, the two-masted sailing ship Jane Grey, loaded with lumber bound for Alaska, while only two hours out from the Straits with a crew and passenger list of 63 men, suddenly in a squall turned turtle, and threw the entire crew into the deep. The boats were all lost except a strong launch 27 feet long, which was loose on the deck. Fortunately this launch came down right side up, 21 men stepped off into it as the Jane Grey turned over, and three other men were picked up. Among these was Mr. A. G. Kingsbury, who today at Foreimmer's retold the story of the wreck. After washing with the wind and waves high, expecting every moment to be swamped, for 36 hours, the launch drifted onto the beach ten miles from Clayuquet, and the men, more dead than alive, were rescued. Mr. Kingsbury, who had sustained a broken shoulder when the ship turned over, suffered so much that he says he did not care whether he was saved or allowed to drown. Soon after the launch drifted ashore an Indian came along in a canoe and informed them that there was an Indian village 10 miles away, which they eventually reached. A sealing schooner, the New England, soon after came along and Captain McLean took the shipwrecked men to Victoria.

Mr. Kingsbury, for all of his rough experience, soon recovered his vigor and is now a hale and hearty man. He leaves soon for Nome.

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A grocer caught in a confidential mood by the reporter of a Philadelphia paper admitted that the adulterations of his stock which were known to himself would fill a small volume. A cheap brand of tomato catchup, he said, was fully three-fourths pumpkin, and the "bite" detected in cheap ginger snaps was produced, not by ginger, of which they were wholly free, but by cayenne pepper. He told more things, but these two may be taken as a fair sample. The public perhaps ought to be grateful if nothing worse than pumpkin or cayenne is used. It is the price perhaps that has to be paid for the convenience of ready made foods

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Mistress—Did any one call while I was out?

Servant—No one, ma'am, exceptin a tramp. He wanted somethin to eat, but I told him there was nothin ready an he'd have to wait till the leddy of the house got back from the cookin school an mebbe she'd make him somethin.

Mistress—Of all things! Did he wait?

Servant—No, ma'am. He runned.—New York Weekly.

The Great Salt Lake.

The Great Salt lake of Utah, the Galilee of the vanishing Mormon, is 70 miles long and 50 miles wide in its widest part with a present maximum depth of 40 feet though much of its area does not exceed from 12 to 20. Fifty years ago, when the Mormon first faced thither, it was much deeper, exceeding 100 feet in places, and its average being much greater than present measurements show. The local savant conjectures that it is gradually turning into a body of fresh water. The theory is supported by an examination of the waters of numberless springs which used to pour pure brine into the lake, the outflow of many of them being now quite fresh, as if they had exhausted the underground deposits of salt, of which they were formerly the solvent and carrying vehicle. Still, of the lake in general it may be safely asserted that its salt will long outlast that of the doctrines which its pioneer apostle promulgated along its shores, and though it occasionally shows a particularly low water mark it is not going to dry up altogether for a long time to come.—New York Tribune

"Try to forget me," she said, with a look of pity.

"How can I?" he miserably answered, "as long as I have to make monthly payments on the things I have presented to you?"

Husband—I feel in the mood for reading something sensational and startling—something that will fairly make my hair stand on end.

Wife—Well, here is the last dressmaker's bill.

FAME'S PATHWAY.

The Russian painter, M. Stepanoff, has appealed to American Consul General Watts at St. Petersburg to assist in the recovery of Russian paintings lost after the close of the St. Louis exposition.

Jacob H. Schiff of New York, who ranks in the first line of American philanthropists, is chairman of a committee recently appointed to decide upon plans for the celebration this fall of the 250th anniversary of the Jewish settlement in North America. Just what form the celebration will take has not been decided upon.

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Quartz—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miners' certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five years, upon payment in advance $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2½ per cent. of the sales of the products of the location.

Placer Mining—Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—Placer mining claims generally are 100 ft. square, entry fee$5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive, entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental, $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1stday of August in the year of the the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, $100 per mile for first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten miles of mining Recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hald a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be chargen, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee, $10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the alue of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant f more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying a fee of $2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river by giving notice and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.

A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon official Gazette.

Petroleum—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and within the Yukon Territory, are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 1920 acres for such period as he may decide. the length of width shall not exceed three times the breadth.

Should the prospector discover oil n paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well will be sold to the prospector at the rate of $1.00 per acre and the remainder of the tract reserved namely, 1,280 acres will be sold at the rate of three dollars an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council.

JAS. A. SMART.
Deputy Minister of the Interior.
Department of the Interior,

THE OLD PILGRIMS.

How They Made Their Journeys to the Holy Land.

In the era which immediately preceded the era of the crusades the goal of the pilgrim was usually Jerusalem, and that for obvious reasons. Jerusalem, according to the confused geography of that age, was not only the center of the world, not only a city that was the joy of the whole earth and at unity in itself, but the city where the Lord was slain and the joy of the whole earth. No devout Jew ever reverenced its earth or took greater pity upon its stones than did the pilgrims who went from the north and from the south, from the east and from the west, to gaze upon the holy sepulcher, just as devout followers of the false prophet repair nowadays to the Kaaba at Mecca. "The roads," says the historian Gibbon in his "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," "were covered with multitudes of either sex and of every rank, who professed their contempt of life so soon as they should have kissed the tomb of their Redeemer. Princes and prelates abandoned the care of their dominions, and the numbers of those pious caravans was a prelude to the armies which marched in the ensuing age under the banner of the cross."

So late as the year 1524 Wynkyn de Worde printed a book called "The Information For Pilgrims Unto the Holy Land." The book contained a table of routes and distances measured by the league and the mile to every important shrine. It contained also a statement of the change of money for England to Rome and Venice. The compiler of this ecclesiastical Murray or Baedeker was kind enough to give the intending tourist very valuable information respecting the stock of provisions, the best ways of traveling, steamers, diligences and railways being all uncontemplated; how to contract with the masters of vessels, what havens to touch at between Venice and Yafa, an itinerary of the pilgrimage to Jerusalem, the sacred spots near at hand worthy of a visit, and among these the mounts of Olives and Zion, the valleys of Jehosaphat and Siloam, with Bethlehem, Bethany, Nazareth and the Jordan, as may be supposed, figure very prominently.—Gentleman's Magazine.

BUSTER'S SOUP.

It Would Have Been Fine if the Meat Hadn't Escaped.

Buster has been making soup.

As has been explained in previous fragmentary biographical sketches anent Buster, he is just a trifle over 3 years of age.

The other day Buster's mother was busy sewing, and Mary, the cook, was out. Buster had two little girls to stay with him.

Like the little gentleman he is, Buster decided he would do the honors properly as host, and so he proposed to make some soup for his guests.

He climbed up to the kitchen sink, filled a saucepan with hot water, climbed down again and, with the aid of a chair, put it on the range.

Then he hunted around and found some potatoes, an onion and some flour. He put these in the pot. Then he put in a handful of salt, all the pepper in the box—about an ounce—and some bird seed. Then he put in the contents of the sugar bowl.

The little girls looked on with undisguised admiration, but presently one said:

"Buster, dey isn't any meat in the soup. I never heard of soup wifout meat in it."

Buster looked distressed. He knew the little girl was right, and yet— Suddenly an idea came to him. He jumped from the chair, grabbed the cat and dropped her into the pot.

"Dere!" he said.

"Meow! Pht-pht! Mee-ow-ow-ow! Pht pht!" said the cat.

The pot was overturned, and the little girls screamed.

Then mamma appeared. "What in the land of goodness have you been doing?" she demanded, with some excitement. But Buster was too mortified at the escape of the meat from his soup to do anything but howl and say, "The old soup wouldn't stay souped."—New York World.

The Semaphore.

Shortly before the French revolution Claude Chappe at Angers invented a semaphore telegraph, consisting of relays of towers surmounted by movable arms. This plan, with modifications, was adopted in France, England and other countries. In August, 1794, the first of Chappe's lines was completed between Paris and Lille, and on Sept. 1 at noon the welcome news of the recapture of the town of Conde from the Austrians was transmitted by it from Lille and announced by Carnot to the deputies in Paris the same evening.

The inventor, who was the first person that received the title of telegraph engineer (ingenieur telegraphe), as head of a telegraphic department in the military service of the first republic, was succeeded in this office by his brothers, Ignatius and Rene. During the directory, the empire and the reigns of Louis XVIII and Charles X numerous lines of this description were constructed in France. Louis Philippe secured the introduction of the electric telegraph, but both systems were in use down to the time of the Crimean war, after which the semaphore was finally abandoned.—Cornhill Magazine.

The Thankful Editor.

"During our absence from the office Wednesday evening last," writes a rural editor, "some evil minded person, thinking that we were seated at our desk, fired a load of buckshot through our window, but as a kind, protecting Providence would have it, the entire load was received by a stranger who was waiting for us in our office. There is no trace of the assassin, and at this writing the stranger who so fortunately filled our place at the time is too weak to talk. This is another midnight assassin foiled. The Lord will provide."—Atlanta Constitution.

Some Other Boy.

Indignant Citizen—Say, your boy threw a stone at me just now and barely missed me.

Mr. Grogan—Yez say he missed ye?

"That's what I understood myself to remark."

"It was not my bye."—Indianapolis Journal.

No sovereign of the United Kingdom was ever crowned in Ireland, but double coronations of English monarchs have not been infrequent. Henry II was crowned at Westminster and again at Worcester, Henry III at Gloucester and Westminster and Henry VI at Paris and Westminster.

Rose water is excellent as a bath to refresh tired or inflamed eyes, as it cools the lids and encourages the growth of the lashes.

The Messenger Boys' Shine.

The messenger boy was shining his shoes in a new way. He was leaning up against the side of a building, with one of his legs drawn up so as to bring a shoe within range of his arms. His outfit consisted wholly of a box of the blacking sold exclusively by street vendors. From this box with the aid of a finger he scooped a heaping teaspoonful of gummy contents with which he carefully buttered the toe of one shoe. Then he began to polish this layer of blacking with the palm of his hand.

"Well," I said, "what are you doing?"

"Blackin me shoes."

"Why are you doing that?"

"Sose they won't make me go ter th' bootblack at headquarters an get me shoes shined an dock me wages 20 cents fur it."

"How much do they fine you for dirty hands?"

"Nawthin, and I can wash 'em somers."

He didn't, however, but, giving them a hasty dry wash on a piece of paper which floated by, he put them in his pockets and strolled away.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Wire Mats by the Foot or Yard.

Among the curious things to be seen in the hardware stores nowadays are woven wire doormats for sale by the foot or yard. It is only a few years since the manufacture of the woven wire mat was begun, but these mats have proved to effective as dirt catchers and so light and easily cleaned that their use has spread very rapidly. During the earlier years of their manufacture each mat was woven and finished separately. Now some of the manufacturers are weaving them in lengths of 50 feet, and in such a way that they will not ravel when they are cut. The mats are woven in different widths and done up in rolls like carpet.—New York Sun.

Makes His Mark.

"Can't you write your own name?" asked the lawyer in surprise.

"Pardon me," replied the Boston citizen whose education had been somewhat neglected. "I sign my name according to the Australian system."—New York Tribune.

Effect of Piscatorial Dreams.

Bill—I'm the greatest hand for dreaming fish stories.

Jill—That's probably what makes you lie awake so much.—Yonkers Statesman.

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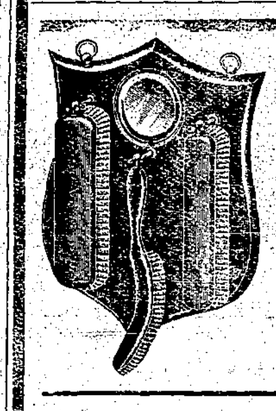

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See Blair & Adam's change of advertisement in this issue.

Ex-Attorney-General McPhillips is at Van Anda in the interest of Mr. Manson.

Mr. J. L. Howard, of the Western Fuel Company, is spending a few days in Nanaimo.

Wm. Manson and W. J. Bowser held a meeting at Parksville last evening in the interest of Mr. Manson

At Camp McDonald a dancing pavilion is being laid for the convenience of the people of the camp.

"Erin Go Bragh," is the expressive name of a camp on Shell Beach. The nationality is not in doubt.

Mr. W. A. Fleicher and Miss McKinnon, both of Ladysmith, were yesterday united in marriage in Victoria.

At Morrison's store the latest and best in the way of shirts and ties can be found, as well as other lines of gent's furnishing goods.

Archdeacon Scriven, of Duncans, passed through to the little farming centre from Nanaimo on the morning train.

Mrs. Adam, of Nanaimo, mother of Mr. J. Adam of this city, has returned to British Columbia after a trip to the old country.

Miss Renfree, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Knight for the past few weeks, returned to Victoria this morning.

Mr. E. Crate, an elderly man living at Victoria, was instantly killed at Sutton's mill at Cuchelet yesterday by falling lumber piles.

Phil Nile and D. Dalton were fined $3.60 each in the police court at Nanaimo yesterday for using abusive language to each other on the public streets.

John Maherer, who spent Tuesday night in town, was entertained by a party of his friends during the evening. Mr. Maherer says the friends were particularly entertaining.

Walter Jones left for the camp 18 miles back of Ladysmith yesterday. He hopes on his return in the course of a few weeks to know something more about the value of the copper ore in that section.

A number of Ladysmith people went up to Nanaimo yesterday to attend the wedding of Miss Frame Among those who returned on the morning train were: Miss Uren, Mr and Mrs. Huggard, Messrs. Fulton, Lewis Bros., Masters J. Evans and McKinnon.

Travelling men are complaining about the permission to travel on freight trains being taken away since the C.P.R. took over the road. It is to be hoped that the company will see their way clear to again allow people to travel on freight trains under proper conditions.

The warm weather is felt badly enough in Ladysmith, but when the reports of 40 prostrations a day, with a dozen deaths are sent out, from some of the Eastern cities, we may be glad that such oppressive weather as causes sunstroke is unknown on the west coast.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL PIC-NIC.

The committee who have the arrangement of the S.S. excursion to Duncans in hand, would remind the public of the pleasant day's outing anticipated, and invite all to go who can. It is especially urged that the parents and friends of the children buy their tickets of the children, and provide baskets well filled for that day. Tickets may be purchased at the station from the committee on Saturday morning, but, if possible, get your tickets from the children.

The children, as many as possible, are requested to call at the parsonage on Friday evening and get their tickets, so as to avoid confusion at the station on Saturday morning.

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When you buy a watch, a clock, or a piece of jewelry at home, you can always be certain of obtaining exactly what you pay for. For immer is selling at fair prices, and has a large stock.

Mr. Wm. Fraser arrived home from Vancouver today, where he has been attending the funeral of Mrs. Fraser's mother. Mrs. Fraser is remaining a few days in the Terminal City with friends.

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Warren Hugh, 19 years old, was severely injured by a planer at Northfield yesterday, losing the most of one of his hands. He is at present in the Nanaimo hospital doing as well as can be expected.

And still each side is claiming the victory in the Alberni district. Saturday will tell the tale and should bring some rest to the overworked officials of both sides. The electors will very likely feel releived, and having been told dozens of times during the campaign how they should vote, will proceed to vote just as they have a mind to, regardless of advice.

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PUGILIST TO WED MILLIONAIRE WIDOW.

According to American mail just to hand, says a London paper, Mrs. Estelle Ellis, a young widow who inherited an estate valued at £1,000,000 upon the death of her husband, a grandson of the famous American locomotive builder, eight months ago is engaged to Norman Selby, known as "Kid McCoy," the pugilist. The announcement does not come as a surprise to the friends of Mrs. Ellis and McCoy. For the past two or three months they have been constantly together, automobiling, at the races and theatres, and the marked attention McCoy was paying to the wealthy young widow seemed to be received with favor by her. There is an involved and interwoven story of romance to which the marriage of McCoy and Mrs. Ellis will add another chapter, in which divorce, marriage, elopment, death, mock marriages and marriage follow one another with confusing rapidity. Mrs. Ellis was Estelle Earle, schoolmate of the last wife of McCoy, and was always a staunch supporter of the latter in the domestic difficulties of the McCoys three years ago. Miss Earle went to visit Mrs. McCoy at the sanatorium McCoy had established at Saratoga Lake, near Saratoga Springs. Mr. and Mrs. McCoy had been divorced twice and remarried after each divorce, and were then celebrating a new honeymoon. Edward S. Ellis was a patient at McCoy's place. With his cousin "Bud" Ellis, "Ned" Ellis had scattered money in New York with a prodigal hand, and was known as a liberal spender. His career started when he was still in his teens, his parents allowing him £50 a day pocket money. "Bud" was almost as well supplied, and they lived so rapidly that "Ned" Ellis found himself broken in health when still a young man, and went to McCoy's place to regain his health. Ellis felt that he owed his life more to the voluntary nurse than to the physicians, and as soon as he was well they were married and went to New York, taking apartments at the Belleclaire. Ellis turned over a new leaf and began to live a sober life. On the day that Ellis and Miss Earle were married Mrs McCoy celebrated the event by eloping with Ralph Thompson, a youth with a million or two dollars, and sailing for Japan by way of San Francisco. McCoy secured a divorce and sued Thompson for £20,000 for alienating his wife's affections, but the trial has never taken place. When Thompson returned from a trip around the world he married Mrs. McCoy. McCoy married Indiola Arnold, an actress, and went to Los Angelos to keep a fighting engagement. Mrs. McCoy, after a short honeymoon, returned from Los Angeles alone. In the latter part of last November, "Ned" Ellis died suddenly in his apartments at the Belleclaire. His wife inherited the bulk of his fortune. She is the owner of yachts, automobiles, and several fine country places. It is stated that upon McCoy's return that his marriage with Miss Arnold had been a mock marriage and that the principals had agreed to an annulment. McCoy said recently that the marriage had no legal status and that both could marry at any time they chose. It is now announced that "Kid McCoy" will lead Mrs. Ellis to the altar directly she recovers from an illness which is keeping her confined to her rooms at her hotel.

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The United Mine Workers are holding a meeting at the Salvation Army barracks, Nanaimo, today. Several officers from the States are present. Mr. Howard, of the Western Fuel Company, is in town and it is possible something looking towards a reopening of the mines may be understood.

Mrs. Stephens was a passenger to Nanaimo at noon today.

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Cause and Effect.

Mifkins—Wasn't Benedict's death rather sudden and unexpected? Bifkins—Well, it was sudden, but not necessarily unexpected. His wife had just graduated from a cooking school

Adversity is sometimes hard upon a man, but for one man who can stand prosperity there are a hundred who will stand adversity.

NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that no person or persons shall cut or remove any timber on Section 1, R. 8, Cranberry District, or any of my land adjoining in Bright district, or trespassing, or they will be prosecuted according to law.

JAMES PATERSON.

Dated July 11, 1905.

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LUNCH BEEF
LUNCH BACON ROAST BEEF
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" CHICKEN BRAWN
" TURKEY CLUB HOUSE MEAT
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VEAL LOAF
BEEF LOAF
CHICKEN LOAF
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