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PRESENTATION TO MRS. THOS. KIDDIE

Presented by the Ladies Guild of the Church of England With Handsome Vase

And an Address Signed by the Ladies-a Pleasant Afternoon at the Rectory

As stated in yesterday's Ledger, Mrs. Thomas Kiddie was yesterday afternoon presented by the Ladies' Guild of the Church of England, with a handsome vase and an address. The presentation took place at the Rectory, where nearly all the members of the guild had assembled. Mrs. Bowen, president, read the following address, after which Mrs. McIntosh handed to Mrs. Kiddie the vase:

Dear Mrs. Kiddie—

Learning with regret of your proposed early departure from our midst we, the members of the Ladies' Guild of the Church of England, in this place, cannot allow the opportunity to pass without expressing our appreciation of your efforts to further the cause of the Guild, more especially during the term of your office.

As a small token of our regard and esteem, we ask you to accept the accompanying reminder of the many pleasant times we have spent together. Wishing you and yours every success in the new sphere of labor to which you are about to remove, we remain, dear Mrs. Kiddie, your sincere friends and well-wishers

(Signed by all the ladies of the Guild).

In thanking the ladies for their kindness, Mrs. Kiddie expressed regret at leaving Ladysmith, and her many friends residing here. The present made to her by her fellow workers she appreciated, not only on account of its value, but because it would always remind her of the many happy times she had spent here, and because it came from so many of her friends whom she would leave in Ladysmith. The work she had done for the church had always been a great pleasure to her, and she wished the guild the success in the future with which it had been attended in the past.

Mrs. Kiddie, for the past year, has been secretary-treasurer of the Ladies' Guild, and in this office had done much good work, and with her departure the ladies lose an ardent and kind fellow-worker.

IRREGULAR PRACTICES

Hartford, Conn, Sept. 20.— Prior to the opening of the second day's session of National Association of Life Underwriters today, there was much informal discussion among the delegates over the probable action of the executive committee in regard to a resolution calling for the condemnation of irregular insurance practices and punishment of guilty parties.

This resolution, which was introduced by J. J. Raleigh, reads as follows:

"Whereas, the public, press, official committees and life insurance departments and executive inquiries have disclosed methods and practices in management of some life insurance companies, which, if not criminal in their method, appear to be grossly irregular and in violation of principles of trust involved and that whereas, the disclosures therein create in the minds of the uninformed suspicions regarding the integrity of management of all life insurance companies, and to bring business into general disrepute, and resolved by the National Association of Life Underwriters in convention, that we, the members of the Association who had been chiefly instrumental in inspiring confidence in the minds of policy holders and in building up the magnificent structure of life insurance, owe it to ourselves and to this Association and those who have confidence in us to oppose those influences which would tear it down, to demand that if crimes have been committed the criminals should be punished and those who have violated their trust shall be deprived of their trusteeship. We urge and insist that we are not willing to support in the field misconduct in the home offices. We oppose concealment or evasion and demand such publicity as will lead to a correction of abuses wherever they may be found"

The convention was late in assembling today.

TO KEEP OUT COOLIE LABOR

Washington, Sept. 19.—A resolution was adopted at today's meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, expressive of the sentiment of the workmen to thwart any effort of those interested in any change of the existing laws excluding Chinese laborers and coolies from the United States and its possessions.

The report of the American Federation of Labor, has issued a call for the annual convention of the Federation to be held at Pittsburg, beginning on November 13th.

WELL KNOWN ACTRESS ILL

New York, Sept. 20.—Mrs. Charles Walcott, one of the oldest women on the American stage was stricken with paralysis yesterday at her home near Rhinebeck. She is 70 years of age and at last reports was in a dangerous condition.

Mrs. Walcott began appearing with her husband nearly forty years ago, and made her greatest reputation as a member of the famous Lyceum Stock Company. Prior to this time she appeared for many years in the Walnut street theatre Stock Company, of Philadelphia.

THE EIGHT-HOUR WORKING DAY.

Just as a reminder that an 8-hour workday does not necessarily mean ruin nor anything akin to it, the New York electrotypers, it is recorded, are doing business pretty much as of yore, though the shorter work day went into effect in their establishments on January 1st last. It cannot be reiterated too frequently that there is nothing revolutionary in this demand; it is not only in line with the tendency of the age, but among the inevitable things. Tall talk and boastful prophecies, however, breed dislike, which begets distrust, and distrust leads to conflict which will only enhance whatever inconvenience and loss the change may impose upon employers, and lessen the resultant benefit to employees. By eliminating bluff and approaching the problem in the proper spirit, there is no reason why the national organization of the forces now mobilizing should not dispose of the question amicably. Every year scores of local trades unions and employer's associations compose difficulties as portentous to them as this one is, and surely the much vaunted "parent bodies" with all their recent asseccions of power, are not less efficient in their particular field. Employers who doubt the union's sincerity and employees who "don't see how the Typithetae can make a fight," are leaning on unsubstantial reeds, and inviting the very conditions which they hope to avoid. Hopes and roseate dreams are not going to settle the question for the trade. The issue will not down. Defeat for the union at this time is at most a repulse for the idea, which is not, as some think, the outcome of the activity of the latter-day agitators. The working class aspiration for an 8-hour day is historic, and so deep-rooted that union organizers, knowing well its popularity, use it as a shibboleth. It is just possible that the desire to secure an 8-hour workday is as much responsible for the existence of many unions as the latter are for the growing force of the movement—W. B. P., in Inland Printer.

CANOED ACROSS SUPERIOR IN STORM

Logger's Heroic Deed to Save His Friend's Life

He Battled Mountainous Waves With Wounded Man in Canoe

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 20.— John Nicholson, of Port Arthur, performed a heroic deed in the dead of night when, with a wounded man in a canoe, he braved Lake Superior in a storm and safely landed his living but helpless cargo at the dock.

Last evening Robert Martin, employed in Nicholson's camp, some 20 miles down shore from Port Arthur, missed his aim with an axe, which he was raising to cut wood. The instrument penetrated the foot, causing a severe injury. Nicholson made a ligature of rope and placing the injured man in a canoe, rigged it with ores, started out in a severe storm, which was rolling the waters into mountainous waves. After battling with the storm for five or six hours he arrived safely and had his charge conveyed to the Port Arthur hospital.

A braver or more humane act is not recorded in the annals of Thunder Bay, where acts of heroism are not uncommon.

SHIPPED $10,000 WORTH OF ORE.

Vancouver, Sept. 15.—Seven hundred tons of ore, valued at $10,000 by a conservative estimate, was shipped last week from the Britannia copper-gold mines on Howe Sound to the Crofton smelter at Osborne Bay, Vancouver Island, where it will be treated as soon as the furnaces are blown in. It may be one, two, or three months before all the Crofton furnaces are working, but by that time there will be an immense tonnage at the works ready to feed the plant.

The Britannia ore storage bins on the wharf at Britannia Beach are now being refilled with ore from the mines, three miles back in the mountains from the salt water. As rapidly as the bins are filled the ore will be removed to Crofton. The shipments of concentrates has not yet been commenced, but they will shortly be ready for transportation across the Gulf.

While it is estimated that the average value of the ore being shipped from Britannia is $15 per ton, it may be worth much more in reality. Even at the figure mentioned, the shipments will net a substantial profit after the payment of the cost of mining and treatment at the smelter.

RAIN DAMAGING MAINLAND CROPS

News from Eburne and Steveston today is to the effect that the continued rains of the last ten days have resulted in some considerable loss to the farmers, and much further loss will occur if the weather does not clear.

There is quite a large acreage of wheat not yet harvested. There are also some oats out in the rain. The crops are not altogether spoiled, if the weather would clear and the grain have achance to dry, but if wet and cloudy days continue the farmers will have fairly large losses.

PUT YOURSELVES IN THEIR PLACES.

The Wilkesbarre Record says: If some of these people would sit in a room full of flies with their hands tied behind their backs they might have some idea of the helpless condition they place their horses in. But they never think that far. If cutting off the tails of the animals can cater to their vanity, that is as far as their thoughts go. Probably if it were the fashion to brand their initials all over the flesh of the horses they would do it without hesitation. Cutting off the extension of the backbone of a horse is in itself painful and cruel. To place him in misery during fly season is further cruelty. Common sense ought to induce the owners to stop the practice.

FROM ONE PRISON TO ANOTHER

After a Term of 13 Years in German Lockup. Bank Thief

Is to Finish Term of 25 Years in New York Escaped in 99.

New York, Sept. 20.—A New York state detective will sail from Germany within a few days to bring back to this country Henry F. Hardy, who, for the last thirteen years has been an inmate of German prisons. Hardy is to be brought back to serve an unexpired term of 25 years in Clinton prison, from which he escaped in 1899. He is declared to be one of the most clever bank thieves ever known in this country.

After his escape he is alleged to have robbed two Canadian Banks of $7,000 and was next heard of in Germany, living the life of an "American millionaire." as he was called, at a fashionable hotel in Frankfort-on-Main. A Baden-Baden banker recognized him as the man who had stolen from his bank cash to the amount of $4,000. He was at once imprisoned by German authorities, and his time is now expiring.

Since Hardy learned that he would be brought back he has written letters to State Superintendent of Prisoners asking that he be allowed to remain in Germany. The authorities have refused to consider his petition.

TO CONCLUDE THE NAVAL ARMISTICE

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, Sept. 18—(Monday)—Rear Admiral Jessen left Vladivostok Sept. 16 on board the armored cruiser Russia, accompanied by the protected cruiser Bogatyr and two torpedo boat destroyers to meet Vice-Admiral Kamimura, the Japanese commander, and conclude the naval armistice.

A party of seven scouts who passout of the Russian lines near Suilanche recently, were ambushed by the Japanese and all of them were killed.

INDIANS EATEN BY WILD BEASTS

Skagway, Alaska, Sept. 20.—It is firmly believed that two Indian trappers of the Copper River Country have been slain and devoured by wild animals. Deputy Marshal Lathrop of Valdez has just paid a visit to the scene of slaughter, and is gathering facts about it. Feom all accounts, it appears that two natives, who were sent to Alganak from Orca, with mail for a couple of prospectors, never returned. It was learned that they had delivered the mail and had started back for their homes, but as yet they have failed to show up. A party was organized and sent out to search for the lost Indians. Their trail was followed from Alganak and one of their camps located near Castle Slough. At this point evidences of trouble were plainly to be seen, as clothing and other articles were found saturated with blood. Further on, at a fish-house, there were further marks of a conflict, and some of the missing men's effects were discovered.

THE BAND OF IRISH GUARDS.

No band that ever visited Toronto evoked the enthusiasm won by the band of Irish Guards, that fine musical organization that comes to Westminster next Monday and Tuesday. Here is a sample tribune from the Toronto World of August 30th last: "Other famous bands which have been at Toronto Exhibition must fade away in comparison of popularity. One number which captivated the listeners, in which the cornet soloist occupied a position on the balcony of the administration building a couple of hundred yards away from the band and had a marvelous effect upon the thousands of people in the grounds. The din was hushed. From all points folks directed their steps towards the musicians. The notes of the cornet rang clear and when the music subsided there was a spell-bound silence for a few seconds, followed by a deafening cheer, which placed the band of the Irish Guards in the hearts of the visitors to the exhibition.

CARELESSNESS CAUSES RAILROAD DISASTER

Engineer Disregards Running Orders and Collision Results

One Man Killed and Twenty-five Injured on Southern Pacific

Reno, Nev., Sept. 20.—One man was killed and twenty-five injured in a head-on collision of two freight trains on the Southern Pacific, followed by the rear-end collision of two passenger trains at a point nine miles west of Beowawe last night.

The wreck is said to have been caused by the engineer of one of the freight trains disregarding his running orders. An effort was made to stop the two incoming passenger trains. The first was brought to a halt, but a second section following closely behind plunged at full speed into the first section. Physicians and nurses and three wrecking trains were hurried to the scene.

ANOTHER ENORMOUS RUN OF SOCKEYES

New Westminster, Sept. 18.—There is another tremendous run of sockeye salmon ascending the Fraser river, and thousands of fishermen have remanned their boats and put out last night to reap the harvest.

Last night the boats averaged from three hundred to four hundred fish for the first drift along the river. One man, however, who stayed out all night, came in this morning with over a thousand sockeyes.

A number of canneries have commenced canning again, and now seven packing plants are in full operation, and have all the fish they can handle. Most of the canneries had to refuse large numbers of salmon today, but the fishermen did not have much trouble in disposing of their catches, as there were several representatives of American canneries on the river buying up all the fish they could secure and shipping them over to the canneries at Blaine and Anacortes.

Over a thousand fishing boats put out from Steveston last evening.

PRINTERS WIN STRIKE IN ALBANY.

Albany, N.Y., Sept. 20.—After a week's duration the strike of union printers here for an eight-hour day, has ended with the yielding of all employing printers. All have now signed the agreement, which takes effect January 1, 1906, and all the printers return to work today.

BASEBALL

Vancouver, paper dispatches says. It is doubtful if Vancouver will be represented in a professional baseball league next season. If we are to have the franchise in a professional league, the Directors of the home club, whoever they might be, should endeavor to secure sufficient financial backing to enable them to put a team in the field that would be a credit to the city. This season the team that represented Vancouver was not as strong as some of our amature teams. Manager McDroskey during the last part of the season endeavored to do his best, but he was not backed up, and the result was that the team dropped to the cellar. There was a big talk of a salary limit of $1,200, but Vancouver was the only city in the league to come down within the limit, while Everett, Bellingham and Spokane all had big payrolls. There was no necessity to drop to the $1,200 limit which, as every one knows it was not acceded by the other clubs. The idea was to start with $1,200, but the Directors of the home club apparently started and finished the season, standing pat by the limit. To draw the crowds there should be a winning team, or at least a good team, and then the people would have some confidence in the club, but when the local team put up such a farce during the latter half of the season, the attendance of the games fell off considerably, and there was not much more than a corporal's guard out at the last few matches. President Lucas said something about Vancouver and Everett being the only cities that got the money during the past season, but judging by the talk in fandom the Directors of the local club all come from somewhere down in Missouri and "have to be shown." It is doubtful if the game paid in Vancouver this year, but there is no getting away from the fact that with a good team in the league Vancouver would be one of the best baseball towns on the Pacific Coast.

NEW MALTING PLANT AT UNION BREWERY

In Nanaimo Yesterday the First Lot of Malt Was Taken From the Drier

The Establishment of a Malting Plant Means a Market for Island Grown Barley

The Union Brewing Company, of Nanaimo, has taken a long step forward not only in their own interest but in the interest of the farmers of the vicinity in installing in connection with their big brewery a complete malting plant. Yesterday the first lot of malt ever manufactured on Vancouver Island, or at least, successfully manufactured, was taken from the big revolving drier at the Company's Brewery.

Mr. D. O'Sullivan, of the Victoria Internal Revenue office, was present and gave the plant the official seal of approval.

The plant with its capacity out one ton per day of malted barley, is expected to be in constant operation from this time on. The big cylindar, ten feet by some twenty-four in length, in which 1,500 pounds of cured barley is first placed slowly, revolves constantly, turning the hops, which are moistened with hot steam. The system by which absolutely pure fresh air is introduced is ingenious, a system of fans draws in the air from an open window. This passes between hot air pipes, so that as the air passes into the malting screen its moist and hot. Twenty-four hours serves to complete the process in the screen.

It is expected by the management that one or more kilns will be added to the plant as soon as the process is shown to be the success that is now indicated.

Mr. Reifel has well prepared for the malting business. He procured, two years or more ago, free supplies of seeding barley and distributed to the ranchers near Nanaimo. The results are that on the coal company's farm and on other farms in that section there is already a fair acreage of clear, bright barley. The climate proving exceptionally good for growing it clear of weather stains, and the clearer and brighter barley is, the better quality of malt is manufactured. Some years since, Victoria parties undertook the manufacture of malt but failed to make it a success, on account, largely of the lack of good barley.

It is the expectation to supply the brewing trade in this vicinity with Nanaimo malt. The demand now supplied by importation at a heavy expense, being for the large brewing plants of Vancouver and Victoria being some 125,000 pounds each, during the principal brewing months.

In speaking of the success of such a manufactory, Mr. O'Sullivan stated last evening to a Ledger representative that Tacoma started its plant with one machine a few years ago. Now it has six in constant operation and cannot supply the trade.

Te enterprise shown by the Brewing Company in Nanaimo will mean a good price for home grown barley, of which an excellent grade can be grown on any part of the Island where the soil is suitable, and at 50 to 60 cents per bushel of 52 pounds it should be a good crop to grow on farming lands. The cost of installing the plant is in the neighborhood of $12,000 and as stated above it is so arranged that the capacity can be largely increased at any time.

ELEPHANTS IN HARNESS

New York, Sept. 20.—But for the strength and courtesy of four huge elephants, a two-ton batch of mail, stuck in the mud at Sixth Avenue and Forty-second street, would have missed its train at the Grand Central depot last night.

The trouble began when a large mail wagon, loaded to the top, swung down Sixth Avenue and ventured a sharp turn at the corner, where street repairers had left a strip of soft earth, turned to strictly mud by recent rains. A new driver employed in the place of a striker, was on the wagon, and was accompanied by a policeman. He urged the horses into the trap, and the wheels sank to their hubs. A crowd gathered, and broke three ropes in their effort to help the horse. Then the policeman had a happy thought. He sent a messenger to an amusement place nearby, and asked forser-vices of the performing elephants.

Four were hurried to the scene in charge of their keepers. They were harnessed to the side of the wagon and jerked it out of the mud with the utmost ease, while the crowd cheered.

Early in the evening a crowded Madison Avenue Electric car crashed into a large mail wagon at Fifteenth Avenue and Union Square, overturning the vehicle. A strike-breaking driver and a policeman by whom he was accompanied, were thrown into the street. Both were severly injured. The motorman was arrested.

NAVAL SCANDAL IN JAPAN

Tokyo, Sept. 19.—The information has been made public that three naval paymasters have embezzled $165,000 of the government funds.

The announcement has been calmly received by public, but the knowledge of the commission of the crime extended over the period of a year without discovery, it is said, causes a feeling of uneasiness toward the naval administration, and furnishes a weapon to the political parties that are opposing the public.

WORKED GRAFTS EASILY

New York, Sept. 19.—That the Equitable Life Assurance Society had paid $718.264 to the Merchantile Trust Companies in connection with certain loans known as the "Turner Loans," and that these payments were without authority so far as the records of the Soc ety disclose, became known today when Paul Morton, president of the Society, made public a report on the subject, subjected by him to the secretary's dictators. These transactions occurred in what Mr. Morton refers to as "The Turner Loan." This loan, Mr. Morton's report sets forth, was carried in 1894 by the Western National Bank, which was objected to by a bank examiner, and Henry B. Hyde then agreed to transfer the loan and collateral to the Mercantile Trust Company. At that time, apparently, the loan amounted to 466,491. George V. Turner, in whose name the loan stood, was secretary to Louis Fitzgerald, the president of the Mercantile Trust Company and a close business associate of H. B. Hyde.

The loan was guaranteed by M. Hartley, J. E. Searles, L. Fitzgerald, W. N. Colar, jr., and H. B.) Hyde.

On March 21, 1895, the same guarantees renewed their signature, the loan having grown to $1,276,787, the increase being due to attempts to develop the property on which the collateral for the loan was made. The Equitable Life Assurance Society paid the Mercantile Trust Company $218.264 on this loan on Jan. 23, 1900, and $500,000 on February 4th, 1904.

"The records of the Society," said Mr. Morton, "disclose no authority for these payments, and the cash entries in respect to them were very obscure."

Counsel have been instructed to begin proceedings for the return of this sum. The loan was carried on an account known as the J. W. A., No. 3 Axecount.

Special meeting of the football club in the Bowery tonight important.

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MRS. DEWY'S KIND CONSIDERATION

Mrs. Mildred Dewey, wife of Admiral Dewey, has done a very graceful thing in presenting to the citizens of Alabama a flag which was captured during the civil war by her former husband, Gen. Wm. B. Hazen. It was taken from the Twenty-eighth Alabama regiment at Orchard Knob, and in course of time was placed by Mrs. Dewey in the national museum at Washington. She has, however, evidently come to the conclusion that the citizens of Alabama would like to keep the relic themselves and she has informed Dr. Thomas M. Owen, director of the department of archives and history of Alabama, by letter, that she wishes to relinquish the flag.

CHATS FOR A MOMENT

In giving advice to holidaymakers, "do not bathe before or after a meal" says a physician. This may be medically wise, but it sounds unsanitary.

Your pity is requested for Miss Alice Roosevelt. During the past fifteen months she has been present at 403 dinners, 350 balls and 300 small dances. Her 5 o'clock teas number 680, and she has paid 1,700 calls. She has been six times a bridesmaid and shaken hands 32,000 times. This it is to have a father who believes in a strenuous life.

Another charming instance of feminine economy is recorded by a district visitor. She found a small child, whose sight she had previously supposed perfect, adorned with spectacles. She began to condole with its mother, when she was quelled by this explanation. "Well, you see, mum, it ain't that there is anything wrong with Billy's eyes. They was his grandmother's spectacles, and it did seem a pity to waste them."

Love, as the poet observes, is a rum thing. Not often rummier than in a recent instance from Italy. A young Italian was refused several times by a young lady; whereupon he laid open her cheek with a razor, and was duly rewarded with eighteen months hard labor. When he came out she was still (strangely enough,) indisposed to accept him. So he blew up several portions of her father's house and slew several horses. Eighteen months again. Still she could not love him. He then tried to win her affections with a dagger. Three months still she was cold. He blew off two of her fingers. That did it. When he appeared in court she hastened to offer what was left of herself. The term of imprisonment will be followed by matrimony. Such is the value of determination in affairs of the heart. —New York Globe.

FAME'S PATHWAY

It is a curious coincidence that the year in which unhallowed hands have been stretched forth upon Greek in the Parte Go should be the centenary of the author of that other mighty prop of the Cambridge preliminary examination—Paley's view of the Evidences of Christianity.

August 30th was Paley's birthday in the year 1743, and he lived till 1805. He was born at Peterborough, and at 15 entered Cambridge, and it is recorded that on the way thither he fell off his pony seven times—his father paying not the slightest attention beyond saying, "Take care of thy money, lad."

For two years Paley is said to have lived a deplorable life. Then, roused by the remonstrance of a friend, who, by the way, was even more disreputable than Paley, he reformed so thoroughly as to be a Senior Wrangler a Fellow of Christ's and eventually a prebend of St. Paul's.

Such was the reward for the "Evidences" greeted by all ranks from George III downwards as an antidote to the prevalent infidelity." Alas the modern undergraduate has lost that reverence! He snuggs it up in analysis, and probably retains no more than that entertaining story of the savage who found a gold watch on the shore of a desert island and saw therein a proof of eternity.

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A curious superstition which attaches to the Powerscourt title, has been again badly shaken up by the birth of a son and heir to Viscount Powerscourt. For there was once a curse on the family, the burden of which was that no holder of the title should ever see his successor.

Three times since the date of the creation of the peerage, in the reign of Cames II this came true, but the fourth Viscount proved more fortunate and his good fortune has never deserted his descendants.

The father of the new baby, which was born at the family seat, Powerscourt, near Bray, is in the Irish Guards.

CHILD FALLS INTO BOILING CATSUP

Seattle, Sept. 18.—The two-year-old son of Charles J. Iauch, a rancher fell into a pot of boiling catsup and died this morning. The mother, took the pot from the stove and put it on the floor. She then left the room for a couple of minutes. The baby fell into it head first.

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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 of 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 lorate 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 sale 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 of 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 in 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, Ottawa.

SPORT

BASEBALL—

Providence, R.I., Sept. 28.—Manager George Stallings, Catcher F. McManus and First Baseman Edward Murphy, of the Buffalo team, of the Eastern League, were arrested here this morning after a stiff fight with the police.

Stallings and a crowd of players had been out seeing the town, and when returning to their hotel about 1.30 this morning, the disorder started. The police surgeon was called to attend Murphy, who was cut about the head.

LACROSSE—

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—The Shamrock team of Montreal won the first of the two-game series with St. Catharines Athletics for the Minto cup on Saturday by 5 to 8, giving them a lead of two goals for the second match. The majority of goals in two matches is to count. The challengers' defence was surprisingly strong, and the Shamrocks had to work for every goal. The Athletics' home was comparatively weak, and the Irish defence kept the men out successfully. The visitors think they have a good chance to win the cup, as they are now familiar with the Shamrocks' play. Hess, Elliott, Richardson and Downey starred for the Athletics, and Currie, Kavanagh, the Brenans and Hoobin for the Easterners.

The Tecumsehs of Toronto defeated the Capitals of Ottawa in an exhibition game on Saturday by 3 to 2

RUSSIAN AND JEWISH EMIGRANTS.

The Jewish Chronicle gives particulars of the harsh treatment of a party of 48 Jewish emigrants from Roumania provided with tickets for the United States, not issued by a German company. On arrival at Bingerbruck, on the Prussian frontier, the travellers were taken to the Klapperfeld prison, where they were detained until they were sent back to Roumania in conveyances used only for vagrants. All were in possession of passports which were in order, and had enough money to take them to Rotterdam, where they were to embark for New York with travelling tickets of English steamship companies that had been sent to them by relatives and friends in the United States. It is noteworthy that they were permitted to pass the Bavarian frontier unmolested, and that only on reaching Bingerbruck were they detained by the Prussian authorities, who treated them like ordinary criminals, because they did not possess 400 marks as passage money, and had not travelling tickets issued by the North German-Lloyd or the Hamburg-American Steamship lines, which hold concessions in Prussia.

"You see," said Mr. Kidder, as as Casey hit another foul, "it's no trick for any player to bat the ball in front of him. Any player can do that, but when they can knock the ball behind them like Casey did, they're stars. You know that, don't you?"

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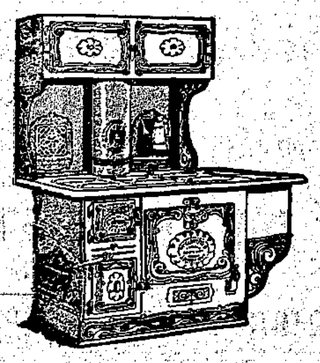

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ANOTHER PROTEST LODGED BY FRANCE.

Caracas, Sept. 20.—M. Wiener, the French minister, has lodged a protest with the government against its action in closing the station of the French Cable Company and expelling the manager of the company, M. Brun.

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There will be a special meeting of the City Council this evening to discuss the electric light by-law and to deal with other matters.

Mrs. Cagellacheli was the holder of the winning coupon in the City Bakery drawing for the ornamental cake. The ticket was number 13 and the deake awarded is a splendid one

Mr. W. A. Cornwall, manager of the local bank, arrived home this morning after a pleasant stay of a few days with friends in Vancouver. Mr. Cornwall, as chairman of the proposed recreation grounds committee, saw Superintendent Marpole, but was referred to Mr. Dennis, the C. P.R. land commissioner for British Columbia. As Mr. Dennis was expected to be on Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's special that passed through yesterday, Mr. Cornwall telegraphed Mr. Thornley, the secretary, but as the train did not stop, nothing is accomplished as yet. Mr. Marpole stated that he believed the committee would be able to make arrangements with Mr. Dennis that would be satisfactory to all parties.

Just arrived—Souvenir leather post-cards. Also aluminum post-card (something new) at Knight's Bookstore.

A number of the members of the football club and their friends assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown last evening, the occasion being a farewell party to Mrs. Reed, who returns to Victoria today. The members of the club took advantage of the opportunity to express to Mrs. Reed their sincere thanks for her services at the concert on Monday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Manuel, Mr. and Mrs. W. Manuel Mrs. E. Watts, Mrs. T. McMillan and her brother, Mrs. Trehearne and son, Mr. J. Sanderson, Mr. J. Dixson, Mrs. Butler.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Sisters in charge of St. Aloysius Protectorate, Quamichan, wish to tender their sincere thanks to the people of Ladysmith who responded so graciously to the call for aid recently made in behalf of the orphan boys. A special acknowledgment of gratitude is hereby made to Mr. T. O'Connell, Mr. Robt. White, Mr. D. Campbell, Mr. V. Mitchick, and the miners.
(Signed) Sisters of St. Ann.

BOY'S EFFORT TO FIND HIS FATHER'S MURDERER.

After a search of nine years, Antonio Carraciola, an Italian engineer has run down the murderer of his father. In the summer of 1896 the village of Lomellina, in the province of Benevento, Italy, was one night thrown into the greatest excitement by the murder of Giovanni Carraciola, a lawyer, and one of the Liberal leaders of the province. Within an hour, says the New York World, the entire village was in search of the murderer.

Suspicion fell upon the shoemaker, named Giorgio Marchetti, who disappeared from that day. On the evidence they had against Marchetti, the courts of the province, according to the rule in Italy, went on with his trial as if he had been in custody, and found him guilty of murder, sentencing him to imprisonment for life.

The murdered man left a widow and two sons. Antonio, the elder, a boy of 14, determined to find the murderer. He sailed for Buenos Ayres, where he had heard that Marchetti had gone. When he arrived in that port Marchetti had left only two days before. For nine years he continued his search, travelling over 10,000 miles in North and South America. Recently Antonio Carraciola found Marchetti as a prisoner charged with assault in the penetentiary on BlackRell's Island, New York. He is now taking steps to have the murderer extradicted to Italy, where he will have to undergo imprisonment for life.

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The Shah's eccentricities during his recent stay in Paris have given rise to much comment. Each day he indulges in some extraordinary prank more worthy of a schoolboy than of an autocrat. The Paris doctors are much interested in his curious behavior, and one well known professor has paid many visits to him. His Majesty asked the cyclist policemen who accompany him on his drives to lend their bicycles to his Grand Marshal and two Chamberlains. "Now then," he said to the Grand Marshal, "get on and show us how you ride." It was no use for the Court Minister to protest his ignorance of the wheel. The "Sun of Suns" was to be obeyed, so the official hoisted up the skirts of his frock-coat while the Shah held the bicycle for him to mount. Then his Majesty gave him a push, and said "Off you go," and after hysterical wobbling the Grand Marshal did. He fell on his astrachan coat while the Shah held his sides and laughed till the tears came into his eyes. The Chamberlains, however, hid in the hotel, and were not to be found when their turn came. Afterwards the Shah drove to the Bois and walked in the garden of the Ecole Sataian. Here a balloon, belonging to a little girl of five, got entangled in his Majesty's legs. The Shah patted the child on the head and gave her a gold medal on which his portrait was struck.

The British ship Penthelisea, which carried a full cargo of naval stores, including armament and explosives, from the abandoned naval yard at Esquimalt, arrived safely at London on August 22.

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The steam whaler Orion, of Capt. Balcom, arrived in Victoria Sunday evening via the Sound, and has returned to the station with an expert to inspect the drying equipment, which was not working right. The Orion now has a total of five whales to her credit, the last having been taken on Friday. Four were sulphur-bottoms, the last was a hump-back, smaller than the others. One of the sulphur-bottoms taken two weeks ago made quite a fight. The boom did not explode when the harpoon struck the big fish, and the mammal towed the steamer seaward at the rate of about thirteen knots an hour, until exhausted, when a boat was put out and the whalers despatched their quarry with lances.

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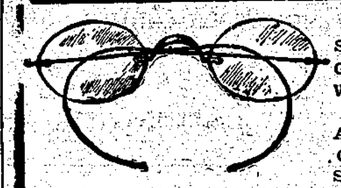

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