

ROMANTIC FEATURE

Connected With Famous Tracy Case

Woman Who Found Merrill's Body Eloped With the Latter's Brother.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Portland, Ore., Sept. 24.—Mrs. W. D. Wagoner, who found the body of Merrill, has introduced a romantic feature into the Tracy episode by eloping with Ben Merrill, brother of the dead outlaw.

SENSATIONAL MURDER

Occurs in a New York Bar Room

Prominent Banker Shot While Drinking With Loose Women.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
New York, Sept. 23.—The murder case of Banker Nicholas Fish, grandson of Col. Nicholas Fish, the hero of Harlem Heights, Saratoga, and Yorktown, and son of Hamilton Fish, secretary of state under Grant, and brother of President Stuyvesant Fish of the Illinois Central, promises to become New York's latest cause celebre. Fish was drinking in a saloon with two gay women and was killed by the male companion of one of them.

Ancient Warfare

According to a Bengal native paper war is less civilized in these days than of old. It unearths a set of rules purporting to be drawn up by opposing generals in ancient India before war was declared.

(1) Animosity must end with the war, when the combatants must regard one another as friends.
(2) The fight must be between equals, that is to say, charioteer must fight with charioteer, cavalry with cavalry, infantry with infantry, etc.
(3) A man who is not strong enough to fight should be allowed to go out free.
(4) No man is to be struck without previous and distinct warning.
(5) A man who shows nervousness in war should not be interfered with.
(6) No one is to be taken a prisoner unawares on any account.
(7) No man who has been deprived of his arms or armor, or is badly armed, should be hurt.
(8) The persons of the following classes of people are to be considered sacred: (a) The man who drives a chariot; (b) the bearer who carries a wounded man; (c) the surgeon; (d) the military bandsman.
(9) Two are not to attack one.
(10) No tricks (ambushes, etc.) are to be allowed.

Scout Leaves for Stewart

The steamer Scout which was formerly the May West and was purchased by the police to be used as a dispatch boat, took on a load of wood this morning at the Merchants' dock preparatory to making a trip up the Stewart as far as Gordon. The better known as Duncan landing. The old crew has been retained to handle the craft and it is the belief that the old May West has at last seen the end of her troubles.

Schoner Run Down

Quebec, Sept. 5.—Last night the steamer Westphalia, on her way to Montreal, collided with the schooner Marie Anne, near Quebec. The schooner was cut in two, and the captain, X. Boisvert, and Pilot Vaudreuil were drowned. A sailor named Geo. Boisvert was saved by a boat from the steamer.

About 1,500 girl cheroot-makers at Richmond, Va., have gone out on strike, the complaint being that too large a proportion of the cheroots are thrown out as bad and not paid for.

Journeymen tailors of New Haven, Conn., will organize and again demand an increase in wages. The last move of the workmen in the latter direction was a failure.

Packing house butchers at Omaha, Neb., will strike if the increase in wages demanded by the butchers' national organization recently is not granted.

The strike of the telephone linemen at Albany, N. Y., has been settled. The men will receive \$2.75 a day straight, and time and a half for overtime.

Zanesville, O., metal mechanics have won their strike, after being out ten months.

LIBRARY LOCATION

Sites Spoken of for the Carnegie Gift

Are Much Too Far From the Cen- tral Part of the City to be Acceptable.

The securing of a later the maintenance of the Carnegie free library is at last beginning to assume tangible shape. Double the appropriation asked for by Mr. Carnegie as an assurance that his gift will be properly cared for has been voted, \$2500 each by the city council and the Y. M. C. A., and now all that remains to be done is to select the site and begin the work of construction as soon as the funds are available. As to the location several have been spoken of but to them all is the very serious objection that they are not sufficiently central. It would be but little short of a crime to locate the library near the Administration building when there are available sites so much more central and nearer town.

During a lull in the proceedings at the council meeting last night Mayor Macaulay stated that a committee consisting of himself, Alderman Wilson and Alderman Adair, had had a consultation with Messrs. Newlands, Gosselin and Acting Commissioner Wood with reference to the matter and two sites had been pointed out as likely to be procurable, one directly opposite the Administration building and immediately south of the new M. E. parsonage, and the other on the site at present occupied by the Salvation Army. The latter site was stated to be already been notified to move, but as they are in rather difficult financial straits it may be some time before they can do so. Still another site was spoken of which is still farther removed. It is on the rear of the government reserve and adjoins the premises at present occupied by Mr. Tyrrell. It is not known that any of the sites mentioned could be procured though it is likely that the government at Ottawa would consider favorably any one should an application be made for it.

The general opinion of everyone is that the library should come further up town where it would not be so greatly out of the way for residents of the middle and northern portion of the city. One of the best sites spoken of is in the block in which the A. B. hall and the new athletic association building are located. That location is central, of easy access and at the same time sufficiently removed from the densely built up section that it would be considered a good fire risk.

Acting under the suggestion of Mr. Gosselin, crown timber and land agent, the council will address a letter to him asking that the government donate a site for the library. The letter will be referred to Acting Commissioner Wood who in turn will forward the request to the department at Ottawa. If the site that is tendered is not well thought of or meet the requirements desired, the government will be asked to purchase the location to be selected.

Counterfeiters Escape

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Vancouver, Sept. 24.—Ed. Hanson, the notorious Spokane counterfeit, has again escaped from McNeill's Island Penitentiary and is reported headed this way.

What Might Have Been

Phillip King this morning headed guilty in the police court to having been drunk and disorderly on Second avenue last night. He was sleeping on a wood pile when Constable Timmins saw him and showed a powerful inclination not to be disturbed. Timmins called another policeman and they got him to the barracks. He was too drunk to make much show of resistance. "You see what trouble you might have got yourself into," said Magistrate Wroughton, "for if you had resisted the officer that would have been a serious affair." Fined \$2 and costs.

It appears that Mr. M. P. Grace, the new tenant of Battle Abbey, does not intend that the historic pile shall remain a show place throughout the year as heretofore. When the Abbey was in the occupation of the late Duke and Duchess of Cleveland, the public was afforded the privilege of inspecting the interior every Tuesday, and Hastings townspeople, who have always looked upon the place more as a natural monument than a private residence, are much concerned at this new turn of events.

Beneath the best appearances A fraud quite often lurks. 'Tis true of men and watches for You know them by their works. —Philadelphia Press.

"Do you know, Horatio, that every boy has a chance to be president of the United States?" Horatio (thoughtfully)—"Well, I'll sell my chance for ten cents."

Protests Filed

Two new suits were filed in the gold commissioner's office today. One is a protest brought by George R. Lucas against Alexander Kemming over the lower half of 8 Glacier creek. The plaintiff alleges that the claim in question became open for re-location on or about July 25, 1902, and that he staked it August 15, applying for record the following day. He was informed by the mining recorder that a certificate of work had been issued on which account the record was refused. It is also alleged that the defendant had allowed his free miner's certificate to expire. Plaintiff prays that the grant issued to the defendant be cancelled and that one for the same ground be issued to him.

The second case is a protest over the issuance of a water grant applied for by Charles A. Roden and others who desire to take water from 19 and 21 gulches on the left limit of Adams creek and carry it to the hillside, left limit, opposite the lower half of 3 American gulch. The plaintiffs, H. C. Hamilton and J. B. Knox, are the owners of creek claims 1, 2, 3 and 4 on American gulch, which would tend to divert any of the water falling within the American gulch watershed.

Work of the Irish.

New York, Sept. 6.—A conference of Boer sympathizers, representing German and Irish societies in Greater New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Providence and other cities, has been held here for the purpose of considering the relief of the foreign soldiers of the Boer army who are now prisoners of war in the hands of the British.

Much difficulty had been experienced by the various societies interested in ascertaining the exact number and location of the prisoners, but the missing information was supplied by a young Irishman, named Michael P. Hearn, of Westfield, Mass., who landed in Boston from Ceylon last week. A letter from Mr. Hearn was read, giving the names of sixteen Irishmen members of the Irish brigade, now confined at the prison camp at Ragama, Ceylon, and recommending how money should be forwarded to defray their expenses. George H. Schreiner, who acted as secretary of the conference, said the only foreigners who remained in the prison camps were the Americans and the Irish.

John L. Gannon, of Providence, R. I., announced that he had, some days ago, cabled \$3,000 to Johannesburg to provide for the passage of Colonel Blake, and eleven other members of the Irish brigade, now there, to this country, and that the money was supplied by the Clan-na-Gael. He also stated that the men at Ragama, Ceylon, mentioned by Mr. Hearn and others confined in India, had been provided for, and that every Irishman who had fought for the Boers and now prisoners of war would be attended to by the Clan-na-Gael, so that the other societies in sympathy with the Boers would have an easy task in providing for the rest of the Americans.

The amount spent in this work by the Clan-na-Gael was over \$7,000 and more would be forthcoming if the necessity should arise. Former Judge Van Hoesen, who presided at the conference in the name of the other societies, thanked the Clan-na-Gael for its prompt and effective work, and after appointing a committee to attend to further details the conference adjourned.

Called to the Bar
Mr. Pierre Leduc, a nephew of Mr. Justice Dugas, who has been an articulated clerk in the office of Noel McKinnon & Noel for the past year, has successfully passed his examination and was last Saturday called to the bar, taking the oath before the members of the appellate court and signing the roll. Mr. Leduc is from the city of Quebec where he took a law course in the Laval university shortly prior to coming to Dawson. He is a bright young man of excellent attainments and will prove a valuable acquisition to the bar of the city.

Trial of La Belle

The preliminary trial of La Belle for the murder of Bouthillier and Beaudoin was fixed for tomorrow afternoon, it having been adjourned to this date at the request of the prisoner, who said that he expected Mr. Leonard, his brother-in-law, a member of parliament, and a prominent barrister on Montreal, to come here to defend him, nor is he known to have reached Skagway, so the trial may be again adjourned for this reason.

Trint by Jury.

Today Justice Macaulay is engaged upon hearing the case of Box vs. Calderhead, the cause of the action dating back to just before the close of navigation last fall. The trial is before a jury consisting of Wm. Bradley, J. A. Christie, M. G. McLeod, G. W. Mitchell, J. S. Barton and George J. Gregory and the action is over a hay and oat deal. Plaintiff alleges that he sold to the defendant at Whitehorse last fall a quantity of hay and oats at a certain figure delivered there, whereas it is held by defendant that the goods were not delivered at Dawson at the price named. The difference in dispute is the amount of the freight between Dawson and Whitehorse which as the consignment amounted to 100 tons is no small sum. A verdict will doubtless be reached this afternoon.

GOV. O'DELL RENOMINATED

By Republicans of New York

The Administration of President Roosevelt Heartily En- dorsed.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
New York, Sept. 24.—Governor O'Dell has been re-nominated as governor of N. Y. Republicans in convention today endorsed Roosevelt's presidency. The balance of the ticket is as follows: Lieut.-Gov., F. W. Higgins, Cattaraugus. Secretary of State, John F. O'Brien, Clinton. Treasurer, J. G. Wickser, Erie. Attorney General, Henry B. Coman, Madison. Comptroller, N. B. Miller, Cortland. Engineer, E. A. Bond, Jefferson. Judge of Court of Appeals, W. E. Werner, Monroe. The convention adopted a platform as presented; approves Roosevelt's administration and pledges support for presidency, advocates good roads and enlargement and improvement of canals to adequately meet requirements of commerce, expense of such improvement to be met through sources of revenue other than direct taxation. It condemns all combinations and monopolies in whatever form having for their purpose the destruction of competition in legitimate enterprise, the limitation of production in any field of labor or increase in cost of necessities of life. It pledges the party to support such legislation as will suppress and prevent organization of such illegal combinations.

INSANE PATIENT

Now in the Charge of Ross Supporters to be Authorities.

Hospital for Lunatics Does Not Remain Very Long Un- occupied.

The insane ward at the barracks was not long allowed to remain empty. Five lunatics were taken outside last week and for several days the madhouse was without an occupant, but today there is one in the madhouse who is violent and obstreperous enough to give his attendants all they can attend to. He is a Frenchman by the name of Philip Collin and is a maniac in the name of the word, his particular demerit being the form of doing violence to himself. Ever since he was taken into custody it has been necessary to confine him in a padded cell, but before these steps were taken he had battered his head almost into a jelly in a frantic effort to butt the walls down. He will be taken before the police magistrate this afternoon and committed for a medical examination after which it is the intention to send him outside at once before the close of navigation.

But little is known of the prisoner beyond the fact that he has only recently arrived on the inside and is thought to be originally from Quebec. The day of his arrest two friends by the name of Ernest Gagne and Mathias Ladurentage called at the barracks to see him, but before the police had an opportunity to make any inquiries as to Collin's name and his relatives they disappeared. They are being searched for now with the hope that they may be able to throw some additional light upon the prisoner's identity. His trouble is believed to be hereditary as his friends remarked that several other members of his family had become insane necessitating their confinement in an asylum.

Frightful Accidents

Belleville, Sept. 5.—A young man named Sandford, nineteen years of age, narrowly escaped death in a mine near Madoc village. A portion of the mine machinery fell on him. One of his legs was badly crushed, amputation being necessary, and the other was broken in two places. His recovery is doubtful.

Sarnia, Sept. 5.—Jas Knight, a nine-year-old son of Wm. Knight, employed in D. W. H. Lucas' bakery, in some manner got his left hand caught in the dough-mixing machine. The lad's hand and arm were drawn into the machine. The bones of the hand were smashed and the flesh on the arm, almost to the elbow, lacerated. Dr. Bentley was called and had the boy removed to the hospital, where three fingers and the palm of the hand to the wrist were amputated. The remaining first finger was broken at the first joint, but an effort will be made to save it.

Cut flowers. Cook's, phone 1808.

SUCCESSFUL SMELTER

The New Process Works Very Satisfactory

Cost Has Been Reduced to One Fifth, Involved in Old Process.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Crofton, B. C., Sept. 23.—The successful trial at Crofton and has proved all that was hoped for. It performs crushing, roasting and concentrating at a single process. The new process revolutionizes old treatment, the cost being but one-fifth of any other process.

Must Ship Direct

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Vancouver, Sept. 24.—The importation of Alaskan game through British Columbia ports is distinctly prohibited by law. Shipments must be made direct to American ports.

Underwood Trial

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Seattle, Sept. 24.—The trial of Paul and Nellie Underwood for the murder of their child is now proceeding in Seattle. The defence is that death was accidental.

Operated Upon

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Washington, Sept. 24.—President Roosevelt was operated on this morning for abscess of the leg, as a result of the recent accident. He is doing favorably.

CAMPAIGN PROGRESS

Now in the Charge of Ross Supporters to be Authorities.

Hospital for Lunatics Does Not Remain Very Long Un- occupied.

The Liberal campaign in support of James Hamilton Ross for parliament will in a very short time be thoroughly organized throughout the territory. At the close of the recent convention a resolution was proposed and passed with the unanimity which marked the whole of the proceedings, that each locality should call a meeting and select its own committees and effect a thorough organization of its district for campaign purposes. Meetings to carry out this resolution will be held in each locality within the next few days.

The organization of the Ross supporters of Dawson is to be made at a meeting to be held in Pioneer hall at half-past eight tomorrow evening. At the close of the meeting their organizations headquarters will be established in this city, which will be placed in close connection with all the outside organizations. It is proposed to make a thorough and efficient system of canvass throughout the whole of the territory, the results of which from time to time are to be reported direct to headquarters. In this way the whole of the many workers for the success of Ross will be kept in touch with each other, and be fully acquainted with the whole course of the work as it proceeds.

The polling districts into which the territory has been subdivided will be found in full on page three.

Leaves Suddenly

Richard Wilkens, who for the past year has kept a grocery store at the corner of Second avenue and Duke street, left town suddenly on Sunday last leaving a number of creditors to mourn his loss.

It is stated that Wilkens went to Eagle by the small boat route and there are those among his friends who think that he may be temporarily demoralized.

It is stated that his debts are all small and would not total to exceed \$700 or \$800 and that he had stock on hand in excess of that amount in value. He also had book accounts aggregating over \$1,000 so that there seems to have been no good reason for his action.

Before leaving he made an assignment of his stock to Frank T. Way, his principal creditor, and Way is now in charge of the store.

Wilkens has been in business in Dawson for several years and has always borne a good reputation. Unless it develops that he had debts of which his friends have no knowledge no good reason for his departure can be shown.

Cut flowers. Cook's, phone 1808.

POSTAGE RATES REDUCED

The New Process Works Very Satisfactory

Cost Has Been Reduced to One Fifth, Involved in Old Process.

Postmaster Hartman has received word from Ottawa of the repeal of postal regulation 83 which provided for the payment of double postage rates in the Yukon and Atlin districts on everything except letters. The order in council says that "in lieu thereof it is declared that the same rates of postage in force in other parts of Canada shall apply to the Yukon and Atlin districts." The cause of such discrimination against the Yukon was largely due to the desire of the department to discourage so extended use of the mails in the carrying of large parcels of merchandise. Where the rates on such matter in other parts of Canada was but one cent an ounce and from the Yukon it was made two cents an ounce, the same as letter postage. Third class matter such as books, photos, periodicals, maps, etc., which outside are carried at the rate of one cent for two ounces, here people have been compelled to pay postage at the rate of a cent an ounce. Second class matter paid a cent for four ounces. Publishers' rates remain the same, a half a cent a pound. With the repeal of the regulation referred to, however, the rates in vogue in the Yukon become the same as they are in every other section of the Dominion.

The Stage.

Richard Mansfield, who speaks as one having authority, has again given his idea of the person who is fitted for the stage. It is as follows: "A person to succeed upon the stage should be possessed of good eyes, good teeth (minus gold filling), a good figure, a good voice (cultivated by competent teachers), and a slight knowledge of the French language (sufficient to pronounce properly: monsieur, madam, au revoir, monseigneur, etc.) He should know how to sit down and how to stand up, and have the manners of being accustomed to good society. Upon the stage, appearance is everything. One must possess the outward and visible sign. It is a fact that every gentleman should be an honorable man, but on the stage and in society every honorable man is not necessarily a gentleman. It is manifestly absurd for a person with the manners of a hostler to attempt to play the Admirable Crichton, or for a down east school-marm to play the role of the Lady Vere de Vere. And given the education, the cultivated voice, the figure and the necessary polish of manner, the actor must in addition be the painter and the poet. Without imagination there can be no puppets. He must be willing to learn from the masters. His perseverance, his patience, must be unending. To secure the precise meaning of a line, a word, a glance of the eye, a movement of the hand, he may have to try a hundred times for perfection."

Finger Purses

The "Rational Dress Gazette" rails in good set terms against the latest fashionable folly of finger purses. A writer in that journal says: "Appropos of outdoor functions, I hear that at a recent garden party fourteen lost gold purses were found after the ridiculous fashion of finger purses which has now ousted the chateleine bag is accountable for this rashness. If the dressmaker refuses pockets, and if fashion condemns the waist-bag, what in the name of the Great Auk are we to do, however? These aforesaid finger-purses are attached to a ring by a chain. The ring fits the little finger, and for safety's sake the purse is gathered in the palm of the hand and so carried. But we all know that hands have been immorally as famous for losing as keeping, and so our gold and jeweled purses are, as a consequence, left by the way to gladden the eyes and raise the ill-got gains of the dishonest."

Hot Pursuit of a Negro

Niagara Falls, Ont., Sept. 5.—A negro answering the description of "Peeve" Johnson, who shot and killed another negro named "Yellow" Johnson at Kenilworth race track, Buffalo, last night, was seen in the G. T. R. freight yard here this morning about 9 o'clock. Chief Mains of the Ontario police and his men attempted to capture him, but the negro took to his heels up the Washburn canal. The police followed on a trackman's jigger, but the negro then took to the fields just west of Stamford switch. After a chase of about an hour the police gave up the pursuit.

At 7 o'clock this evening the man appeared at the G. T. R. station at Port Robinson. The village constable, Dick Smith, accompanied by Charlie Park, a young man of the village, attempted to arrest him, but although they persuaded Johnson to throw up his hands, when they attempted to handcuff him the negro ran. He drew a large pistol and fired at Smith. Smith replied with a shot from his revolver, which evidently had some effect, as the negro fell, but he was soon on his feet again. Johnson then ran across the farm of Andrew Hamilton to the woods, where the constable gave up the chase on account of darkness.

The man is very black, about 5 feet 7 inches in height, about 20 years of age, and is dressed in a double breasted black coat, light trousers, tan shoes and a blue peaked cap.

Raid in Cape Colony.

Cape Town, Sept. 5.—A report has been received here from Kenhar, Cape Colony, that an expedition has been raised to suppress a party of sixty Kaffirs, which for the past six months, has been roaming in the extreme northwestern part of the colony, along the Orange river and close to the German border, looting farmers of their stock and committing other outrages. It is understood that the German authorities will co-operate in the measures against the Kaffirs. Owing to the impossibility of using horses, the district where the natives are committing depredations is a difficult one in which to operate. All supplies and other things must be carried on foot. The natives are well armed and have, up to the present time, defied all the attempts made by the British authorities or the Boer farmers to capture them.

The city council of Vancouver, B. C., has passed an ordinance that all city printing must bear the union label.

FOUL PLAY SUSPICIONED

In a Recent Ontario Case

The Corner's Jury Finds That Death of Deceased Was Accidental.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Thorold, Ont., Sept. 24.—A coronor's jury brought in a verdict of accidental death in the case of Wm. Davidge of Thorold, who was found dead with a bullet wound in his right temple. Nevertheless there are strong suspicions of foul play.

Organization Abandoned

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Chicago, Sept. 24.—The organization of a packing trust has been abandoned temporarily at least, largely in consequence of President Roosevelt's plain spoken declaration of the attitude of the administration toward trusts and the possibility of a combination in congress removing the duty on cattle.

Fatal Collision

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Tacoma, Sept. 24.—A collision between freight trains near Tacoma, H. T. Moore and F. E. Chase, mail clerks, and Charles Saurens, ex-senator, all of Tacoma were killed.

Bodies Found

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Geneva, Sept. 24.—The bodies of M. Feorron, a French tourist, and his guide Fritz Bohren, who perished Sunday in an attempt to scale Mont Blanc, have been recovered.

White Whale

Special to the Daily Nugget.
New Bedford, Sept. 24.—The New Bedford whaler Platina has captured a pure white whale, the first ever known.

Baseball Tomorrow

Captain Lamb, of the Forks, is not yet satisfied that his "sourdoughs" are not the only pebbles on the baseball diamond, and he has again had the aggravated audacity to challenge Sheriff Ellbeck's "stiffs." This is the last grand royal battle that will take place on the barracks' ground and will close Dawson's baseball season of 1902. It is scheduled for halfpast two tomorrow afternoon. It will cost you two bits for a seat on the grand stand, and the game will be worth all the money or Charley Lamb, who is a sourdough millionaire, will return it to you. That is what he says, on the assurance that his boys will put up such an exciting game that no one will be able to think of the two bits or anything else. Sheriff Ellbeck is saying very little but is using a great deal of limbering oil, and has carefully selected the following to prevent Captain Lamb from going outside this winter and bragging about the result. Winter, first base; Dundas, second base; Forrest, catcher; Ellbeck, short-stop; Senkler, third base; McLean, left field; Bell, right field; Long, pitcher; Shannon, center field.

Kitchener's New Duties

London, Sept. 5.—The Central News states that Lord Kitchener has booked his passage to India for November 7th. His Lordship may, however, pay a visit to Khartoum before taking up his duties as Commander-in-Chief in India. The general is due to reach Bombay on November 28th, whither he will proceed at once to Delhi to conduct the maneuvers.

According to the London correspondent of the Calcutta Indian Daily News, Lord Kitchener's personal staff in India will include the following—Military Secretary, Col. Hubert Hamilton, C.B., D.S.O.; Interpreter, Lieut. Col. W. R. Birdwood, 11th Bengal Lancers; Aides-de-Camp, Major Marker, Coldstream Guards, Capt. Y. R. Brooke, D.S.O., 9th Lancers, and Capt. F. A. Maxwell, V.C., D.S.O., 18th Bengal Lancers.

To Relieve Sufferers

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Olympia, Sept. 24.—Governor McBride has issued an appeal for relief for the forest fire sufferers.

South African Garrison

London, Sept. 5.—The War Office expects that the work of bringing home troops from South Africa will be completed by the end of October. Already 80,000 have returned. Of the 50,000 troops to form the permanent garrison of South Africa, a large proportion will be mounted men. Fourteen batteries of artillery will remain. Arrangements are being made to transport to Bloemfontein becoming the military capital of South Africa on account of its central position. A new military prison is to be erected there. On account of the cost of living in South Africa, an addition of 25 per cent. has been made to all military allowances. Three hundred portable huts for officers' quarters are to be shipped shortly at a total cost of about £250,000.

To Represent the King.

Simla, India, Sept. 5.—At a meeting of the council today the Viceroy announced that the Duke and Duchess of Connaught would represent King Edward and Queen Alexandra respectively at the Delhi coronation durbar, the King being unable to absent himself from England long enough to be personally crowned at Delhi.

The strike of the street car employees at Lafayette, Ind., will likely be settled by arbitration.

DAMAGES AWARDED

To Lady for Breach of Promise

The Jury Gave Her \$5000 When \$2000 Only Had Been Asked.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Toronto, Sept. 24.—A Toronto court has awarded Miss Victoria Middleton of Sarnia \$5,000 damages against Dr. F. B. Wilkinson for breach of promise. The lady sued for only \$2,000.

UNFAITHFUL WOMAN

Shoots Husband and Then Herself

The Former Was Willing to For- give Because He Loved Her.

Special to the Daily Nugget.
New York, Sept. 24.—Chas. O'Neil, a New York janitor, discovered the infidelity of his young wife and threatened to kill her. His nerve failed him because as he declared he "could not help but love her still." She was bolder, however, and killed both husband and herself.

Negroes Released

Special to the Daily Nugget.
Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 24.—B. H. Ballou and Will Hicks, two negroes charged with causing the recent fatal panic in the Shiloh church of Birmingham by fighting, have been released from custody on the representation of numerous ministers that prosecution would cause disruption in the church.</