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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1900.

NOT UNGRATEFUL.

The death of John Sherman, as recorded in our telegraphic columns, removes from the American political arena one of its foremost figures. Old John Sherman has been a power in the land for nearly a half century. He has been identified in some way or other with nearly every important legislative enactment that has been passed by the Republican administrations from Lincoln to McKinley. Like Henry Clay and James G. Baine, he never reached the presidency, the real goal of his ambition, but nevertheless he will always be classed among the giants of American statesmanship. A strange fatuity has seemed to hang over such men. The strongest and ablest personalities that the great republic has produced have been overlooked and turned aside when it came to the matter of selecting a president. Who would have said that Grover Cleveland was entitled to the chief executive office against the claims of the Plumed Knight from Maine? And yet the people of the United States, ignoring the high integrity and statesmanlike qualities which had made Blaine their idol for years, turned him down without mercy and left him to die of a broken heart. In his stead they exalted Grover—an experiment purely and simply—and one which afterward was bitterly lamented and dearly atoned. It has been said that republics are ungrateful—that their best favors are showered upon those who are the least entitled to them. Perhaps there is some truth in this; at least, evidence can be brought to bear in support of the supposition. But it may be, and the pages of history will amply justify the feeling, that down deep in the hearts of the people is a well defined and well grounded fear of placing too much authority in the hands of men of intense individuality. Caesar, the republican demi-god, became Caesar the autocrat. Cromwell the deliverer, developed into Cromwell the dictator, and Rienzi the tribune of the people, became Rienzi the scourge of the people. All three began their work as genuine patriots and each fell a victim to his own overmastering ambition.

The lesson which has been wrought into the very structure of humanity through the lives of these men and other of similar mould, accounts in a large degree for the fact that the Clays, the Blaines and the Shermans of the American republic have given place to men of immeasurably weaker calibre. Republics are not ungrateful, but they cannot escape the teachings of history.

There is a small coterie of soldiers of fortune in Dawson who have lived for the past year or two on the hope of hoisting themselves into political office on the wave of popular reform inaugurated by this paper three years ago. These knights of the political road have worked on the supposition that they need but to express their desires to have the same immediately championed by the Nugget. What gave them this impression we are unable to say, but it is necessary only to state that the im-

pression is a wrong one. The people of the Yukon have fought too long and too hard to place the fruits of their victories in the hands of irresponsibles. The Nugget refuses to support such an idea and in consequence is in bad standing with some few of these gentry. The Nugget has but one platform and that platform is the advocacy of such measures as will best serve the welfare of the whole Yukon territory. When individual aspirations stand in the way of this policy, the individual will not be considered. The Nugget has never committed itself to the advancement of any personal interests, and if in continuing in this line of policy it brings down upon it the wrath of a few adventurers we have only to say let the wrath come.

COMING AND GOING.

Messrs. Irvine and Riggs are registered at the Regina. They are down from Last Chance on a little business, and to honor sour dough proclivities by seeing the Yukon close.

If Mr. McGovern does not overcome his habit of bathing in the river it is averred by those who have their money on the closing of the river by a certain date, that the Yukon will not get a chance to close this year.

The day set for the trial of James Storah will be general election day in the United States, and consequently the day upon which will be decided who is to get the Klondike souvenir in the Nugget election.

The Klondike has not closed at the mouth yet, but farther up stream where the river is crossed by teams going to the Forks, the ice was strong enough last evening to bear up horses and sleighs and today loaded teams are crossing.

The smoker which is to inaugurate the winter's social events at the Regina Club, comes off Saturday evening, when a good time is in store for the members of the club and their guests. A splendid program has been prepared.

Stage Glints.

Olive May has been engaged with John Drew for "Richard Carvel."

Kyrie Bellew is to have a theater built for him by London admirers.

Johann Strauss, the great writer of dance music, never could learn to dance.

Olga Nethersole contemplates producing a dramatization of Ouida's novel "Under Two Flags."

Stuart Robson will alternate "Oliver Goldsmith" and "She Stoops to Conquer" on his western tour.

Comedian Maclyn Arbuckle is writing a series of sketches to bear, the title "Red River Bottom Politics."

Mrs. Brown Potter will be the Juliet to Martin Harvey's Romeo in his forthcoming revival of the Shakespeare tragedy at the London Lyceum.

Alice Nielson's private car, which is now in course of construction, will be 74 feet long, which is two feet longer than any passenger coach in this country.

Playwright Henry Guy Carleton has obtained thus far about 28 patents on various electrical inventions and occupies in consequence a prominent place among electricians.

Charles Klein has written the prose, Grant Stuart the verses and William T. Francis the music of a musical comedy for Jefferson de Angelis. It will be called "A Royal Rogue."

De Wolf Hopper, driving near Saratoga, came upon a rural Sunday school picnic. He alighted and gave the country youngsters an entertainment that would have cost a manager considerable money.

Editor and Poet.

"I am afraid," said the poet to the editor, "that you don't exactly grasp the depth of the ideas expressed in my blank verse."

"Perhaps not," said the editor. "They may be beyond my mental reach."

"I think you wrong yourself," said the poet kindly. "Let me test the point. Here is a line at random: She swiftly passed him down the silent way, and in her path a subtle perfume lingered." There, that doesn't seem confused to you, does it?"

"Not at all," replied the editor briskly; "that's easy. You are simply trying to say that a gasoline automobile went down the street."

We fit glasses. Pioneer drug store.

Brandies now in stock at The Pioneer. Fromy & Rogee, Heimes, Henesey's three star, Martell three star, etc.

See Hammell's new store at the Forks. Everything to wear for sale.

For watch repairing see Lindemann.

The liquors are the best to be had, at the Regina.

A Wild Goose Chase.
"Yes, both the criminals got away without any trouble."

"What were the police doing?"
"Chasing theories." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Same old price, 25 cents, for drink, at the Regina.

If we haven't got what you want we'll send for it. Hammell's, the Forks.

Artistic and elegant Klondike souvenirs at Lindemann's, Dominion bldg.
Private dining rooms at The Holborn.
The Holborn Cafe for delicacies.

TRUE TO LIFE




The Illustrations

Which accompany this advertisement are worthy of a moment's attention. They are not the result of a bright imagination, but are direct drawings from life. The clothing portrayed are actually made and can be found in stock at our store.

They are Made by the **STEIN-BLOCH CO.**,
of Rochester, New York.

The only wholesale tailors in the world. All their goods are made by skilled artisans—Journeyman Tailors. Even the buttonholes are made by hand.

These are the goods we sell. In proof of which we print the signature of the firm



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Seattle Clothiers
Opp. C. D. Co's. Dock

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Colorado Kid vs. Frank Rafelle

10 Round Go for Light-Weight Championship.

Billy Smith vs. Young Callahan

8 Rounds for Feather-Weight Championship;

Also Several Preliminaries and Several Hot Wrestling Matches.

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Miners Attention!

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When in town they stop at

Hotel Flannery

HADLEY'S STAGE LINE Leaves Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Gold Run, Dominion, Etc. from Hotel Office.

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ANDERSON BROS., Second Avenue

MacFarlane, Sugrue & Clarke

CONVEYANCERS, BROKERS, STENOGRAPHERS, ETC.

To Whom It May Concern—

A NEW CAMPAIGN

We beg to inform the people of the Yukon territory that our office is again open to the public for the transaction of business. The time which we have heretofore devoted to campaigning will now be occupied in our office.

We make a specialty of prompt and speedy work, all kinds of conveyancing, bills of sale, mortgages, lay agreements, quit claim deeds, correctly prepared and executed. All legal documents, relating to either mining property or real estate, are in our line.

We have the best connections in the territory for handling either quartz or placer mining property, town lots and any other personal property. Our correspondents on the outside are the best obtainable.

We have money to loan on good security.

Daily correspondence with S. S. Sifton.

Office is situated in Aurora No. 1, room 4, at the top of the stairs.

We solicit a call from all our friends.

ALEX. J. MACFARLANE, A Commissioner, Etc.
JOHN F. (Barney) SUGRUE, Valuator
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Fresh Stall Fed BEEF

All Kinds of Meats
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Bay City Market

Chas. Bossuyt & Co.
THIRD STREET Near Second Ave.

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FOR MEMBERS
A Gentleman's Resort,
Spacious and Elegant

Club Rooms and Bar

FOUNDED BY
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THE KLONDIKE CORPORATION, LTD.

Strs. ORA, NORA, FLORA

The only independent line of steamers between Dawson and White Horse, Light Draft and Swift. No loss of valuable time on account of sandbars and low water. Best dining room service on the river.

SMALL BOATS

Make the Best Time!

Save Time and Money by traveling on steamers which are always reliable at any stage of water.

Office at L. & C. Dock. R. W. CALDERHEAD, Agent

The Royal Grocery

Is synonymous for square dealing and good groceries.

Specialties.....

S. and W. Fruits, M. & J. Coffee
E. B. Elgin Butter,
Lipton Teas, Pioneer Cream and Cheese.

J. L. Timmins

A. E. Co. Oh! A. E. Co.

I Hear Them Bells a Ringing

How Much Pleasanter

To Ride Behind a Spirited Team of Horses or Dogs when Nicely Harnessed with a String of Bells added.

Dawson's Mammoth Departmental Store

OFFER SUPERIOR ADVANTAGES TO INTENDING BUYERS OF

Single and Double Horse Harness, Collars, Sweat Pads,
Web Halters, Hame Straps, Surcingles, White Duck
Covers, Harness and Lace Leather, and Bells.

DOG HARNESS WITH BELLS and SEPARATE COLLARS OF ALL SIZES.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR ALL FURS

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THE DAWSON HARDWARE COMPANY

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