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KLONDIKE NUGGET.



### WHY THIS DISCRIMINATION?

For two years past property owners residing in the northeastern portion of the city have been engaged in an endeavor to secure the construction of a sidewalk along 4th avenue and what is now Duke street. In the district mentioned there are probably a thousand people who would be accommodated by the desired improvement, but for one reason or another their wishes have been overlooked and passed by without consideration. Petitions have been prepared and presented to the authorities, and delegations of taxpayers have gone in person in the hope of securing definite action, but it has all been in vain. The same condition maintains today which prevailed three years ago. Pedestrians who have occasion to pass along the thoroughfares mentioned take the middle of the street and in rainy weather tramp through mud and water as they did in the good old days of '98.

The reason for the existence of this peculiar state of affairs lies in the fact that a strong predilection seems to exist in the minds of the authorities toward holders of large tracts of unimproved property. Many instances might be noted where owners of 25-foot lots on the outskirts of the city have been threatened with the strong arm of the law for failing to comply with the sidewalk ordinance, while owners of whole blocks in the centre of town have been permitted to laugh at the law and build sidewalks or not as seemed good to themselves.

We submit that such discrimination should not be tolerated. Speculators who are holding unimproved property at prohibitive prices, have no right to expect that they will be given exemption from complying with the city ordinance. Their property is constantly enhancing in value by reason of improvements made by others, and still a beneficent administration permits them to hold their lands without even compelling them to construct sidewalks.

No wonder the people are demanding the reason for such discrimination. It is altogether unjust and uncalled for and should no longer be tolerated.

### CONCERNING NATURALIZATION

In view of the near approach of the territorial and Dominion elections the question has been raised as to the status of aliens who may desire to assume the privileges of citizenship under Canadian law. The naturalization laws of the Dominion have been so framed that an alien who possesses the usual requirements of citizenship and who has resided in Canada for a period of three years, may acquire all political rights without forswearing allegiance to his native land. In response to a request from a correspondent we

publish herewith the form of oath of allegiance as also the naturalization certificate issued by the territorial judges.

**Oath of Allegiance.**  
I, \_\_\_\_\_, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, King Edward the Seventh, as lawful Sovereign of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the Dominion of Canada dependent on and belonging to the said Kingdom, and that I will defend him to the utmost of my power against all traitorous conspiracies or attempts whatsoever which shall be made against His Power, Crown and Dignity. And that I will do my utmost endeavor to make known to His Majesty, His Heirs or successors all treasons or traitorous conspiracies or attempts which I shall know to be against Him or any of them.

All this I do swear without any equivocation, mental evasion or secret reservation. So help me God.  
Sworn before me at \_\_\_\_\_, in the Yukon territory, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D., 1902.

A Notary Public in and for the Yukon territory.

**Certificate of Naturalization.**  
Dominion of Canada, Yukon Ty. In the Territorial Court of the Yukon territory.

Whereas, \_\_\_\_\_, formerly of \_\_\_\_\_, in the state of \_\_\_\_\_, one of the United States of America, and now of \_\_\_\_\_, in the Yukon territory, \_\_\_\_\_, has complied with the several requirements of the Naturalization Act and has duly resided in Canada for a period of three years.

And whereas, the certificate granted to the said \_\_\_\_\_ under the tenth section of the said act has been duly read in open court and thereupon, by order of the said court, has been filed of record in the same, pursuant to said act.

This is therefore to certify to all whom it may concern that under and by virtue of the said act \_\_\_\_\_ has become naturalized as a British subject and is within Canada entitled to all political and other rights, powers and privileges, and is subject to all obligations to which a natural-born British subject is entitled or subject within Canada; with this qualification that he shall not, when within the limits of the foreign state of which he was a subject, previous to the date hereof, be deemed to be a British subject unless he has ceased to be a subject of that state, in pursuance of the laws thereof, or in pursuance of a treaty or convention to that effect.

Given under the seal of the said court this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, one thousand nine hundred and two.

(Seal.) \_\_\_\_\_ Judge.

The question of personal fitness will enter largely into the selection of a man to represent this territory in the federal house. No man whose public or private career is not open to close scrutiny is fit to be trusted with the important responsibilities that will rest upon the shoulders of the Yukon's first member of parliament. A man is required who will not only be able to present the needs of the community with force and ability, but whose character is such that respect and weight will be given to his utterances. The voters will not be stampeded into supporting any political opportunist whose only recommendation is a glib tongue and a willingness to make promises. Something more is demanded and something more will be forthcoming. The electorate of this territory is altogether too intelligent to be imposed upon in such manner.

If the Sun were as solicitous for Mr. Ross' recovery as it assumes to be, it would not have sent an emissary to invade the governor's sick chamber with a printing contract.

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## MANIA FOR BASE BALL

### Games on the Barrack's Diamond

Every Night This Week—Post-office After Administration Building's Scalp.

Dawson is going baseball mad if one were to judge from the number of clubs in the field and the games that are played. Every night this week the grounds at the barracks have been occupied sometimes by juniors not out of their teens and again by old bucks sufficiently aged to be grandfathers. No matter what aggregation is before the footlights they are always sure of a large and enthusiastic audience, a large proportion of which is made up of ladies.

Last night there was a game between the Rivals and the Yukons. Nine innings were played, the score being 20 to 7 in favor of the former. Tonight the lawyers are matched against the N. C. team and a good game is promised, though much of the strength of the former is taken away by the inability of H. G. Wilson to play on account of the accident met with at the last game. The N. C. team also insist that the personnel of their opponents shall consist only of attorneys engaged in actual practice, which will have the effect of barring E. C. Senkler, another good player. Tomorrow night the police and civil service will cross bats.

The latest aggregation to take the field is the employees of the postoffice building and they are after the scalp of the lads in the Administration building. Yesterday morning the following bold challenge was posted on the bulletin board at the entrance of the government building:

"We, the undersigned knights of the bat in the baseball arena now occupying the postoffice building, hereby cast a bold defy to the disciples of Spaulding now sojourning in the Administration building, and declare we can do you to a turn in a game of nine innings, more or less, according to our score on the tally card on any day of the week that you may be pleased to name, theatre night and wash day excepted and also the hour of the arrival of a royal mail boat, in which event we would feel it imperative to drop our bats and balls and make for the postoffice building. The following "perflish" are barred: E. C. Senkler, F. X. Gosselin, I. J. Hartman, S. A. D. Bertrand, H. W. Newlands, J. N. E. Brown, J. T. Lithgow, J. E. Girouard, and E. S. Busby. The head of the wit and humor department (Federal building) is not barred."

The challenge is signed by G. D. Edwards, Jas. W. Wilson, H. C. McDiarmid, N. J. Caron, Harold Rolph, A. H. Povah, F. H. Hartman, R. C. McDonald and E. E. Miller.

The Nugget's team of all star twirlers would be very happy to try conclusions with a similar outfit across the way did they but consider it possible for either of the contemporaries to get together a team worthy of their prowess.

### Mystifies Navy Department

Washington, July 29.—Secretary Moody of the navy department has disappeared from Washington. He has left everybody guessing as to his whereabouts. Some say he has been called to Oyster Bay for a Sunday dinner, and some suspect that he has gone on a Saturday and Sunday cruise down the Potomac.

At any rate inasmuch as he did not tell even the officials where he was going and left no address, he has mystified the whole department. Mr. Moody has had some real hard work lately. He has wrestled for days and nights with the problem whether Rear-Admiral Taylor or Rear-Admiral Bradford should sit at the right hand of Admiral Dewey at the meetings of the general board. A great many of the officials need a long rest after the determination of that problem in favor of Rear-Admiral Taylor, the chief of the bureau of navigation. Admiral Dewey is credited with having been intensely amused at the issue.

Orders have been received at the New York navy yard to proceed with the preparation for the building of the new battleship Connecticut. Work on the launching ways has been started, and bids for the piles and iron will be opened in a few days.

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### Trade With Russia

Washington, July 19.—Is Russia seeking a European commission against the American trusts in order to compel more favorable trade relations with the United States? It is well known, at least, that the commercial relations of the United States with Russia are strained.

A sudden activity manifested in state department circles today indicates a fear that Russia has the whiphand, and that unless concessions are made the foreign trade of the American trusts will be seriously interfered with. There is now seen a change in official sentiment and many arguments are being advanced favorable to a reciprocity treaty with Russia that will throw down many of our tariff barriers to their goods and admit the products of the Standard Oil Company, the beef trust, the steel trust, etc., into Russia without further hindrance.

Russia has not forgotten the act of former Secretary Gage in imposing the countervailing duty on Russian sugar. The czar's suggestion for an anti-trust conference of the representatives of the powers was aimed especially at the United States, with the view of forcing the withdrawal of certain restrictions placed upon European export trade when it moved toward the United States. That this is the official view is seemingly verified by this unexpected official activity, which, it is believed, would not have occurred had the trusts not taken fright and suggested that concessions in the way of reciprocity be granted by the European trade coalition. It is well known that such an act could gain no headway if the protected trusts had not given an intimation that they would not oppose these concessions.

The forthcoming visit of Secretary Shaw to Oyster Bay is significant. It was announced today that he would leave Washington the latter part of next week for a conference with the president. There are no questions of moment pending in the treasury department, and the most plausible pretext for this conference is the new commercial condition forced upon the treasury department by the aggressive policy of the czar, a policy in which, it is believed here, that monarch will find no trouble in consolidating all Europe, with the one possible exception of Great Britain. The czar would find a very ready and aggressive friend in Germany.

### Bullfight to Attract Notice.

Richmond, July 19.—A vast arena surrounded by hundreds of seats, in it a bull maddened by the flaring flags of the torador, goaded by the thrust of the picador and tortured by the cruel pricks of the matadors—in a word, a rare Spanish bullfight—is one of the spectacular performances arranged for Richmond's grand fiesta which commences on August 4.

The matador, the torador and the picador, the latter mounted on a prancing steed and wearing costumes trimmed with gold and lace, will have attendants to carry their instruments of torture into the arena. The fiesta has been planned by the citizens previously as a means of attracting attention to this thriving community. R. H. Curry has been selected as the president, E. J. Summerfield secretary and E. C. Moran treasurer. Gedge Johnson is the official decorator. Every one is delighted over the prospects of the fete in general and the bull fight in particular.

Ten masked men went to the O. & N. tunnel, about three miles north of Ouray, Col., and after destroying the private telephone that connected the mine with Ouray, took from the bunk house two employees of the mine and marched them down the hill at the muzzle of guns and ordered them to leave the camp. The motive for the outrage is a mystery.

Special power of attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

### Lillie Langtry

Carson, Nev., July 19.—Mrs. Lillie Langtry-DeBarth is coming to Nevada during the year to develop her mining properties, so she writes from London, under date of July 4. The richness of the Tonapah district has traveled all over the world.

A dispatch was received today from Supt. H. M. Yerington to the effect that a valuable gold ledge has been found twenty-five miles from Lodaville and in the direction of Tonapah. The ledge is said to be the richest that has ever been discovered in the vicinity. Some float rock of fabulous value was found near there twenty-five years ago, and much money was spent in searching for the ledge, but it was only found recently.

News of the find spread rapidly, and people are rushing from Tonapah and adjacent points. It is asserted that this discovery is a continuation of the Tonapah ledge,

which is now regarded as the richest in the world.

About a hundred farmers, consumers of water along the city ditch, have filed suit in the district court, asking that an injunction issue to restrain the city of Denver from giving permission to the Denver Union Water Company to run the city ditch water through its pipes.

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