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ROW OCCURRED AT MEETING

Of Alaskans Called to Plan Some Ways and Means of Entertaining President Roosevelt—Capt. Humphrey Objected to Ex-Collector Ivey.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Seattle, April 13.—At a meeting of the Alaskan Alaskans called to arrange a program for the entertainment of President Roosevelt by residents of the north, trouble arose over the appointment of J. W. Ivey, formerly internal revenue collector for Alaska. Capt. O. J. Humphrey of St. Michael said that he considered it an honor to be appointed on the committee, but he could not serve with Ivey. He declared that if Ivey were gone by, Ivey had stabbed his knife in the back. No sooner had the captain sat down than Humphrey was on his feet to rebuke Ivey. After these had gotten through, Captain Ferguson arose to speak on the troubled waters. Humphrey again spoke. The president belonged to the whole people and therefore if it was the wish of the meeting that he serve he would do so but would rather be relieved. President Perkins announced the committee to stand as follows:—Capt. Humphrey of St. Michael; Capt. W. H. Ferguson of Council City; W. H. McPhoe of Valdez; Jas. Casey, C. S. Blackett and H. M. Ebner of Juneau, and J. W. Ivey of Sitka.

LOBBERY EXPOSED

Scandals Are Uncovered in Missouri

In Connection With Recent Session of Legislature—To Be Investigated.

Special to the Daily Nugget. St. Louis, April 13.—Evidence has been secured by Attorney General Crow and Circuit Attorney Folk relating to charges of boodle having been freely distributed during the session of the Missouri legislature just ended. It will be submitted to the county grand jury which convenes at Jefferson City today.

Tax for Capitol Building.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 19.—The senate today passed a resolution authorizing an amendment to the constitution or levying a tax of four cents for five years to be used in the building of a new capitol. It is estimated that, if adopted, the levy will raise \$1,000,000. Several days ago the house defeated a five-cent levy for the same purpose.

Gov. Dooley today signed the Stikins bill, prohibiting the giving away of selling of cigarettes to minors under 18 years of age. The bill has an emergency clause and will go into effect in ninety days.

New Discovery

Ill Paso, Tex., March 20.—Much excitement has been caused at Parral, Mexico, by the discovery of a phenomenally rich body of ore. The vein is the best in width and of unknown depth, and assays 200 ounces of gold and 2000 ounces of silver to the ton. The Hidalgo mine, where the body of ore was discovered, belongs to a company composed of Texans and had not been considered of any great value until the rich strike was made.

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SPANISH SHIP

Sunk by Dewey Has Been Lately Raised

Special to the Daily Nugget. Manila, April 13.—The warship Manila had been floated. The Reina Christina sunk by Dewey in skeletons of 80 of the crew were found in the hulk. The signs show that the ship was scuttled.

GAMBLER SUICIDES

Leaped Over Cliff and Perished on Rocks.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Spokane, April 13.—A nervous wreck from the excessive use of morphine William M. (familiarly known as "Bud") Armstrong, a well known Spokane gambler, committed suicide by plunging from Monroe street bridge to the rocks 130 feet below.

Resume Operations

Golden, Colo., March 20.—Instead of having closed down permanently, as reported yesterday, the Golden smelter will resume operations when repairs now under way are completed. The trouble with the workmen has been adjusted.

NO DIFFICULTIES IN THE WAY

Of Proposed Government Water System—Government Engineer Thibedeau Returns From Tour of Inspection Up the Klondike River—Report Will Shortly be Presented to Commissioner—Mineral Outlook Excellent

After tramping over hill and dale, up one stream and down another for 32 days Territorial Engineer Thibedeau and his two assistants, George Wood and H. McKay, returned to the city Saturday afternoon, bronzed from the sun as though they had been with a caravan crossing the burning sands of the great Sahara. Mr. Thibedeau's trip out was for the purpose of taking a thousand and one, almost, barometrical readings over the proposed route of the Klondike's government water system. This he did and it is unnecessary to say successfully, but until he has laid his report before the commissioner he may not talk of the results of his trip as far as they extend to the purpose for which he was sent out. But there are other things which came under the observation of Mr. Thibedeau, being of a very observing disposition, which he can speak of and he did so very entertainingly this morning to a representative of the Nugget.

During the month and a day that Mr. Thibedeau and his little party were out they traversed practically every foot of the main branch of the Klondike and also the south fork clear to the source of each. The Arizona mining district was also visited and considerable was learned of that portion of the country which on account of its remoteness has always been enshrouded in more or less of a mystery. Discovery on Arizona is 130 miles from the city and as distance always lends enchantment to it has been thought of the region so near the head of the Klondike, but that good pay will be eventually if it has not already been found in that section is the firm belief of Mr. Thibedeau. Arizona is a tributary of Drapau creek which in turn is a branch of Hobo and that is a stream putting into the south fork of the Klondike. There are not over a dozen miners in the camp at present but there is a great deal of grub that has been taken in this winter so that prospecting can be carried on this summer. Being so far up from the parent stream, the Yukon, and so near the Rocky mountains, the creeks in that vicinity are very crooked. Arizona, for instance, runs parallel with the south fork into which its waters eventually debouch, yet flows exactly in an opposite direction.

The divides in that section are all comparatively low. From the head of Arizona it is but a short distance across to the main tributary of the McQuesten also to the left fork of Clear creek. Much of the grub that has been taken to Arizona this winter was brought in via Clear creek. Many of the hunters who have been camped on the head waters of the McQuesten are bringing their game into town by way of the low divide referred to and down the Klondike.

To the head of the main stream of the Klondike is 150 miles and it is over the left fork of the main branch that the trail of the Peel river Indians follows. That fork is called Davidson creek, the right fork is known on the maps as Nello creek and it is from the latter that the supply for the water system may be taken. The pass across the Rockies through which the Peel river Indians

travel is at the head of Davidson creek and is at an altitude of but 3840 feet, being not only quite low but also of very easy access the ascent being so gradual that a railway could run through the pass merely upon a grade and without any cutting whatever. On crossing the pass one at once encounters the Hart river which flows north and is a tributary of the Peel river. Davidson creek and the Hart river possess a characteristic that is common to both. Right at the base of the pass both streams fork, each branch turning off at almost exact right angles and running along the base of the mountains, for from six to eight miles. On either side of the pass there are huge mountains resembling giant sentinels placed there for the purpose of guarding the approach of each country.

HUNTING BIG GAME

Roosevelt After Lions in Yellowstone

Will Spend a Number of Days in Search of Big Cats—Has Guard.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Sinobar, Mont., April 13.—President Roosevelt is hunting mountain lions on Slough creek. In company with Maj. Pitcher, acting superintendent of the park and a guard of soldiers, he left Fort Yellowstone for Yancey's, fifteen miles east of Mammoth Cold Springs from where he went to Slough creek.

King Sails

Special to the Daily Nugget. Gibraltar, April 13.—King Edward has sailed from Gibraltar for Malta.

FATAL BOLT

Man Killed by Lightning in Pittsburg.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Pittsburg, April 13.—Thousands of dollars damages resulted from a thunderstorm at Pittsburg yesterday. Irvin Wilson was killed by lightning. The cloudburst also affected the suburbs.

HAVE THE COIN

British Immigrants Come Well Supplied

Special to the Daily Nugget. St. Bohn, N. B., April 13.—A half million sterling was brought by the first contingent of 2,000 of the Rev. Barrs colonists who arrived at St. John, N. B., from England this morning.

Opened by King

Special to the Daily Nugget. Rome, April 13.—The King of Italy formally inaugurated the international agricultural congress at Rome. Thirteen hundred delegates are present.

Eastman Kodaks, \$10 each. Just over the ice at Goetzman's, 128 Second avenue.

MAY ALL BE A MISTAKE

Report of Robbery on First Avenue Late Saturday Night—Victim Secures Arrest of Supposed Perpetrator—Friends Say Matter Can be Explained.

A report is current to the effect that late Saturday night a robbery was committed on Front street about which there is an air of considerable mystery and which will probably not be solved until the case comes up for its preliminary hearing tomorrow morning. A man whose name is said to be Gibbs is stated to have been robbed of several hundred dollars, the exact amount he refuses to tell, and as a result of which Ben Hurd was taken into custody yesterday morning and is now in jail awaiting his preliminary trial. Where the trick was turned has been variously stated as occurring between the Pioneer and Northern Annex. Hurd, it is claimed by the police, has been about town all winter. He is not very well known and to the best of the knowledge of the police has no record that he need be ashamed of. It is asserted that Gibbs at the time was very drunk, but friends of the victim declare such to be untrue, that he is not a drinking man at all. At any rate a touch seems to have been made which will require some explanation before his lordship tomorrow morning. A friend of Hurd explains that the latter was out for a little time with Gibbs and that Gibbs entrusted his money to Hurd. The money was afterwards returned and was spent by Gibbs who was too far gone to remember the facts. It is not unlikely that developments in police court tomorrow may prove that the whole thing is a mistake.

AMERICANS KILLED.

Are Still Doing Battle in the Philippines

Special to the Daily Nugget. Washington, April 13.—The war department has received news of the investment of Bacolod, Island of Mindanao, which was captured by Capt. Pershing's forces after a fight in which a hundred Moros were killed, and which occupied three days. Desperate fighting took place inside the forts. Seven cannon were captured and eleven Americans were wounded.

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SCOTTISH OFFICIALS

Protest Against King Edward's Title

Special to the Daily Nugget. Edinburgh, April 13.—An uproarious meeting marked a gathering called in this city to make preparations for the fourth coming visit of the King to Scotland. Several local Scottish officials refused to have anything to do with the King until he dropped the title of Edward VII. The objectors protested that the title is an insult to Scotland. They added that judging from the addresses received at Lisbon, even the King himself seemed to realize that he was only King of England. Considerable of an uproar prevailed but the meeting ultimately refused to listen any further to the malcontents.

Considerable Uproar Created But Malcontents Forced to Subside.

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TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

Occurs Two Miles West of Windsor

Fast Freight and Atlantic Express Collide—Fatalities Resulted.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Windsor, N. S., April 13.—A terrible railway accident on the Intercolonial occurred two miles west of Windsor Junction, N. S. A fast freight for Montreal collided with a fast Atlantic express. Four trainmen and a dozen passengers were injured.

Arrives From Guatemala

San Francisco, March 24.—Eleven passengers booked at San Juan de Guatemala on the Kosmos liner Theben, which has arrived here from Central American ports, were detained, as the government would not give them passports. Col. Coleman, who joined the vessel at Valparaiso, mysteriously disappeared during her run up the coast. He once held a commission in the French artillery, but for the last five years has been drilling and organizing Peruvian recruits.

At Corinto he heard of the impending war between the Central American States and left the vessel to visit San Jose de Guatemala. He has not been heard from since. His baggage is on the Theben.

Washington, March 29.—The president today appointed Dr. W. D. Cram collector of customs at Charleston, S. C., and William Byrnes, United States district attorney for Delaware. Both of these nominations failed of confirmation at the recent session of the senate.

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