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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1901.

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We will pay a reward of \$50 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing copies of the Daily or Semi-Weekly Nugget from business houses or private residences, where same have been left by our carriers.

SHOULD NOT BE TOLERATED.

The Nugget advances the hope that the Yukon council at its next meeting will give some attention to the condition of First avenue in front of the White Pass warehouses. Several thousand square feet of space have been appropriated by the company to which they have absolutely no right. In one instance at least, and probably in a great many others, storage has been charged upon machinery which had been left upon the public thoroughfare without care of any nature. The Nugget has protested and desires at this time to re-iterate that protest against so palpable an abuse of privileges.

If the streets were used for the purpose of temporarily storing machinery as a mere matter of convenience to shippers, there would be no strenuous objections raised. It is not always convenient to remove heavy freight the day it is received, and some allowance for this fact would readily be made by the public. But to permit the White Pass Company to collect storage for machinery left on the streets is an outrage which we submit should not be tolerated for a moment.

MAKING AMENDS.

The Seattle Post Intelligencer has a great many enemies in the north by reason of the undisputed fact that the P. I. will publish almost any kind of yarn which will induce people to go to Seattle and out-fit and start out on a stampede. It must be said, however, to the credit of the same paper that it has exerted itself in more ways than one for the betterment of Uncle Sam's northern territory.

The P. I. is now making a strong effort to have the United States land laws extended to Alaska in order that title to agricultural lands may be secured by those settlers who desire to make Alaska their permanent home. In this work it is to be hoped the P. I. may meet with success. The United States government has neglected its citizens in Alaska in a most shameful manner.

They have been given the most meagre protection at the hands of the law and yet have had saddled upon them a system of taxation which can be described only as outrageous.

If the Post Intelligencer can succeed in bringing the United States government to an understanding of the situation in Alaska and force some recognition of the rights of its inhabitants, some amend will have been made for the many sins which as the account now stands are charged against the big Seattle daily.

BRUTAL SPORT.

The game of lacrosse is coming in to disrepute in many communities in Canada. The sport of recent date has become so rough that a game scarcely ever occurs but what some of the players are seriously injured. An instance of this nature was mentioned in our telegraphic columns of yesterday. At a match played in Vancouver on Tuesday of this week one

man was disfigured in such a manner that he will carry the marks the remainder of his life. Such brutality cannot masquerade indefinitely under the name of sport.

If lacrosse players cannot refrain from endeavoring to disable each other at every opportunity a campaign will be started against the game as was the case with football in the States a few years ago. The rivalry between opposing collegiate football teams became so intense that a game was seldom played without someone being seriously maimed, and the list of fatalities during a season was far from small.

This condition of affairs brought forth such a storm of protest that college authorities in many instances took the matter up with the result that the barbarous practice of endeavoring to disable an opponent has been pretty thoroughly stopped. The same thing must be done in the case of lacrosse or the sport is certain to lose its popularity.

Every possible provision has been made by the department of public works to insure the telegraph line to Vancouver being kept open during the winter. Stations have been established and provisioned at regular intervals along the route of the line and patrols arranged to see that breaks are promptly repaired. If the wire is down for any length of time during the winter it will not be for the lack of care and foresight on the part of the men who are entrusted with the work of keeping communication open.

Many a good wood hewer has been spoiled by forcing himself to the conviction that he was a born philosopher and leader of men.

Herr Most Arrested.

New York, Sept. 22.—Johann Most, the anarchist, was arrested tonight while haranguing a crowd of 500 people in a dance hall in Corona, L. I. Capt. Hardy and five policemen in citizens' clothes, had entered the hall quietly before their presence was suspected. Most was on the stand at the end of the hall declaiming loudly. The police did not intend to arrest him, but to wait and hear out the proceedings. They were recognized, however, and the cry of warning was raised.

The call caused many to make a break for the doors and for the windows, and there was a lively scene. Most descended from the platform where he had been speaking and for a few moments was lost in the crowd. Captain Hardy kept his eye on the group of men into which Most had been seen to step. Backed by his men he began working his way through the crowd. When the police were close upon Most most of the group around the leader attempted resistance, and in an instant the police had drawn their sticks. One or two of those about Most went down with blood flowing from scalp wounds, and others gave way so that Hardy got hold of Most.

All resistance then ceased and Most and a few other prisoners were led to the police station. District Attorney Merrill questioned the prisoners in secret. He declined to say what, if anything had been learned from them. The police seized a lot of papers and red flag which was displayed in the room. Christian Fricke, owner of the saloon, was among those arrested.

Prisoner Tortured.

New York, Sept. 23.—According to the story told here by a Venezuelan who reached New York a few days ago, Gen. Jose Manuel Hernandez, the head of the Conservative party in Venezuela and who is a political prisoner, is undergoing treatment even worse than that of Dreyfus on Devil's Island.

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Showing Census Taker Has Been Met Are Now Worn.

The census enumerators for the city of Dawson and suburbs and the creeks in the Klondike district started their work yesterday. The city of Dawson and suburbs including Klondike City, West Dawson and the top of the hill, has been divided off into 31 districts, and an enumerator has been detailed for every district. Four men have been detailed at the bridge, one at the First avenue bridge opposite the fire hall, one at the Fifth avenue bridge back of the N. W. M. P. barracks, one at the foot bridge between Dawson and Klondike City, and one at the Ogilvie bridge. Each of the enumerators at the bridges will be accompanied by a constable who will assist them in their work. Residents who are known will not be stopped at the bridges and all whose information is obtained at those places will be given tickets to show that they have passed their examination, and these are requested to keep their tickets and wear them in their hats until Saturday night, which will save the enumerators extra work and avoid their being examined a second time.

Tickets will also be placed on houses which are occupied but whose occupants are not at home, so that the enumerators may call again. Residents who find these tickets upon which will be printed "Not Taken" are requested to leave the tickets in place until taken down by the enumerator.

No difficulty has thus far been encountered by the census takers in getting their information and none is expected, but for the sake of anyone who is inclined to be obstreperous the census commissioner requested that a note be published stating that the taking of the census was authorized by law, and anyone who refused to give the information asked or who interfered with the enumerators would be summoned before the police magistrate and dealt with in a summary manner. This is only a note of warning and it is not expected that it will have to be put into force.

The enumerators, 25 in all, started up the creeks also this morning. The creek ford is divided into the following districts: Hunker, 3; Dominion, 3; Eureka, 1; Sulphur, 1; Gold Run, 1; Cook's road house, Dome, 1; Quartz, 1; Upper Bonanza above Forks, 1; Eldorado, 2; Grand Forks, 1; Lower Bonanza, 6; Bear, 1; Klondike river from Ogilvie bridge to mouth of Hunker, 1; and one on each side of the Klondike from the bluff to the Ogilvie bridge.

In addition to the districts now being covered 33 districts in other parts of the Yukon territories have already been completed or are hearing completion. Altogether there have been employed not less than 100 enumerators on the work and it is expected that the work of collecting the information will be finished by Saturday night.

After this part of the work is completed it is expected that not less than two months of hard work will be required before the information can be segregated and put into its proper form.

Major Woodside, who has had charge of the work, expects to receive an order to take the books outside and finish the work there.

No estimate can be formed at the present time of the results which will be shown by the reports, and it will not be known until the entire work is completed.

Every effort has been made to get the most accurate and minute detailed information, and special blanks have been prepared for that purpose. It is estimated that during the summer nearly 4,000 people have left the territory, many of whom will doubtless return during the winter and early spring. A special absentee list has been prepared for those who are absent but were here for any period over 10 days between the 15th of March and the 1st of October, 1901.

Those who left here prior to March 15th will be outside in time for the enumerator to reach them there and their names will not be taken here, and the possibility of duplication will be avoided.

Special forms have been prepared for mining, showing the amount and kind of work done on the different claims, with the amount of gold taken therefrom.

The Yukon territory will undoubtedly make an excellent showing when the returns are completed both for its population and production of wealth.

Close of Campaign.

New Westminster, Sept. 17.—The last days of the bye-election campaign in New Westminster are certainly the warmest of any political contest ever held in the Royal City. Speakers have been imported by both sides from all parts of the province. Two meetings were held last night, one in the opera house and the other in St. Barnabas parish room. The latter, called by Mr. Gifford, M. P., David Bogle and Thomas Gifford. No one spoke in behalf of Hon. J. C. Brown or the government.

The meeting in the opera house was also well attended. The speakers were Smith Curtis, Richard McBride, Hon. J. C. Brown, Hon. W. C. Wells, M. P., P. S., and R. Maxwell, M. P., of Vancouver. Hon. J. C. Brown confined his remarks to an appeal to the electorate to support him and make sure of the bridge. Mr. Maxwell did not support the government, but was working in the interest of Mr. Brown as he was a personal friend, and had previously helped him (Maxwell) out of a tight place.

On the other hand Smith Curtis devoted himself to straight politics, and made a good impression on the audience. Many statements made by Joseph Martin on Saturday night were denied.

Thomas Gifford arrived late from the west end meeting and when he took a seat on the platform was received with tremendous applause.

Fire in an Asylum.

Norfolk, Neb., Sept. 23.—The asylum for the insane in this city was almost completely destroyed by fire today. It is believed that three inmates were burned to death. The fire originated from an unknown cause in the west wing of the institution. Owing to the early hour and the unpreparedness of the fire department, but little could be done in the effort to save the institution. There were 600 inmates in the main building and the efforts to rescue them were difficult in the extreme. Shrieks and yells of some of them filled the air and many fought against the attempts of the rescuers. Others were completely cowed and attendants had no difficulty in leading them out of the burning building. Three of the inmates are missing. There were eleven buildings in all on the grounds, and but three of them were saved. All the books, valuable papers and the asylum records were saved. Nearly all the patients were taken from the burning structure in their night clothes and suffered more or less from the cold. About 250 were taken to Lincoln and placed in the asylum at that place. The remainder of the patients will be housed in the buildings that are still in condition for use. The loss is \$250,000.

Meeting Postponed.

This afternoon at 2:30 was the regular day for the meeting of the Yukon council, but by reason of an extraordinary press of business it was not held. Instead, however, a special meeting has been called for next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 which will be the first to be held since the departure of the commissioner, several weeks ago. An interesting session is anticipated as many matters of importance will come up. The meeting will be held in the old courthouse.

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UNPRECEDENTED COAST STORMS

Sweep Alaska's Shores—This Time It's No Fake.

Port Townsend, Sept. 23.—From September 8 to 11 a fearful storm raged along the Alaska coast, according to Capt. William Langren, of the schooner J. B. Leeds, arriving today from Nushagak river and Bristol bay. The Leeds sailed for Puget sound August 25, and on September 8, while in latitude 51.45 and longitude 140.39 west, a southeast gale was encountered and for three days the vessel and all on board had to fight for their lives. Seas swept the schooner from stem to stern, demolishing the cabin and deckhouse. The craft labored heavily, and as the fury of the gale increased, in order to save the vessel her deck load of 500 barrels of salt salmon had to be thrown overboard.

During the gale a three-masted steamer was sighted within one mile of the schooner. The steamer was laboring hard, but no signals were flying.

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SOCIETIES. THE REGULAR COMMUNICATION OF Yukon Lodge, (U. D. A. F. & A. M.) will be held at Masonic hall, Mission street, monthly, Thursday or before full moon at 8 p. m. C. H. Wells, W. M. J. Donald, Secy.

WE TOLD YOU SO!

A great company with almost unlimited capital has been quietly working in this district sampling ores from quartz prospects, with a view to investing heavily in this country. You will read all about it now in the local press. We have a little advice to give you. You will hear the roar of many stamp mills next summer. Quartz is king. The great company which made Cripple Creek has come to the Klondike and they are here for fun. Take a pointer from the old man and get in on the ground floor. By the-by, we can not let the opportunity pass to tell you more good news. We are in receipt of our winter's supply of clothing and the best line of Fur Goods for men that money can buy.

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