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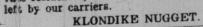
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AMUSEMENTS. Auditorium Theatre - "The Old Homestead.' Standard Theatre-Vaudeville.

A WORKING PLATFORM. The platform upon which Mr. Ros appeals to the electors of the Yukon for support is a practical document in its every provision. It deals with no vagaries or impossibilities but in a straightforward, clear and concise fact that it changes editors too manner touches upon every live ques- frequently. If Brother Beddoe would tion now before the community. It presents the needs of the miners his paper he would not make so in a manner that bespeaks on the many bad breaks. The determination of the city Withdraws From the part of those who framed the plat-

Would Pass Law THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION. New York, Sept. 9. - Governor The new athletic association gives Stone of Pennsylvania, who arrived romise of filling a want which Dawin the city last night, made a brief Efforts statement today relative to his presa similar nature which have been ence here and the coal situation. He attempted in the past have failed ow- said

"I am here on private business. usually to the lack of financial backing and also to the fact that expect to return to Harrisburg to afficient patronage has never been day. I am as anxious to see the one can possibly be. I can only re orthcoming to pay running expenses. Several skating rinks have been peat what I have said in previous inconstructed but have never afforded terviews, that if I can be satisfied any degree of comfort either to skat- that the legislature would pass a law that would be constitutional and

ers or onlookers, and consequently that would settle the strike and prevent others, I would not hesitate to have not proven a success from any every provision will be fied that such a law can be passed." members and In reply to a question, the goverrailroad should the latter come to sible comfort and convenience. Spec-

ious sports without imminent danger conference of coal operators. of freezing and the participants them- The governor was told of a report selves will have ample quarters for in circulation which was supposed to tion that the coal strike would be

ended this week. It was to the ef-

their accommodation. There is a general desire which is confined to no particular class in the fect that Senator Platt had know-

athletic ledge of a plan to have a committee ssociation a success, and the fact appointed representing New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, the that construction work is progressing rapidly is a source of universal acity and to suggest legislation for satisfaction. The building as now the settling of the strike and preoutlined, will afford wholesome and venting other labor troubles. Goverinvigorating enjoyment to all who nor Stone refused to comment on

may desire to take advantage of it- this report. Governor Stone this afternoon paid and it may confidently be anticipated a visit to the offices of the United that every lover of good, clean sport States Steel Corporation. Upon leavwill give his support to the project. ing he said :

"Attorney General Elkin, Senator The manner in which the support Linn and myself have been in consultation for some hours today with P of the News was peddled all over A. B. Widener of Philadelphia, who is a director in the United States town at the Prudhomme and Wilson election has not been forgotten by Steel Corporation and is associated the voters of the district. The de- with Mr. Morgan in many business

interests. Mr. Widener is very anxthe Nugget office, and if ious to see the strike settled and today took the matter up with Mr. ancient history is wanted this paper Morgan. We are doing what we can." will undertake to furnish it by the

column or full page. The great SPEAKER HENDERSON post himself on previous policies of

**REVIEW OF THE SIT** 

Progress of the Campaign up to the Present tent has been the cause of it. Time-Clarke Has Steadily Lost Since the Day of His Nonimation-The

Just now there seems to be a handled by Clarke himself, and be pause in the discussion of matters fore the meeting was called to order political. The acrimonious feeling a voter announced that the list of better the condition of matters here call it together, but I must be satis-displayed by the Sun against the delegates had been cut and dried by would meet with a ready considera-News seems to have taken a rest, or Clarke, and he mentioned the names, tion by the party in power, and the to be seething and fermenting for an- and declared the meeting was not on association every pos-nor said he had no appointment to association every pos-nor said he had no appointment to the Reading meet President Baer of the Reading manager has gone back to safe sub- elected was the same as that which be selected, as his past efforts in he had read. This man who bolted jects for comment and criticism. tators will be able to watch the var-the city today to attend an expected matters at a distance in which there the primary also stated that the is no public interest felt whatever; names of Dr. Alfred Thompson, C. a return to the innocuous apple crop M. Woodworth and J. K. Spaulding of the government at had been put on the list "to make it stage, in short. The editor of the evening edition of look square.

the News is also taking a rest. He The convention was held on August by others from every part of the terhas contented himself every day for 23rd, and Dr. Alfred Thompson was ritory : there was no other name a week by asking the question "What induced to act as chairman. - It has has Ross done ?" so as to give the been stated that he did so under a ty is an augury of that which will morning edition of the News somepromise from Clarke that he would thing easy to answer. Some time get all the Clarke support when he The platform of the Liberal party committee to act in an advisory cap-the morning edition may get tired of became a candidate for the Yukon being held up to the public as the council. No one can be brought to naughty boy who is incapable of believe this, however, who remembers learning his lesson and may boldly the manly attitude the doctor held dare to put the question to the edit- throughout the campaign for the edy for all the grievances which the or of the evening edition, "What has mayoralty, or who knows of his abminers have Joe Clarke done to entitle him to solute refusal to make any ante-elecpublic confidence and such high hon- tion pledges to Clarke or any of his Treadgold water r ghts, encourageors ?" Then there will be Hades to followers in regard to the policy he ment of quartz mining, and reduction pay in the News office, and no pitch would adopt in the event of his elec- of recording fees are ably taken up and handled in a thoroughly business tion. - And, at any rate, his course

Meanwhile, during this apparent since the nomination of Clarke is in truce, an opportunity is afforded to itself sufficient to refute any such which pretends to represent the at present stands, and the manner Woodworth was the only other caners exclusively, complains that parts of it have been stolen from the didate before the convention, and he There are two political parties now received on the first ballot 23 votes Clarke platform.

in the field, and one independent par- to Clarke's 39. He moved after the In this regard it ty. It is the extreme of courtesy, next ballot the customary vote that the so-called Clarke platform however, to designate the following Clarke's nomination be made unani- was drawn and presented to the pubof Joe Clarke as a political party. It mous, but it was in a purely perfunc- lic by Dr. Catto, who is now an opwas hoped to make it such by drag- tory way, and he could not refrain position candidate to the opposition those who in politics from a broad hint that he had been party.

call themselves Conservatives, and jobbed, stating that many who had thus make of it an opposition party promised to vote for him had failed to the government. But this attempt to do so.

woefully and miserably failed, as William L. Walsh was one of those position party being plainly declared those Conservatives who attended selected as a delegate to this conven- in his action of yesterday in regard the first meeting saw at once that it tion for the purpose of giving the to the plant of the opposition newswas a scheme for the nomination of list a semblance of respectability, paper. There is only one other point Clarke, and not for the election of a but Clarke was not sufficiently adroit made by the party of the opposition, member of the Conservative or op- to make a tool of him. Mr. Walsh and that is that the French-Can-

ition party, and they therefore saw through the scheme as soon as adians are not largely represented in the proceedings opened, and when he

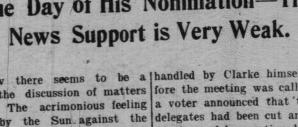


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impartially review the situation as it rumors.

in which it was brought about.

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form a thorough and complete knowledge of the requirements of the mining industry. In connection with the necessity of a public system of water supply and the general demand that private corporations be restrained from enjoying any exclusive privileges in that particular the platform deals as follows :

"Whereas, The supply of water and without altogether and no one depower to the mines on the creeks is sires to see the last alternative in one of the most serious questions of the day in the Yukon territory; and

"Whereas. In the opinion of the, convention, the matter of such supsirable candidate. From the time he ply on fair and reasonable terms ernment itself, and should not be left Thomas Fawcett's office until the Republican platform adopted in it was adopted as the platform of it was it was adopted as the platform of it was adopted in the so-cancel opposition of the so-cancel opposition opposition of the so-cancel opposition opposi to private individuals; therefore, be present time he has done nothing Iowa. The platform denounces the the new opposition party, and it was fitted to represent this or any other News.

ful examination and obtain reports ten times over. upon the subject with a view of cancelling forthwith the Treadgold con-

cession and undertaking such supply as a national enterprise." of every placer mining operator and not as yet opened, in spite of the make the race for congress. rambling comments of Clarke's orevery wage earner in the district.

The matter of water supply has gan.

Bonanza creek. With the clearing of sult as disastrously as has been the provide a fitting reception to the bound place his resignation to be the producing streams of the district git nihil nist spoiliat—which being ment of a committee to draft an ad-hands of such a committee, and he law. There it was proposed to sudthe problem has presented new and broadly interpreted means that Joe dress of welcome and to suggest the would not support any candidate deniy spring upon the meeting a resoincreased difficulties. Along several hoodoos everything he comes in con- character of the proceedings. The who declined to do this.

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of the most important creeks all veg- tact with etation has practically been removed from the hillsides and there is nothcarried off immediately and excepting cial museums in the large cities of in an unusually wet season such as each country. Chicago, New York by good fortune the past one has and San Francisco are the American

been, great hardship is certain to en- cities in which permanent expositions of Chinese products will be establish-The water question is of such great ed, and exhibits of American manuand far-reaching importance that it Peking, Singapore, Hongkong, Hanis practically necessary that the gov- kow and perhaps other centers of ernment should take a hand in set- population in China.

tling it. To turn the mining community ov-

er to the mercies of a private concession will not be satisfactory to anyone and this fact was amply recognized by the convention in adopting the resolution above quoted. BL It is apparent, therefore, that the platform upon which Mr. Ross stands is not a mere collection of catch phrases intended merely to win votes. On the contrary it is a broad-guage document, designed to furnish a working basis for the candidate who champions it and may be accepted as the guide which Mr. Ross will follow when the action of the Liberal con-

vention has received popular endorsemorrow afternoon. ment at the polls.

council to give needed assistance to Race the free library will meet with general approval. The free library is a worthy institution and has been an untold blessing to hundreds of men both of Dawson and from the creeks. Will Not be a Candidate for the Until the Carnegie library is estab-Speakership-Horace Boies lished it will be necessary to main-

for Congress. tain the existing institution or go Dubuque, Ia., Spet. 17. - Speaker on the fair, frank, broad lines that a relative employed in the depart-

Clarke does not possess a single drawn from the race for re-election their want of confidence was justi- ally denied, that Mr. Beddoe person-

to congress and declines the nomina-tion which was tendered him some There was a platform read at that Clarke, and even as editor of the qualification which makes him a de- to congress and declines the nomina- fied. weeks ago. The cause assigned for meeting, which had been prepared by News he has yet to publish his first The French-Canadians can take care had charge of the back door in weeks ago. The cause assigned for incerting, which had been emasculation editorial that the so-called oppos-the action is dissatisfaction with the Dr. Catto. With some emasculation of it is a so-called opposwhich should commend him to the trusts and demanded that trust- determ ned to hold a convention. The electoral district in the house of

"Resolved, That the government be voters of the Yukon. On his private made goods should go on the free feature of the meeting was a long commons at Ottawa. "Resolved, That the government be requested immediately to make care-ful examination, and obtain reports to times are times and be defeated ful examination, and obtain reports." The speaker is the times are times are to the full of the full examination and declines to the full examination and obtain reports. The speaker is the times are to the full examination and the full examination and obtain reports. The speaker is the times are to the full examination and the full examination are to the full examination and the full examination are to the

withdrew.

The announcement has caused a po- first gave his resignation as member The election is still more than two litical sensation. Its result upon the of parliament into the hands of a have been as scrupulously ignored as months away but if it were twice as elections in Iowa is feared. The Dem- committee. Dr. Catto made an in-it was during the time when in his far it would be impossible to ex- ocrats are making a fight to capture dignant speech against this. He held newspaper he was libelling everyone haust the anti-Clarke ammunition at some congressmen from Iowa, and to that to give such a pledge would of prominence in order to get into some congressmen from towa, and to that to get into that end have induced ex-Governor show an entire lack of confidence in jail and be able to pose as a politi-Inus brieny but luny is covered hand. The campaign so far as that that end have induced ex-Governor show an entire lack of connected and be able to pose as a point-the candidate selected, and how could the candidate selected, and how could cal martyr. And is general throughsooner or later will affect the welfare particular feature is concerned has for the presidential nomination, to the territory be asked to support a out the territory his candidacy has had no confidence ? Woodworth also those who have votes and sufficient spoke against it, but merely that intelligence to appreciate the dignity

Thompson, W. L. Walsh, C. P. Mc- Since the convention not one of the

Caul and others were conspicuous by leading Conservatives has given to

meeting would prove to be conducted as a Liberal on the ground of having

Bishop Breynat Welcom. A meeting was held in St. Mary's such an ante-election promise would of the ballot.

It is to be hoped that Clarke's school on Sunday evening to con- not hold water after election. But Only once has this silence been that gold was first discovered on domination of the News will not re- sider what steps should be taken to Joe Clarke, its originator, said he broken in regard to his candidacy, sult as disastrously as has been the new bishop of this diocese, Bishop acted upon after election, in the Breynat. It resulted in the appoint- Breynat. It resulted in the appointlution pledging the unions of the ter-

committee consists of Mayor Ma- So that those who vote for Clarke ritory to support Clarke's candidacy, caulay, Mr. Justice Macaulay, Alex are in reality voting for a man who but one of the working men jumped

Macdonald, Aug. Noel, F. X. Gos- will go to Ottawa not to carry out up and waving a \$10 bill said : "If selin, J. E. Girouard, L. L. James the wishes of the people of the Yu- had had that in '98 I could have got Chicago, Sept. 9.-China and the selin, J. E. Girouard, L. L. James the wishes of the population of a committee into the gold commissioner's office consequence the early freshets are loss of a committee will meet this evening at eight of three, of which beyond the shadow of a doubt Moses McGregor will be claim." The hearty laughter and cheers which immediately followed Attention is only drawn to these showed how thoroughly the remark

For the information of the curlers peculiar politics at this time in order was understood and appreciated. It

Secretary Burns states that the ac- to revive in the memory what occur- even led Clarke to say in his address commodations in the new athletic red when the same trick was tried by later on that much had been said as building for curling will be most am- Clarke at the beginning of the mun- to his evil character and that he ple. There will be two aisles of the icipal campaign, when every candi- realized what a revelation it would regulation size, well lighted, and a date for the city council, even those be for one such as he to appear i

smoking room about thirty feet of Clarke's following, thought it ne the house of commons. square heated by steam. This room cessary to declare on the platform, These words are quoted from the News' report of his speech, published

will have a frontage entirely of "There are no strings on me." glass, thus giving ladies and others So this mass meeting determined yesterday alternoon. The speech prosplendid facilities for witnessing the to call a convention for the election vides an occasion for Mr. Beddoe to games with all the comfort and of a candidate with strings on him, say a few words editorially of the and in accordance with the resolu- "popularity" of the News' candidate. There will be an entrace to the tions then passed primaries for the It is generally believed that a warmth of their own parlors. curling rink on the alley next to A. election of delegates were held all "deal" has been made by which Mr. B. hall, and also from the main over the territory. The work at the Beddoe is to be supported by building. The curling members of mass meeting, it was pointed out by Clarke faction for mayor, and that the association who are shareholders some of those who attended, was "a his present subservient support of the will have all the privileges of the as- little coarse," so Clarke did not put man he only a few months ago consociation, including the skating rink in an appearance at any of these pri- temptuously ignored is the price he is

and the use of the gymnasium and maries outside of the city. When paying for it. they took place Clarke was around The first meeting of the so-called town saying, "You can see the prim- opposition party was held in July. reading and writing rooms. aries are going to be on the square, The first meeting of the Yukon Lib-

233 FRONT ST. + Phone 101-B came up for hearing yesterday after- Clarke's nominees were appointed as duly issued. The convention which

delegates. The Dawson primary; however, was ing and concluded in the unanimous J. F. Lee. J. H. Rogers, J. W. Young, Traffic I gr, Gen'l Agt. City Ticket Ag noon but was again enlarged to to- delegates.

The case of Louis Spitz, charged with keeping a common gaming house at the rear of the Aurora saloon, at the saw to it that all primaries, and he saw to it that all of a member of parliament had been "Fortymile, Saturdays 10 a.m."

