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KLONDIKE NUGGET. TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1903.

BOARD OF TRADE PAMPHLET.

The pamphlet issued by the board of trade in connection with the Treadgold grants, the text of which pamphlet was published in a recent issue of the Nugget, presents the case of the miners of the Klondike in a very satisfactory manner.

It is pointed out in the pamphlet in a clear and concise manner to what extent Treadgold is given privileges over and above those enjoyed by individual miners in the district, and the fact is at once made plain to the reader that confirmation of the rights given to Treadgold and associates will result in ultimate absorption by them of a large portion of the most valuable mining ground in the district.

This protest emanating from the local board of trade should receive hearty support and encouragement throughout Canada. Every board of trade or other commercial body in the Dominion should be found willing to lend its aid and support to the anti-Treadgold fight.

It means more confidence in the future of the district, more investments in legitimate enterprises, more employment for labor and more men making a competence as the result of their labors.

With Treadgold enthroned, as he surely will be if his concession is sustained, there will be less scope for the merchants of Dawson, fewer individual claims working, a decrease in the number of men given employment and practical cessation of prospecting in the district.

public water supply will join in wishing that the gusher will prove a practical success in raising water on the hills. Major General Miles, commander of the United States army, has given publication to some exceedingly severe strictures upon the methods pursued by the army officers in their treatment of the Filipinos.

The sluicing season has begun in earnest, and from reports received as to the preparations made on the different creeks there will be no let up until the frosts again close the streams.

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BIDS OPENED

Offers Are Made for Construction Work of Sound Defenses.

Port Townsend, April 11.—The opening and aggregating of bids on two important contracts to be let by the government in connection with the establishment of elaborate defensive works in this vicinity have occupied the time of the force in the office of Major George H. Penrose, United States constructing quartermaster of this district, the past week.

Mr. Byers was a Republican and became a power in politics, but never held any office except that of postmaster in 1864, 1865 and 1879. He was married in Muscatine, Iowa, in 1854, to Miss Elizabeth Sumner and his wife and two children survive him.

FOR SALE.—Good Dog Team—two first-class leaders, 4 April, 345 Duke street.

Seattle people later asked leave to withdraw their bid owing to some mistake that was made. This of course is a private business matter between the firm and the government and cannot be verified.

FORT WORDEN BIDS.

On the Worden contract there were five whole bids submitted. The offers in detail were as follows: Hastie & Douglas, Spokane, whole bid, \$71,048; Andrew Stegerwald, Port Townsend, whole bid, \$71,750; reduced by combination to \$71,194; Hemmingway & Co., Seattle, whole bid, \$79,950; Casway & Carney, Seattle, whole bid, \$76,593; and Nichols & Co., Tacoma, whole bid, \$74,355.

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BUILT BY CAESAR

When Julius Caesar built his magnificent theatre of Marcellus, he probably had no notion that a day would come when an Italian noble, hard up, would be forced to sell the famous pile in order to satisfy the demands of his creditors.

Prince Orsini, the present head of the family whose name is so famous in Italian history, is heavily in debt in many quarters, and when his chief creditor, Commendatore Menotti, proposed to pay himself by selling the ancient palace of the Orsini family, an immense public outcry arose against so interesting a historical monument being sold, if sold at all, to private parties.

Now that plans for celebrating Victoria Day are to be actively taken up, the Stroller feels called upon to make further mention of certain suggestions brought forward in these columns some weeks ago.

THE ELDORADO GUSHER. At the very earliest possible moment means should be taken to pray whether or not the Eldorado gusher may be made available for raising water to the surrounding hills.

Stroller's Column.

Some day there will happen along to this part of the world a writer of stories who will grasp the spirit of the Klondike after a fashion not yet attempted—or at least not successfully—and produce a masterpiece of literature.

Great books are almost invariably founded upon great events. Not imaginary happenings—but real doings of living, breathing humanity.

There are fakirs in every craft and profession under the sun—men who prefer to make their wits serve the purpose of giving them three meals and a bed rather than engaging in legitimate effort, and sometimes they number women among them.

Just before he left he was approached by a woman who desired passage to Dawson. She had exhausted her funds but was representing a big eastern daily and as soon as she reached Dawson could lay her hands on all kinds of money.

When the team finally pulled up on First Avenue the woman took her grip, which was all the baggage she carried, and stepped off the sleigh. The freighter asked if he should go to the bank with her.

LAST WEEK OF REMOVAL SALE

Next week will see us in our new store at 165 Second Avenue where we will have more room to show our stock.

Ladies' Flannel Blouses, Nice Colors and Late Styles, each \$3.00. Boys' Suits, 2 and 3 pieces, each, \$3 and \$4.

J. P. McLENNAN. 35c Cretonnes at 35c, 50c Cretonnes at 35c. The Cretonnes at 50c. Curtain Poles, Brass Rods and Window Shades at lowest prices.

"Palazzo" is unoccupied and practically abandoned at present, and nightly serves as a foregathering place for all sorts of poor and homeless creatures.

The ancient theatre of Marcellus, the remains of which most of the many American and other visitors to the Palazzo Orsini go to see, though begun by Julius Caesar, was finished by Augustus and named for his nephew.

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