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AMUSEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Auditorium—"A Crazy Idea." Orpheum—Burlesque and Vaudeville.

FOREST FIRES.

The manner in which the timber resources of this territory are being destroyed through the agency of forest fires is little less than criminal.

In older provinces measures are taken every summer to protect the forest reserves by the establishment of a regular system of patrols.

It is obvious, however, in this country that anything in the nature of a systematic forest patrol is out of the question.

The only remedy at hand is through an appeal for individual care on the part of every one who has occasion to build a fire in the woods.

The timber resources of the territory are among its most valued possessions, and every tree that is destroyed by fire represents so much of a loss.

The extremely sensitive nerves of our contemporary the News have been greatly overwrought of late by the numerous whistles which are sounded in Dawson at various times during the day.

ways welcome. We wish there were more whistles. When noon time and six o'clock arrive, nothing would be more pleasant than to hear the whistles from half a hundred places, for wherever a whistle is heard, there is always to be found men employed and a pay roll.

The coroner's jury which has been investigating into the causes of the Fernie disaster has found that the explosion was due to neglect on the part of the mine management.

Hard cash is now coming forward for quartz investments, an indication which is most favorable. At the very least, two properties will be thoroughly exploited this summer and definite information as to their value secured.

The government will expend upwards of \$2,000,000 in this territory during the ensuing 12 months. If Ottawa did not have reasonable grounds for belief in the permanent nature of the camp, it is not likely that any such sum would have been appropriated.

Home for Dogs

Chicago, June 14.—The Chicago dog is a power in society. Not only are the petted and cherished darlings of appreciative dog fanciers regarded as most precious and surrounded by every luxury, but the day of the technically worthless and quite unpedigreed dog of unrecognizable family and unattractive origin would appear to have dawned most auspiciously.

Not Size, But Quality

The question whether the size of the head is correlated with intellectual attainment has been discussed for years in scientific circles but very little has come out of the discussion proving the case either one way or the other.

Ladies' White Shirt Waists And Children's Straw Sailor Hats Received by Express Today. J. P. McLENNAN. 253 FRONT ST. Phone 101-B.

man, this is rather due to the better nutrition of the latter. The Chinaman is noted for the size of his brain, yet he is not in popular opinion blessed with a greater portion of genius than the average westerner.

SOMETHING TANGIBLE

Propositions Submitted Last Night

Three Parties File Bids and Plans for the New Water Works System.

At last the water works proposition is assuming a tangible form. Pursuant to the request of the council, City Engineer Rendell prepared specifications for a system such as will be adequate to meet the demands of the city, and at last night's meeting of the council three different parties submitted facts and figures pertaining to the plant which they are willing to install and the remuneration and other privileges they expect to enjoy in return for the expenditure so made.

The plan submitted by J. A. Williams for the Dawson Electric Light and Power Company, is not so elaborate nor does it go so greatly into detail. It says: "It gives us pleasure to herewith submit for your kind consideration and acceptance the following proposition for furnishing you with water."

"We propose and agree to lay 8-inch pipe from the plant to the north-east corner of Second street and from thence to the foot of Seventh street 6-inch pipe, Second and First streets west of Third avenue, 6-inch pipe, with thirteen hydrants as shown on the enclosed map.

"Pumping capacity, 1400 gallons per minute. Pressure at hydrants with two hose connections, one hundred pounds when needed.

"The great advantage of using as small mains as possible, even at a much greater first cost of plant, is that under ordinary service the velocity of circulation would be so low that it would be much more difficult in our extremely cold weather to prevent ice forming in the pipes, and as the conditions here are so different from anywhere else, we are compelled to adopt different and original methods to maintain and guarantee a constant supply of water in our winter months.

"A hydrant pressure of 100 pounds at the corner of Third avenue and Sixth street will insure the following pressures at the different hydrants: Sixth street and Third ave., 100 lbs.; Fifth st. and Third ave., 108.31 lbs.; Fourth st. and Third ave., 118.95 lbs.; Third st. and Third ave., 123.57 lbs.; Second st. and Third ave., 133.74 lbs.; First st. and Third ave., 143.91 lbs.; Harper st. and Third ave., 154.08 lbs.; Mission st. and Third ave., 159.03 lbs.; on the reserve, 167.03 lbs.; at pumping station, 181.40 lbs.

have given the question of locating hydrants to the best advantage a great deal of study, and feel confident it will meet with your approval.

"To insure above results the plant will comprise two boilers of 125 horsepower each, arranged to be used either independently or connected. A duplex, compound, condensing pump, 22x30x12x18 of the most modern construction, which will furnish a maximum of 1400 gallons per minute under 250 pounds per square inch initial pressure and a reserve pump of the same type as above and about one-half the capacity, thus insuring sufficient water at all times and under any circumstances.

"The large pump will be kept in motion at all times, thus insuring an immediate response to any call for water. I also propose to have one fire banked and the boiler under a full head of steam at all times with a reserve of paraffined fuel ready for any emergency.

"I also propose to run the First avenue main as far as Ninth street, discharging into a 30,080 gallon tank, to which a fire engine could be attached in case of emergency in that part of the city.

"As we are the ones most concerned, you will readily see that we cannot afford to take any risks, and if we don't deliver the goods it will cost you anything, but on the contrary it will cost us a very large sum of money to install the above plant.

"Provided you will grant us a franchise to sell water, we will charge for same \$833 per month."

"First—The city to grant me an exclusive franchise free to perform said work, and to make an eight-year contract with me. I agree to install the plant for the following rates to be paid annually: Forty thousand dollars for the first year, and \$23,480 dollars for each and every year thereafter, during the life of my contract with the city. I agree to go outside myself at once and rush the plant in, and have the same installed before the close of September next.

"I am prepared to put up a certified check for \$25,000 as a bond that I will faithfully perform the work, said check to remain in the hands of the city treasurer until the plant is completed and tested."

Philadelphia, June 14.—Willis Sharpe Kilmer of Binghamton, N. Y., laughed when told of the fort which the good people of Absecon, N. J., have erected to prevent him from "scorching" through that place with his \$26,000 automobile, the "Green Demon," in his coming effort to break Charles M. Schwab's record for the Atlantic City-Camden run.

cannon that has lain idle on the village green since Revolutionary days will be resurrected by the determined Jerseymen, and loaded to the muzzle with rusty nails and scrap iron, and set to guard the approaches under the command of old "Cap" Brown.

It is feared that the reckless chauffeur from Binghamton, N. Y., will meet his fate, for "Cap" has sworn to nail him fast to the "Green Demon." It is a curious coincidence that the last time this old cannon was fired it was touched off by the hand of General George Washington in his attack on the famous drunken Hessian General Rahl at the battle of Trenton.

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Mr. Ryan refuses to deny a report that the miners of Illinois will strike in sympathy with the Pennsylvania and the Illinois miners are going to confer with President Mitchell regarding a sympathetic strike in the Illinois fields.

A Good Opportunity. Anyone contemplating the purchase of machinery would find it to their advantage to apply to The Canadian Bank of Commerce, Whitehorse, who sides saws, belting and engine supplies, they have for sale: 1 Walrath 40 Horse-power Horizontal Engine. 1 Atlas 35 Horse-power Boiler. 1 Albion 20 Horse-power Vertical Boiler. 1 Albion 26 Horse-power Vertical Engine. 1 Mitchell 20 Horse-power Vertical Engine. 1 Complete Sawing Plant, including Saw Frame, Log Turner, Log Hoist, etc. 1 Pile Driver. Complete Blacksmith Outfit.

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Fire in Philadel... Philadelphia, June 13.—The Novelty I... of M. Rosenblatt &... brick structure at... streets, and regul... ries to a dozen pers... school, opposite... was damaged, th... posed adjoining the fact... and nine other's... damaged. The rapid... gave rise to run... number of employes had... burning factory, b... proved to be erro... there were many sens... row escapes, most... hundred men and women... factory saving the... from the window... by firemen.

Katie Schedel, aged... down a ladder by... was badly injured... tion is reported as se... ously injured are: George Jerbert, aged... Snyder, aged 23... and leg fracture... Schaefer, aged... Trankerman, a... about the body... Rosenblatt estim... \$15,000, and the loss... is estimated

Town Wiped... Melika, Ala., June 1... a place of 1,500... wiped away today... reaching at least... insurance will not b... The fire originated... machine works... blowing, and the... building to buildi... town was ablaz... water works an... stricken people cou... what belongs to... see from the awf... tion of the Centr... way was burned w... The telegraph of... postoffice, saloons... together w... and other offices, w