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WHO VOTED FOR DEMOCRAT CLARK.

Boers Defy Roberts' Proclamation and Make Their Last Stand.

INDIFFERENT CHINESE NEWS.

Colorado Cowboys and Sheepmen at Ours—Big Coal Strike Threatened —More Boundary Trouble.

From Wednesday's Daily.
Helena, Mont., Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—The Republican state convention now in session here has asked for the resignation of four Republican state senators who voted for Clark for United States senator. The resolution calling for such resignations carried without debate. It is proposed to fill the positions with Republicans who would not vote for a Democrat.

Boers Making Last Stand.

Lancon, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—The Boers are making their last stand in defiance of Lord Roberts' proclamation. Buller has been fighting continuously since August 21st and his progress is now blocked by Botha in the Lydenburg mountains, where the Boers' position is stronger than at Laing's Nek. The Boers' position was unavailingly attacked for three days and now a flank movement is being projected. This will surely be the last stand made by the Transvaal Boers as they can not possibly retreat to the northward owing to the hostile feelings of the natives towards them.

Indifferent Chinese News.

Washington, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—Ambassador Porter at Paris advises the home government that the

attitude of the French towards the Chinese is favorable to the position taken by the Russians.

Germany, while anxious to avoid friction with the other powers, contends that the continuous presence of the German forces are required in Peking, and it is generally believed that Germany's views are concurred in by Italy and Austria. England is silent on the matter but it is believed she will follow the initiative taken by Germany that the troops remain in Peking. The position of Japan is not definite, although it seems that France is really the only other power that fully concurs with Russia in her proposition to withdraw the troops; although America expressed an intention of following the same course of action unless the other powers can offset a modification of Russia's position.

So far as known Russia has not yet withdrawn her troops from Peking, and the all important question is: What is the power and status of Li Hung Chang?

All direct communication with Peking is cut off, but news comes by way of Shanghai that the Boxers have cut all the wires and are very active around Tientsin.

Colorado Troubles Continue.

Denver, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—Reports from Walensburg are that the whole country is involved and up in arms owing to the feud between the sheep and cattle men. The sheep were eating all the grass when a band of cattle herders drove 3000 sheep over a precipice, killing them. This act precipitated violent trouble and the whole country has taken sides. The state militia was ordered out by the governor and is on the way to the scene of trouble.

Coal Miners May Strike.

Columbus, O., Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.—If the miners' convention now in session at Indianapolis, orders a general strike, as is threatened, 142,000 anthracite miners will walk out and fully one million people will be thrown out of employment in consequence. The sections of the country which will be most affected by the contemplated strike are western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio.

Boundary Trouble.

Skagway, Sept. 12.—The British Columbia boundary commission left here yesterday for the Porcupine mining country to adjudicate the mining claims owned by Americans but which the *modus vivendi* boundary line established puts in British territory. Hon. Justice Martin, of Atlin, heads the commission.

More Stock for Dawson.

Skagway, Sept. 12.—Miller Bros. have reached here with a large consignment of live stock for Dawson which they will rest a week before continuing on the trip.

Wants to Contest.

Some weeks since a man named Coburn who said he represented a man named Smith, made the statement that he was ready to post a sum of money, anywhere from \$2000 to \$2500 as a wager that Frank Smith could best any heavy-weight in the country barring Slavin in a boxing contest.
Last evening Vincent White posted \$1000 with Tommy McDonald in the Aurora saloon, as a forfeit and guarantee that for the sum named he could put Smith out of business.

Street Work.

The final touches are being given to many of the streets for the present year. A large force of convicts is being worked and the streets are being cleaned of all trash and filth, the accumulation of many months. The streets of Dawson, or many of them, will be in fine shape for snow when it comes.
Bicycle hose, a large variety, Oak Hall, opp. S.-Y. T. dock.

Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a. m. tomorrow from Yukon dock.

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A new star has risen and taken a place in the political firmament of the Yukon territory. At present the new luminary is not fixed, but is willing to become so, if such is the will of the people.

Attorney Auguste Noel has declared himself in a way not to be misunderstood. He is a candidate for one of the two seats in the council, and proudly asserts that he is not the choice of any clique or party, and comes before the people without the endorsement of anyone excepting his friends who are not organized, but who say they are ready to do some hard work to assist him to the coveted seat.

"I believe I could do much good in the council, if elected," said Mr. Noel yesterday, "and because of this belief I am going to do what I can to get the office."

"I know what I am doing in this matter, as I have had some little political experience before. In 1897 I was a candidate for a seat in the federal parliament, from Atabaskaville, when I was defeated by a small majority. Although I was not successful in my campaign then, the experience will be of value to me now, and I have very strong hopes of being elected."

Concerning his line of campaign Mr. Noel had nothing to say, but possibly an inkling may be gained when his attitude, at the time the citizens' committee was deciding the momentous question of memorializing the governor general is remembered. At the time he stoutly maintained that it was not within the scope of usefulness occupied by the citizens' committee to offer such an affront to the governor general as would be contained in such a memorial as was contemplated.

It was commonly thought at the time that the issues involved in the memorial and its preparation, would act only as they were at the time intended to, but it becomes clear now that the issues then, to a certain extent are to be also features of this campaign.

Councilman Girouard was asked yesterday where he stood in the present campaign and had no hesitancy in saying that he was going to support Mr. Noel, though beyond this statement and the one to the effect that Mr. Noel represented no clique, party or political ring, and stood for everything good and nothing bad, he had nothing to say.

Is It All Gone?

To the average citizen the question is one of but minor import, but to

others it is a most interesting one. The question to which reference is made is simply this: "Has the slumber brand of hooch become exhausted?"

Conditions warrant the answer: "It has."

Not since last Friday has the police court seen a victim of the brand. There have been drunks, to be sure, but no street sleepers, and not for many previous months have five days passed without from one to a score of slumber brand victims being up. Logical deduction, therefore, warrants the conclusion that the brand has all been served, its effects slept off and that from now on the stereotyped charge "drunk and asleep" will be heard no more.

This information will be hailed with delight and thanksgiving by many who, to use a homely phrase, have been there. They have reposed on the unswept sidewalk or in a damp, maddy alley, where dogs would creep by stealth at midnight. Next morning they would have an alley taste and a "\$5 and costs" feeling; therefore, the above information will be to them as balm to a bleeding heart—grease to a squeaking axle, so to speak.

A Cat With a Habit.

In an ill-advised moment of what was intended for a mark of friendship, someone recently gave Andy McKenzie a white cat. Now, cats are all right ordinarily, and especially white cats. A dy dotes on them. That is, when they have no abnormal propensities and are otherwise well behaved, and even as it is with the one in question, he is restless and ill at ease if it is out of his sight longer than five consecutive minutes. The reason of this is that Andy has learned by high priced cat-experience that when the white cat is gone longer than that it signifies that it has ran away, and then he thinks of the many times it has done so before, and that in turn reminds him that on each of these lamented occasions he has had to pay a reward of \$2.50 for its return. He has done this so often that he says when the cat purrs it sounds like the rustling of bank notes.

Another Inheritance.

They are arriving almost daily now—the notices to inheritors of large fortunes; in fact, the mails are too slow to bring them in. The last one came last evening by wire. This time the mantle of riches and surprise has fallen upon Mrs. James Flannery, who seems to be bearing up well, and this morning appeared not a whit flurried or cast down by the sudden burden of the responsibility of great and sudden wealth.

This time the wealth inherited is in the good old state of Missouri, where people who have to be shown come from, and Mrs. Flannery is making all possible effort to get ready to leave the Klondike vale before the river freezes.

The estate which is spoken of, as almost anything up to \$200,000, consists of money and tracts of land.

The lady is entitled to congratulations.

New Show at Standard.

The Standard Theater Company of all-star players will produce Dion Boucicault's famous Irish drama, "The Shaughraun" next week. This is the play in which Boucicault made himself famous. It offers splendid opportunities for histrionic talent of an emotional nature, but withal there is a rich vein of comedy running through the play. The Standard artists will make special scenery which will give a very realistic effect to stage settings.

Wanted.

Information by her husband, of the whereabouts of Mrs. J. P. Sinton, who was last heard from at St. Michael. Come to his office. p12

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