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AMUSEMENTS.

Auditorium—"Master and Man," Standard—Vaudeville.

THE WISER PART.

The name of Mr. Ross is proving a magic talisman which is bringing support from every quarter. The people are now thoroughly awakened to the importance of the issue and are flocking to the aid of Mr. Ross, who is essentially the candidate of the masses.

The platform upon which Mr. Ross stands deals with the Treadgold matter in the following terms: "Whereas, The Supply of water and power to the mines on the creeks is one of the most serious questions of the day in the Yukon territory; and

Resolved, That the government be requested immediately to make careful examination and obtain reports upon the subject with a view of remedying forthwith the Treadgold situation, and undertaking such supply as a national enterprise."

Pay Raised. San Bernardino, Cal., Oct. 3.—It has been officially announced that the Santa Fe shops that hereafter the day of apprentices will be increased 11 cents a day.

the height, depth, length and breadth of their platform. The voters will not support a man upon any such foolish plea. The government which admittedly wronged the country in '98 is today contributing to the very best of its ability to foster and promote the welfare of the district.

OPENING ARRANGED

Athletic Association to be at Home

November 1st Fixed as the Date for Taking Possession of New Home.

November 1 is the date set for the opening of the Athletic Association building, that date being the beginning of the fiscal year. Since ground was first broke the construction of the building has progressed with marvellous rapidity and it is now so near completion that a large force of the carpenters will be dismissed and paid off this evening.

What the nature of the opening exercises will be the board of management has not yet determined. It will probably be a little more than a grand gala with an exchange of greetings and hearty congratulations between the members of the association and their friends.

The News of last evening contains the startling announcement that the Skagway Alaskan will support Joe Clarke for parliament. Now, indeed, the loyal Ross men, the time has arrived when your vote must be pulled off. No more loitering by the wayside—no more time expended in idleness—no more foolishness of any nature whatsoever.

Embroidery Silks, Sewing Silks, Pearl Buttons, Novelty Belts, Chatelaine Bags. Received by Express. J. P. McLENNAN, 233 FRONT ST. Phone 111-B.

What Becomes of Ocean Wrecks?

The currents of the North Atlantic ocean, bear always on their ruffled surfaces, year in and year out, at least two score of derelicts—half sunk and abandoned vessels that drift aimlessly over the sea, helpless, lonely, pitiful menaces to navigation as fatal to their sister ships as sunken rocks, fogbound icebergs or hurricanes.

Why the currents of the North Atlantic should be so plentifully laden with these lonely carcasses of once gallant ships, to say nothing of numerous spars, tree trunks and misguided, truant buoys, is not altogether because that part of the sea is so full of commerce, but on account of the nature and direction of the currents themselves.

The sun shines down and heats the air lying over the tropic seas; and the air, becoming thereby lighter per cubic foot, rises to a higher level. Then the cool air from the polar regions flows toward the equator to take its place. But when you stir your cup of coffee in the morning, though it all goes round together, you will notice that the little bubbles in the center, revolving in a smaller circle, don't go so fast as the bubbles near the inside of the cup. So with the spinning earth.

What is true of a bottle is unfortunately true of derelicts, except that they don't usually float so long. In other words, give a derelict time, no matter where she starts from within this area, and she will twice cross the tracks of sailing vessels between England and the equator, and eventually, nearly all the transatlantic steamer routes.

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with a description of the object is given to the American consul, who forwards it to Washington. In the hydrographic office at Washington is a large blackboard on which the location of these reported objects is jotted down each day. Once a month a chart is made from the data collected on the boards and copies of it are printed and sent to all sea captains who contribute the data to fill it.

The information about these wandering obstacles cannot, of course, be strictly up to date. By the time the shipmaster gets his chart with their paths and last-reported locations marked on it, they are somewhere else; but the somewhere else can be predicted with reasonable accuracy.

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The work of the derelict-hunters does not, however, stop with merely locating them. For those that lie well outside the main lines of travel, it is sufficient, but when a ship is in the vicinity of a derelict, it is necessary to give a warning for approaching vessels until she finally sinks.

The amount of employment our hydrographic office finds in wrecks cannot be appreciated till one sees one of their charts. The labyrinth of derelict trails at sea and the scores of wreck buoys among the shoals along the coast completely alter one's preconceived ideas of how many wrecks there are, and of the amount of danger arising from them.

Get Others Prices. The 2 come to me and get your outfit. Prices Always the Lowest. T. W. Grennan, King St., Cor. Sixth Ave.

WE are now prepared to do all kinds of Casting & Machine Work. Repairing a Specialty. Yukon Saw Mill Machine Works and Foundry. 1st Ave. and Duke St. Phone 27. Dawson.

Gallows Being Constructed

Nome, Sept. 13.—The gruesome task of preparing the apparatus for the purpose of hanging Fred Hardy, September 19, is now quietly being carried on.

Deputy Marshal Barney Estabrook has arrived from Kongarek City to act as master of ceremonies at the first official hanging that has ever taken place in Alaska since the Sam has owned the country.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

PATTULLO & RIDLEY - Advocates, Notaries, Conveyancers, etc. Rooms 7 and 8 A. C. Office Bldg. Pacific Coast Steamship Co. Affords a Complete Coastwise Service, Covering Alaska, Washington, California, Oregon and Mexico.

EMIL STAUF

Agent for Harms & Ladus "Concrete Co." Patent's Building, Woodrow Adams. The Imperial Life Insurance Company. Collections Promptly Attended to. Money to Loan. N. C. Office Bldg, King St.

Last Trip Str. Clifford Sifton. WILL SAIL FOR WHITE HORSE. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17th, at 2:00 p. m. L. JAMES Agent. Aurora Dock.

STR. GASCA Leaves Dawson for Whitehorse MONDAY, OCT. 20th, 2 P. M. Office, Aurora Dock. Frank Mortimer, Agent.

The White Pass & Yukon Route. Operate the Fastest and Best Appointed Steamers Between Whitehorse and Dawson. Str. Victorian Will Sail for Whitehorse Friday, October 27 2:00 P. M.

New Stock AT THE NUGGET JOB PRINTERY New Type THE ORR & TUKEY CO., Ltd. STAGE AND LIVERY.

Alaska Flyers. OPERATED BY THE... Alaska Steamship Co. DOLPHIN AND HUMBOLDT Leave Skagway Every Five Days. SCHEDULE: DULPHIN leaves Skagway for Seattle and Vancouver, trans-fering to Victoria, Sept. 11, Oct. 1, 11, 21, 31. HUMBOLDT for Seattle direct, transferring to Vancouver and Victoria, Sept. 6, 16, 26; Oct. 6, 16, 26. Also A 1 Steamers Drigo and Farallon Leaving Skagway Every 15 Days.