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KLONDIKE NUGGET.



AMUSEMENTS.

Auditorium Theatre - "The Senator." Standard Theatre - Vaudeville.

LIEN LAWS.

Legislation thus far attempted for the protection of miners' wages has proven ineffective and entirely inadequate for the accomplishment of the desired purpose.

Councilman Wilson's proposed "Deception Bill" has nothing to commend it and in point of fact even if it were passed it would in all probability be pronounced illegal and unconstitutional the first time a case under its provisions was brought before the courts.

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The fact of the matter seems to be that the desire to pass effective legislation upon the point at issue is wanting. What has been done thus far has been merely in the nature of a play to the galleries.

The people want a law which will give the laborer protection and which will stand the test of judicial investigation, and they want that law so simple, concise and clear in its terms that no difficulty will be encountered by any laborer of ordinary intelligence in determining just the nature of the protection which it affords him.

Under the proposed division of the territory for electoral purposes the Yukon council will shortly become a distinctly representative body. The people through their chosen spokesmen will then be enabled to a large extent to initiate their own legislation and exercise a direct influence on the course pursued by the territorial legislative body.

ties may be, local conditions will never be satisfactory until the men whose interests are directly concerned have a voice in determining the regulations under which they follow their chosen calling.

More than a year ago the Nugget undertook to show the landlords of Dawson that a general reduction in rental charges was necessitated by the changed condition of business.

The News has boasted so loudly of having accomplished so many wonderful things with which everyone knows it had nothing to do, that if in the dim and distant future it should happen to achieve anything worth while no one would be found who would take any stock in its claims.

The advance in passenger rates which took effect the first of the week will tend materially to decrease the volume of outgoing passenger travel.

With the facts now in possession of the government regarding the record of Joe Clarke while in and out of the government service, about fifteen minutes would be required on the floor of the house to pulverize Joseph so completely that he would never be able to secure a respectful hearing from anyone.

The Sun's cartoonist this morning represented Governor Ross making away with the proposed government assay office in spite of the protests of Miss Yukon.

A Vancouver dispatch announced yesterday that ex-Commissioner William Ogilvie is regarded on the outside as a probable opposition candidate.

The first decided change in the weather will witness a switch in the News' attitude. Cold weather is certain to see the News looking for a new candidate.

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If Gov. Ross is opposed by no one but Clarke he could remain out of the territory and be elected hands down.

By the way, what has become of Dr. Catio?

From Base Line

Bonanza, Sept. 8. Editor Klondike Nugget:

Dear Sir, - Will you please state through the Nugget whether in surveying a creek claim the survey is made from the base line established for the creek or is it made from the line of the original stakes provided the two are not identical?

(The survey under the present regulations is always made from the base line without regard to the stakes erected by the locator.)

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REGULAR MEETING

Of City Council Held Last Night

Number of Amendments and By-Laws Introduced - Clerk's Salary Paid.

The city council met in regular session in the gold commissioner's court in Administration building last evening with all members present.

The council decided last evening to obtain rooms in the McLennan-McPeely building to be fitted up as a council chamber and office of the city clerk, and Alderman Murphy gave notice that in two weeks he would make a motion that the council move from its present to its new quarters.

Among the communications read was one from Palmer and Peterson, the bicycle dealers, asking that the license fee of \$100 they had paid as second hand dealers be refunded.

The following letter received by Mayor Macaulay was read before the council:

"Dear Sir, - About a year ago an uncle of mine was drowned in the Yukon river, Alaska. This information I received through a Swedish newspaper which paper also stated that the deceased left a considerable sum of money deposited mostly in San Francisco banks.

1. If no will was left does the whole estate go to the widow and to the exclusion of any of his relatives? 2. If the widow receives a dowry only can the remainder of the estate be claimed by any two or three or all the relatives only without due notice to all of them.

3. If a will was left, has not the probate court got to notify the beneficiaries of the existence of such will. By answering these questions you will greatly oblige.

Yours respectfully, "MRS. HILMA RINGSTROM, 1035 Maplewood avenue, Bridgeport, Conn.

A communication from the deputy postmaster general stating that the memorial of the council relative to the handling of second class mail during the winter had been received and the matter would be brought to the attention of the postmaster general on his return from Ottawa.

The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company of Toronto acknowledged an order for fire department supplies and called attention to the fact that a clerical error in the order, not in the contract, made the price of the hose \$1.10 per foot when it should be \$1.15.

The present site of the dog pound on the government reserve, yard and enclosure, was voted to be made the permanent site for said structure upon a motion by Alderman Adair.

The pound master is to be authorized to collect 50 cents per day for all dogs kept in the pound. This will be authorized by an amendment to bylaw 14 introduced by Alderman McDonald and passing its second reading at last night's meeting.

Several bylaws amending bylaws previously passed were introduced and given their first reading. These amendments were merely matters of clerical errors.

The finance committee recommended the payment to George Calvert the sum of \$500, salary account for the past two months, and further recommended that Mr. Calvert be employed as assistant clerk at a salary of \$250 per month.

pleted as rapidly as possible and thought probably it would be ready the latter part of the week. He stated that the rate of taxation could not be fixed until after the sitting of the court of revision.

The following bills were ordered paid: E. D. Dolton, \$18; J. P. O'Connor, \$200; W. J. Randall, \$76.65.

Bills read and referred to finance committee: Yukon Telephone Syndicate, \$40; A. M. Brown, \$7.50.

LIGHTING OF STREETS

Dealt With by the City Council

Arrangement Agreed Upon With the Dawson Light and Power Company.

The subject of street lights for Dawson was taken up by the city council at its meeting last evening and the people will be pleased to learn that definite action has been taken in the matter.

The finance committee reported that the subject had been under consideration for some time past and that negotiations had been in progress with the Dawson Electric Light and Power Co. and that on Saturday afternoon last an agreement had been reached whereby the Electric Company was to furnish 100 lights for the year for \$7,800 or \$650 per month.

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The arrangements are all complete and the lamps will be installed as soon as the amendment to the city charter is made by the Yukon council which will give the necessary power to the city council to make contracts extending beyond their term of office.

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AMERICAN POLITICS

Forms Basis of Play This Week

The Senator Produced With Big Cast of Characters Greeted by Crowded House.

The "Senator" produced last night for the first time at the Auditorium brought out a crowded house. In fact first nights are becoming very popular of late and the S. R. O. sign will need to be hung up on Mondays if the Bittner company continues on its present wave of popularity.

The play hinges upon the efforts of old Silas Denman to press a long pending claim upon the attention of the government. In this he is assisted by the newly elected Senator Rivers, who is in love with Mabel Denman, the old man's daughter.

The designing villain in the case is furnished by an attaché of the Austrian legation who finds no difficulty in falling in love with several American women at one time and thereby brings all manner of trouble upon himself and almost upsets the peace and happiness of two households.

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choice and the bad ones get no lady at all.

In the meantime the Denman claim is pushed through the house of representatives and literally rammed down the throat of the senate receives the signature of the president, all due to the persistent efforts and untiring energy of Senator Rivers, who in the end naturally takes possession of Miss Denman as also of the claim.

The play is not particularly strong but the lines furnish abundant room for all the chargers to show their metal, and most of them availed themselves of the opportunity thus presented.

The Senator is a popular play and if last night's patronage may be accepted as a criterion will have a strong run all the week.

The cast is as follows:

- Senator Hanibal Rivers, The Senator Mr. Bittner Count Ernest Von Strabe, an Austrian diplomat Mr. Montgomery Lieut. Geo. Schuyler, U.S.A. Mr. Reader Richard Vance, the Senator's private secretary Mr. Moran Baron Ting Ching, secretary of the Chinese legation Mr. Hooley Alexander Armstrong, secretary of state Mr. Thome Isaac Sharpless, an ex-Congressman Mr. Morris Silas Denman, a relic of the days of Webster Mr. Lewis Rastus, the Senator's servant Mr. Dundas Mabel Denman, daughter of Silas Denman Miss Kellie Mrs. Armstrong, the young wife of Secy. Armstrong Miss Freeman Josie Armstrong, daughter of Secy. Armstrong Miss Walter Mrs. Schuyler, in Washington society Miss Chandon Mrs. Hilary, a susceptible young widow Mrs. Bittner

For suits and trousers see Breechitt's new fall goods.

At Auditorium - The Senator.

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