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KLONDIKE NUGGET.

AMUSEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Auditorium Theatre—"Too Much Johnson."

A MATTER OF DUTY.

A communication published in this paper yesterday respecting the outlook for development of the territory's quartz resources, gives a very encouraging aspect to the situation.

In the main the men who have accomplished what has thus far been done toward demonstrating the existence in paying quantities of gold-bearing rock, have had little aside from their own labor and determination to back them.

There are numerous cases very similar to those we have just described, and it is to such men the community will be indebted if, as every one hopes and believes, a quartz camp is finally established here.

The extraordinarily high prices which have prevailed in this community for all classes of commodities, has made the prospectors' work doubly hard, as was brought out by our correspondent in his reference to the cost of powder.

It appears to the Nugget that a duty now lies before the community and particularly before the big companies and individuals who are possessed of means.

Any man who can produce good reason for belief that he has a quartz prospect in sight should not lack for assistance in carrying his belief to a demonstration.

According to well-established precedent the 15th of January should have been the coldest day of the winter.

While everyone is more or less interested in watching the efforts which are being made to open up quartz mines, the work of extending the area of placer operations is steadily continuing.

MANY ECCENTRIC PATIENTS

Visit Doctors to Have Imaginary Ailments Treated.

Man Who Had Grown and Fattened a Frog in His Stomach—Chronic Invalids.

Yes, I have had some strange patients in my time, as, indeed, every doctor of any experience must have had, said a medical man; and I have performed some wonderful feats of curing by methods which would not be recorded in the "Lancet."

ORDER OF LOUISIANA

Organized to Perpetuate Memory of Great Purchase.

Denver, Col., Dec. 29.—The American Order of Louisiana, organized preliminarily in Denver December 20, has adopted its constitution and elected Will C. Ferril, of Denver, curator of the Colorado State Historical Society, president.

Arkansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Wyoming.

At last, to get rid of the man, I said, "Very well, you may be right after all. At any rate, come here again at this time tomorrow and we will see what can be done."

He came at the appointed time, and I told him that an operation would be necessary, to which he gladly consented. I made him lie down on a couch, administered chloroform, and when he recovered consciousness was able to show him a very large and inflated frog as the result of the operation.

Another of my patients has to thank me for his preserved eyesight—at least, so he is kind enough to say. He informed me that a tin-tack which he had been hammering had sprung up and lodged in his right eye, causing him infinite pain—and certainly the man's eye, from constant rubbing, was in a state of great inflammation.

The charter members are all Coloradans and include Dr. Clayton Parkhill and Frank E. Catstarphen, I. N. Stevens, Thomas J. O'Donnell, F. W. Loveland, Herbert Belford, G. C. Bartels, W. V. Elliott, Arthur Bertels, and Will C. Ferril.

A lady had a cook who gave her every satisfaction, and she was under the impression that the cook was equally satisfied with her place.

"What do you want to leave for, Jane?" asked the mistress. "I am very much pleased with you, and I thought you were quite comfortable here."

"Yes, mum, I'm comfortable enough in a way, but—"

"But what makes you think that your master doesn't appreciate your cookery? Has he ever complained to you?" asked the lady.

"No, mum, but my late master was always being laid up through over-eating,—he said he couldn't help doing so because my cookery was so delicious,—but master here hasn't been laid up once all the three months I've been with you, and that's just what bothers me so, mum!"

Gunboat Conveys Troops. Colon, Colombia, Dec. 29, via Galveston.—The Colombian gunboat Boyaca left Panama early this morning, carrying troops to reinforce General Castro in the interior.

Some people would say that it is wrong to deceive a patient in this way; but I cannot see it. Some women are never happy unless they are "under the doctor's hands," and if one man won't doctor them another will. My medicines certainly do them good, if only in imagination, and in this particular case do not cost my patient a tenth part of the money she spends on her pet dogs.

You did not know that it is possible to turn a man's head completely round without killing the patient, did you? Well, it is for I have done it and ought to know.

About a year ago a man called to ask me if I could do anything for him. He told me that by some means which he could not explain, his head had got twisted completely round, so that the back of it was in front and his face behind.

By an arrangement of mirrors the man was only able to see the back of his head, a fact which, of course, confirmed him in his hallucination.

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VICTIMS OF VENGEANCE

Filipinos Are Killed for Entering American Service.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Many Filipinos who accept service under American rule are visited with awful vengeance by their fellow countrymen.

Another native policeman met his death at the hands of an outlaw band in the barrio of San Antonio, Laguna province.

Two Filipinos who took part in the murder of an unknown native accused of being an American spy, beheading the body and burying it in the city of Manila, were sentenced to be hanged.

The military commission which tried him found him guilty of murder but the sentence was confinement at hard labor for twenty years.

Chinese Prince, Su, Wishes to Attend Edward Coronation.

Peking, Dec. 29.—A party of Manchurian princes, including Prince Su, collector of tax on goods entering Peking, started Saturday to meet the Chinese court.

The dowager empress is making vigorous efforts to assert herself, before the Chinese populace, with a view of renewing the prestige lost by her during the last few years.

The program for the court's return to Peking provides that the emperor shall precede the dowager empress to this city in order that he may be enabled to meet the dowager empress with great honors at the station when she arrives.

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