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The Lure of Gold.

The lure of gold brought death to fifteen men connected with the Gold Ridge mine on the famous "blue lead" in Sierra county, says the Los Angeles Times. Five of that number were slain by Richard Phelan. Phelan was sentenced to San Quentin for twenty-five years and was pardoned by Governor Gage in less than one year, on the ground that the miner was defending life and property at the time that he slew the quintet.

The pioneer is a native of the Emerald Isle, as one quickly discovers from his speech. He is more than six feet tall, broad shouldered and muscular. Just now a touch of rheumatism halts his step. Phelan has spent twenty years in the West and has been trained in the use of the six-shooter before the advent of the night of December 31, 1898, that tested his prowess.

"I was superintendent of the Gold Ridge mine, of which I was part owner, when I learned that some of my associates were in conspiracy to gain control of the mine and get rid of myself and others who were outside the ring," says Phelan in a description of the fight. "This action followed a discovery of a rich strike, which had been kept secret. As a preliminary I was discharged as superintendent. 'The plan of the ring was to fail to do the assessment work necessary to hold the claims and then at the beginning of the new year jump the properties in the names of themselves and their trusted friends.

"I went to the mine to levy on the goods and supplies for \$500 back salary. The mountain was covered with snow and I had to use snow shoes to reach the camp. When I entered the log cabin used as the headquarters of the mine I was met by three armed men. When I stated my mission they laughed at me and informed me that I would not get away alive. There was no assistance nearer than ten miles.

"I stood in a corner and called one of the men a liar. He ran at me as I expected, and I opened my arms and received him. I held him between me and the other two men, one of whom was armed with a rifle and the other a shotgun. The man with the rifle fired at me several times, but was afraid of wounding his friend in my grasp and the shots were wild.

"Finally I got in a position so that I could use my revolver and I shot

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CAPTAIN LEWIS LEAVES.—Capt. John Lewis has gone to Harbor Breton where he will join his vessel which sails shortly with a cargo of salt bulk fish for Gloucester.

T.A. Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the T. A. & B. Society was held yesterday with the President, Mayor Ellis, in the chair, who in his opening remarks congratulated the members upon the Society's fifty-sixth anniversary.

Fifteen new members were admitted, and four members of the Finance Branch were transferred to the Audit Society.

The reports submitted showed the Society to be in good financial standing.

After the reports had been submitted and adopted, the election of officers took place, conducted by Mr. John L. Slattery, as follows:—

President—Mayor Wm. J. Ellis, re-elected.

Vice-President—L. J. Griffin, re-elected.

1st Asst. Vice-President—R. J. Power, re-elected.

2nd Asst. Vice-President—M. P. Summers, re-elected.

1st Treasurer—M. J. Summers, re-elected.

2nd Treasurer—P. Hanley, re-elected.

Cashier—Thomas J. Redmond, re-elected.

Financial Secretary—W. D. Quinn, re-elected.

Grand Marshal—N. J. Murphy, re-elected.

Assistant Marshals appointed—Jno. J. Neville, S. Angel and John J. Fleming.

Auditors appointed—Jno. L. Slattery, James J. Spratt and M. P. Hynes.

Band Committee—P. Hanley, J. P. Grace and James J. Coady.

Special votes of thanks were passed to the Archbishop and clergy, to the press and to Mr. John L. Slattery who conducted the election, and installed the newly elected officers.

Note of Thanks

From the Nfld. British Society. The Ladies Committee of the Newfoundland British Society have finalized all matters connected with the recent Bazaar which was held in the British Hall. The proceeds from all sources amount to the handsome sum of \$2,340.00 (nett). The money has been deposited to the credit of the Society towards the object for which the Bazaar was held. The result is most gratifying and it was unanimously resolved that the sincere thanks of the Society be tendered to the ladies for their untiring efforts during the year, and also to the contributors, patrons and all who so generously assisted in making the Bazaar such a grand success.

W. H. GOODLAND, Pres.
F. P. SAMUELSON, Secy.

Man Shot Himself.

Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings received the following message on Saturday evening from the Customs Collector at Port au Port:—

"A man named Alexander Woods, of Clam Bank Cove, accidentally shot himself on Thursday last, while out bird-shooting."

Big Competition.

Enter this great competition. Win or lose, everyone gets a prize. Only one condition: Write your name and address plainly and send us with ten cents silver and a two cent stamp.

All names will be placed in a box shuffled, and one drawn. The winner receives 15 pint bottles of our "Golden Glow Maple Syrup," absolutely free. You lose nothing as you get a prize anyway. We want everyone to know about our Syrup, hence this offer. Competition closes Dec. 23rd, noon. Write immediately. Address all letters to

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THREE ARRESTS SATURDAY NIGHT.

Only three arrests for inebriation were made on Saturday night. Two of the offenders were released yesterday, and the other appeared in court this morning.

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FLORIZEL'S Passengers.

The following additional saloon passengers went by the S. S. Florizel which sailed on Saturday night for Halifax and New York:—

A. B. and Mrs. Morine, Mrs. E. Blumenthal, Miss D. Blumenthal and L. Blumenthal.

LOADING HERRING.—The ship Independence is now loading herring at Bonne Bay for Gloucester.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, Dec. 14.

The South Lanark election, caused by the death of Sir Walter Menzies, resulted as follows: Watson, Unionist, 4,257; Morton, Liberal, 4,096; Gibb, Laborite, 1,574. The seat had been previously held by a Liberal since won by him in 1908. There have, however, been only two candidates in the last four elections. This election was won on a new register, comprising 11,000 voters; of these 9,337 went to the polls. The Liberals claim the result to be an endorsement of the Government's Irish policy, both the Liberal and Labor candidates being Home Rulers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.

Two Black Hand death threats, received by Giuseppe Cuccio, a wealthy retired contractor, were followed last night by his murder, for failing to pay the money demanded. An unidentified man, crouched in a doorway, fired upon the elderly Cuccio, as he walked through the Upper East Side Street. Cuccio dropped dead with a bullet through his brain. His two sons stood across the street and witnessed the shooting. One went to his father's assistance, whilst the other gave chase to the murderer, who was too fleet, however, and escaped.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.

Rev. Maurice P. O'Connor, rector of the Roman Catholic Church of Holy Cross, Harrison, New Jersey, who practically ruled the destinies of that suburb with a benevolent hand for thirty years, died yesterday.

So great was the mourning for him that flags were half masted, bells tolled and resolutions of condolence were passed by the Council. Father O'Connor waged unrelenting war against all social evils.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 14.

Acting on the suggestions of Senor Colagan, the Spanish Minister, most of the Spaniards in Monterey are preparing to leave the city on a special train for the capital. Fearing that Monterey will be taken by the rebels the minister is anxious that all Spaniards get out of the town in order to obviate similar experiences to those undergone at Chihuahua. The War Office says that fighting at Tampico continues, and that the advantage is on the side of the federals.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14.

An express car on a Southern Pacific train was robbed of \$4,000 in cash by a lone bandit, who beat the express messenger into unconsciousness, and then escaped by leaping from the car at Harahan, about ten miles from here. A special train with deputies left here shortly after midnight for Harahan to take up the pursuit of the robber. That the bandit expected to get \$100,000, which, however, was sent out from here by another Southern Pacific train earlier last night, was the belief of the injured express messenger, who was brought to hospital here.

Golf and Gold.

Have you ever tried to estimate the amount of money spent yearly on golf in England?

If the number of good English golf courses were put at a thousand it would be a modest estimate. Similarly, by giving each of these an average membership of two hundred and fifty the figures would be well within the actual number.

Yet even these conservative figures give a total of two hundred and fifty thousand golfers! Each of these golfers probably pays a yearly subscription of at least £5.—though in many cases the subscription is much higher—making the total paid in subscriptions alone £1,250,000. And each of these clubs probably take at least £50.

Yet even these conservative figures our amount to £1,300,000.

Many golfers, of course, play several times during the week, and the majority certainly play once a week; so, if we allow each player one ball per week, we are not being over-generous. The average price of a golf-ball is a half crown; but by putting the price at an average of two shillings we find that £1,250,000 is spent on balls alone, and that our total has reached the enormous sum of £2,250,000! Adding other expenses, even at these low estimates, brings the amount to £5,125,000.

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Secrets of

In the first place I must be a beginner—writes Mr. G. C. C. that to become a world's walker you must be prepared in at least three years of hard work on the track. But do not frighten you. Hard work need not mean anything, but too little of it means thousands.

Care of the Feet.

The novice, after first seeing his feet are free from sores, exercise great care in the selection of a suitable boot or shoe. They must be broad enough to allow the foot to expand when it takes the form of the whole body. Others should fit like a glove. I may as well with a soft, low top, pulling the sock up tight, the ing it back until it overlaps the foot. Another thing to remember after having a bath is to see that the feet are thoroughly dried, especially between the toes. First dip in with a towel, then finish up with a good dry rub with the hands.

Care should be taken in eating a good plain diet. Fast, new, washed-up dishes, and tinned food, all descriptions should be rigorously banned, as also should stewed tea.

A good substitute for tea is found in Horlick's malted milk, a preparation which I used with gratifying results during my training for my attack on the one mile record of 6 min. 23 sec. held by W. Perkins, and which had stood thirty-nine years. This record is the satisfaction of beating by just second. Having proved the value of Horlick's malted milk as a building food, I have for some included it in my diet with the satisfactory results. I have substituted it for tea and other beverages and I have also found that it is equalled as a nightcap for inducing sleep—a most important point in training.

Fresh eggs, milk, fish, a little marmalade or jam-made jam, a red steak or lean mutton chops, and green vegetables. Rice, quail, tapioca, and stewed fruits should be the basis of the athlete's diet. The suppers should be avoided.

The Correct Attitude.

The first thing a novice should study when getting on the track is balance. The perfect upright position of the body, so that it is always evenly balanced between two props, are, were, is the correct attitude. Do lean backwards, a position very common on the track. The arms should be swung across the body with slight forward and upward movement, the hands closed but not tight, clenched, the whole of the body, from the waistline upwards, swinging loosely in a part circle from right to left and left to right with the stride. First get the quick action, the style will lengthen unconsciously as you

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