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THE TREADGOLD CONCESSION OPEN TO ENTRY

The following telegram was received from Ottawa by the Gold Commissioner at 4:30 p. m.:

Ottawa, April 17, 1902.

E. C. Senkler, Gold Commissioner, Dawson.

Throw open for entry at once all elapsed and abandoned claims withheld from entry by reason of Treadgold Order in Council.

Signed, CLIFFORD SIFTON.

LAST STAGE SATURDAY

No More Passengers to be Carried

Dog Team Will Transport the Mail —Trail is Bare and Badly Flooded.

Saturday next, day after tomorrow, will be the last opportunity of season to go outside over the by one of the regular mail stages, last of the White Pass stages leaving on that date. The recent warm weather of the past few days made such a course imperative, trail on the cutoff being bare in places, particularly on the side facing a southern exposure. The road which was recently built at Hell Gate is also becoming soft and in a few more days be practically impassible for a with any load to speak of. On river ice water has begun to appear in numerous places and another or two will make traveling anything but a pleasure.

Contrary to the plan adopted last year the mail contractors will this not attempt the use of single sleds during the few weeks preceding the breakup, but upon the abandonment of the regular stages will make use of dog teams at once. As the season advances and more open water is encountered a small Peterboro canoe will be carried along so that no delay will be experienced at such places. Next week a pack train will be put on the cutoff which will be used to transport the mail bags instead of sleds.

The stage which left this morning carried but one through passenger, Mrs. Rosa Mittermeier, and ten bags of mail, four of the later being from Nome and way points. Inspector Jarvis was also a passenger for Selkirk. Yesterday's stage brought express matter, ten pieces of freight for the N. A. T. & T. Co., and a quantity for Kelly & Co. The next mail for the outside will leave Saturday morning at 4 o'clock and the next to arrive is expected either late this evening or early tomorrow.

Choice Rex Hams. Ames Mer. Co.

Prospects Well.

Lee Martin who last fall located a 68-foot fraction on Dominion at 13a below lower, has recently located the pay streak and will work his claim out this summer. The ground is from 12 to 14 feet deep. A half ounce nugget was picked up on bedrock a short time ago.

New Men Coming.

Butte, Montf, April 4.—New men are rapidly being found to fill the places of the hoisting engineers of the Amalgamated Copper Mining Company, who three days ago walked out and tied up nine of the biggest producers of that company.

For Sale—Unused,

4½ ton Iron Ore Cars, 2 tons T Rails with Spikes and Fishplates, Sawmill plant. Apply George R. Clazy. r19

The A. B.'s will give a grand ball on Friday evening. Tickets may be secured of members. c18

The Ladue Quartz Mill

IS NOW IN OPERATION.

We have made a large number of tests and are ready to make others.

We have the best plant money will buy and guarantee all our work in this mill and also in the

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TANANA IS A BAD ONE

Says Pete Wilson Who Just Returned

Himself and Eighteen Others Found no Gold in Months of Prospecting.

Mr. Peter Wilson, a well-known Yukon pioneer and an experienced prospector, returned this morning from the Tanana country, to which place he went last summer, since which time he has prospected the entire country where gold has been alleged to have been found, but without success.

Not only has Mr. Wilson been unsuccessful, but eighteen others who have wintered in the Tanana have had experience similar to his and are now only staying there merely for the purpose of eating up their grub, but all will get out of the country in the spring.

During the past winter the snow in the Tanana country was not sufficiently deep to materially interfere with prospecting and had there been any gold in paying quantities in the country, it would have been found for, like Wilson, many of the men now there are experienced prospectors and miners.

Mr. Wilson is a brother to Floyd Wilson, formerly partner with Skiff Mitchell. He is a reliable man and when he says the Tanana is a frost, his statement may be relied upon.

Tragedy at a Wedding.

Denver, April 4.—Miss Anna Woodward, seventeen years old, died today from injuries received last night at the wedding of her father, Warren D. Woodward, and Miss Lottie Newville. In the midst of the wedding ceremony the paper shade on the lamp took fire. In taking the lamp the father brushed against the gown of Miss Woodward, which burst into a blaze. Before the flames were extinguished she had sustained burns which caused her death. Mr. Woodward is a well known lawyer.

Our $2.50 hat is a stunner. Ames Mercantile Co.

Third Victim Dead.

Philadelphia, April 4.—Eloise, the seven-year-old daughter of Ella J. Jarden, otherwise known as Mrs. Ella J. Furbush, who was shot on Tuesday by William H. Lane, a colored servant, died in a hospital this morning from the effects of her injuries.

George Hattrick Hanged.

Trenton, N.J., April 4. — George Hattrick, alias Franklin Williams, was hanged in the Mercer county jail today for the murder of John Krause in this city on Thanksgiving day last.

Celebration at Manila.

Manila, April 4.—There was a celebration here today on the arrival at this port of the steamer Peru from San Francisco, the first direct American mail steamer to reach Manila. The celebration was under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. Gen. Luke Wright, acting governor of the Philippines, and Prof. Dean C. Worchester, of the Philippine commission, were the principal speakers.

Two cases of cholera have occurred in the Bilibid prison. Consequently all the prisoners there have been discharged, and will be taken to a detention camp, which will be quarantined. The total number of cases of cholera reported here up to noon today was 140, and there have been 115 deaths from the disease.

In the provinces thirty-two cases of cholera and nineteen deaths from that cause have occurred.

Northern Pacific Trust Deed.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 4.—The two railroad mortgages or trust deeds recorded in the register of deeds' office, in Hennepin county, yesterday were recorded in the office of the secretary of state six years ago. Duplicates of these instruments are to be filed in every county in the state through which the roads pass. One instrument is known as "prior lien mortgage," and is dated November 10, 1896, and runs from the Northern Pacific Railway Company to the Mercantile Trust Company, to secure prior lien on the railway and land grant gold bonds, not to exceed $130,000,000. The other instrument is a general lien mortgage of the same date, from the railroad company to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, trustee, to secure general lien on the railway and land grant gold bonds not exceeding an aggregate of $190,000,000, of which $130,000,000 can be used only to retire the prior lien bonds of the railway company.

Incorporation Papers Filed.

Denver, April 4.—Amended articles of incorporation of the Denver & Northwestern Railway Company, which proposes to build a new railroad from Denver to Salt Lake, have been filed. The capital stock is increased to $6,000,000. The route of the main line will be up South Boulder creek and Berthowd pass to Hot Sulphur springs. The route beyond Hot Sulphur springs is not announced. Provision is made in the articles for numerous branch lines in Colorado.

Not Down But Leaking.

While the telegraph line to the outside is not disconnected, it is lying on the wet snow at some point south of Telegraph creek to such an extent as to cause it to leak so badly that less than a half dozen short messages have been transmitted today. It is possible that if there is a little freeze in that section tonight all the business that has accumulated today will be cleared up.

The line is working all right between Dawson and Skagway.

To Tour the Orient.

New Yorv, April 4.—Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, former minister of Spain, will leave tomorrow for a tour in the Orient by way of Vancouver.

Took His Own Life.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 4.—C. E. Coxe, formerly of St. Louis and Joplin, Mo., committed suicide today in his room at the Vendome hotel.

Fresh eggs just arrived at Barrett & Hull's.

Dinner a la carte—Northern Cafe.

TREADGOLD MAY LOSE

Milne Concession May Be Thrown Open

Entirely to Free Miners—Gold Commissioner Has Matter Under Advisement.

The disposition of the claims contained in the Milne concession recently vacated, which was exhaustively treated in yesterday's Nugget, is a matter Gold Commissioner Senkler still has under advisement and it may be a day or two yet before his decision is given out. The question is only one of a legal interpretation and the opinion now is that the gold commissioner will hold that all the ground within the concession will be subject to relocation excepting placer claims already in existence and held by individual grants. One reason set forth why such an opinion is likely to be held is that the ground being held originally under a concession, the Treadgold grant could not operate against it though covering the same territory and that upon the cancellation of the Milne lease the ground of necessity must revert to and become a part of the public domain again, and as such be subject to relocation. The point is an interesting one and upon the decision of the gold commissioner will depend the fate of hundreds of claims whether they fall to Treadgold or become open to the use of the free miner. Within the tract in old stampede days the staking was very extensive, the benches in the vicinity of Dago hill having been located as far back as the tenth tier. There are also a great many subsisting claims upon many of which excellent pay has been located. The ground does not become open to relocation until after midnight on the night of April 30 and should the decision of the gold commissioner be favorable to the miner May 1 will doubtless witness a stampede that will recall the days of '98.

Amen Corner Brethern.

New York, April 4. — A notable gathering of statesmen and politicians, jurists, journalists, clergymen and financiers met Senator Thomas C. Platt tonight at the dinner given in his honor by the "Brethren of the Amen Corner" at the Fifth Avenue hotel.

The great dining room of the hotel was filled with about 400 guests of the "Amen Corner Brotherhood," an association consisting of the Albany correspondents and the principal political writers on the newspapers of New York.

President Roosevelt was among the guests invited, but sent a letter regretting that he was unable to attend.

Only a Pipe Dream.

The unfounded statement published in an evening paper regarding the moving of all the fallen women of the town to Dugas street in South Dawson has stirred up a veritable hornet's nest in that portion of the city and today a petition is being circulated and extensively signed, praying of the mayor and city council to not unload the city garbage in the way of prostitutes on that thriving section.

Investigation by the Nugget today shows the story of the News to have been unwarranted, not founded on facts—a mere pipe dream.

Swift Act of Justice.

Philadelphia, April 4.—William H. Lane, the colored servant who, on Tuesday last, murdered Ellen J. Jardon and her daughter Madeline, and so badly wounded another daughter, Eloise, that she died today, was convicted of murder in the first degree this afternoon, after a trial lasing less than one and a half hours. Lane pleaded guilty yesterday afternoon, and was placed an trial at 1 o'clock today. Because of Lane's plea of guilty no jury was drawn, and only three witnesses were called for the purpose of determining the degree of murder. At 2:30 o'clock Judge Biddell sentenced the murderer to death. The date of his execution will be fixed by Gov. Stone.

Ruin and Desolation.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 4.—The beach front between Illinois and New York avenues today presents a scene of utter ruin and desolation. Of the many fine hotels which were situated in the district visited by yesterday's conflagration there remain standing the unburned portion of the Windsor hotel, at the board walk and Illinois avenue, and the charred framework of the Rio Grande hotel, on New York avenue. Between these two structures lies a blackened waste, scarcely a stick being left to identify any one of the numerous buildings destroyed by the fire. The shell of the Acedemy of Music remains standing and this is notable, as the theatre was the only brick building in the burned area.

Hay, oats and provisions of all kinds at Barrett & Hull's. Rock bottom prices.

Saved From Gallows.

Denver, Colo., April 4.—The board of pardons tonight commuted the sentence of Lawrence Hex, who was to have been hanged in the state penitentiary during the week of April 13, to imprisonment for life. Hex was convicted of the killing of Allie and William White, as a result of jealousy. The reason given by the board for its action was a doubt of the right of the state to execute a man convicted on circumstantial evidence under the present law.

Lajoie Could Not be Bought.

Philadelphia, April 4.—Lajoie, the celebrated second baseman of the Philadelphia American League Club, today refused an offer of a salary of $7,000 a year for three years, made him by an agent of the New York National League Club.

In pursuance of the decision of the National league at its meeting in New York today, to make a raid on the American league and induce its star players to desert that organization, an agent of the New York club came here and made this offer to Lajoie.

To Train at Walla Walla

Butte, Mont., April 4.—A special to the Miner from Helena says:

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Helena Baseball Association this afternoon, at the Helena hotel, Manager Flannery was directed to leave with his team as soon as possible for Walla Walla, where it will practice until the season opens at Seattle, April 29.

WANTED—$10,000 Worth of Raw Furs
THE LADUE CO.

National League Season.

New York, April 4.—The committee in charge of the playing schedule of the National League of Baseball Clubs met at the Fifth Avenue hotel late this afternoon and made public their deliberations. The season will open on April 17 and close on October 4. The schedule consists of 140 games.

Case Postponed.

The case of F. S. Dunham against the retailers of old and cheap quality of groceries has been postponed, Dunham deciding not to push the suit as all his customers uphold him in the stand he has taken, namely, not to handle any but fresh goods. THE FAMILY GROCERY, corner Second avenue and Albert street.