

ABOUT THOMPSON'S MULE

It Has Been Wagered Against One Thousand Dollars

That McKinley Will Get the Klondike Souvenir by the Nugget Election—Jack Emerson Rehearsing.

M. F. Thompson, of Bonanza creek, has a mule. So far the mule is nameless, but yesterday, after reading the local column of the Nugget, some 20 of his friends who noticed Mr. Thompson's difficulty regarding the shortage in the matter of a name, and recognizing the fact that there are times when there is much in a name, they procured a bunch of postal cards and each wrote upon one of these what he considered an appropriate name, and mailed it to him. When he gets those postals there need be no further difficulty about the matter.

The gentleman is much attached to the nameless mule, whose principal work consists in hauling the Thompson swordpois back and forth between Dawson and No. 43, but his faith in the people of the Yukon territory to give Wm. McKinley the Klondike souvenir as a result of the Nugget election is also strong, and thereby hangs a tale, other than the one worn by the mule. Connected prominently with the facts of the story are two well known citizens, Tom Kirkpatrick and Jack Emerson.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is just as sanguine of success for the Bryan cause as is Mr. Thompson for that of McKinley. Besides it is whispered that Mr. Kirkpatrick is jealous of his friend's possession of an animal which is warranted to go to sleep and remain wrapped in peaceful slumber so long as he is left tied to an electric light pole.

However that may be, a wager has been made between them, the conditions of which are as follows: Mr. Kirkpatrick puts up \$1000 in good money against Mr. Thompson's sleeping mule, and if Wm. Jennings Bryan is elected he gets the mule, together with its lately acquired name. If Wm. McKinley gets the most votes, Mr. Thompson gets the \$1000.

The part that Jack Emerson plays, or may play in the coming transfer, and for which Frank Clayton is authority for the statement that he is daily rehearsing, is this: If Thompson wins

he gets nothing aside from the pleasure which that gentleman may reflect upon him, and if he loses the mule, the agreement is that he is to haul the sleigh back to No. 43 Bonanza.

Mr. Thompson, of course, feels confident that he will get the Kirkpatrick wealth, but he is a man of foresight and prudent methods, and would not consent to the wager till Jack Emerson was induced to agree to his part of the possible program in case the mule instead of the money changes hands.

Watch the Frothing Dogs.

The second case of mad dog developed this morning, a frantic canine owned by Chief Isaac having to be killed by bystanders as it was a menace to the life of both man and beast.

The animal attacked every dog which came within the range of its vision and did not hesitate to attack the bystanders, who, however, made a quick departure from the immediate vicinity when the frenzied animal would make a rush. The dog was maimed in the leg and there is a possibility that the madness of the animal was due to intense pain.

Officer Sargent made an attempt to catch the animal, but was immediately attacked by him and his coat torn across the breast by the brute which endeavored to grab the policeman by the throat. The officer not having a weapon with him beat a hasty retreat and a bystander rushed for a club, and as the dog made a leap at him struck the brute to the earth. George Vause then finished the beast with the same club, beating it on the head until death followed.

The animal has been mad for the past two days and has bitten every dog it has been possible to reach.

Missing Persons.

Inquiries have recently been received at the U. S. consulate here respecting the whereabouts of the following:

N. W. Smith, aged 65; supposed to be a miner near Dawson. Last heard of from Vancouver, B. C.

Walter Bison. He came in over the Edmonton trail and reported to have reached Dawson. Inquired for by J. Q. A. Walker.

A. H. Kell and Mrs. Nettie Parkinson; supposed to have left for Nome last spring and not been heard from since. Inquired for by W. S. Kell, Centralia, Ill.

Henry Bradley, aged 25 years; inquired for by his sister.

Any person having any recent knowledge of the whereabouts of any of these parties will confer a special favor by reporting same to the U. S. consulate.

Field for Action.

O. H. Van Milligen complains at the Nugget office that some person or persons left five head of cattle on the west side of the river after the snow

fell; two of the five have since died of starvation and the other three are almost dead.

Here is a field in which the intervention of the newly formed Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals would be timely. Rouse, ye Romans!

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