

The Nugget Circulates From Skagway to Nome

THE SITUATION IS ALARMING

Uprising in Bulgaria May Occur at Most Any Moment—Seven Bands Aggregating Six Thousand Men Have Already Been Formed.

Sofia, Feb. 11.—Bulgaria is determined to invade Turkey in the event of an insurrection in Macedonia. The Macedonian element in Bulgaria is so strong that nothing can prevail against it. Preparations for a 'great rising are proceeding openly. It is estimated that seven bands aggregating 6000 men have already been formed. The bands will spread. The unknown factor in the situation is Boris Saroloff, the sinister chief of the Macedonian revolutionary organization. This young man, scarcely thirty years of age, possesses such immense influence in the Balkan peninsula that a word from him would set the fire ablaze. He is said to have left Sofia for the mountains to raise the standard of revolt.



NEWS OF THE DAY ILLUSTRATED.

CHIEF SULLIVAN IS INDICTED

Seattle Turned Topsy Turvy Over Arrests in Connection With the Gambling Cases—J. Considine and a Dozen Others Are Now Under Arrest.

Seattle, Feb. 11.—The Seattle grand jury has indicted Chief of Police Sullivan, John Considine and a dozen others who are presumed to have profited from the gamblers. Considine is charged with employing women in an establishment where liquor was sold. The indictments have caused much excitement and it is said will be pushed through to a finish.

DAWSON IS ON THE LIST

Is One of the Grand Trunk Terminals.

Proposes to Build a Branch Line Running to This City—Regina and Calgary Included.

Vancouver, Feb. 10.—The Grand Trunk Pacific has added Dawson to its list of cities to which branch lines are projected. Calgary, Regina, and other places are also named as probable terminals for branch lines.

MEXICAN REGULARS

Worsted in Combat With Yaqui Indians.

Pitched Battle Results in Practical Annihilation of Twelfth Battalion.

Mexico, Feb. 10.—The 12th Battalion of Mexican Regulars has been almost annihilated in a pitched battle with Yaquis, who succeeded in leading the soldiers into a trap.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Will Aid in Promoting Alaska's Interests

Favors Liberal Homestead Law and Election of Delegate to Congress.

Washington, Feb. 10.—President Roosevelt favors the passage of an Alaskan land law and the delegate bill before the present congress. The law provides for homesteads in Alaska to consist of 320 acres instead of 80, and the occupant may obtain title after five years continuous residence. In the event the public survey system has not by that time been extended to Alaska, the survey may be made under the trade and manufacturers' title law by the surveyor-general of the district.

PRINCESS DIVORCED

On Charge of Adultery With French Tutor

Famous Scandal of Saxon Royalty Terminates in Courts—Cit on Must Pay.

Dresden, Feb. 11.—A decree was announced this morning divorcing the Crown Princess of Saxony from her husband, M. Grion, the French tutor, is named as co-respondent and with him the Princess was charged with adultery. The costs of the divorce suit were charged against Grion.

DAMAGE SUIT.

New York Central Asked to Pay Damages. White Plains, N.Y., Feb. 10.—The largest damage suit on record for loss of life is being tried at White Plains, N.Y. It arises through the death of Alfred E. Perrin, of New Rochelle, in the Park avenue crash on the New York Central, from which road the sum of \$250,000 is demanded.

ALASKAN REINDEER.

Uncle Sam Will Import 1000 From Siberia. Washington, Feb. 10.—The United States government has contracted with the Northwestern Commercial Co. to transport 1,000 reindeer from Siberia to reinforce the Alaskan herds.

An Important Correction.

Acting Commissioner Wood pointed out this morning that in the hurried interview he gave the Nugget yesterday one word was omitted which had cost him some trouble this morning. He had spoken of the need of a recorder's office at Gold Run, but the account of his talk read the need of a mining recorder, and as a result there were several applications for the position this morning. Percy Reid had been the mining recorder there for a long time, and has given eminent satisfaction. But his quarters surprised Major Wood, and led him to suggest that when the government built a school there it should also build suitable quarters for the mining recorder, Percy Reid.

Young Men's Institute

The regular weekly meeting of the Y.M.I. takes place tonight, in the club rooms on Second avenue, and tomorrow evening is the usual meeting of the debating society. There is no subject for debate, however, except such as may arise, the evening being devoted in advance to the subject "My Favorite Author," each member being asked to not only read a selection from such favorite author but to state why it is his favorite author.

Enjoyable Social

Mrs. Smythe's dancing class gave a social hop yesterday evening in the Eagle hall that was attended by 25 couples. The pleasures of the evening were kept up until 2 o'clock to the very great gratification of all who were present.

FOR SALE.—Four strong dogs, year and a half old. Apply to Dr. Richardson, York street, between 3 and 4 p.m.

PRICK OF PIN.

Results in Death of an Old Time Actor. Baltimore, Feb. 10.—Major W. A. Donaldson, superintendent of the National cemetery at Baltimore, a contemporary actor of Junius Brutus Booth, is dead from blood poisoning resulting from a pin prick.

OLD CHARGE

Man Arrested for Crime of Years Ago. Billings, Mont., Feb. 10.—C. F. Weatherby, alias W. B. Morgan, was arrested at Billings for forgery to the amount of \$9,000. The crime occurred many years ago.

FATAL WAGER.

Man Tried to Drink Minneapolis Dry. Minneapolis, Feb. 10.—Wesley O'Brien of Minneapolis is dead through trying to win a whiskey-drinking wager.

CLOSED GAMBLING

Montana is Now Becoming Very Good. Anaconda, Mont., Feb. 10.—Anaconda is now tightly shut as far as gambling is concerned.

Wedding Party

Clarence Kinsey, the Bonanza photographer, last night had the temerity to take unto himself a bride in the person of Miss Agnes Fisher. They were married at the Minto hotel by the Rev. John Pringle, member of the local parliament. The happy pair will reside at Calder, where Mr. Kinsey has built up a prosperous wood business.

Herbert's Case

London, Ont., Jan. 7.—The prisoner, Walter Herbert, who is so widely known for having confessed his guilt as an accomplice in the alleged Sifton murder, is to appear before Chief Justice Sir William Meredith at the assizes, which commence on Monday next. The prisoner does not stand for trial, since his confession stands as a verdict against himself. He is simply awaiting the passing of judgment.

Sentenced to be Hanged Halifax, Jan. 7.—Sian Aznabally, the Armenian peddler who killed Sion Lundore at Tenny Cape Mines on October 23, was found guilty of willful murder tonight at Windsor, and sentenced to be hanged on March 18.

FRIGHTFUL BRUTALITY

Negro Convict Murders a Fellow Prisoner. Philadelphia, Feb. 10.—Jas. Pratt, a negro under sentence of twenty years for burglary, was murdered in the Eastern penitentiary, Philadelphia, by Cornelius Bush, also colored, who strangled his victim while Pratt slept, afterwards cutting off his head with a pocket knife. This is the third brutal murder committed in this penitentiary.

Strangled His Victim and Severed His Head With a Pen Knife.

Joined in Marriage Seattle, Feb. 10.—John Seattle, a descendant of old Chief Seattle, was married in Tacoma to Angelina Whatcom of the Muckleshoot tribe.

ANOTHER COMBINE

British Capital Absorbs Big Tobacco Plant. Louisville, Ky., Feb. 10.—The enormous American tobacco plant of W. S. Matthews & Sons, of Louisville, has been absorbed by the British-American Tobacco Co., with a consideration of \$2,000,000 to the sellers.

After Two Days

Laramie, Wyo., Feb. 10.—Jack Harris, a stage driver of Grand Encampment, Wyo., was buried in his stage with one passenger, but they were rescued after two days imprisonment.

SECURED DIVORCE

Attorney General of Hawaii Separated From His Wife. Honolulu, Feb. 10.—Attorney-General Dole of Hawaii has been granted a divorce from his wife on the ground of extreme cruelty. Dole testified that all his wife wanted was his money.

SAD SUICIDE

Results From Accidental Killing of Friend. Jamestown, N.Y., Feb. 10.—Robert Larson, better known as "California Larson," committed suicide in this city. He accidentally killed a Swedish companion and was despondent.

HEAVY LOSS

Sacramento Department Store is Burned to the Ground. Sacramento, Feb. 10.—Fire destroyed the big departmental store of the Weinstock-Lubin Co. at Sacramento. The loss will reach \$750,000.

ITALIAN MINISTER PARALYZED

Rome, Jan. 29.—Foreign Minister Prinetti had an attack of paralysis of the right side while being received in audience by King Victor Emmanuel today. He was removed to his home in a serious condition. The ministers were holding their usual semi-weekly conference with the king at the Quirinal when Signor Prinetti, who was addressing his majesty, suddenly threw up his arms, staggered and would have fallen but for the fact that he was caught by his colleagues. The incident caused great excitement. The king rang for assistance and Minister of Commerce Baccelli, who is a physician, was able to do what was immediately necessary. The king, who is specially attached to Signor Prinetti, was much affected. His majesty desired that he should be put to bed in the Quirinal, but Dr. Baccelli insisted that it would be better to convey him to his own home, which was done. One of the ministers went ahead to break the news to Signors Prinetti. Dr. Marconi is attending Signor Prinetti, who, although unable to speak, retains full consciousness. The minister's wife, who was fox hunting when she heard of his illness, galloped home at break-neck speed. It is said that the whole of Signor Prinetti's left side is affected, but the physicians are hopeful that he will soon recover. She—Didn't our honeymoon pass quickly, dearest? He—Well, I should say it did! Why, it seemed no time before I had spent all the money I had.—Harper's Bazar. She—He has deceived me shamefully. Her Father—I'll horsewhip the young rascal. How has he deceived you? She—Boo-hoo! he let me decline him before he told any one he was rich.—The Biter.

TO VISIT COAST.

President Roosevelt is Coming in April. Washington, Feb. 10.—President Roosevelt has positively promised to visit Puget Sound in April.

MR. RILEY DYING

Reported That the Second Avenue Merchant Cannot Recover. Joseph Riley, the Second avenue merchant, who has been in the St. Mary's hospital for several weeks, was reported this afternoon to be in a low way and that no hopes could be entertained of his recovery. This will be sad news to his many friends in the city, for Mr. Riley has been of prominence in many ways, particularly in church work and in the founding of the Young Men's Institute. Mr. Riley's mother was notified of his condition some time ago and is on her way in. Mr. Riley knew of her coming and in his weak and exhausted condition has been trying to live until she arrived. It is the only thought that is keeping him alive at present. Mr. Riley will leave a widow and three young children, who are living at Anacortes, on Puget sound, where Mr. Riley was in business before he came here.

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NO MORE COURT

Until Monday When the Regular List Will be Taken up. When court adjourned this morning following the arraignment of George Dick it was made until next Monday morning. There will be no more cases heard this week, but next week the first 25 cases on the list will be taken up and disposed of in their regular order. Should an action which called not be ready for trial it will be placed at the foot of the list and can not come up again until the list has been gone over entirely. The peremptory and waiting lists which were in vogue last year have been done away with. With one of the judges on the outside enjoying his biennial vacation, another sitting as police magistrate, it leaves the bulk of the work to fall upon the shoulders of Mr. Justice Craig who has been greatly overworked for the past three or four months. An effort is being made to have Mr. Justice Macaulay relieved of the duties as police magistrate and the bar as well as the bench are in hopes such will be successful. With the latter gentleman's duties as a judge of the territorial court unhampered by the petty annoyances of the police court, the present congestion would be avoided, Mr. Justice Craig would be saved a portion of the double work he is now doing and the speedy hearing of cases would be greatly expedited.

Some More Weather.

The mercury took another header and went below last night, falling to 37, within four degrees of as cold as it has been all winter. The weather man had held out the fond hope that the severe weather was a thing of the past, but it seems he has another storm coming. The highest reached by the thermometer yesterday was 32 and today at noon it stands at 31 with the fog so thick it can be blasted out in chunks.

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KLONDIKE NUGGET
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11, 1903.

AMUSEMENTS
Auditorium—"A Black Sheep"

THE NEED EMPHASIZED
The suggestion has been made to the Nugget that the Tanana strike—if it proves of any importance—may be turned to substantial and permanent advantage by the merchants of Dawson. Should the new diggings turn out as well as is hoped, a splendid market will be opened up, which might be controlled by this city for a number of years.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY
Will be Celebrated by the Local Y. M. I.

The Young Men's Institute appointed at their last week's meeting a committee to make fitting preparations for some form of entertainment for St. Patrick's Day. This committee have made arrangements with Manager Bittner of the Auditorium for the production of the celebrated Irish melodrama "Inchavone." It will be elaborately staged by the Bittner company and rendered under the auspices of the Young Men's Institute on St. Patrick's night. It is a foregone conclusion that this popular and representative organization with their host of friends and well-wishers will have a crowded house on this festive occasion.

Carnegie's Libraries.
Mr. Carnegie's gift to Philadelphia of \$1,500,000 for thirty branch libraries to cost \$50,000 each is contingent on the city's agreement to furnish the sites, purchase the books and guarantee the cost of support. St. Louis accepted Mr. Carnegie's gift of \$1,000,000 on similar conditions, the votes of the city approving the new tax required. New York will have six or five branch libraries through its acceptance of the Carnegie gift of \$5,000,000. Mr. Carnegie said a few days ago: "Free libraries maintained by the people are cradles of democracy, and their spread can never fail to extend and strengthen the democratic idea, the equality of the citizen and the royalty of man." Two of the largest gifts announced from other sources within the last ten days are for hospitals. Some turn in the tide of philanthropy to hospitals is a good idea.

Carnegie Again
The Hague, Jan. 29.—The foreign minister, Dr. Van Lynden, replying to a question in the chamber today as to whether an offer from Andrew Carnegie of \$250,000 to found a library for the international group of arbitration had been rejected, said it had not been rejected, and added that no offer had been made in a form rendering either acceptance or refusal possible.

The minister observed that, in view of the special character of the arbitration court, the best form for such a gift would be to make it a special foundation. Moreover, the government was willing to administer the gift if it were offered.

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ditions to slip by unimproved and an energetic, active body of business men is needed to insure the city against unnecessary losses of that nature.

A correspondent wishes to know why the city council does not issue warrants against future taxes in the place of borrowing money at the banks. The warrant system is a pernicious method of doing business and is desirable only as a last resort. The banks have given the city a low interest rate and under such circumstances, a warrant issue would be unnecessary. Means would be found for forcing them below par and the employees and others who perform services for the city would suffer in consequence. The warrant system is employed at Nome, where at last accounts the town's paper was discounted about 20 per cent.

The moral wave which started in Dawson a year ago has penetrated to Anaconda, Montana, where gambling is tightly closed down. Seattle is in identically the same virtuous condition and there seems to be no method of telling where the end will be. When the mining towns of Montana begin to assume sackcloth and ashes, it may be said that the day of universal regeneration cannot be far away.

The Nugget again tenders an apology for complimentary remarks which have appeared in these columns in reference to February weather. Incidentally, we desire to renounce all faith in the groundhog, his progenitors and descendants.

The long, dull winter of our discontent is rapidly passing away and will be succeeded very shortly by the life and energy of returning spring.

The News will ultimately fall a victim to its own egotism.

The Woman God Made
By W. Pierce

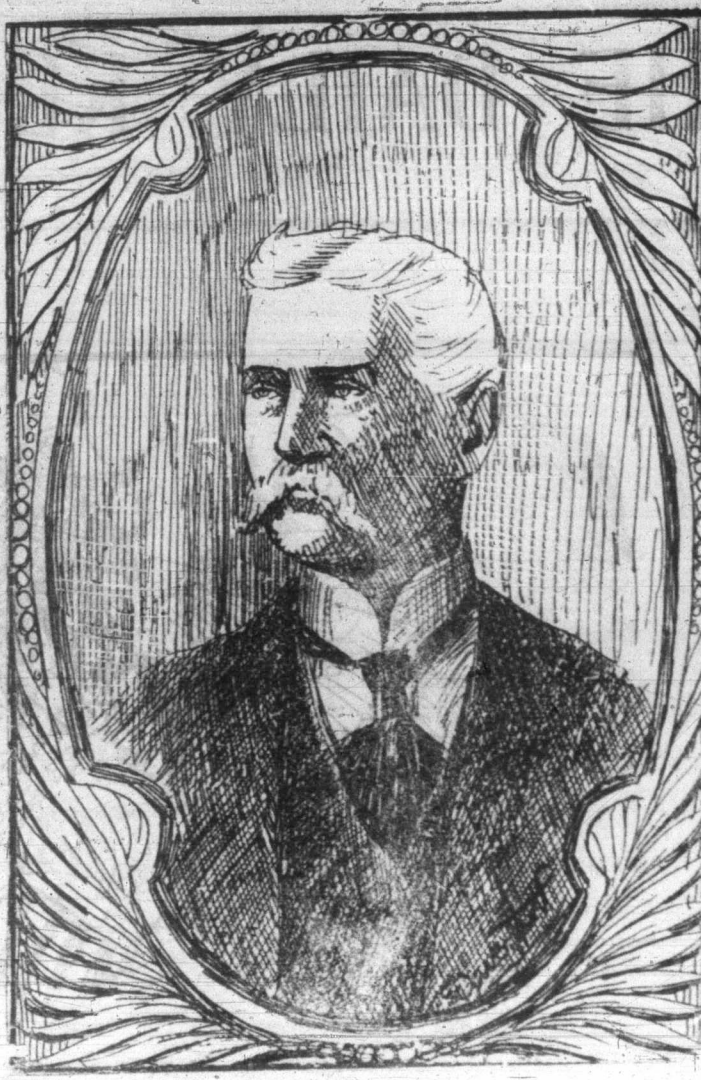
The evening of the sixth day, when the Maker gazed around And saw the beautiful flowers and trees upspringing from the ground, The birds and beasts in air and field, the fishes in the sea, Each one in its appointed place, where it was meant to be, He paused, well pleased with all His work, and saw that it was good, And yet a higher, greater aim bestirred His kindly blood.

The morning of the seventh day He placed on earth a Man, Fashioned in His own counterpart, built on a regal plan, And still, not satisfied with this, ere His great work should cease He gathered choicest bits from heaven and formed His masterpiece— Sweet Woman—still the fairest thing this busy world has seen, Man lower than the angels placed, with woman in between.

Thousands of years have passed since then, and woman rules today, Just as she cycled the Garden, and over Adam held full sway, She rules the world by love and faith and purity and grace, And deep engrained in each man's heart is some loved woman's face, We bless the Great Designer for His rare and precious gift, The glorious woman that God made, this hard world to uplift.

As a mother we revere her, as a wife she is adored, As a sweetheart she's delicious, all her little faults ignored, She is nothing short of perfect as a sister, as a friend— But here is where the duties of the God-made woman end, When she mixes in things secular she's always odd and queer, And excites contempt or pity for she's got beyond her sphere.

As a preacher she is shallow, as a lawyer, what is weak, As a woman politician—gracious heaven, what a freak! As a doctor she's pedantic, as a writer she's all wrong, (To this there are exceptions, but mainly she's a fright) Oh, woman that God made, we love you every curl and dimple, But the woman made by woman is a nuisance pure and simple.



Senator-Elect Levi Ankeny of State of Washington.

Levi Ankeny was born on a farm near St. Joseph, Mo., in 1844. Six years later he crossed the plains with his parents who took up a donation land claim near the present town of North Yamhill, Oregon. His father, Capt. A. P. Ankeny, soon embarked in the steamboat business on the upper and lower Columbia river, while Levi and his brother Henry E. Ankeny, the pack trains to the Fraser River and Orino mines, and conducted the Wells, Fargo & Co. express route from Portland to Lewistown, Idaho. Twenty-five years ago Mr. Ankeny went to Walla Walla, Wash., and established the First National Bank of that place. At the present time he is president of six national banks, those at Walla Walla, Wash.; Cefax, Wash.; Payton, Wash.; Waitsburg, Wash.; Pendleton, Or.; and Baker City, Or. In addition to these banks he operates a number of large stock ranges and wheat farms. His holdings in agricultural and grazing lands in Washington and Oregon amount to fully 1,000 acres and last year he harvested about 1,000,000 bushels of wheat. He is rated as a millionaire.

In 1867 Mr. Ankeny was married to the eldest daughter of the late Senator J. W. Nesmith of Oregon. Mr. Ankeny has never held public office but has been a conspicuous figure in the affairs of Washington state for many years.

To COMPLETE PANAMA CANAL

Although the junction of secrecy States. Although Colombia does not have not been removed from the treaty surrender "sovereignty" over this between the United States and the strip, the United States is given full government of Colombia, which has the police and sanitary jurisdiction over been signed by Secretary Hay and the representative of the latter government. As there is little probability of serious opposition to the treaty in the Colombian congress, the members of States will dig the great interoceanic canal by way of the Panama route instead of the Nicaragua route.

Having been read in the senate in executive session and referred to the committee on foreign relations, the treaty may be regarded as on the road to ratification by the United States senate and the Colombian congress. Later dispatches regarding the principal provisions of the treaty appear to confirm the information given out after the treaty was signed. It appears that the treaty is identical with that drawn by this government several months ago and at that time submitted to the Colombian government, with the exception of the amount of the annuity to be paid Colombia for the right of way for the canal. The United States proposed an annuity of \$100,000, while Colombia demanded \$850,000.

Under the treaty as it now stands the United States agrees to make a cash payment of \$10,000,000 in gold to Colombia, and after the expiration of nine years to pay a rental of \$250,000 per year. A strip of land six miles wide is to be leased for canal purposes for 100 years, the lease to be renewed thereafter in periods of 100 years at the option of the United States.

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On a Fast Train.
Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 17.—Speeding across the country at the rate of fifty miles an hour in a special car, William E. Johnston, mining broker of Pittsburg, and Miss Minnie Jessup of Anderson, Ind., were married yesterday by the Rev. J. N. Fry of Charleroi. Mr. Johnston left this city Monday night with a party of Pittsburghers for St. Louis, near where a number of the mines in which Mr. Johnston is interested are located. Remaining in St. Louis for a day, they started from there on Thursday. The train was scheduled to pass through Anderson, Ind. where Miss Jessup lives. When the special steamed into Anderson, Miss Jessup, who had been wired that Mr. Johnston was to go through her home town, was waiting at the station. She never dreamed of getting aboard the special, but finally some of the party induced her to board the car and sit down until starting time. The train started without the usual announcement being made. In the meantime Mr. Johnston and Miss Jessup were left to themselves, and before many minutes had passed the friends of the young couple were startled by the announcement to form themselves into a bridal party.

Rev. Fry, a member of the party, was called into service and the young couple explained their intentions. But a difficulty was met with. They had no marriage license. One quiet member thought of a plan to telegraph to Columbus. The message was sent, and when Columbus was reached the clerk was there with the blanks all ready to sign. As the train steamed out of Columbus, the solemn words were pronounced by Rev. Fry which made Mr. Johnston and Miss Jessup man and wife.

Germany is Nervous
Berlin, Jan. 17.—The government is anxious to negotiate a new commercial treaty with the United States, and it is feared that the harsh words used in this week's debate in the Reichstag regarding the United States, may hinder Germany in its attempt to get as favorable terms as possible.

The remarks of Prince Herbert Bismarck, to the effect that the sharp language used would strengthen the backbone of the negotiators in making a new treaty with the United States, is regarded as almost an insult to America, and the government has quietly disclaimed all responsibility for Prince Bismarck's utterances.

Serious Riots
Barcelona, Spain, Jan. 8.—The tar men's strike for higher wages is resulting in serious collisions with the police. Revolvers were used in the streets yesterday by strikers three petroleum on the premises of the Northern railroad, with the intention of setting fire to them, while hidden bombs were discovered near the city, leading to the belief that dynamiting was contemplated. The police have been largely reinforced, and special orders have been promulgated for the civil guard to be in readiness for action.

Miss Laut's Precautions
New York, Jan. 2.—Miss Agnes E. Laut, the author of "The Men of the North," is in the Pasteur Institute in New York, undergoing treatment to prevent the development of hydrophobia. Miss Laut, who until recently lived in Montreal, had a pet dog which died of hydrophobia. The dog was sick for some time before its illness was diagnosed, as hydrophobia, and Miss Laut in fondling the pet permitted the animal to take her hand in its mouth, and it is feared that some of the virus may have got into a cut. Miss Laut is as yet not the least ill.

The latest departure in electric lighting, a mercury vapor lamp, invented by Peter Cooper Hewitt, son of ex-Mayor Hewitt of New York, was inspected at the offices of the British Westinghouse Company in London by Lord Kelvin and a number of distinguished scientists and prominent men in the railway and commercial world. The lamp, which is made in a variety of forms, consists of a vacuum tube of any length up to about six feet, in which the mercury vapor is raised to a high state of incandescence. The light produced is extraordinarily soothing to the eyes, and all those present at the demonstration spoke enthusiastically of the new invention.

The Hay-Bond Treaty.
Augusta, Me., Jan. 4.—James F. Hill of Augusta was today inaugurated Governor of Maine for a second term. The ceremony was conducted in the presence of hundreds of people, representing every section of the state. In his address to the joint assembly Governor Hill said: "The so-called Hay-Bond treaty gives freedom to the product of the New-England fisheries. Its ratification would result in serious injury to our fishing interests. The welfare of the coast towns of Maine requires us to do everything in our power to prevent its acceptance."

New York, Jan. 8.—The Chamber of Commerce today passed a resolution urging the senate to ratify the convention which has been negotiated with Great Britain for the improvement of the commercial relations between the United States and Newfoundland.

Lives of rich men, if we knew them, Might not seem so blamed sublime. O'er the stonachs fastened to them, Keep them doting all the time.

ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Treaty for It Signed Last

Three Jurists Are on Each Side Chances of a Deadlock Seem to be Numerous.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Secretary Hay and Sir Michael Herbert, British ambassador, today signed a treaty providing for the settlement of the Alaskan boundary question. Efforts in this direction have put forth for a long time, the life coming from both sides, the Canadian miners being anxious to get through from the Klondike to the without, passing through American territory, and the Americans anxious their right to the coast for the control of the ports.

The treaty signed today provides for the reference of all those questions to a mixed tribunal of three, three on each side, to determine the interpretation to be placed on the treaty of 1825 between Great Britain and Russia which defined the boundaries between British America and Alaska.

This proposition is virtually the same as that brought forward by American members of the high commission which met in Washington three years ago, but which was rejected by the British and Canadian representatives. It was taken up years ago to obtain the consent of British and Canadian governments to adjust the boundary dispute on a basis.

It is understood that the treaty has been drawn up after thorough consultation with the leading members of the senate of both political parties, the administration desiring to secure its ratification. The commission in composition, consisting of an equal number of members on each side without an umpire or man to cast the deciding vote.

BARTLETT CASE.

Technicalities Raised by the Jury Indictment.

Seattle, Jan. 30.—Most of the afternoon session was taken in the argument of the point whether or not the indictment returned against Michael Bartlett, charged with murder in the first degree, was valid. John F. Dore, one of the attorneys for Bartlett, moved that the indictment be quashed because the grand jury had not been given a chance to interrogate the jurors as to their qualifications to act in the premises. He further insisted that the prosecuting attorney had no right to disclose information that had been given against Bartlett and substitute for an indictment.

Judge Bell stated that he was not aware of the fact that the grand jury had a certain right to test the qualifications of the jurors, and for that reason he would bring the grand jury into court and give Bartlett a chance to ask them questions. He said, however, that the question asked was not as to the frame of mind of the juror prior to the time of finding a verdict, for there was no proof that each member of that jury had formed an opinion as to the defendant's guilt or the nature of the crime which would not have been returned.

Banquet to Chamberlain
Johannesburg, Jan. 17.—The banquet to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain tonight was the most successful success in the banquet since that Johannesburg was ever witnessed.

The wealth and intellect of the mining regions were there to show the great statesman and the speaker on the most important African topics.

The mine owners did not oppose the introduction of cheap labor from Asia. Mr. Chamberlain ordered the mine owners to get along with native labor and not employ cheap workers from Asiatic countries.

Granted a Divorce
London, Jan. 23.—Henry M. P., the author and dramatist, has been granted a divorce from his wife, Marie. The divorce was granted on the ground of the husband's infidelity. Mrs. M. P. was granted a divorce from her husband, Edward M. P., who was a member of the Dragoon Guards and was a co-respondent.

AN BOUNDARY... It Signed a Last

WAR LORDS OF FINANCE

Americans Who By Their Great Wealth Control United States Productive Activities.

Wall street is the point of rest, however brief, of so many revolving dollars that an extraordinary power attaches to any hand which dominates it. Being the potential center of a continent of 3,000 miles, of 30,000 miles of railroads, of 80,000,000 of people, the control of men and affairs made possible from such a base of operations is unprecedented. Today, directing their operations from this center, exactly thirteen men control more or less directly the industrial and commercial life of the remotest parts of America. It is an inevitable condition, however transitory, of our financial evolution.

Like the base of great military operations, the financial center of any country, must lend itself to colossal manipulation and control. The movement of gold past a given point, its very presence, serves to balance the entire financial situation delicately. Where so many enormous and diversified interests focus the situation must be extremely nervous and "tension" at all times present.

The very name of Wall street exerts its own name, so mysterious, occult power. By any other name, Threadneedle street of the Bourse, a great financial center would be the object of admiration or of hatred. In America more than anywhere else in the world have the possibilities of financial control been seized, combined and grouped until a power greater, more potent, perhaps, than royal control has been made possible.

At the beginning of the year 1903 these thirteen war lords of finance doubtless hold a position stronger, more firmly entrenched than ever before. From their fastnesses in Wall street they continue to direct a campaign with a vast army of some 80,000,000 people. The territory covered in the operations, the resources of the general, the richness of the tribute expressed in dividends, make the great wars of the world seem trifling and insignificant.

And the war lords of the financial world hold in advance of any action all the strong positions. Incidentally, the personal fortunes of these men available for carrying forward the campaign are estimated at \$810,000,000.

This small but powerful band of financiers occupies at present two different camps. In the first camp, that which is usually considered the dominant one, there are only five men. This is known as the Morgan group—a name to conjure with. The personal wealth of these five gentlemen alone is about \$300,000,000.

enormous industrial enterprises which the railroads in turn control. The power of the railroads in controlling any great industry along their route is, of course, familiar. Since all the carrying facilities are in the hands of a single group it is, of course, possible for it, for instance, to name the price of every ton of coal which is sold in New York or any eastern city.

It is much the same with the steel products. Every pound of steel must be carried by some road under the control of the group. It therefore follows that the price of this pound of steel in any outside market may be named by the group in question. But the unique power of these groups may be stated in an even more striking way. Let us suppose that any government, least of all that of the United States, were to suddenly levy a duty of \$1 a ton on all the coal mined or sold throughout the country. An arbitrary law of this sort would call forth a storm of protest, possibly a revolution. But the war lords of finance may do so repeatedly and stop 80,000,000 people are powerless to do anything.

Perhaps the most interesting problem of the present situation in finance is that which concerns the future attitude of these two great groups toward each other in the future. Up to the present time they have in the main spared each other, directing their power in different sections of the country, and with some notable exceptions, respecting each other's interests. Such has been the wealth of the country that there has been enough to satisfy both groups, though the interests of the country have been pretty nearly divided in doing so.

By controlling the interest on money or the price of it—in other words, every citizen of the United States at once becomes a subject. It is not implied that this power is wielded harshly—in fact, the best interests of the country are undoubtedly consulted by the great financiers in considering their own.

Such centralization of money power has probably never been realized before in the history of the world. According to our laws and the very nature of our financial system, it is natural and inevitable, but let us see what control in the remotest parts of the country it makes possible. A group of financiers encamped in Wall street decide that the interest on the money available in the banks should be raised 1 per cent. Such decision is but the work of a moment, and in a few minutes may be announced to the entire country. The balance in a hundred markets and thousands of interests are instantly changed and must be readjusted.

The Burglar of Feeling ...and the Bank Cashier

As he stepped out of the alley into the street, it began to rain dismally. This pleased him, for it added to the blackness of the night and had a tendency to drive away any late pedestrian. He was not hampered by luggage. Such tools as he needed—a bar of soap, an air-pump, a can of nitroglycerine, some fuse, a jimmy, a dark lantern, a revolver—were carried in his pockets, and under his coat, a folded grain sack.

Without pausing, without hesitating, he glanced searchingly up and down the street. A snoring old lamp stood upon a post on the corner of the main street of the village, its feeble rays struggling ineffectively in the mist. No living creature was stirring, no other glimmer visible. A few strides took him to the side window of a building. The sill was on a level with his head. He tried to raise the sash, but as he had expected, it was fastened—So he took the jimmy from his pocket, and slipping its thin edge under the frame, threw all his weight suddenly upon the handle.

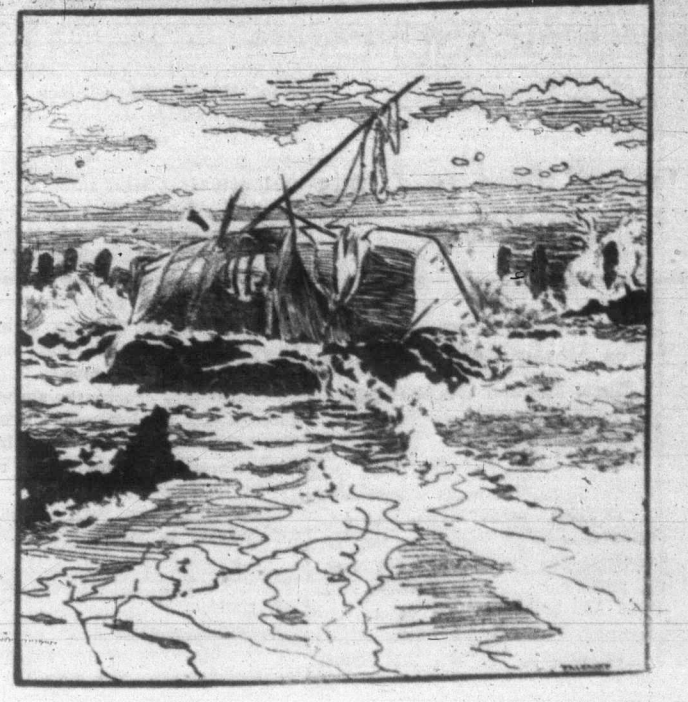
With a report like that of a pistol, the lock snapped. For five minutes perhaps, the burglar crouched in the shadows under the window, watching, listening. But not a sound, save the patter of the rain in the gutter, did he hear, not a moving object did he see. Then carefully, noiselessly, he pushed up the sash and climbed in. He was in total darkness, but knew exactly where he stood. He could have drawn an accurate, detailed plan of the interior of the building—a knew precisely how many feet it was from the window to the safe, from the safe to his horse and buggy, standing in the alley at the rear.

So, although he could not see his hand before him—he turned confidently to his left and walked six paces. Then he circled to his right around the "end of the counter, and took four steps more. Pausing, he reached out his hand and touched the safe. At present there is more business for the railroads than they can handle. But suppose the roads were being run at a loss—would the groups try, as the saying runs, to cut each other's throats?

Only time, of course, can answer the tremendous questions. But in the event of such a conflict, which is not improbable, there comes a question about "burglar-proof" safes while gathering up the pieces! Without losing a moment, he filled the cracks around the door of the safe with soap, leaving one small opening. To this opening he attached his pump and exhausted the air on the inside.

Closing the opening, he cut a piece off the bar of soap, and rolling it between his palms and moulding it with his fingers, soon fashioned it into the shape of a small cup. This he fastened at the bottom of the door and filled with nitroglycerine. Then he attached a fuse. Ten feet from the safe, a door opened into the rear office of the bank, and in this room the safe-breaker had planned to seek refuge while the explosive was doing its work. Not desiring to tarry unnecessarily in close proximity to a charge of nitroglycerine about to explode, he concluded, before lighting the fuse, to satisfy himself that the door of this inner room was not locked or bolted.

ask for pity. I only ask compassion for my wife." For a moment the burglar stood undecided, the letter in his hand. Suddenly, breaking the impressive silence, came the loud ringing of a telephone bell. Instantly, involuntarily, the burglar closed the lantern slide, gripped his pistol and crouched behind the desk. Again the bell rang, and mechanically he rose and walked to the telephone. Standing with one foot on each side of the dead cashier, he took down the receiver. "Hello," he said, imitating the voice of one whose eyes he could feel, but could not see. He was answered by a woman. "Oh, Henry!" she said; "I have just awakened from such a vivid, such an awful dream. I know it is silly, but it frightened me. I dreamed that you were in trouble, in disgrace. And then I awoke and found you had not returned home. Oh, Henry, what is keeping you so late? Come home at once, will you not, dear?" "Yes," the burglar replied, as one in a rage. "Do" she continued, and there was anxiety in her voice. "I am so glad, so glad it was only a dream. I would rather see you dead than dishonored, Henry, dear."



FIND THE OWNER OF THE WRECKED SLOOP.

In yesterday's puzzle the owner may be found by using the upper part of the picture as base, 117 is then in the upper part, looking towards the left. but content—but Martha's words, "I would rather see you dead than dishonored," rang in his ears. Through the rain and darkness he drove away, penniless, but not unhappy. A woman's smiling face seemed to thank him. He laughed aloud as he fled through the gray morning, thinking of a schoolgirl smiling at a ragged urchin. Auditorium—"A Black Sheep."

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BETT CASE.

Raised in the Grand Indictment. Most of the time session was taken up of the point whether returned against charged with degree, was legal one of the attorneys moved that the indictment because the prisoner even a chance to attorneys as to their quit in the premises. It had been that had been that and substitute there. ed that he was ought to test the jurisdiction and for that bringing the grand jury tive Bartlett a charge. He said, business questions asked name of mind of finding the time of finding there was no question of that jury had opinion as to the or the indictment been returned.

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STRINGENT MEASURES

Dist of the Fire Limits Ordinance

Will be Strictly Enforced and do Much Toward Decreasing Fires

Herewith will be found a resume of the fire limits bylaw which was considered section by section by the city council at the meeting Monday evening, put upon its final passage, was signed and is now a law of the municipality.

The full title of the bill is a "by-law of the city of Dawson respecting the fire limits, the prevention of fires, and the erection and removal of buildings."

The council may appoint an inspector of buildings after the passage of the bill. In the interim the chief of the fire department shall act as such.

It shall be the duty of all buildings who intend to erect, enlarge, remove, alter or repair any building to deposit with the inspector before the commencement of such work a plan of such drawing to scale of not less than 8 feet to the inch showing level of cellars and basements with reference to the actual grade or surface of the street adjoining.

No one shall commence any improvement costing in excess of \$100 until there has been submitted to the inspector a plan and a written certificate of permission obtained from him.

ed between studding and joists such to be not more than four feet apart. Stoves and ranges shall be clear of all woodwork at least twenty inches unless covered and protected by zinc lining backed with asbestos.

er, these along the Yukon river to place of beginning. Interfering with any fire alarm box except for the purpose of turning, in an alarm, and driving over a line of hose when in use is punishable by a heavy fine.

INVITATION DISPATCHED American Institute of Mining Engineers

Cordially Invited to Visit, Yukon at End of Their Session Next August.

An important step was taken yesterday by the city council which may be far reaching in its effect and result in much good to the Klondike region.

UNCLE SAM AND ALASKA President Roosevelt Is Interested.

United States Consul Saylor Returns to Dawson and Talks of His Vacation.

United States Consul Saylor got back yesterday, having been absent since the close of navigation. Mrs. Saylor and the children will follow him on one of the first boats.

The benefits that may accrue to the Yukon from such a visit may be better understood when it is known that the association numbers over 3000 members who are scattered over the entire world wherever mining is being carried on.

Kills Four Men Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 29.—Four men were killed, one fatally and three others seriously injured, and half a score others more or less severely hurt in an explosion which wrecked a large section of the Eckhart Packing Company's plant at 7 o'clock this morning.

The Flag Has Grown The flag of the United States has grown since '76—the thirteen stars are now forty-eight. And so has the trade of the Family Grocery grown, because Dunham is always on the lookout for fresh goods.

No Truth in It Madrid, Jan. 29.—There is no truth in the report, published in the United States yesterday, that fifty persons are missing as a result of the overflowing of the Aragon at Carpepro. The flood occurred January 21 and there was no loss of life.

DELICATE COMPLIMENT PLEADED NOT GUILTY

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GLAD WINTER. Sunshine Enough in His Face to Make a Spring.

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New Goods Arriving J. P. McLennan is getting in some spring goods, part of which he ordered from Glasgow, Scotland. The consignment was sent from Glasgow to Vancouver via the Suez canal and Yokohama. The total distance covered is about 12,000 miles, and the freight rate charged was less than \$10 per ton.

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