





INTEREST TO MINERS

What an Association Will Do for the Yukon

Annual Convention of the Miners' Association of California and Its Work.

Some two or three months ago two or three preliminary meetings were held in the rooms of the Board of Trade with the object of forming a miners' association.

The first paper was read by Harry Stone on "Machine Drilling." It told of the writer's experience in the operation of different sizes of drills with the aid of compressed air.

Congressman J. N. Gillette being present, was invited to address the convention, and said in part: "The mining interests of our state are large. Great things are yet to be developed."

Continuing he said: "I believe that the railroads will use next year as much as the whole state used last year."

Dr. Deane discussed the diminished consumption of coal and commented on the prosperity of local manufacturers as largely the result of cheap fuel.

After the usual brief interrogative session the president introduced Benjamin Wheeler of the University of California, who spoke in part as follows:

One of the most striking of recent developments at the University of California has been the extraordinary growth of the college of mining.

These men in the college of mining are for the most part from California, but the growing reputation of Professor Christy's department is drawing students to California from many distant lands.

of students of Chinese or Filipino birth. In all these instances the student has come to California with the express purpose of entering the college of mining of the University of California.

The distinctly professional training begins in the junior year with courses in structural metals, fuels, assaying and the strength of materials. Courses are followed likewise in geology, crystallography, descriptive mineralogy, analytic mechanics and graphostatics.

It is required that every mining student should spend at least one summer vacation in actual work with his hands in some mine.

The graduates of the college of mining, as was to have been expected, have scattered far and wide over the world.

In consequence of its extraordinary growth, the college of mining has come to be seriously hampered by the inadequacy of its accommodations.

GOLD OUTPUT.

Worlds Production of the Precious Metals During 1901.

Washington, Nov. 12.—George E. Roberts, director of the mint, has completed his report upon the production of the precious metals for the calendar year 1901.

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Impatient Motorman—"Hi, there! Move on!"

Her Revolutionary Ancestor

By John H. Rafter.

The only thing that kept Stephen Webb's friendship for Miss Von Wedelstادت from ripening into a love affair before the summer vacations came on was her openly avowed contempt for curios and his no less candid scorn for genealogical pride.

Katherine noticed that he was nervous and distraught. "Something on your mind, Stephen?" she whispered when he was leaving.

That night was moonless, but the clear air enhanced the radiance of the stars till a phosphorescent glow seemed to whiten without illuminating the landscape.

"Unless he was burying treasure, I don't see what he could find worth digging for in our orchard," she said.

"Good-by, Katherine," he was saying as they stood in the shadows holding hands.

"Object, Steve?" she said, nestling up to him. "I'd be delighted if I will make you acquainted with mother and Brother Conrad, and I'll promise, Steve, to—"

"But on one condition, Stephen. If you come you are not to breathe a word to me about your collection.

The next morning, while the dew was cold and the sun was just peeping over the eastern hills, Webb was prowling through the lanes and fields about the village with old Caspar Delenbaugh, the town drunkard and historian.

When Stephen Webb went to his hotel that night he packed and locked up all his trunks but one.

Further D. tails. A letter from Tokyo, Japan, gives for the first time the details surrounding the death by drowning of Dr. Monod, founder of the Monod hospital in Seattle.

McHugh's Sentence. Sligo, Ireland, Oct. 29.—The sentence of two months' imprisonment at hard labor imposed on Oct. 16 on Mr. McHugh, M.P., editor of the Sligo Champion, after his conviction on a charge of conspiracy and intimidation, has been affirmed on appeal, with the exception of the hard labor feature.

Canadian Horse. Glasgow, Oct. 13.—Lord Rosebery yesterday unveiled a statue of Mr. Gladstone as attired in the robes of Lord Rector of Glasgow University.

Funeral Services. New York, Oct. 29.—The funeral of the late Elizabeth Cady Stanton was held today at her residence in this city.

The English colony in Valparaiso, Chili, has a cricket club, the officers of which recently sent to England for a large consignment of bats and a few stumps.

Senator Stewart, who has been in Washington for many years, has an old negro retainer who comes around twice a week for some money.

Jim, I'm getting tired of this sort of business. You are an embodied man. Why don't you go to work instead of living on my charity?"

Deed, boss," said Jim, reproachfully, "you ain't the kind o' man to be askin' me to go to work now, is you? Why, boss, it's too hot to work in de wintah."

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