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Kruger Gives Up the Fight and Abandons the Transvaal—Jack Wade Cases on Trial.

Galveston, Texas, Sept. 14, via Skagway, Sept. 19.—Since the first terrible effects of the great tornado and tidal wave have died down and cool calculation can be made, it is estimated that 10,000 people perished and over \$18,000,000 worth of property was destroyed. Eight ocean steamers were torn from their anchorage and pounded to pieces on the beach, and while all the wharves were carried away and the entire city devastated. The government alone claims a loss of \$8,000,000 on its buildings. The tide was 14 feet above the ordinary mark and, aside from the government buildings, the loss to the city generally is estimated at \$10,000,000.

Two thousand bodies have already been found and taken out to sea and dumped over board, all attempts at burial have been discarded. Several thieves caught robbing the dead of jewelry and money have been summarily shot. It will never be known how many lives are lost. Mayor Jones estimates the number at 10,000. Thus far 2000 bodies have been identified. Of the soldiers at the barracks, 200 were lost. A number from the life saving station were lost.

(The above is a startling story, but it is a fact well known to the writer that Galveston had but two government buildings, a customhouse and post-office, and the cost of the two could not exceed \$400,000, where they are listed in the telegram at \$8,000,000.—ED.)

A Lower Estimate.
Galveston, Sept. 15, via Skagway, Sept. 19.—The Associated Press gives the loss of lives at 5000. Subscriptions are flowing in for the destitute families from every city in the United States.

Kruger Gives Up.
London, Sept. 14, via Skagway, Sept. 19.—Oom Paul Kruger has abandoned the Transvaal and taken refuge with the minister of the Netherlands at Lorenzo Marques. He will sail for Europe on the 24th.

Jack Wade Cases.
Skagway, Sept. 19.—In the territorial court now in session here the Jack Wade creek mining cases are being heard. Two of the cases have thus far been decided for the defendants and one for the plaintiff.

Would Number Houses.
Yesterday a young man about town became suddenly afflicted with an ambition. The seriousness of his attack can better be appreciated when it is said that his great and all consuming desire was to number the happy homes and business houses of the city consecutively, for a consideration.

While he was making a round of visits, conferring with people as to the size, style and price of numbers they should have, someone happened to remember that the Yukon council had some time before granted a three years' franchise for numbering houses to Mrs. Ferguson, and advised the young man with the ambition to call at the commissioner's office before going too far. He did this and Dr. Brown told him that it could not be, that he must desist and cease numbering. The young man with the blighted hopes and the ambitious dream thus suddenly shattered sadly departed.

A Sad Mishap.
Last night about 8:30 o'clock Mrs. Walter McNabb who had been to see some friends who reside near the corner of Fourth avenue and Sixth street, had the misfortune, owing to the pitch darkness which prevailed, to step into the deep ditch at the point above mentioned and in the fall broke the bones of her left ankle. Her cries for assistance were soon heard and the unfortunate woman was extricated from the deep ditch. When the extent of her injuries were revealed a hand wagon was procured in which she was taken to the Sister's hospital, where proper care and surgical aid were administered. The ankle joint was found to be completely crushed, and as Mrs. McNabb is a very heavy woman her recovery will probably be slow. She returned from Nome only a few days ago, and being a hardworking woman, was out arranging for a place in which to go to work as cook when the accident occurred which will keep her confined to the hospital for some time. Her husband is in Nome.

The above sad accident brings forcibly to public attention the fact that criminal negligence is being practiced by the powers that be in Dawson, as it is certainly criminal to dig a deep ditch and leave it open on a public street along which there is not even a sidewalk and not provide a street light which will enable travelers to pick their way at night. More than two weeks ago a petition was circulated and generally signed asking for the erection and maintenance of a light at the very point where last night's accident occurred, but as yet it has been non-productive. It is hoped that what has happened will cause the officials to act at once and provide a light by which people may be able to see and avoid this veritable death trap.

As the McNabbs have many friends in Dawson the unfortunate lady will be well cared for during her recovery.

tion a large number of signers from Grand Forks, Bonanza, Eldorado and Dominion creeks.

Only five minutes before the time set for the closing of the hustings, F. C. Wade appeared, with the nomination paper of Thomas W. O'Brien and \$200 more for the sheriff's keeping.

Mr. O'Brien was signed for by H. T. Willis, E. Morrison, Jas. P. McLennan, J. H. McArthur, C. W. C. Tabor, C. C. McGregor, D. D. Buchanan, H. Marrynout, C. H. Nourse, M. Marks, J. Wm. Wilson and F. C. Wade. After this paper had been received and Mr. O'Brien duly nominated, the sheriff on the booming of the 12 o'clock gun, declared the nominations closed, and announced that the election would take place October 17th, and the official canvass of votes October 30th.

A joint meeting of the candidates has been arranged for tomorrow evening in the Orpheum when campaign talks by the four candidates will be in order.

Where Are They?
A few days ago the impression was given out that until the close of navigation all the steamers from Whitehorse would have passengers hanging on by their toes; yet the steamers of yesterday and today came in with only enough to keep their officers company on the way down. It is expected that there will be steady travel right along until the river closes, but indications are that there will be no great rush.

The congestion a few days ago was owing to the fact that there was a landslide on the railroad and travelers remained in Skagway until it was repaired, after which they all reached Whitehorse the same day.

Employment of Labor.
H. Grotchier has established an employment agency at the Aurora building. The principal work done by the institution is supplying the mine owner with competent men and miners. As the season approaches for active winter work many mine owners will be looking for competent men and these can be supplied by the Klondike Miners and General Employment agency which is the institution founded by Mr. Grotchier.

Improvements Galore.
The member of the Dawson Board of Trade who has business with Secretary Clayton today must needs be equipped with a balloon or a pair of wings, for the reason that the floor of the A. C. Co.'s office building, in which the Board of Trade rooms are situated was all being taken up today in order that the building might be leveled up and put upon a more solid foundation. The A. C. Co. is in the progressive march and when complete its office building will be among the best Dawson affords.

Police Court News.
In the afternoon session of yesterday's police court the man Esterbrook who took a long chance in smuggling in six bottles of porter and a few gallons of bald-faced whisky was fined \$100 and costs. That the police court of Dawson is not in the cats-paw list is now apparent to Mr. Esterbrook.

Only one case called for the time and attention of the court this morning; a member of the family on which the sun never sets, Mr. Smith, was up for having uproariously and to the detriment of peace and quietude imbibed too freely of the compound fluid extract of rye. Ten and costs paid in the coin of the realm kept this particular member of the illustrious family, which statistics tell us amount to fourteen millions on the American continent, from performing menial labor in the fuel reduction works for a period of ten days of ten hours per diem.

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Mr. Prudhomme's nomination paper was signed by the same names, from Dawson, but Mr. Wilson had in addition a large number of signers from Grand Forks, Bonanza, Eldorado and Dominion creeks.

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WILSON, PRUDHOMME, NOEL

And O'Brien the Nominees Who Filed Certificates and Who Will Solicit Suffragists' Votes.

In its wisdom the Yukon council de-nominated today as the date upon which nominations should close for candidates for election to seats on the board of the Yukon council.

At a few minutes past this morning the sheriff's office and the lower story of the courthouse generally became permeated with an air of business. The hustings were to take place at 11 o'clock, and statesmen with nomination papers signed by ten good Canadian citizens of twelve months' residence in the Yukon territory, were expected to appear and claim for nomination and the sheriff to receive their \$200.

Mr. Auguste Noel appeared, smiling and confident, accompanied by Col. McDonald and asked if commercial dust would be received at \$16 per ounce, to the extent of \$200.

The sheriff declined to take dust, and Mr. Noel counted over the \$200 in coin of the realm.

He also produced a voluminous nomination paper which was signed by 21 citizens as follows: Alex McDonald, A. D. M. McDonald, J. W. McDonald, A. J. McDonald, Martin Gately, Peter Vochon, L. J. Rimming-ton, E. Champagne, Arthur Bradner, J. O. Binet, John J. Brady, John McCormack, J. George McKinnon, Horace Dagenais, Herman Candy, Marcel Sheehy, J. C. Gacon, O. L. De Villers, Felix Buzean, Joseph D. Dulnois, J. B. Conolly.

After Mr. Noel had thus been placed in nomination there was a lull in the rush of business, as the statesmen with \$200 and a paper signed by ten citizens desirous of seeing them help the present council to save the country, were a little backward in putting in an appearance. However, at 11:30 Mr. Prudhomme and Mr. Wilson, the choice of the recent convention, came in and placed their money and nomination papers in the hands of the sheriff.

Candidate Arthur Wilson's nomination was signed by Wm. W. McKay, Andrew S. Grant, J. H. Davison, Alfred Thompson, C. H. Woodworth, F. L. Gwillim, Felix Bordeleau, Wilfred L. Leureaux, Max Landreville, N. H. Borais, Joseph Cadeux, Daniel McGillivray, A. D. Williams, Thos. Chisholm, J. B. Conolly, J. F. Sugrue, Chas. Garbott, D. McGregor, R. P. McLennan and George D. Duncan.

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And Small Packages can be sent to the Creeks by our carriers on the following days: Every Wednesday and Saturday to Eldorado and Bonanza; every Saturday to Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run, Sulphur, etc.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1900

WILSON AND PRUDHOMME.

At noon today nominations for the two seats on the Yukon council to be filled by popular election were declared closed. The candidates who will seek the support of the voters of the district are as follows: Arthur Wilson, Alex Prudhomme, nominees of the late citizens' convention, and Auguste Noel and Thos. W. O'Brien, nominated by petition of the required number of voters.

True to the promise made some time ago the Nugget has refrained from indicating a preference for any candidate until all who purposed entering the campaign should qualify and no doubt be left as to the composition of the various tickets. The only desire of this paper is, and has been, that the best men available should be brought forward for the two positions, and certainly no intelligent judgment on the merits of the various candidates could be passed until the close of the nominations.

In view of the fact that the contest has now narrowed down to the candidates as above set forth we have no hesitation in declaring it to be our firm belief and conviction that the welfare of the territory will be best conserved by the election of Messrs. Wilson and Prudhomme. It is a straight contest between the men who for three years have persistently and consistently demanded justice at the hands of the Dominion government and those who by reason of favors directly or indirectly received have stood by and upheld the government's attitude.

The results of three years' work are just coming to hand. Little by little concessions are being made by the government to the demands which have so unanimously gone up from this territory. The eyes of Ottawa have been opened to the fact that the Yukon question will never be settled until it is settled right. That fact has been impressed upon the government only by the constant efforts which have been put forward during the past three years.

The time is now at hand when the final bolt should be driven home. A long, strong and united pull for Messrs. Wilson and Prudhomme will place those gentlemen on the Yukon council by so strong a majority that even he who runs may read the meaning of the lesson therein contained.

The lines are clearly drawn, the issue plain. We are fighting for measures as well as for men, and in electing the two men nominated by the citizens' convention we have absolute assurance that the measures which the people of territory have so earnestly sought for three years past will be entrusted to the right hands.

MORE REASONS.

Good reasons are coming forward every day why Dawson should become an incorporated town instead of remaining as it is today, an unorganized community. The accident last evening whereby an elderly woman was quite severely injured serves to indicate very forcibly that attention should be given constantly to the streets and sidewalks of this town. Broken boards are of frequent occurrence in the sidewalks along Third Avenue, as also on other thor-

oughfares. During the prevailing dark nights these furnish veritable traps for the unwary passerby. The Yukon council is too busy with other matters, apparently, to give attention to such trifles and as a matter of fact the territorial legislative body ought not to be bothered with looking after these local affairs.

It is clearly time that Dawson should become incorporated in order that municipal matters which, under the present system, are necessarily more or less neglected may be given their proper amount of attention.

A COMMENDABLE ENTERPRISE.

The article published in yesterday's issue of the Nugget, descriptive of the plant now in course of establishment by the electric power company will, without doubt, prove astonishing to many people. The fact that machinery of such enormous capacity has been brought into Dawson is the strongest possible testimonial that the promoters of the power company could give of their confidence in the future of this city.

The story will scarcely be credited on the outside. Three years ago the district, which this winter will be lighted with electricity generated in Dawson, was a wilderness through which it was almost an impossibility for man or beast to travel. This winter, lines will be strung a distance of from 15 to 20 miles, electric lights will guide the traveler up and down the trail and wherever required the wires will be tapped and power secured for mining operations along the entire length of the wire. The untiring energy thus displayed by the men who have fathered the enterprise is worthy of the utmost commendation.

The practical application of electric power to mining operations on a large scale will prove a most important factor in the work of developing the gold resources of the country immediately tributary to Dawson. Every slight reduction in the cost of development work means that a larger area of ground can be worked at a profit. Electric power is safe, sure and economical, three qualities which make it particularly suited to the work for which it is required in the Yukon.

The Onion He Wanted.

A member of congress received a letter from a constituent one day which seemed much like others he had received. Accordingly he rushed over to the folding room and asked for Smith's onion report.

"No such report here, sir," the clerk responded. "The only onion report I know of is the one issued by the department of agriculture."

"Well, you must be mistaken," replied the member. "This applicant is not a farmer, he's a clergyman. Here, look at the letter!"

"Oh," said the clerk after a moment's perusal of the letter, "he doesn't want Smith's onion report; he wants a Smithsonian report. I'll take a cigar." —Washington Star.

Youngest Miner Out.

Little Pettie Gray came out from Dawson on the train and that was the first time he had ever ridden on a railroad car. He was even unaccustomed to steamboats, but he took it all in placidly and said to himself "I have years enough before me to see still more wonderful things."

Pettie was not born with a silver spoon in his mouth, but when he was four hours old the miners on Victoria gulch on upper Bonanza assembled around him and laid at his feet the biggest nuggets they had. He was the first white boy born on Bonanza, a little over a year ago. He brought out with him yesterday the largest poke of nuggets there was on the train and is reserving time to complete his education in California.

It may be incidentally mentioned that Pettie brought with him his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gray, who have claims on Bonanza, but who estimate Pettie the nugget of greatest price they ever got out of.—Alaskan.

Best Canadian rye at the Regina.

Mrs. Maggie Warnke has opened a first-class restaurant at the Hotel Metropole. Meals a la carte. c20

Information Wanted.

Will any person who knew James F. Brace or was present at his funeral October, 1898, communicate with Undertaker Green, or Wm. Northrop, lock box 410. p19.

STROLLER'S COLUMN.

After today the campaign will be duly on, all nominations having been made and all candidates duly groomed for the race. There are various ways of making campaigns with telling success. The candidate who carries good cigars, etcetera, and who makes a point of shaking hands—a long, lingering shake—with all the ladies and of kissing the babies usually plays a winning hand. In the case the voter is a pioneer with a squaw wife, do not draw the color line, but kiss the baby just the same as though its scaly face was a late Carford peach. It is well when a candidate conducts a kissing campaign to carry one or more Bermuda onions to have to bite on between families.

Another mode of winning votes is to hire halls and schoolhouses and make speeches. Here the absence of schoolhouses will make it necessary, especially on the creeks, to do the speech making in the dining rooms, which are the barrooms, of roadhouses. This will make it all the more pleasant to the constituency, as nothing clinches an argument more than three fingers of Old Crow or the contents of a "long glass," don't you know?

Another system of campaigning frequently marked with great success is what is called a "still hunt," which system is, as its name implies, conducted very quietly. The candidate takes a voter to one side where they sit down on a log and whittle sticks, talk about 'possum dogs and various brands of prepared baby foods. Before separating the candidate slips a \$10 bill into the hands of the voter and says, if the latter is a man of family, "buy something for the children;" but if a single man, "treat the boys and while they are drinking put in a good word for me."

As the campaign is now duly on all the above systems will doubtless be practiced between now and election day, and as all are legitimate no objections should be interposed. However, the first and foremost question of the hour is "What will you have?"

"Did you ever notice how riches effect some men when they get a hitch on a few thousand," said R. W. Calderhead, when in a reminiscent mood. "I can name half a dozen men here, who are simply unbearable now, when, before they bumped against prosperity were decent fellows; to know and had a kind word for their fellowmen and were always willing to help a friend in adversity."

"Now it is just the opposite. Everyone, they think, is their enemy. They have no one to care a tinker's cuss if they live or die for they have antagonized all their old companions by some mean idiosyncrasy which has developed with their prosperity. As an illustration take Johnnie Dough. I knew him years ago and a more generous fellow never lived. Many a pleasant time we have had together and if one of us were broke, which in those days was the rule nearly, every Monday morning, the other would dig up somehow, if he had to pawn his clothes. Now this same cuss has a little money; just enough to imagine he's an embryo Croesus and the bump of acquisitiveness has developed so large on his head that his ears are hid in a cave from the profligance above the ear."

"In the old days when we met, it would be 'hello, old man,' now should I see him in an unusual place he would say 'good morning, sir,' and talk about the trouble he labors under by the demands made by the 'working class.'"

Will Try a Conner.

A. Lalande and his son F. P., are at the Mondamin on their way into Dawson. Mr. Lalande is an old acquaintance with Skagway people. He came here from Gananogue, Ont., in the winter of 1898 and packed goods over to Bennett with a couple of dogs. He had but 2000 pounds but he made many trips backwards and forwards to get it over. Now he is a miner on Hunker, and one of Dawson's prominent merchants.

This time he is taking in 15 tons of rubber goods and footwear, which he brought up with him on the Dolphin, and hopes to corner the inside market on them.—Alaskan.

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"It was in 1875," said the old sea captain, "and I was an able seaman on the whaler Rivenok looking for blubber in the south Atlantic, with a seat in the second mate's whaleboat. We had the boats ready to lower and the mastheads manned for over three weeks before we sighted grease, and when the cry, 'There she blows!' rang out from the fore skysail yard the old man went wild with delight. 'Sperm-whale sure!' he bawled. 'Down on aloft, every one! Stand by to lower!' We got the boats off in good shape, and our boat took the lead, which we held till we came up with the whale. The boat header let go his harpoon, sending it out of sight into the side of the monster, which started off at a rate of speed that made the boat hum through the water. She kept this up for 20 minutes, and we soon lost sight of the Rivenok and the other boats. And then, as though tiring of pulling us along, she suddenly showed flukes and began to make for the bottom like a load of pig lead. The rope, one end of which was attached to the harpoon in the whale's back, ran out of the boat so fast that it looked like a thread of blue smoke.

"Cut that rope if it fouls," cried the man tossing me a hatchet, "and lose your time about it! If you don't, God help us! The beast is going to sound 200 fathoms, sure!"

"I had just leaned forward to pick up the implement when there was a sudden jerk, a crashing, whirling sound, and I knew that the rope had fouled. The next minute I felt myself drawn down through the ocean like a shot from a gun. I caught a brief glimpse of the longboat flashing through the water, a number of struggling forms, and then I began to come up. It seemed ages before I reached the surface and those blue skies never seemed so welcome before. Only one of my comrades succeeded in getting out of the boat, and he was floating about on a long plank which had been stored in the bottom of the boat for just such a purpose. I swam up and caught hold of the other end of it. Luckily the water was calm and the plank kept our heads well out of water. Not a sign of our ship or small boats did we see, however, and the thought came over me that we might just as well have been pulled to the bottom by the whale as to die by inches. The hours wore on, however, and we began to grow weak and it got to be a question of how much longer we could hold out.

"Just as we were about to despair of ever being rescued, my companion, Bill Boyce, gave a shout of joy and pointed out over the ocean towards a big steam frigate which was pointing in our direction. We were quite sure she saw us as we must have been plainly marked against the angry colors of the sunset. The vessel looked like a man-of-war, for her spars were clean cut and rakish and we caught the glint of polished brass work. The smoke was pouring out of her funnel and in a few minutes she was within a quarter of a mile of us. I remarked to Royce that we were very lucky, and receiving no reply I turned to look at him.

"I have never seen such a look in a man's face before nor since. It was as white as a sheet, his eyes seemd to bulge out of his head and his teeth rattled together with castanets. He caught my look and in reply pointed off in the direction opposite to that from which the frigate was approaching. 'Sharks,' he whispered. 'They've been attracted by the whale's blood. It's all up now, for sure.'"

"I saw but one shark. He was quite a distance off and was making for us in a leisurely way. The men on the warship saw it too and realized our danger. A single dull boom was heard, and a solid shot struck about 50 feet to one side of the man eater, which paid no attention to the compliment, but continued to make for us with a slightly increased speed. Behind him, about 50 feet in the rear, was another shark. Both were quite near now. So was the warship.

"We could hear the crew manning the davits and falls; we could hear the splash as the small boat took to the water. Again the gun boomed from the warship, but this time the shot went clear over the shark and struck the wa-

ter a quarter of a mile beyond. Nearer and nearer came the first shark, and we now saw that the small boat could not reach us in time.

"The beast made straight for Royce, who screamed with terror. Over on his back turned the shark, with his cavernous mouth open and his long, cruel teeth reeking with froth. The boat was still 20 yards off. Royce in sheer terror let go his hold on the plank and tried to swim for it. The next instant the shark was upon him. I closed my eyes, heard a shriek from Royce, and when I looked the water was stained with blood, but Royce was gone. It was my turn now. The second shark was almost upon me, and I caught a glimpse of his little swinish eyes as he turned over on his back. The yards of the warship were thronged, and nothing could be heard but the splash of the approaching boat. I was paralyzed. I could not have left the plank to save my soul. Nearer came the shark, and again I shut my eyes. I could even hear the snuffing of the beast, and then came the clear, cool command: 'Steady, men! Aim! Fire!' A volley of musketry awoke the stillness, and then I lost consciousness. When I came to, I was on deck of the United States ship. The jackies in the rowboat had shot the shark when it was within three feet of me.

"Since then, gentlemen, I have never been in a whaler, and I bear an everlasting grudge against sharks, not only because of my close call, but because it made my hair turn as white as you now see it, which was not becoming to a boy of 25."

A Third Reader Story.

This is a story taken from the Third Reader. It may not be just like the conventional Third Reader stories. The only difference is that this is a probable tale, while the usual story in the schoolbooks is not like anything anybody heard before.

This story is about two boys. Third Reader stories are always about boys. In novels and in polite literature there are stories about girls, but in Third Readers they are about boys—generally about schoolboys. Third Reader boys always go to school.

These boys were named George Jones and Charles Barlow. If their names had been anything but Charles and George, they might have been just as good boys, but they would not have been suitable for Third Reader purposes.

George Jones was an idle boy. He would never study worth a cent in school. All day long he would sit in the schoolroom catching flies. It was winter, and there were no flies, but that cut no ice with George.

His teacher frequently told him if he didn't study more he would grow up without any education, and he would then become a lawyer or a journalist and bring shame upon his parents, although George was an orphan with only one pa and one ma. George would take his books home every night, but he never studied them. But at playing baseball and football and all kinds of athletics there wasn't a boy in school who could touch him.

Charles Barlow was another kind of boy. He was just as industrious as George was idle. Lots of days at recess, when the rest of the children went out to play "Blackman" and "Go, sheep, go," he would remain in the schoolroom and talk about the Copernician system and the nebular hypothesis and the transmigration of souls and many other things about which neither he nor the teacher knew anything.

Charles had a sallow complexion and no appetite. He had to be that way or it would spoil the story. He studied theorems, and George studied new rushes and curves and athletic slang.

Finally both entered college, and George had made such poor use of his time that he would not have passed if his uncle, who kept a grocery store, had not been a member of the board of directors.

After he had got into college he made so many blunders that the rest of the class all laughed at him. They could not help it. Charles stood at the head of his class. He won every prize that was offered as easily as George ate pie or threw curves.

But when George got into the ball nine the scholars in his class began to laugh out of the other side of their mouths. Their school won all the games, and their intellectual achievements "didn't do no good."

When graduation day came, Charles made a fine speech, but his parents and relatives were ashamed of him. He couldn't run half as fast as a horse, and his hair wasn't any longer than other people's. He had a high forehead, but his muscles were not knotty, like a carrot.

George won the prize for being the best all round athlete in school. He

didn't know an isocetes triangle from the specific gravity of a pot of hot mush. But he brought fame and renown to the college by being able to kick harder than one of Andy Hauenstein's big mules.

The last we heard of them George was a director in a college at \$500 a year. Charles was a preacher on a country circuit at \$600. He preached three times Sundays and had trouble with the choir. He had nine children and a fuss with the board of trustees. They didn't like a preacher who brought politics into the pulpit, nohow!

No Caucus Necessary.

A prominent Kansas politician who has been happily married for over a year sent the following unique proposal to the object of his adoration:

"My Dear Miss — I hereby announce myself as a candidate for your hand, and I shall use all fair and honorable means to secure the nomination. I know there are many candidates in the field, and I hesitated long before entering the race, but now I'm in it to stay. My views on love and matrimony have often been expressed in your hearing in an emphatic way. If you decide to confer upon me the honor I speak of, please fix a date for a caucus with your mother. I have no objection to her acting as temporary chairman provided it is clearly understood that I am to be chairman of the permanent organization. Should the result of the caucus prove satisfactory we can hold the primaries and select the date and place of convention. I never believed in campaigns, so if you decide to honor me I will ask you to make the convention date as early as possible. Devotedly yours,

The following telegram was sent in answer by the young lady:

"Caucus—unnecessary; nomination unanimous; come at once and fix the date of ratification."—Ex.

A Creek View.

Last Chance Sep 19, 1900.

Mr Aditor Dawson

Dear Sir—I see on your paper you gone send one mans to parlomont on Ottawa an I want told all my friends for who to votet for Spose you told me in the paper what mans are gon to run theree I told to my firinds for who to vot. I like if you told in de paper if dere going be de tird mans in de fiel for I like to pass on Doston an make the speak ike I malke some time on Quebec.

Now I like you to pass this letter on your papr to let my friends no where am I stop at By gilaa mister I never see moare dam good creak like this alrady she have it very rich on the side hill just de same like the Banansa My Broder Felix he lave one good clame he take out one pan too one twenty-six peny wate on an twenty nine gravel think if he not be careful he gone be rich soon.

I receive it from my gurl to day one letter an paper. I gone send you one news from it Next time I gone to rite you long letter for your paper an told you bout my gurl to Quebeck Is on your paper dat Lord Pinto be pass on Doston Ise soory I not be dere too received him. Purty soon I think you see pass on las chance one large boom now if you pass this on your paper you do me one oblige. yours respitfully
JOE MOPHREAU.

Thieves on the River.

Some excitement was caused on board the steamer Eldorado while en route from Dawson to Whitehorse, last Wednesday night, by a report that a heavy robbery had been committed.

From passengers arriving in Skagway last night it was learned that a fireman on the boat, whose name could not be learned, missed a roll of bills amounting to \$250. All search for the money proved unavailing until the steamer reached Whitehorse, where, after a portion of the passengers, had been searched as they went ashore, the missing cash was found, having been hidden on a shelf in the boiler room. No arrests were made.

Another passenger missed about \$750 on the same trip, two days out of Dawson. It, also, was recovered.—Alaskan, Sept. 14.

He Got the Glad Hand.

Harry Hershberg is again in town shaking hands with his numerous friends. He has spent several months on the outside and returns with another invoice of goods for his store. Mr. Hershberg reports lively times on the outside with intense interest being taken by the people in the coming presidential election. The impression prevails that McKinley will be elected by an immense majority. The Democrats, however, are working tooth and nail to put Bryan in power and if defeated it will not be by reason of lack of effort on their part.

Seattle is crowded again, this time with returning voyagers from Nome, who, in many instances, have lost all

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their possessions in their mad rush to the north. "This town looks good to me," said Harry. "The buildings erected since I left here last summer is almost beyond belief. I am glad to get back and get down to business again."

J. E. Booge's Bereavement.

Yesterday J. E. Booge of the Yukon hotel, received a telegram freighted with sorrowful news from Chicago. The message told briefly of the death of his wife almost immediately upon the arrival in that city from Dawson. Mrs. Booge spent last winter and the greater part of the past summer with her husband here, where she made many friends and pleasant acquaintances. She left here but a short time since in company with her daughter, and the wire of this morning, bringing the news of her death is the first news received from her by her husband.

A Candidate From Pohick.

I'm feelin patriotic, an I want it understood that I am willin to be active to promote my country's good.

They say they want a president who never had a faint Of politics about him, who has wakened no complaint Because he 'sociated with a syndicate or trust An such wicked institutions of our social upper crust.

I talked to 'Mandy' 'bout it. She advised me fair an straight; So start your printin presses. I am now a candidate.

She took me fairly by surprise when, after I'd explained, She showed enthusiasm which could scarcely be restrained.

Says she: "If they are lookin with an ardor so intense For a man to run for office who has no experience, Who is innocent an guileless as a robin rapt in song An is ready fur to buy the first gold brick that comes along,

Why, git your speeches ready jes' as speedy as you can. There ain't no doubt 'bout it. You're the long expected man."

Fling out your stary banners! Start your torch lights on parade! Fur 'Mandy says it's all O. K. You needn't be afraid.

There is eastern aspirations, there is booms out in the west, But I'm the only feller that kin truly meet the test.

Of course, I don't know what it is a president must do, But I'm willin fur to learn it, if it takes a week or two.

So gather round, good people—I'm a prize—an grab me quick! You want to get a candidate from Pohick on the crick.

—Lewiston Journal.

A new department at the Northern Annex. Liquors at wholesale.

Fine old Scotch at wholesale. The best quality. Northern Annex.

Fresh Vegetables and Meats. N. P. Shaw & Co. have just received a fresh stock of choice vegetables of all kinds. Also a full line of fresh meats. Second ave., near Bank of B. N. A.

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On and after MONDAY, September 10th, will leave at 2 p. m. instead of 3 p. m. On completion of Bonanza Road a double line of stages will be run, making two round trips daily.

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THE WATER FRONT IS BUSY.

Travel In and Out is Now Almost Equal.

Many Passengers Are Coming In, While Hundreds Are Going Out—River News.

Yesterday and today are busy days along the water front, a whole fleet of vessels arriving and departing with freight and passengers in the past 48 hours. Travel both ways is now about equal, to and from Whitehorse. The steamer Victorian left last night with an unusually large passenger list. Many people who were refused tickets at the office owing to all berths being sold, even the standers, went aboard the boat and arranged for transportation with the purser.

The Flora also left with a full passenger list at 4 o'clock this morning.

The Sybil arrived yesterday afternoon with her complement of freight and the following passengers: Wm. Neil, C. J. Terry, M. Pedlar, Mrs. Pedlar, Miss Duncan, C. C. Hering, Willie Monroe, F. Townsend, Mrs. Townsend, J. Saunborn, T. J. Watson, R. Stern, H. Hershberg, F. Dunlap, D. H. Ross, F. Christian, J. P. Trood, W. S. Plants.

The Columbian arrived last night. She brought but one sack of mail, local, from Whitehorse, 165 tons of freight and the following passengers: J. G. Tache, Miss Tache, C. Carbonneau, W. Barrett, Mrs. Barrett, Alice Barrett, Jeanette Barrett, M. Barrett, Capt. Sharley, J. H. Johnson, Mrs. Johnson, W. A. Robertson, E. D. Vaut, R. W. Shepherd, L. E. Shepherd, J. Rourk, Mrs. W. Sherbeck and child, Owen Gately, Mrs. Walther, Mrs. J. Astone, Allan C. Astone, Miss E. Hirsh, Mrs. A. Anderson and child, D. Atkinson.

The Bonanza King arrived at her dock this morning after an adventurous journey down stream. She left Whitehorse on the 11th of the month, but was unfortunately detained by several bars along the river. She brought a scowload of beef cattle and 105 tons of general merchandise, and the following passengers: Mrs. Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Sebett, B. Gaughan and R. C. Burke.

The Eldorado is following the Bonanza King and is due to arrive today. The Zealandian is expected tomorrow with a large consignment of mail.

The following was received by wire: Steamer Yukoner passed Hootalinqua coming down at 9 o'clock this morning.

The Nora, Bailey and Canadian passed Five Fingers this morning going up at 5, 7 and 7:50 o'clock respectively.

The steamer Zealandian passed Five Fingers coming down at 7 this morning and was followed by the Ora two hours later.

The Yukoner, Lightning and Anglian left Whitehorse this morning. The Gold Star arrived at that point this morning.

Steamer Eldorado arrived at noon with a large number of passengers. She brought 112 tons of freight. The following is her passenger list: B. R. Freeman, E. D. Laman, H. Milne, Mrs. E. D. Laman, H. Miller, Mrs. C. F. Boggs, Mrs. L. Courtney, T. Hegestadt, H. D. Fountain, Master Fountain, Constable Richardson, Miss Mabel Beaumont, Levi Oleson, Noe Pigeon, A. Lancel, Miss Hermine, Miss Rose, Miss Marie Germain, Mrs. King, John King, Morse Pecotte, O. Geronan, J. A. Pecotte, B. C. Johnson, West Fleury, Frank Macroft, W. Farrell, L. F. Madrie, May Jacobs, Jos. Lyons, A. Pauseler, O. Suter, Andrew Froseth, P. M. Thompson, Mrs. Campbell, Jas. Cunningham, John Rollo, Jas. Wearis, M. Morgan, Chas. Poogue, Benoni Bedard, Prillias Bedard, Dena Krembloy, S. Morotte, S. Mooire, B. St. Marie, Aug. Pigeon, Mrs. W. Warren, Miss C. Williams, Mrs. Dr. Hedges, W. J. Weymouth, Arthur Coleman, A. Harmon, B. Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Graudy, Tagish Jim, Tagish Charlie, G. D. Bentley, V. E. Gilmer, E. Ritter, Jas. Nordstrom, J. Nordstrom.

Contraband Booze.
The steamer Flora which arrived yesterday brought her full capacity of freight mixed up with which was a miniature consignment of contraband oil of joy which probably passed detection above on account of its small size. The stuff captured on the arrival of the Flora at this port consists of six bottles of porter and one jar of stark naked hooch, all of which was sur-

repeatedly brought into the country by a man named J. Esterbrook. The goods were taken possession of by the officers and will probably be added to the already large stock on hand of confiscated contraband goods. Esterbrook, the man who took a long chance when the financial benefits accruing could not have been other than a mere "bag-of-shells" had his plans not miscarried.

CHINESE PRONUNCIATION.

Three Simple Rules That Will Help You in the Task.

An acknowledged authority on the pronunciation of Chinese names as transliterated into English assures us that there need be no serious difficulty in sounding the many Chinese names now appearing in the newspapers if the speaker will remember that the vowels in these names are uniformly those of the Italian or continental alphabet—namely: (1) a, always about as a in far; e, always approximately as e in they or then; i, very like i in machine or pin; o, as either the o of song or how, and u, always as the u of rule. (2) Also, it should be remembered, every syllable has an independent value and should be given that value in pronunciation. (3) As for consonants, they are pronounced exactly as written. These three rules will secure as correct a pronunciation of Chinese names as can be secured without oral instruction.

For example, under the first rule one would say tahkoo for Taku, not take-you, as one may frequently hear the word pronounced; lee hoong chahng for Li Hung Chang, not lie hung chang; peh-tyng for Peking, not peek-in; shahng-hah-ee for Shanghai, not shanghigh; tsoong-lee-yahmen for tsung-li-yamen, not tsung lie yamen, and so on. Under the second rule Tien-tsin is pronounced teeyen tsinn, accenting the yen syllable, not teen tsin. General Nieh's name is Nee-yeh. The Chinese coin tael is not tale, but tah-ale, pronounced quickly. Yunnan fu is yoon-nahn-foo, not yunnan-fyu.

In like manner all words are pronounced with syllable distinctness and with uniform vowel sound. Under the third rule the province name Szechuan is soursied, not zekuan, but nearly as zehchoahn, touching the choo very lightly; Nghanwei as inggahghoo-wayee, dropping the initial sound, and the German possession Kiau-Chau is Keahnoo chahoo.

However, without multiplying examples, the reader of news from the much troubled far east will find his way through the many difficult names he is to meet in his reading in the near future with sufficient safety if he will but observe the three simple rules here given for their correct pronunciation.—Boston Transcript.

The Breach of Promise Record.
Many records of different kinds have been broken of late, but it will take a long time indeed to break the one that has just been made by the Bavarian gentleman, Mr. Alois Frankenberger, remarks the New York Sun. His case came up the other day in the assizes court of Gratz, Austria, in which the testimony against him, the truth of which was admitted by himself, footed up a total of 120 cases of breaches of promises to marry. Young girls, old maids, widows, brunettes and blonds, fat and lean, long and short, all figured in his gigantic dossier. And yet his mode of procedure was simple enough. After he had spent a fortune of 100,000 marks leading a wild life in different countries he returned to Gratz penniless.

His last resource lay in his good looks and winning ways. He put an advertisement in several papers inviting ladies desiring to marry "a gentleman of fortune" to put themselves in communication with him. And they did. His bonnet fortunes were phenomenal, even though his "fortune" was fictitious. In a short time he had sweethearts galore, and to buy furniture for nice flats in their castles in Spain, he obtained money from them. That is what brought him into trouble. After sparking all that was profitably sparkable in Gratz he abandoned his beloved ones in that town and set up in business as a matrimonial merchant in Munich, where his success was still more extraordinary. Then he returned to Gratz, where he was denounced, arrested, tried, convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for two years and six months with hard labor.

The Old Time Shipbuilder.
The man with the broadax is gradually disappearing. He is very hard to find in Canada, but a few of his tribe are still scattered along the New England coast, mainly on the Kennebec. It is probable the tribe will die out on the spot where the first blow of the broadax was struck. The man with the river is the next step in marine evolution. He is a noisy fellow, just a part of a machine, and he can never replace the quiet, contemplative philosopher in the red shirt and overalls who stood in the American shipyard in days that are past.—Boston Herald.

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BRIEF MENTION.

George Sutherland and wife are down from Hunker.

E. N. Hill, of Gold Run, is in the city today.

H. A. Mann, of Caribou, is over from that place on business.

Chas. A. Dixon, of Duluth, Minn., is registered at the Fairview.

W. C. Leek, of 31 Eldorado, was in the city yesterday.

Chas. E. Severance, president of the Bonanza Water Co., has made an assignment to A. E. Webster.

Warren, brother of Charles Lamb, of No. 3 Eldorado, accompanied by his wife, has gone to Stockton, Cal., to winter.

The Terry Brothers, Fred and Ed, arrived in Dawson yesterday evening where both are well known. They are both old Seattleites.

Politicians about town when asked for news, are much given to the bland smile and a habit of saying they know nothing.

W. G. C. Belt, of the Bank of British North America, of Bennett, is one of yesterday's arrivals. He is registered at the Regina.

N. Barrett, brother of Joe Barrett, of Doimion creek, recently arrived from Seattle with his wife and daughters. The family will winter here.

Yesterday Attorney White received a telegram from the Whitehorse delegation asking him to represent them in the convention held last week. What's the matter with Whitehorse?

The completion of the plans of the power company will give another impetus to the very prosperous condition of affairs which prevails in Dawson and throughout the Yukon territory generally.

This morning Sheriff Eilbeck received a telegram from M. J. Heenev, announcing his departure from Skagway for Toronto in company with "Little Willie" (Robinson). The telegram was very jocular.

Yesterday, T. C. Healey, jr., received a telegram from his wife from Skagway, announcing her departure from that place. Mrs. Healey recently went to Seattle to bring in her daughter, and is now on her way back to Dawson.

F. H. Beaumont, who is here on business from Fort Yukon, speaks highly of the Chandler country, but says it is suffering for lack of development, as only three or four prospectors at a time ever go in there, and they do not prospect thoroughly.

Creek News.

Messrs. Cooper and Henning have set up a new 30-horse power boiler on their ground on American gulch.

J. W. Frame, of 33 below Bonanza store, was in to meet his family, who arrived from Everett, Wash., last Tuesday.

Mr. H. Day purchased Mr. Willet's interest on 31 below Bonanza and is now getting down a lot of wood for the coming winter.

Stafford & Williams, of Chechako Hill, have worked out their claim and will go to the outside for the winter. They will both return in March to work their claim on King Solomon's Hill.

There was a big dance at the Magnet roadhouse last Saturday evening; the occasion being the completion of the addition made this summer.

M. W. Johnson has opened up the No. 6 store and restaurant at 6 below Bonanza.

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NOEL & McKINNON, Advocates, Second st., near Bank of B. N. A.

HENRY BLEEKER & FERNAND DE JOURNEL, Attorneys at Law, Offices—Second street, in the Joslin Building, Residence—Third avenue, opp. Metropole hotel Dawson.

WADE & AIKMAN—Advocates, Notaries, etc. Office, A. C. Office Building.

PATTULLO & RIDLEY—Advocates, Notaries Conveyancers, &c. Offices, First Ave.

TABOR & HOLME—Barristers and Solicitors; Advocates; Notaries Public; Conveyancers Telephone No. 48. Offices, Rooms 1, 2, 3, Orpheum Building.

N. F. HAGEL, Q. C., Barrister, Notary, etc., over McLennan, McFeely & Co. Hardware store, First avenue.

ASSAYERS.

JOHN B. WARDEN, F. I. C.—Assayer for Bank of British North America. Gold dust melted and assayed. Assays made of quartz and black sand. Analyses of ores and coal.

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"It seems but a few months ago since the usual clothing worn by the Dawson public was of the coarsest nature, and machinists in all their hideous colors were seen upon men who today are as careful of their dress as the most fastidious habitue of the boulevards in the effete east.

"Fortunately for me, I anticipated just such a change, and in placing my orders for this winter's supply I have made it a point to have shipped to the Star Clothing House the finest wearing apparel obtainable. At my establishment today I can supply my customers with the swell clothing and haberdashery demanded by the changed conditions to which I have referred.

"Women are a great factor in trade, and the commerce of the world is largely effected by them. "It would amuse you to see how sharp some of them are in the matter of prices. The Star Clothing House is recognized as a low priced house, and while I have but one price at my store, I have almost been tempted by some of these ladies to reduce my quoted price on some of my goods which would be insisted could be obtained at another store at a lower price. This, in some instances, when I had the only stock of that particular article in Dawson.

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