



has been impossible for the lumbermen to go any distance from the river bank in search of timber.

When a proper system is introduced into the working of the lumber industry it will be found that thousands of acres of splendid timbered land will become immediately available

In the meanwhile it only remains that proper care be taken to insure some measure of protection against the lorest fires which in previous years have invariably prevailed dur-

ing the summer. There is plenty of timber in the territory if the sources of supply are sufficiently safeguarded.

The visit of Commissioner Ross to the capital should be productive of a wast amount of good for the territory. Mr. Ross has been in Dawson sufficiently long to acquaint himself with a great many of the most vital needs of the district and it may be taken for granted that his influence will be exerted at Ottawa for the betterment of local conditions. If the Yukon Commissioner's wishes are followed, there is nothing in the way of required legislation which the territory will not be given, and that at a very early date.

President Roosevelt has declined to approve his own promotion to a brevet rank. In view of the fact that under the constitution the president of the United States is commander-in-chief of both the army, and navy, it does not appear that Mr. Roosevelt will suffer in consequence of his modesty. However, it is refreshing to note throughout all of President Roosevelt's actions a distinct

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has been arrested for wilful fraud in connection with affairs of the bank. ROYALTY He was heavily involved in mining speculations.

#### Two New Roads

Montreal, Feb. 11 .- Satisfactory arrangements have been made for financiering the Quebec & New Brunswick and the Restigouche & Western

Quebec and the latter from Campbellton to St. Leonards.

Heavy Loss

which was started by an explosion in

\$5,000,000. **Boiler Works Fire** 

were destroyed by fire last night. The ly date. loss is \$50,000.

gold commissioner's office which in- He had just come from Brooklyn, and Rys., the former from Edmonton to structs mining recorders to refuse to he was making the air of the coach accept any filings made by either M. so blue it looked like a smoking car, E. Olson or J. W. Sheppard, former which it wasn't. In the same car owners of No. 2 Monte Christo gulch. was a ministerial looking chap, who The action of the gold commissioner listened in horror to Bill's talk.

is alleged to be due to Olson and "The ministerial fellow stood it Springfield, Feb. 11. - The latest Sheppard having defrauded the gov- for a while, but finally, after the car estimate of the loss by Monday's fire erament out of royalty. According to started and Bill grew more and more the regulations they are barred from profane, he stepped over to Magilliever holding mining property until cuddy and said, holding out a warnthe Champion Chemical Works, is such time as the amount claimed to ing finger, 'Do you know, my poor

DEFAULTERS

Property in the Future.

be due has been paid. A claim which friend, you are on the road to hell ?' they owned at the time of the dis-"Bill started out of his seat as if covery of the alleged fraud has been he had been shot. 'Just my dashed Springfield, Mass., Feb. 11 .-- West's confiscated and will be sold at auc- luck,' he said. 'I just bought a ticket

factory "and Walsh's boiler works tion to the highest bidder at an ear- for Troy.' "-N. Y. Herald. Choicest cuts, beel, mutton and Not a Rip-Snorter. pork, at Bonanza Market, next Post The mail from Nome which arrived | Office Job Printing at Nugget office.



him. 'You could have got here in fif-The Great Northem teen minutes from the Twenty-third street ferry, New York side,' he said. 'You've circled the city when you could have come in a straight line.' And that's all the satisfaction I got. "So, as I say, I don't much blame FLYER' Barred From Holding Mining old Bill for using language when he had to visit Brooklyn. I remember the last time he was down here. He A notice has been posted up in the was going back to Troy on my train

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tons; etc., in honor of Prince Henry's approaching visit. AWARDED Woman Honored Paris, Feb. 10 .- Jean de Villencuve has been appointed secretary to the French consulate in New York. She a position in the French diplomatic Where Lions ond Other Railroad Fireman for Loss of Leg. service.

## **Girl Suicide**

THE PEOPLE HAVE WON THE FIRST ROUND

YUKON TERRITORY "WHITE PASS R.R.

Decision of Justice MARTIN

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Danville, Ill., Feb. 11 .- Margaret Teller, the girl who committed suicide

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EDWIN HARRIS

RELEASED

Edward, Mortimer, Held, on Charge of Theft, to Be Heard Today.

Edwin Harris, who has been held at the barracks for the past two months as a witness in the Dominion saloo hold-up case, yesterday objected to another adjournment of the case and was granted a release from his voluntary imprisonment by Magistrate Macaulay. But as .. he is considered too important a witness to be allow ed to go before the case is brought to trail he had no sooner obtained his liberty than he was re-arrested on a charge of being implicated in the Dominion hold-up.

In asking for his dismissal he stated that he had been held for two months and that he had consented to the enlargement of the case week by week; but as the case still looked a long way off he wanted his liberty. The magistrate said he could do nothing more than grant his demand but stated that other steps might be taken to hold him if he refused to allow another enlargement, although that was a matter for the police to ture with a lions that ever happened in Africa took place on the Uganda line. Five native laborers had deserted, and, taking their guns with them, started back towards the magistrate. coast. One night, while sleeping

guard room, where he will be held ending trial.

to a close with Nat Goodwin's well The case of Edward Mortimer was known farce "Love and War," in

LOTS OF FUN AT SAVOY

at 10 o'clock, on motion of Attorney

Richard Brown was charged with assault by H. W. S. Burns, and while

the complainant was not present to

prosecute the case, Richard plead guilty to the charge and was fined \$5

In New Location.

L. R. Radeliffe, the popular and enterprising proprietor of the C.I.K.

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Where "The Masqueraders" Hold the Boaads This Week.

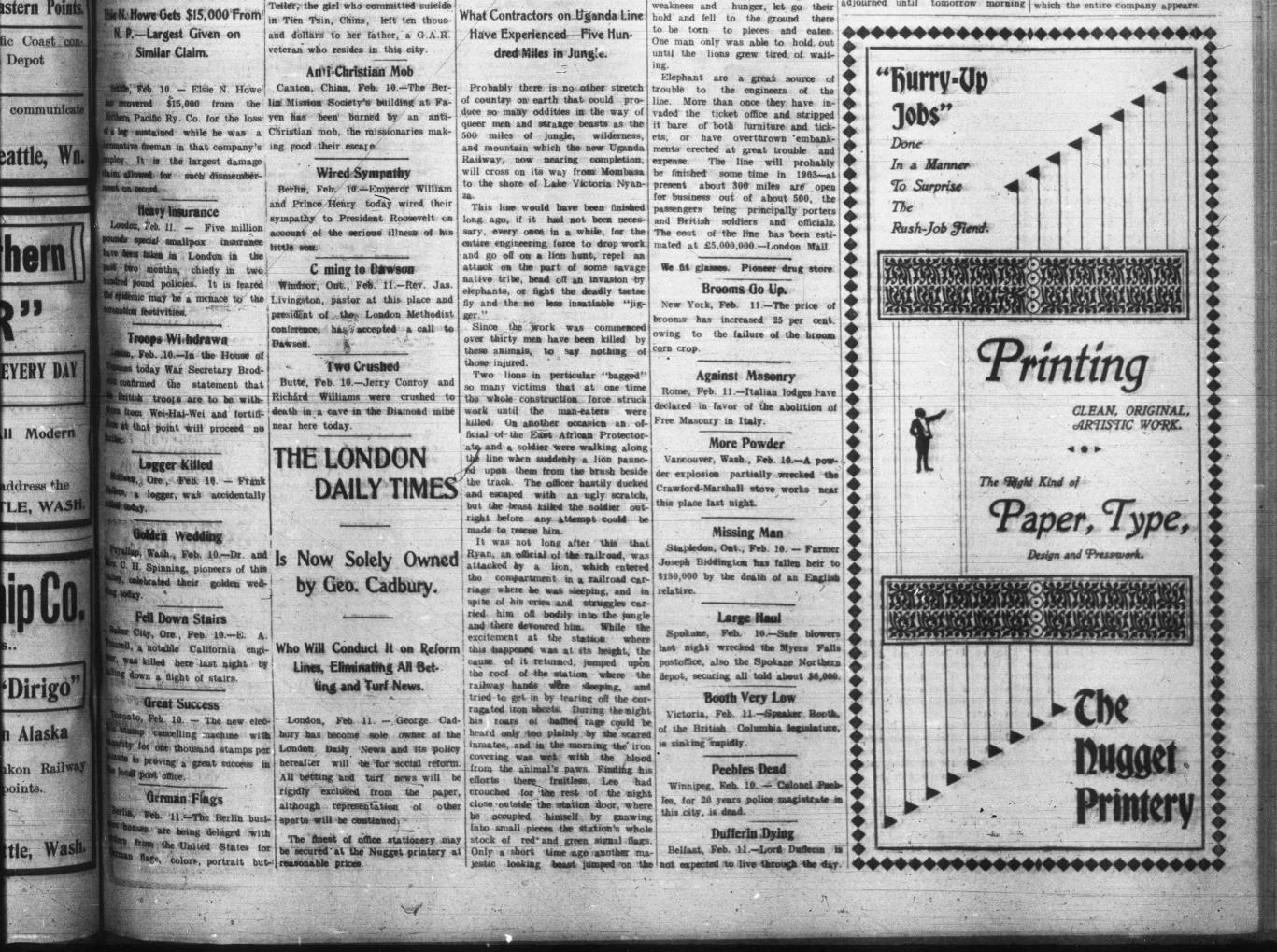
A laughable farce comedy is on the board at the New Savoy this week entitled "The Masqueraders..' It is brimming full of fun and ludicrous situations from start to finish; depicting the trails and tribulations of Fenator Hasselback, a German poli-

tician from New Jersey. The senator is played by Dick Maurettres in his own inimitable manner; the character of the injured husband being taken by Harry Sedley. Chas. Brown plays "Tragedian Mush" and Chas. Moran the tough from Toughville. Cecil Marion plays sweetly the character of the loving wife and Edith Bates that of Mrs. a la Shakespeare

In the olio which follows are a number of excellent specialties. Lillie give their attention. Sergeant Edgerton is introducing some new Smith stated that he thought within and difficult feats on the trapeze, the next week the party being looked Kate Rockwell is seen in her famous for in connection with the Dominion Clarindy cake walk with the pickanhold-up would be found and then the niny accompaniment, and Dorothy case could be proceeded with; but Campbell sings some of her prettiest Harris still persisted in his request ballads. Dollie Mitchell looks more for release, which was granted by the letching than ever and Oilie Delmar is heard in new songs. Maurettus

As Harris started out of the court and Brown are doing a very funny he was followed by Sergeant Smith sketch "Ireland vs. Germany," Cecil the best of their way up into the and as he passed into the lobby he Marion appears in operatic selections was formally arrested on a charge of and Sedley & Bates close the olio in vagrancy and was taken back to the a sketch of their own composition. The really excellent show is brought

adjourned until tomorrow morning which the entire company appears



train and was shot in the act.

Perhaps the most awful adven-

under a tree, they were set: upon

by several lions and promptly, made

low-hanging branches. Accordingly

the lions sat themselves down un-

der the tree and waited patiently

until one by one the miserable men

were exhausted or discouraged by

## THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET: DAWSON, Y. T.

# Che Greatest Rogue Living bring it home. Wherever anything amicably settled. Stoddart has

at the railroad station in this city lost nothing."

stopped only long enough to cross the took place in Tennessee, where he the plot. Trouble had come to him- ty in the latter State. He was as- bank, the prosecutor, and especially platform and take a train on the forged his way out of prison. Various seif and he was in jail. He had let- sisting, with signal success, the pre- for the persecuted, with such vigor other side of the depot and did not inaccurate reports have been made of ters from Geeley that would convict siding elder of his circuit in conduct- and eloquence that he was paroled therefore renew acquaintances in it, but it will be seen by this truth- the defaulter, and if Postmaster-Gen- ing revival meetings when he became till next day in custody of his host. Plattshurg.

this result, among them the fact that by Stoddart himself, that it was as of this Havana scandal," etc. Mr. Hart was shackled with iron, daring and clever a piece of rascality So specious were his professions Louis, for \$125. This the tarmer for his besetting sin he was sent a hand and foot, to another man like as any out of the domain of fiction. that the Postmaster-General took the readily did, but when the check was few weeks later to Trenton for ten himself clad in convict stripes. They Stoddart had been down South on matter sectously and sent two special turned into the local bank it called years -- New York World were part of a company of fifty also a foraging expedition, moving from agents to Wilkesbarre jail to investironed in pairs who were travelling place to place, because, as he says, igate. They took stock in Stoddart's "from Sing Sing p rison to Clinton he "had to always go somewhere story, and had it not been for a misprison for the purpose of balancing else," when he was arrested for a dated forged letter from "Neeley" the populations of the State penal forged check and sentenced to ten which was shown them Stoddart vears in the penitentiary. This of would have won his point. institutions.

Some years ago Paul D. Hart drop- iense, committed at Murireesboro, Then Stoddart took a hand in the ped off the train here and said he was marked by his peculiar methods. Gilman will case in Bridgeport, troduction to Thurlow Weed and was mules seventeen hands high, from bloods." introduced by that gentleman to sev- three to seven years old, brought to So well did he play this part that ing a healthful summer home for his m. Mules must pass accredited State managed to get several hundred dol- rug expert. "The joke was rather "What do you say to a little veterinary surgeon." family

Mr. Hart staved for some time. he had come in

ed, like his drafts, and the laugh was purchaser. He had disappeared on was that he never left himself a way tation to the wedding of my old 'but this is a mos' 'str'ord'nary oc- lyn wedding, you may be small on Mr. Weed. This affair was of the Nashville train the evening before of escape. His operations in prison friend Williams to Miss Bridge, of course only a commonplace confidence after buying oats and straw, hay and show that. When discovered he was Brooklyn, I telephoned Williams my crime, and it does not even suggest halters and engaging men to care for caught beyond hope. Nevertheless it the remarkable qualities which render the mules and cashing various checks was in prison that he delighted to could find my way to the church and Mr. Hart eminent, even great, in his and drafts for a sum aggregating a work, and some of his begging letters then to the bride's house. line. thousand dollars or more.

His name, by the way, is not Hart . The indignant Southerners cried These he addressed chiefly to women at all, but Edward O. Stoddart, and aloud for his punishment, and Stod- of prominence in philanthropy and he lived in his youth at Chicopee, dart, having been caught, was lucky charity. His methods of approach Mass., where he was employed by the to escape into a convict camp, where were for most of these women sim-Ames Manufacturing Company. He he dug coal by day and slept on a ply irresistible. Watching the newswas a bright lad at school and a chain by night.

smart youth in the counting room, gifted with a flow of speech which thing awful," and Stoddart set about woman was reported to have said approached garrulity, except that freeing himself as soon as possible. and write to her that "her words what he said about things usually With some money he had smuggled had touched him with great force amounted to something.

out, and he embarked in wrong-doing wrote a letter which he signed with the force that she had." pretty early in life. He seemed to the name of the Governor's closest Then would follow his own story. take that delight in crime which an political friend dated on the train on the narration being founded on fact ardent sportsman has in the chase. the way to Washington. The letter or fiction to suit the case. More flat-"The pleasure of beating people is," was in effect as follows

he says, "the highest employment I "I wish you would release Edward that showed him a man of education know; even to this day I don't care O. Stoddart at once, now a convict whose judgment was worth somefor their money so much. I like to working in Merrill's camp. Have him thing. get it by ways so artistic that they up to Nashville and give him a good opened thus diplomatically, the outmay be called classic. I am an emo- lecture. His people are fine folks up come was an appeal for material aid tional actor when I swindle a man or in Massachusetts and my best to support the wealth of sympathy a woman, and I especially enjoy the friends.

"You had better let him have a rarely adverse. effective roles I fill." Stoddart, as it is best to call him credit of \$200 and see that he goes At one time when a prisoner he was for the purposes of this article, visit- right home. I have fully investigat- conducting more than thirty of these ed nearly all the States in the Union ed the case and it is a proper subject correspondences, most of them with of men and women in their best togs room. and the Dominion of Canada. In Can- for the action I ask, as I will ex- successful results. The ladies of Philada he was arrested and served a plain," etc. term in the Kingston prison. Since How Stoddart was able to imitate interest in him, and when he left fell into line.

as out.

child had been lost for years he could that the case involving millions was more than the farmer's balance. secrets of vast importance - to sell. meeting exhorter and circuit-riding Stoddart.

When the post-office scandals were de- preacher in Arkansas and Missouri. Being arraigned before the Justice Among the travellers who alighted the message wasn't delivered and I veloping in Havana Stodgart was a It was in this capacity that he fell of the Peace, Stoddart demanded that "triend" of Neeley's-""knew him in- from grace and into the hands of the the proceedings be opened with praythe other day was Paul D. Hart. He Stoddart's most eminent knavery timately at Muncie, Ind., and was in law at the same time in Osage coun- er. He prayed for the court, the

lars before the falsity of his alleged On the 24th Murireesboro was filled information was discovered.

made some friends, cashed drafts for with mules. They came from all the He operated in this way all over not know that I had no right to kiss from a closet he brought out a bottle some \$800 or more and then drifted central part of the State, from the country, securing good returns, her. out of town as unostentatiously as Southern Kentucky, and from the although failing of success often blue-grass regions in droves, actually enough to discourage a less sanguine His letter of introduction was forg- housands of them. But there was no man. The chief trouble with his plans Brooklyn. When I received an invi-

were marvels of clever composition. papers carefully he would clip out. "The life was," he says, "some for instance, something which such a into the camp he bribed a warder to and truth and that no woman in the But he was dishonest from the core furnish him writing materials, and he world had ever said these things with

tery was then administered in terms The correspondence being already bestowed, and the reply was

adelphia's best society took special

then he has lived as much in prison the handwriting successfully has not Wilkesbarre jail he had from them a been discovered. Probably he had trunk of superior clothing, besides liams' friends. My sister very un- euchres and a Mrs. Somebody who Just at present he is serving a term had correspondence with the Gover- \$200 which they had sent him, while kindly said that this event provent

great crime he had the solution. If a ceived. It was as a result of this for \$1,250, which was several hundred

Payment was delayed, and the re was moving Stoddart took part with Stoddart has figured as a camp- sult of inquiries was the arrest of

ful narration of the facts furnished eral Emory Smith would get him re- the guest of a prominent Methodist That night he started for the nearest Several causes united to produce by Gov. Cameron, of that state, and leased he would clear the department farmer, whom he asked to indorse a State line and never stopped till he check on the Boatman's Bank, in St. was in Hudson County, N.J., whence

"'Friend of the groom ?'

"'Say, now, honestly, what d'you

" 'He is one of the finest boys that

"'Il I didn't I wouldn't have come

"It was approaching the supper

We had dined at 5 o'clock

"The conversation around us was

ods little better than downright

"' 'Known him long ?'

"'All my life.'

" 'Yes."



"The official value of an illegal Then I went up to report to my siswould like to buy a house for sum- He advertised for mules-"the sub- "having been present at the drawing kiss has been estimated variously ter. She decided to walt until some mer use. He brought a letter of in- scriber would buy for spot cash good of the will which let in the half- by different courts and as it it is just of our friends arrived, and I went that's all. If Williams had me cause for a damage suit, I want to to the men's dressing room to smoke her I'd never gone there to call tell you how I rendered myself lia- a cigarette. There was my fat friend eral citizens as a business man of im- the Cheatham livery stables on the he was brought to Bridgeport on his ble for such an action without giv- smoking and he greeted me with all portance from Chicopee, Mass., seek- 24th inst. between 10 a.m. and 3 p. release from Wilkesbarre prison and ing you the right names," said a the warmth of old friendship.

more on me than on the girl, because brandy ?' he asked. "Suits me, thanks,' said I, and she was awfully homely and she does

and some glasses. Brooklyn isn't as "I have always lived in New York, bad as she is photographed, I thought wedding and they assured me there and I know absolutely nothing about | cashion, my dear-say, I've forgot- New York Sun. ten vour name.

congratulations and told him I never "I told him.

"'You must come, old man,' said he, 'because I want you to meet my bride. She's a peach. You'll find the church about two inches off the think of him ?' map. Don't mistake another church around the corner for it. You don't ever lived,' said I, 'honorable, , amcare for the church service, so just bitious and clean.' " 'Do you mean it ?' arrange to get there at 8:30 when that part of the show will be over and follow the crowd that comes out. all the way from Upper New York for his wedding,' said I, and this It will lead you to the bride's home, which is only three blocks away. I'll then convinced the fat man. never forgive you if you don't come and drink my wife's health.' "Such an invitation as that was look upon me as his own son. He

not to be dodged. The wedding was was proud to know his son-in-law's last Thursday night. I persuaded my friends. They must make his house sister to go with me and at one their own and-would I, as a favor minute past six we left our home in evening dress.

hour, and I finally persuaded my "If Williams had been married up a tree it would have been easier for sister to come downstairs with me. his friends. We exhausted several The crowd around the bride and trolley lines, and after leaving the bridegroom was so dense that we last car and walking six blocks we could not penetrate it. came to the church at just 8:30 "We fell in with the people who

were going down to supper. That o'clock. We were exactly on time. supper was all right, though we "The bride and bridegroom had didn't know a blessed soul in the just driven away and a large array were filing but. A few got into car- in order to get there, and we were riages. Most of them walked and we hungry.

"I didn't happen to see any of Wilabout church socials, challenge won the Whist Club's prize by meth-

" Why, the groom, Billy John "It took me less than a minuteholt into the men's dressing thom as get my coat. I didn't give my sister time to put her rubbers on. Chuck them in my pocket, I hustled h out of the house in a rush like a thief. It wasn't until we have walked two blocks that she said " 'I don't know what to make of a

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"My sister's idea of the h is sometimes strong, and escaped hysterics." "'I'm glad it wasn't Wi

wedding,' I said.

" Why ? she asked. "Well, you know Williams a that the bride was a peach, and a tat man, her father, you know, a that it would be all right, so I ma ped this bride on the way downed and kissed her. She wasn't a page "My sister seemed to think it w all very funny and perhaps I was have agreed with her if I had kissed the bride. She wrote a to explanation of the affair to'r liams, and he and his wile will ioint letter from Atlantic City

terday. They knew about the ca "'Not as a regular thing do I ap- bride was only 43. I'll never a

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on trial for the new offense. ity, denying the general facts, but of however, took to the woods and in the land. course conviction followed and the renalty on its heels.

deal with Hart might even have esclaiming that he had been innocently plied "not wanted," until wearied Dreyfus trial, had examined the writ-And from other sources money in

various sums came for "Hart" in amounts from \$50 to \$200. Stoddart complained bitterly of be- pardon stands."

ing sent from the Tombs ; it was the Stoddart has served time in Joliet, had secured upon a forgery charge. ideal place, he said, to fool the wives in Jackson, Mich.; Wethersfield, He had in this way learned of Stodof men who came to the metropolis. Conn. ; Wilkesbarre, Pa., and prob- dart's proficiency with the pen and,

bands in New York had wives at has been almost as notable as his and counsel on his side, he introduced criminal one. home ?" was asked.

an intelligent man," he replied "The gan with indetatigable industry to and passing rapidly before him to newspapers told me the men were here correspond with "all and sundry." copy seventy signatures at random. at the hotels. I assumed that they If a will were missing he had it, or Mr. Frazer was forced to admit that kind of him. had wives at home. If a despatch the rough draft made by the testat- fifty-seven of the forgeries were so

sums.

methods in knavery. He was locked The chances were desperate, but When, however, he struck the name up in New York for some offense, Stoddart was in desperate straits, of Miss Jeanette L. Gilder, the edit-waiting trial, when he telegraphed to and agreeably to his hores rather or of the Critic, and opened up a a woman in Toronto that he was in than his expectations the order for correspondence on the customary the Tombs under arrest as Paul D, his release and the payment of his lines, basing his address upon the Hart and that he was her husband fare to Nashville came down in a few sentiments she had declared in a (which of course he was not), and days. To this day Stoddart deplores signed article, he met with a scrious asking that she send by wire \$400 especially his failure to get to Nash- obstacle. Miss Gilder is an old reto his attorney. She promptly re- ville. He says it cost him one of the porter and she investigated her cor sponded with the money. The wo- most interesting situations he had respondent and made "copy" of him man's husband was in New York, as ever devised, namely, the chance to in a way which almost ruined his Stoddart well knew, and having sent appear before the Governor with trade. Stoddart has a contempt for the money she hastened thither and feigned humility and gratefully ac- mere literary people since then, which drove to the Tombs to see her hus- cept the \$200 that "the Governor's was increased by his more recent exfriend" had asked for. perience with Lillie Devereux Blake,

Stoddart says the meeting was de- But the allurements of a barroom who, having invited him to call and lightfully dramatic. Explanations at a railroad junction on the way be- having considered his mission, smilwere necessarily made. Hart was traved him and after he had spent ingly handed him half a dollar. "She searched by Warden Hagan, a con- the few dollars he had in his pocket read me like a book," said the victim siderable part of the \$400 was found he was arrested for vagrancy. He of the lady's pleasantry afterward. upon him and he was, at once placed spent three days in jail and when re- In later years he has chiefly sought leased he was overdue at Nashville, to swindle women, and he counts He defended himself with some abil- and his trick had been discovered. He among his victims the highest ladies

mountains, and after incredible hard- His facility in penmanship is someships and perils got across the Ohio thing extraordinary and was the Had there been only this case to river and breathed freely once more. means of settling out of court the When he has subsequently been ar- Harrison will case in Philadelphia. caped scot free, but another woman rested the rolice, anxious to get the The cause turned upon the authority suddenly appeared from Indiana. She reward offered for an escaped convict, of a witness' signature, and Persifer had not stopped to send the money have sought to return him to Teon- Frazer, the American expert, widely that Stoddart had telegraphed for, essee, but Gov. Cameron always re- known for his appearance in the

locked up as a witness of a street with having the man offered to him ing and declared it to be that of the murder, but had brought it with her. he at last informed the Pinkertons man whose name it was. A. that "Edward O. Stoddart was too Shields, the leader of the criminal brilliant a man to be returned to his bar in Philadelphia, had come into jiffy. State. If he will keep out of it his the case, and had recently been coun-

sel for Stoddart, whose acquittal he

"But how did you know the hus- ably elsewhere, and his prison career calling a meeting of the priocipals I am tired." Stoddart to them and a test was groom and the pully man squeezed

"That is an unworthy question for As soon as he was immured he be- made by sending him to a side table

RI wandered around for half an was sent to a wife who did not exist or. If there were a mystery in a exact that experts might well be de- hour without seeing a familiar face. ously as he replied :

the first of the again the bride and bridegroom cause there was a very noticeable had disappeared to get into their adar of moth halls in the sir "After walking about eight blocks travelling clothes. "I was feeling very comfortable we reached the house. A group of Roger-s statuary beamed out of the front window and from the open door came the subdued sound of

voices. "As we entered a maid at the door directed us to the dressing rooms. When 'I came down to ' the ladies' dressing room on the second floor my sister said to me:

"Joe, I don't see a single soul here whom I know. I am not going down until some of Williams' friends me.' arrive. These women all say "bean" with a conscious gasp and shake hands on a level with your chins .-I'm not up to mingling with that kind of a crowd unsupported. You gc down and prospect around for the Shaws or the Butlers or the Andersons or some one whom we know and we'll make up a little party by

ourselves." "When I reached the parlor it was filled entirely with the bride's

friends. There was a generous looking buffet in the rear room, and with everal others I drifted toward it. had been traveling for nearly three hours and I needed something to sustain me.

"A pufy, fat man, who evidently was a member of the household, caught my eye, and between us we made a small bottle look empty in a

"Only on such occasions as this, my boy, do I approve of wine,' he said; eying me with moist eyes. " This is indeed a happy occasion, said I, 'and let's have one more, for

"We drank to the bride and bride

and I again went over to the fat man and shook hands with him. "'I am an old friend of the groom,' said I; 'and I haven't yet seen the bride. I intended to kiss

her when I did.' "''Kizzer, my boy, kizzer her. She' my daughter. She won't mind, noz zer bit. You jus' stand on this stairway an' when she comes down you

kizzer for yourself an' you kizzer for

"Williams had told me that she was a peach, and with this parental permission and the courage of wine I was determined to kiss her. The guests crowded the door with rice and old shoes, but I stood on the stairs

"Suddenly a commotion in the upper hall broke out and there were cries of 'Here they come ! Look out for them.

"The bride came first with one of those loose ragian affairs with the hood drawn over her head. She bolted down the stairs, and when she was about to pass me I said : '

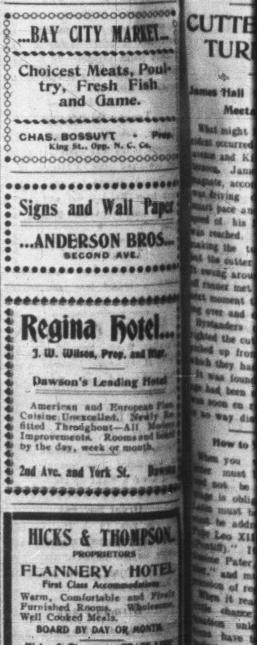
" 'One minute, please ; I want a kiss."

"I grathed her round the waist pulled back the hood and - well after going that far I had to kiss her. In fact she seemed to expect it. thought that Williams' peach looked decidedly frost-bitten.

"The crowd at the foot of the stairs yelled approval, and I let her go, pretending not to hear the fat man's plaintive call :

"Kizzer her again' for me, my boy." "He might do his own kissing. As I stood there, sobered by the view of my hand affectionately and told me the bride's face, a little man with to come to him whenever I needed a side whiskers darted past me, and friend, which I thought was mighty everyone pelted him with rice. I leaned over a rail and asked a man who was that. He eyed me suspici-

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flow to Write to the Pope.

"Sir, I have been practising in the criminal courts for 20 years, and I have always found that the greatest rascal is the first to give state's evidence."-The Scotsman.

#### Will Compel Retraction.

A vaudeville artist employed in one of the local theatres is in receipt of a letter from Clothilde Rogers dated at San Francisco in which the inforsecurred at the corner of First mation is imparted that instead of and King street yesterday afbeing behind the bars doing time in James Hall, the Eldorado Walla Walla, she is very much alive e, accompanied by two ladies, and very much at liberty. She says ving down the avenue at a further that she intends returning to pace and failed to slacken the Dawson over the ice and immediately d his horse when the corner upon her arrival she will compel a muled. The horse succeeded in retraction of the article published the turn without difficulty, some weeks ago in a local contemporthe cutter was not so fortunate. ary, which said she was undergoing ing around the corner until the imprisonment, or there will be a libel maner met an obstruction and the suit begun that promises to be intent the occupants were rollteresting.

#### Commendable Work.

The N. A. T. & T. Co. had a force of men at work yesterday removing the packed snow and ice from the sadewalks on all sides of its property. This example should be followed by every property owner in town, as the time is not far distant when the surface of the snow will be melted by the sun and then freeze at night and be dangerously slippery. The caked you write to the Pope your snow should be removed from every must be in Latin. The style sidewalk in Dawson before it begins not be classical; but the lan- to soften. is obligatory. Some sort of

#### Survey Being Protested.

must be employed. The letter be addressed to "His Holiness Yesterday afternoon in the gold Leo XIII., the happily reigning commissioner's court was heard the "It must begin with "Bea- case of Cudahy et al vs. Oker et al. Pater," "Most Blessed Fa- The action is in the nature of a proand must end with some extest that is being made over the acon it reaches the Vatican it has and 29 above on Bonanza. ceptance of a survey covering 28 chance of arriving at its des-

#### His Last Week.

unless some special precauhave been taken for the daily The present is Mr. Ralph Cumaumbers 20,000 documents mings' last week with the Bittner lent way of getting a letter Company. He leaves for the outside Pope's hands is to make use early next week and will open with envelopes, the outer one di- his own company in Rochester, New

We claim we have the mother lode. Can you deny these facts. The mines are situated at the head of the two richest creeks on earth-Eldorado and Bonanza. Gold is found on every claim on Bonanza creek, and up Victoria Gulch to the quartz mines. If it did not come from this ledge, where did it come from ?

The gold found in the creek is the same as that found in the ledge.

The gold is found in slide matter on Seven pup. Where did it come 'rom ? The best pay found in Gay Gulch is

at the head of the gulch, below the quartz mines. There are eight gulches heading at the Lone Star mines. They all carry gold. Where did it come from ? Lone Star stock is the best investment ever offered to the public. Buy now. The books will soon be closed and you will be too late. Don't let . the man who knows it all tell you that there is no quartz in this country. The fools who make that statement have no bank account, which is the proof of their wisdom. Every placer camp in the world

turned into a quartz camp. Cripple Creek was a placer camp. The men who knew it all were there.

They made the same statement. A carpenter found the quartz after the wise men had left.

Have you ever visited the Lone Star mines ? If not, you have no right to even think. Go up and satisly yourself. Yours for business and. LEW CRADEN. a quartz camp,

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TREADGOLD CONCESSION

New Order Is Posted in Gold Commissioner's Office Which Takes the Place of the Much Discussed Section 10- The Octopus Has Many Strings on Yukon Country.

What is known as the Treadgold is as follows "At any time after the 31st of Deconcession, the most colossal octopus cember, 1905, if the grantees have that ever fastened its tentacles on complied with the terms of condition the gold bearing gravels of the Yu- 2 as above set forth, the Minister S kon territory, is again making 'its the Interior may in respect of any presence felt, and from an order in portion of the district except those council received recently from Ottawa already by that date served by the and posted at noon today in the gold grantees' works require the grantees commissioner's office it would appear to elect whether they will proceed that the hold given the concession- with the construction of works to aires on the country is even more far furnish a reasonable supply of water reaching than was at first anticipat- for mining jurposes for such portion either one until one or the other reed. The order referred to is the na- of the district or abandon in respect nounces the trust imposed. It is not

previous order in council granting the water; and if the grantees are not concession to Treadgold and his as-within six calendar months from the Te Roller and at the same time one sociates and as certain sections are receipt of the notice of such require- to Mrs. McCook that would be effect rather ambiguous it is not known at ment prepared to proceed with the tive in Philadelphia. The probate present the precise interpretation that construction of works calculated to can be issued to the two jointly or will be placed on them. The order jurnish a reasonable supply of water was posted so late in the day that it for such portion of the district, then was impossible to see either Gold the exclusive right of the grantees in Commissioner Senkler or the acting respect of such portion of district nouncing, Mr. Te Roller will take assistant, Mr. Pattullo, and learn their intentions in regard to the matorder of the Governor-in-Council." One of the most important changes she deems best. ter. A number of the clerks in the office are of the opinion that the new

the substitution of another by which Yukon territory is of comparatively order results in the closing of Bonanza Bear and Hunker creeks and their tributaries to further location. It will be remembered that in the original order all vacant ground connot exceed 25 cents per miner's inch tained within the concession reverted per hour. to the concessionairs, but it was

which the rights of miners working the Encyclopedia Brittanica, \$262 in on any creek below the intake from which creek the concessionaires are taking water are not interferred with. America, and a promissory note for It is known as regulation "G" and \$100 of extremely problematical is as follows :

The new order further provides that

same as is required of any free miner. That clause, known as section 10, is "Whenever the grantees divert and rescinded and the following is substitake water on any creek or tributary, tuted therefore : and free miners bona fide working "The right subject to no payment claims on such creek or tributary beexcept the royalty prescribed upon low any point at which the grantees

output, to obtain for and work all divert and take water on such creek mining locations now or hereafter or tributary may collectively require abardoned on Bonanza, Bear and the grantees to leave in such creek or Hunker creeks and their tributaries. "All such locations shall be deemed

subsequently held that in order for

the Treadgold people to acquire the

grants for such ground it was neces-

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to be vested in the grantees on the amount of water naturally flowing in 1st day of January, 1902, but the such creek or tributary at the grantees shall not receive the entry grantees' point of intake, as prescribfor any of such locations until they ed by clause 6 of the regulations for shall have expended the sum of \$250,the diversion of water in the Yukon 000 as herein provided, nor shall they Territory, bearing date the third of work any of the said locations until August, 1898." the provisions of condition 2 respecting the delivery of two thousand (2,the plans of the grantees' works shall 000) miner's inches of water, have be submitted to and approved by the been fulfilled. In default of the degovernor-general in council before the livery of two thousand (2,000) miner's inches of water as provided in condition 2 the right of the grantees

impossible to issue probate papers to ture of certain amendments to the thereof their exclusive right to supply within the power of the territorial court to issue probate notice to Mr. to either one upon the renouncing of Alderman-Elect the other. The difficulty will probably be overcome by Mrs. McCook remay be revoked and determined by out the probate and then send Mrs. McCook power of attorney to act as is the repeal of regulation "F" and The estate of Mr. McCook in the

the charge which the grantees shall little value, consisting only of an unbe entitled to make for the use of divided one-nalf interest in 30 above such water on each placer claim shall on Sulphur, undivided one-half interest in the hillside claim adjoining the upper half, left limit, of 36 below on

Another regulation is added by Hunker, pair of gold scales, a set of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, \$48 in the Bank of British North value.



Ripe in Experience. Mr. H. D. Saylor, the consul of the

works are actually proceeded with. United States for Dawson, who was Attorney C. M. Woodworth, accom-The arrival of the order and its appointed by President Roosevelt to panied by his bride, arrived in Daw-



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to the said locations shall forthwith cease and determine."

Section 3 of the order pertaining to the interpretation of Commissioner the right to the water in Rock creek Senkler as to whether or not the or- at the Cecil Hotel by a severe cold is amended and the concessionaires der means the immediate closing of which he contracted last night, but are given the prior right to the water up to 2500 miners' inches.

Condition 2 under section 13 is repealed and the following substituted : 'The grantees shall deliver within

the district during the summer season of 1905, not later than July 1st, 1905, a flow of water of 2,000 miner's inches equal to 3,000 cubic feet per minute for distribution along the

line of a conduit constructed from the south of Bonanza Valley to Grand Forks, at such an elevation above the Bonanza creek as will afford a pressure due to an, effective head of not less than three hundred feet at any and every point throughout the length of such conduit. Such flow shall be continuously maintained and be available during at least sixty days of such season and each season thereafter during the period for which this franchise is granted as set forth in condition 7 hereof, and in default thereof the exclusive and prior rights of the grantees shall cease and be determined. In case of unavoidable accident to the works of the grantees they shall be entitled without for feiture to a reasonable time for e .- Two Executors Named Will Defecting repairs; provided also that if the grantees shall be delayed or their operations interfered with by floods, war, civil commotion, strikes, accident to machinery or works, or

by the act of God or other causes over which the grantees have no control, and so prevented from complying with the conditions of this clause they shall be entitled to extension of time equal to the periods of delay."

stituted, with the addition of another St. Mary's hospital last year and be- cerning Pennsylvania politics. That condition to be known as 3a :

the owners of claims within the dis- Pa. His wife is named as executrix so lar as I am concerned I consider trict subject to the regulations here- for the United States and H. Te the matter closed notwithstanding inafter contained."

take the place of J. C. McCook. contents have provoked much ment among those who have seen it rived this morning on the W. P. and and the public will anxiously await Y. R. mail stage.

Hunker, Bear and Bonanza to further he hopes to be around in a few days locations. All winter the Treadgold people have had a clerk employed taking a transcript of the vacant ground within the limits of the concession

and also those claims which are liable to revert. If it is now held such claims can not be re-located the He is a lawyer by profession and has concessionaires will , have acquired hundreds of claims many of which are

McCOOK'S LAST WILL

of undoubted value.

# Testament of Late U. S. **Consul Probated**

lay Issuance of Papers, as One Must Renounce.

The last will and testament of the since, Mr. Saylor says : late J. C. McCook, consul of the "I simply come as the consular re-Condition 3 of the same section is noon. The will was drawn up and people; and not for the purpose of also, repealed and the following sub- executed while the deceased was in opening a political confroversy con-

"The grantees shall supply water to Mrs. Sallie McCook, of Philadelphia, President when he appointed me, and Roller executor for the Yukon terri- the unmanly attack that was made

The additional condition referred to tory, owing to which fact it will be upon me prior to my arrival."

journey from Calgary, where wedding occurred. Mr. Saylor is confined to his room tensive j ourney through the United States and Canada, visiting the prin-

and assume his official position. Mr. Saylor is a citizen of Potshe stayed a week. town, Montgomery county; Pennsylvania, and although a comparatively young man has been prominently before the oublic for a number of years.

held several prominent official positions in his native city and state, having been assistant district attorney for Montgomery. county, member

of the city council for two terms, city solicitor, four years in the state senate from the 12th senatorial dis-Ltrict.

In 1898 he was appointed United United States consul for Matanzas, Cuba, by President McKinley, and was at his post when the war broke out. When Spain relinquished her claim of sovereignty and Cubac became a part of the United States, the consular offices were as a matter of course closed and the officers consequently released of their positions. Mr. Saylor was appointed by President Roosevelt consul of the United States for Dawson on December 16 and started on his journey on the 20th of January, since which date he had been travelling continuously.

In speaking of the unfavorable reports concerning himself some time

United States for Dawson, who died presentative of the United States for in Philadelphia some months ago, the Yukon territory, for the purpose was presented for probate to Clerk of and with the intention of filling the the Gourt Macdonald yesterday after- office for the best interests of my queaths his entire estate to his wife, matter was fully passed upon by the

by any means idle while he was outside, but made a thorough study of made considerable progress in the affairs which were the real purpose of his trip. In speaking of the political situation and other legislation for the Yukon Territory, Mr. Woodworth said : "I found the cabinet about equally divided into two factions: One party led by Plunger has been corrupted by Yukon Gold so that it is almost impossible to gain any concessions from them, while the other party is absolutely incorruptible and are anxious to lend their assistance. "The majority of the Liberal party are unaware of the corrupt methods that have been used in legislating for the Yukon. "We will certainly have one member of parliament, and the whole of the Conservative party and a portion: of the Liberals will be favorable to two

representatives. "In regard to a completely elective

