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FIVE YEARS

Of Solitary Confinement Is the Sentence Given by Judge Craig

TO MOLLY THOMPSON FOR STEALING

Gold Dust to Value of \$411 From Geo. E. Nichols

AT GRAND FORKS ON FEB. 15

When He Bought Her Wine at Her Hotel, The Globe—Will Apply for New Trial.

Saturday afternoon was given to hearing witnesses in defense of Molly Thompson before Justice Craig. All the evidence was in at 5:45 and the court adjourned to reconvene at 7:30 to hear the argument.

Mr. McCaul, attorney for the defense, made a strong plea in behalf of the prisoner, speaking for nearly an hour and a half.

Mr. Wade, the crown prosecutor, answered in one of the strongest and most eloquent addresses ever delivered in this country. He said, in speaking of the past life of which she had so candidly and unblushingly told in open court, that so far as a person's private life was concerned it was not to be interfered with until it became a menace to the public's welfare, and then the law must step in and protect the public. As far as the evidence in the case went he would credit the statement of

John M. Sugrue, who was known to be an intelligent honest man against the evidence of all the witnesses of the defense right down the line who were of the lowest type of human kind.

The witnesses of the defense had been contradictory and the story that such an amount of whisky and wine could be consumed in such a short period could not be accredited by any person of common sense.

The argument was powerful and lasted nearly two hours. At about 11 o'clock the case was given to the jury which returned about 12:30 with a verdict of guilty.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Molly Thompson was taken from the jail to Judge Craig's court where she was sentenced to five years solitary confinement in the district penitentiary.

During all her trial the prisoner bore up remarkably well but broke completely down on receiving her sentence this afternoon.

Before sentence was passed Attorney McCaul for the prisoner gave notice that a new trial will be applied for.

EXCURSION RATES

Were Given Policemen by Madame Renio.

The conclusion of the preliminary hearing of the Madame Renio case, in which she is charged with sorcery, witchcraft and other illegal practices along the line of fortune telling, occurred in Magistrate Scarth's court this forenoon. A number of witnesses were examined, the majority of whom had allowed her to practice her art upon them, their futures having been revealed to them by her through her alleged knowledge of palm reading. No less than five members of the police force had called upon her to have their futures hung out on a clothes line for their inspection. The madame's regular charge for reading a palm was \$5, but she had given the police excursion rates, having on one occasion when Constables Stevenson, Timmins and Smith called in a flock, cut her rates in half and sold fortunes in job lots, three for \$7.50. At another time she had charged Constable Fisher only \$2 while she had charged Constable Russett \$3. In addition to charging the latter an extra dollar she had also told him he is married, which allegation the witness said is not true. Among other things this woman who draws aside the curtain and looks into the future at so much per look, told Constable Stevenson that he would not make a good miner, that he would not make a good gambler; that he had an accident when little and would make a good detective.

Mesdames Watson and Carrie Lowe, both ex-fortune tellers who had gone out of business when warned to do so by the police, were witnesses in the case but appeared to know but little about it.

Chris Sanwickson had paid the madame \$5 to inspect his hand and give a verdict on it, but she had told him very little.

After hearing the evidence the court assured the peruser of palms that it was sufficient to convict her of the charge, but decision in the case is reserved until 2 p. m. tomorrow. In the meantime the woman is out on her own recognizance.

Auctioneer G. J. Gregory was dismissed on the charge of selling four pounds of tea unfit for use.

Officials Go to Selkirk.

Comptroller J. T. Lithgow and Meteorological Observer Al Watson left yesterday for Selkirk on official business via the bicycle mode of rapid transit. They expect to be absent about 16 days.

Hay, oats and chopped feed. Meeker.

WAS HOT HOCKEY.

Civil Service Won By Score of 6 to 3 Points.

One of the best and liveliest games of hockey of the season was played Saturday afternoon between the A. C. team and the Civil Service boys at the Dawson rink. The weather was mild and a large and enthusiastic crowd was present.

The line of the teams was as follows: A. C.—Goal, Obara; cover, Barclay, point, Watts; forwards, Jones, Smith, Kennedy and Miller.

Civil Service—Goal, Edward; point, Blair, cover, Sharp; forwards, McLennan, Nash, Watt and Bennett.

Radeliffe acted as timekeeper for the A. C. team and McLagan for the Civil Service. The umpires were Smith and W. Irish. Referee, Patterson.

The score was 6 to 3 in favor of the Civil Service boys.

During the first half Tom Watts, one of the strongest players on the A. C. team was injured and compelled to leave the game from which cause they credit their defeat. The Civil Service boys, however, put up a strong game and in many points out-generated their opponents.

All the forwards for the Civil Service played a strong game, Watt, McLennan and Bennett making some particularly brilliant plays. Obara and Barclay made the strongest plays for the A. C. team.

"It was not so bad as it might have been," said one of the A. C. boys this morning. "We could not find takers for all the money we had to put up, therefore we still have some left."

CAN THIS BE TRUE?

Not One of Fifty Robbed Men Ever Squeal.

"While it is a fact that when a man is robbed of his money and fails to report the same to the officers of the law he becomes an accomplice in crime, it is also a fact that not one man in every 50 ever mentions being skinned by the disreputable women so numerous in this country."

The speaker was a prominent Dawson man who prides himself in keeping "dead next" on current matters. Continuing he said:

"Now, take this Mollie Thompson affair. There is no question but that she skinned Nichols like an oyster, but not one man in four dozen would have squealed especially married men. They would have quietly taken their medicine in preference to publishing the fact that they had been played for suckers and landed. If you will keep close tab on these robbery stories you will find that three of every four squeals come from squareheads, and their sense of shame is not so acute as that of most men. It is an everlasting reproach on a man to have it known that he has made a fool of himself and been worked by one of these female sharks."

"I knew a fellow last fall who had fixed up everything ready to go outside to his family. He had been here two years, was a prominent broker and had quite a neat sum of money to show for his stay in the Klondike. He was liberal in his allowance to himself, so he put \$450 in cash in his pocket and purchased drafts with the balance. The night before he started out he dropped into one of the local theaters with the \$450 in the interior realms of his pants. Towards morning in a dazed and semi-conscious condition he dropped out without so much as a two-bit piece on his person. He had been given a drink of the "business" brand and later had been robbed of every cent he had on him. Well, he knew that if he made a roar and had the woman arrested he would have to stay over as a witness, and he had already written his wife that he would be home by a certain time, so he quietly gnashed his teeth and swallowed the pill. He said he would not be written up in police court report as having been robbed by a woman for \$5000. He knew if he was, it would be off with him as soon as his wife heard of it. And this is

only a sample of dozens of cases I have known in the past year. Men go up against it and are robbed, but the fear of publicity and the shame attached keeps their mouths hermetically sealed on the subject. So far as I am concerned, I would like to see every thief, male and female, in the territory, on the woodpile, and working right along beside them I would like to see the poor fools whom they so easily victimize. So far as I am concerned this class of thieves and their victims belong in the same pews."

A Challenge to Shoot.
Dawson, March 9, 1901.

Editor Nugget:

It having been mentioned to me that some parties in the Yukon have been boasting about their prowess with a gun and as I claim to be a fair shot myself, and to settle an argument, I hereby challenge any man in the Yukon for a general shooting contest for \$1000, or any part thereof.

HUBRICK.

Special Power of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

GLACIER IS GROWING.

Many Cabins on Hill Being Gathered in by It.

Notwithstanding the disagreeably cold north wind of yesterday, hundreds of people, having read in the Nugget of Friday an account of the glacier now forming on the top of the hill, starting about three hundred yards east of the A. C. trail, of people visited and viewed the scene and all expressed themselves

as being amply rewarded for the trip regardless of the wind. Of the many cabins embraced in the confines of the glacier two are entirely covered while many others are partially buried. But as the water is still gushing out at numerous points an area covering an acre or more of the hill, many other cabins will be included within its icy grasp within another day or two as the glacier is not only lengthening but spreading out on all sides. At several places and immediately over what might be termed the fountain heads, solid ice now looms up to a height of from eight to 12 feet, and in the center is a small basin into which the water continually forms itself from below and from which many residents of the hill are now carrying supplies for domestic use. This water constantly overflows, freezes as it spreads out and thus is adding to the size and dimensions of the glacier. The fact that such a massive body of ice has formed and is continuing to form there will serve to keep the trail to the top of the hill muddy all summer, and if the glacier continues to spout water and is still in business when another winter begins, the chances are that it will assume such proportions as to occupy not only all that portion of the hill but also much of the side hill. The large amount of ice already accumulated began to form only about three weeks ago, therefore, it can be readily imagined what the result would have been had the water began spouting with the first part of the winter.

Where is Robert Robertson?

Robert Robertson, a native of the Shetland islands, is inquired for by his relatives. He is supposed to come to this part of the world in May of last year, but has not since been heard from. Anyone knowing of him will confer a favor by reporting such knowledge to the Nugget or to Capt. St. Clair, First street.

Social dance at McDonald Hall, Thursday night, given by Prof. Payne.

Shed, the Dawson Dog Doctor Pioneer Drug Store.

Kodaks bought and sold. Goetzman.

M'CONNELL CASE

Continues to Develop Features of an Interesting Nature.

MRS. McCONNELL WRITES A LETTER

In Which Appears the Word "Retraction."

MAYOR WOOD IS WILLING

To Withdraw His Case on Certain Terms—Gold Commissioner Senkler Will do the Same.

Mrs. Edward McConnell, the lady who has achieved no little fame in connection with the cases instituted against her by the members of the Yukon council, evidently is no exception to the universally accepted rule which concedes to a lady at any and all times the privilege of changing her mind.

On Saturday evening, too late for publication in the Nugget of that day, the following letter was delivered at the Nugget office:

Dawson, Y. T., March 9, 1901
Editor Klondike Nugget:

Dear Sir—I have just read the following statement in today's issue of the Nugget, all of which is a false statement. You will please make retraction within three days. Very respectfully yours,

MRS. EDWARD McCONNELL.

The "statement" referred to was in the form of a clipping from Saturday's Nugget, which clipping was pinned to Mrs. McConnell's letter, and reads as follows:

"Up to late yesterday there were four complaints on file against Mrs. McConnell for the same offense, but during the afternoon she sent her husband to Major Wood, also a member of the council, with a verbal apology in the form of a statement to the effect that the letter to the minister of justice was not intended in any way as a reflection on the character and integrity of the major and that she had not had him in view in referring to the members of the council."

What particular variety of vengeance it is which Mrs. McConnell purports to let drop upon the Nugget remains to be seen at the expiration of the three days in question. The Nugget is just out of "retraction" type and in consequence is unable to oblige the lady in the way desired. It must be said, however, for the sake of historic accuracy that it was not Mr. McConnell who conveyed his wife's requests to Major Wood. That delicate diplomatic mission was entrusted to no less a personage than Col. Donald MacGregor, hero of a hundred public meetings and spiritual adviser to the community in general.

The colonel, in the capacity of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary conducted the negotiations between Mrs. McConnell and Major Wood and has since acted in a similar capacity in endeavoring to smooth over the difficulty as far as concerns Gold Commissioner Senkler.

Major Wood was shown Mrs. McCon-

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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, Bonanza, Hamker, Dominion, Gold Run, Sulphur, Quarts and Canyon.

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1901.

MRS. NATION.

Mrs. Nation, of Kansas, who has been prominent of late in the saloon smashing business, is an example of the ultra-reformer who invariably does more harm than good.

Mrs. Nation desires to see the saloons of Kansas abolished, a wish in which she will find herself supported by many estimable people. Having convinced herself that the end which she seeks is right and just, Mrs. Nation stops at no limits in the attainment of her purpose. In other words, she is merely pursuing a line of action based upon the theory that the end is justified by the means.

It appears from the reports of her actions that the fact that she is no more nor less than a common law-breaker, has no deterrent effect upon her activities. Wherever Mrs. Nation finds a saloon, she is ready to smash, and in consequence of her smashing, good, red liquor by the hundreds of barrels has been allowed to trickle its way back to mother earth.

The ultimate consequence of Mrs. Nation's crusade will be disastrous to the cause which she so vigorously espouses. A reaction will set in against her peculiar methods of reform and she and her supporters will be discredited in their own communities as they are now in every place where people still retain a respectable measure of common sense.

The W. C. T. U., which in its day has done no little good work, is giving its moral, if not material support to the lady of smashing fame, and to that extent the organization will suffer in the estimation of the general public.

Whenever a cause, no matter what substantial grounds it may have for claiming public support, is allowed to drift into the hands of rabid cranks, its doom is usually sealed. So it will prove with the cause of temperance in Kansas. We venture the opinion that twelve months hence, saloons will flourish in Kansas as they have never flourished before.

Construction work on the American telegraph line from Eagle to Valdez will begin in a very short time. With the completion of that line and the through wire via Quesnelle to Vancouver Dawson will have telegraph communication with the outside by three different lines. The service via Whitehorse and Skagway will still continue and by that line it will always be possible to communicate with the outside within four or five days. The same thing will be true of the Alaskan line and the through line when in working order will give immediate communication. It is safe to say that when the two new lines now under construction are completed Dawson will never be shut off entirely from the outside.

There are many reasons why Dawson should not incorporate. There are few reasons in favor of incorporation. The logical thing to do is to continue the present system.

It does not appear from recent information that Nome is a very flourishing camp this winter. Nome's daily

paper, the News, has been published throughout the winter as a twice-a-week paper, which is perhaps the most conclusive evidence that could be secured of a depression in business circles.

The conviction of the Thompson woman will afford general satisfaction. Undoubtedly many cases of a similar nature have occurred where the victims have preferred to remain quiet rather than expose the facts. It is fair to presume that the lesson will have a salutary influence.

As was noted in these columns a few days ago, it is quite within the range of possibility that we shall see more cold weather before the ice in the Yukon begins to leave its moorings and start on its journey to the sea.

Seattle Public Building.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The developments of the last two days have brought the question of an increased appropriation for a public building at Seattle to the front, and the outcome of the undertaking to secure an adequate amount of money for that project will soon be decided. In the resolution reported to the senate from the committee on public buildings and grounds, today, is an item appropriating \$750,000 for the Seattle building. The resolution was proposed as an amendment to the sundry civil bill and was referred to the committee on appropriations.

In the house, yesterday, the whole list of items proposing an increase in the cost of public buildings, including the one at Seattle, was ruled out on a point of order by Representative Cannon. He held that to increase the limit of cost of public buildings was to propose new legislation in the sundry civil bill, and this is against the rules of the house. The chairman of the committee of the whole so ruled, and although Chairman Mercer, of the public buildings committee appealed from the decision, the chairman was sustained by the house. So the whole batch of public buildings provisions was defeated.

This, however, does not end the matter, as the resolution promptly reported in the senate today testifies. Although this resolution proposes only \$750,000 for the Seattle building, the same as in Representative Mercer's list, this is not to be taken as an indication that the \$1,000,000 desired by the Seattle interests will not be granted by the senate.

Britons Complain of Boers.

De Aar, Cape Colony, Feb. 19.—Commandant Froneman's force has separated from Gen. Dewet and gone north. Gen. Dewet is moving westward to meet Commandant Hertzog, who is coming with a fresh supply of horses.

A British officer who was taken prisoner by Gen. Dewet at Sans Drift, but was subsequently released, asserts that he and his fellow prisoners were shamefully treated by the Boers.

Security Too Big to Store.

One of the big speculators in the street recently went to a banker and said that he wished to borrow \$1,000,000.

"All right," was the response. "What is your security?"

"My check," was the airy and surprising reply.

"Well," responded the banker thoughtfully, "your security is good enough, but I shall have to decline the loan, as our vaults aren't large enough to hold it."—New York Tribune.

Local dealers report that hay and oats have taken a jump, the latter being particularly firm.

The fire never touched us. We are doing more business than ever. Murphy Bros., butchers. rsc

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BOER PROCLAMATION ISSUED

Stein and Dewet Accuse British of Barbarism.

Deny That Boers Have Any Thought of Giving Up the Struggle—Complaints of Women Outraged.

London, Feb. 21.—A special from Pretoria dated February 20th, says 800 Boers yesterday passed Pienaar's river moving in the direction of Nystroom a point about 75 miles north of Pretoria on the railway between Pretoria and Pietersburg. It is supposed they purposed discussing the question of desertion and surrendering. They were in a deplorable state. Their clothing was in rags, many were riding donkeys, while others trudged afoot. All appeared to be in greatest distress.

Port Elizabeth, Feb. 20.—The following proclamation has been issued by President Steyn and General Dewet:

"Be it known to all men, that the war which has been forced on the Transvaal republics by the British government still rages over South Africa; that all the customs of civilized warfare and also the conventions of Geneva and the Hague are not observed by the enemy who have not scrupled, contrary to the Geneva convention, to capture doctors and ambulances, and deport them in order to prevent our wounded from getting medical assistance; that they have seized ambulance material appertaining thereto; that they have not hesitated to have recourse to primitive rules of warfare contrary to the solemn agreement of the Hague, to arrest neutrals and deport them; to send out marauding bands to plunder, burn and damage burghers' private property; that they have armed Kaffirs and natives, and used them against us in the war; that they have been continually capturing women and children and old sickly men, and that there have been many deaths among the women because the so-called enemy had no consideration for women on a sick bed whose state of health should have protected them against rough treatment. Honorable women and tender children have not only been treated roughly, but have been insulted by soldiers by order of their officers. Moreover, old mothers and women have been raped, even wives and children, and the property of prisoners of war, even of killed burghers, has not been respected. In many instances the mother and father have been taken; those left unprotected have been left to their fate an easy prey to savages.

"The world has untruthfully been informed by the enemy that they have been obliged to carry out this destruction because the burghers blew up the lines, cut the wires and misused the white flag. Nearly all the houses in the republics have been destroyed, whether in the neighborhood of the railroad or not.

The alleged misuse of the white flag is simply a continuance of the everlasting calumny against which the Afrikaner has had to strive since the time God brought him into contact with the Englishman. Robbing his opponent of goods only does not satisfy him; he is not satisfied until he has robbed him of his good name also. They state to the world that the republics are conquered, and that only here and there small plundering bands are continuing the strife in an irresponsible manner. This is an untruth. The republics are not conquered.

The burgher forces of the two republics are still led by responsible leaders, as from the commencement of the war, under the supervision of the governments of both republics. The fact of Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener choosing the term marauders in designating

the burghers does not make them such. When was the war over. Perhaps after the battles in which irregulars captured the enemy and totally vanquished them. The burghers would be less than men if they allowed the enemy to go unpunished after ill-treating their wives and destroying their houses from sheer lust of destruction. Therefore a portion of the burghers resent. Cape Colony will not only wage war but will be in a position to make reprisals, as it has already done. In the case of ambulances, therefore, we warn the officers of his majesty's troops that unless they cease the destruction of the property of the republics we shall wreak vengeance by destroying the property of his majesty's subjects who are unkindly disposed. But in order to avoid being misunderstood, we hereby openly declare that their wives and children shall always be unmolested, in spite of anything done by his majesty's troops. We request nothing from our brothers in the colony, but call on them, as well as on the civilized world, to assist in behalf of our joint civilization and Christianity, in putting an end to the barbarous manner of the enemy's warfare.

"Our prayer will always be that God, our Father, will not desert us in this unrighteous strife."
(Signed) "STEYN AND DEWET."

The Board of Green Cloth.
You have heard much of the board of green cloth, but probably you do not know what its functions are and the need of it from a financial point of view. First, it takes its name from the green cloth spread over the table which the board sits. This board presided over by the lord steward, with the inferior officers, sits to settle the accounts of the royal household. It is the counting house of the crown establishment and at the same time a little court of justice, with power to correct all offenders who break the peace of the verge—which means the court royal—which extends every way for 200 yards from the gate of the palace. Without a warrant first obtained from this board no servant of the household can be arrested for debt, to be a crown's servant is to some extent on a par with being a member of parliament.—Pearson's Weekly.

At the present rate of consumption, the white fish the Pacific Cold Storage Co. brought in for the lenten season will all be gone long before Easter.

Plenty choice fresh vegetables at Meeker's.

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Fresh halibut at the Denver Market.

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22 NEW ARTISTS. 3 BIG SHOWS IN ONE. See Our Grand Street Parade Monday

SHE WAS HARD UP FOR CASH

And the Man in the Moon Came to Her Rescue.

Story of a Family That Was Wont to Indulge in Little Jangles Over Money.

"It simply won't do," observed Mr. Portland-Rhodes, with emphasis.

"May I ask what you are talking about?"

"I am talking about your extravagance," said her husband. "If it continues, you will simply burst up the show," he added, relapsing into slang.

"I'm afraid your theatrical friends are demoralizing your English."

"The English language has nothing to do with the conversation," he snapped.

"Not with your conversation, dear," said his wife sweetly.

"And I'm tired of these dark allusions to my theatrical friends. It's absurd to imagine that because I take a girl to supper that there's anything in it. She was an old friend."

"I should hardly call her old," said Mrs. Portland-Rhodes critically. "Suppose we say middle-aged?"

"Anyway, we are drifting from the point."

"What is the point of this dialogue?" inquired his wife, with extreme affability.

"Your extravagance. I cannot stand the pace. What's to be done with these things?" indicating a little pile of bills.

"I'm afraid I have no head for business," said his wife, looking tired.

"But how are we going to meet them?"

Mrs. Rhodes sniffed her smelling bottle with an air of extreme patience.

"Why not write out a check?" she murmured.

"Write out a check?" he gasped.

"What the?"

"If you wish the servants to know all our private affairs, I'll ring the bell," said his wife. "But don't shout, dear, because it makes my head ache."

There was only one reply for an independent husband. Mr. Portland-Rhodes gathered up the pile of bills, housekeeping and otherwise, placed them by his wife's plate and stalked to the door.

"You've made a very poor breakfast, Charles," said his wife sympathetically.

"And you'll make me a very poor man," he muttered.

"I'm sorry, dear. I forgot how many calls you have upon your private purse."

This was the last straw. The husband banged out of the room, muttering expressions which would not be permitted even at a religious demonstration.

It was a pretty piece of acting on her part—the airiness, the nonchalance, the magnificent contempt for debt. It was all put on. She was in a complicated frame of mind. She was jealous of her husband on account of an innocent "spree" of his, which green glasses had made hideous. She was uncomfortably conscious that she was on the high road to make a fool of herself. She was up to her pretty little ears in debt, and, above all, she was in a lunk about it.

In short, Mrs. Portland-Rhodes had cast herself for an unsuitable role. At the bottom of her heart she was a romantic little creature, ridiculously in love with her husband, with philanthropic tendencies and a reasonable weakness for "dressing decently."

There is no more pitiable sight than that of a scrupulous person trying to be unscrupulous. She hated to owe money, but to keep level with the times she ran headlong into debt and suffered agonies. She adored her husband and quarreled with him. She despised married life and was carrying on three open flirtations, to say nothing of a mysterious one at the mere thought of which she trembled. In short she was a poor worried little woman who was walking in slippery places and expecting to come a cropper every minute.

A week before she had attended a fancy dress masked ball given at the Ambidextrous. Mrs. Rhodes was robed in the Morning Star and paired off with the man in the moon. She believed her partner to be a certain Percy Ladbroke, whom she counted among her admirers. They became quite confidential, and Mrs. Rhodes rather let her out of the bag with regard to her financial scrapes. The man in the moon was sympathetic. He had had a "straight tip." Should he put a bit on for her? Mrs. Rhodes hesitated for

a variety of reasons, one being that she had no spare cash to lose, and was already out of her depth.

"I'll tell you what I shall do," said the man in the moon. "I shall have a flutter myself, and I'll buy a few shares for you too. If it turns out badly, I'll get it back for you some other time. But it's too good to miss. You must be in it."

This arrangement sounded very comfortable and Mrs. Rhodes assented.

Her first shock was received next day when she learned that the man in the moon was not by any means Percy Ladbroke, as that young gentleman was away in the country. The next shock was a polite letter of congratulation from the man in the moon, inclosing a note for \$1000. The dabble in Angelicos had succeeded beyond her expectations.

It was a curious position for a married woman. What was she to do? A man she did not know, for he had not even signed his name, probably thinking she already knew it, had sent her a round sum of money. He might be mad, but who would believe the story? Would any sane person, especially a mere husband, believe that a stranger would hand her a share of a speculation in which she had not staked a farthing?

On the other hand, she gave a sigh of relief when she recollected that, not knowing who he was, she could not return it. That fact, combined with the pile of bills and her husband's irritation on financial subjects, decided her, and she cashed the note, and utilized it to stop the mouths of her hungriest creditors. But it seemed as if she was doomed to face the unexpected. It happened that night that, for a wonder, she and her husband dined tete-a-tete. He was gloomy and silent; she as airy and flippant as usual.

"I have had a lucky speculation in Angelicos," he said quietly when the servants had left the room.

"You don't look as if you had," she said, cracking a nut.

"And I hoped to give you a pleasant surprise," he added, "so I drove around to some of your people this afternoon to pay your bills."

She went white and nearly pinched a finger instead of a nut.

"I was rather surprised to learn that you yourself had been around this morning and paid them money on account."

There was an uncomfortable silence while his wife restrained a desire to use unladylike language on the subject of Angelicos and pleasant surprises generally.

"That was very kind of you," she said at last.

"May I ask where the money came from?" he asked.

"I never knew anybody to talk so much about money as you do," she said evasively. "Suppose you try another subject?"

"You have been telling me for several days that you are hard up," he continued in the same dry voice. "I should really like to know how you contrived to pay away the best part of a couple of hundred in cash when you are without funds."

"I had a little flutter in Angelicos, too," she said easily.

"Who put you on to it?" he asked sharply. "There were not a dozen men in town who knew anything about it."

"I—I met somebody at a dance, and—somehow it leaked out that I was rather hard up, and—and he said he'd put something on for me," she replied. "Of course I didn't know he meant it, but I heard from him this morning."

Her husband whistled softly.

"This is a funny sort of story, Violet, for a woman to tell her husband," he said gravely, but not unkindly. "Who was the man?"

There was something in the tone of his voice which told her that further evasion would be worse than useless, so defiantly she told the whole story.

"May I see the letter which accompanied the note?" said her husband.

She produced it. It was written on club note paper.

"I shall have no great difficulty in finding out who this is," he said. "I shall send a check. I don't want you to take anybody's money except mine."

"Is that all?" she said coldly.

"Have you anything else to say?"

"It's not much good for me to say anything."

"I thought you might like to preach one of your lay sermons," she said.

"Not at all," he answered, with a provoking smile. "I'm not going to make a mountain out of a molehill. But, really, a masked ball at the Ambidextrous and a check from a stranger is almost as naughty as my taking an actress to supper. We seem to be both going to the bad."

This was humiliating. Mrs. Rhodes

expected a lecture and was only being chaffed. Moreover, the chaff was kindly, and she found it rather a struggle to keep the tears back. But when he sat down to his desk and wrote out a check and said, "There, now, will that help you out of your pickle?" she broke down altogether, and wept like an ordinary woman.

"Shall we cry quits?" he said.

"You forget the supper, and I forget the man in the moon."

"Suppose we say a little goose?" he corrected.

After she had left the room he looked at himself in the glass and nodded at his own reflection.

"It's all right now," he muttered, "but she must never find out who the man in the moon really was."

And the reflection in the glass winked.—Modern Society.

New Mints Not Favored.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The liberality of the house committee on coinage in favorably reporting bills for the establishment of new United States mints passes understanding. Immediately following the favorable report on the policy of establishing one of these institutions at Tacoma, comes a report of similar purport on the project for setting up a branch mint at Omaha. The report is made by the same member of the committee in each case, Representative Southard of Ohio.

The treasury department is at present opposed to the establishment of any more mints at any point, but this is of no consequence to the members of the house committee on coinage. Repeatedly the director of the mint has expressed his opinion to members of the committee that he would rather see one or two of the present mints discontinued than to see even one new put in operation.

Strangely enough, some of the arguments used in the report on the Omaha mint bill clash with those that were used by the same committee and the same member a few days ago in reporting on the Tacoma scheme. For instance, it is argued that the whole Northwest part of the country, including Washington and Alaska is easily tributary to Omaha, and that a large business for the Omaha mint would result from the mineral output of these places.

Here are some paragraphs from the report of the committee on the Omaha bill:

"The city of Omaha is the proper place for the establishment of a mint of the United States. It is located geographically almost in the center of the United States, has splendid railroad facilities and is the home of the largest smelting works in the world. As a matter of economy alone the government would be justified in the establishment of such a mint at Omaha for the reason that there would be a great saving of express rates on coins and freight rates on ores.

"There are only three coinage mints in the United States at the present time, one at Philadelphia, another at San Francisco and a third at New Orleans. Railroad facilities leading out of Omaha are of such a character that not only Alaska, but the states of California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, South Dakota, conveniently located, not only for the purpose of having ore smelted, but securing the coinage of money.

"The report does not go into details regarding the expected receipts of bullion from California or other far Western states, nor attempt to explain why California bullion should not continue to be turned in at the San Francisco mint, instead of being shipped to Omaha.

A Night's Stampede.

Monday's stage from Dawson brought to Whitehorse the first news of a rich find of gold on a small creek below Selwyn and about seven miles this side of Island Point roadhouse, and running into the Yukon from the west bank. The creek was prospected late last fall, by a Frenchman named Mascot, and instead of recording the location at once the prospector waited until he received from below an assay of the ore secured, and this only reached him about ten days ago. Mascot at once staked his claim and a week ago Monday went to Selkirk to have it recorded. The telegraph office at Selkirk is not far from the office of record and nobody knows how it happened—in some way the people at Selwyn were advised of the discovery almost as soon as the claim was placed on record.

There was a rush of gold-seekers inaugurated not only from Selwyn but from Renton roadhouse and other points along the trail, and before daylight on Tuesday the entire creek had been staked. One of the drivers for the C. D. Co. was one of the first to hear of the new find and at midnight Monday, after mushing from Renton, staked one of the first claims above Mascot's discovery. By daylight Tuesday 29 claims were staked and as soon thereafter as possible were placed upon record at Selkirk. Mascot had intended to tip the find off to a coterie of his friends as soon as he had recorded his own claim, and was much surprised when he returned to the creek and found it looking like a thriving mining camp with two dozen tents put up at intervals along the gulch. Mascot has given out that the gold secured is very rich, going strong at \$18 to the ounce, but has nothing to say as to how much to the pan he secured. He has not as yet reached bedrock, but is well satisfied that he has struck a rich placer claim. The creek has been named Mascot after the discoverer.—Whitehorse Star, Feb. 27th.

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Public Notice.

The public is hereby notified that at the regular meeting of the Yukon council in the courthouse on Thursday, 14th inst., petitions concerning the adjustment of assessment and the payment of taxes in Dawson will be considered. The council will meet from night to night after that date until the question is disposed of. All interested in this matter are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

(Signed) WILLIAM OGILVIE, Commissioner. c13

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following survey, notice of which is published below, has been approved by Wm. Ogilvie, Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, and unless protested within three months from the date of first publication of such approval in the Klondike Nugget newspaper, the boundaries of property as established by said survey shall constitute the true and unalterable boundaries of such property by virtue of an order in council passed at Ottawa the 2nd day of March, 1901.

Hillside claims adjoining the upper and lower half of creek claim No. 84 below discovery, right limit, Bonanza creek, in the Bonanza Mining Division of the Dawson Mining District, plans of which are deposited in the Gold Commissioner's Office at Dawson, Y. T., under receipt No. 45 by R. I. Jepson.

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Where a Concession Has Been Thrown Open to Placer Mining—Rush Started Saturday.

At 10 o'clock this morning a notice was posted in the gold commissioner's office which opens for location for placer mining about two-thirds of the concession known as the concession of Eureka creek. While the notice was posted this morning, nevertheless a stampede to the locality in question began on Saturday and continued all day Sunday. It is probable that several hundred people left Dawson for Eureka before the posting of the notice at the gold commissioner's office this morning.

Following is the notice published by the gold commissioner which with many other similar documents are hung on the walls upstairs in the waiting room.

Notice.—Re-Edward Ensel hydraulic application of Eureka creek; commencing at a point about one mile below the forks, thence extending up said stream and up the right fork for a distance of three miles and in width extending one-half mile on either side of the center of the valley of the said creek thereof any claims the entries for which was granted or which was staked or located prior to the date upon which the ground within the location was closed by the gold commissioner. Now, therefore, take notice that the order of the gold commissioner of the 14th day of June, 1900, is hereby rescinded insofar as it affects any claims the entries for which were granted, or which were staked and located prior to the 14th day of June, 1900, which claims are now open for relocation.

Given at Dawson this 11th day of March, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.
J. LANGLOIS BELL,
Assistant Gold Commissioner.

Posted in the office of the gold commissioner at Dawson, this 11th day of March, 1901, at 10 o'clock.

J. L. B.
On June 14th last the following was posted, which closed for location the entire concession part of which is now open.

Take notice, that the hydraulic location applied for by Edward Ensel on Eureka creek, commencing at a point one mile below the forks, thence extending up said stream and up the right fork for a distance of three miles and in width extending one-half miles on either side of center of the valley of said creek, is closed for location under the regulations governing placer mining.

Dated at Dawson the 14th of June, 1900.

The recent order, however, does not entirely destroy the above instrument but curtails the amount of territory covered as a new lease has been allowed the holder of the original concession, Edward Ensel. This instrument was framed at Ottawa on the 8th day of February last on which day the claims not embraced in this instrument was open ground, which could be staked upon, notice being posted stating the day set for the same by the gold commissioner.

Following is a description of the property embraced in the lease:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land situated, lying and being in the Indian river mining division in the Yukon territory, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a post planted on base line, Eureka creek, the same being lower bottom of creek claim 108 below the forks, and a distance of 3364 feet from angle No. 2 of said base line; thence up the said Eureka creek three miles as shown on plan of survey thereon signed by R. J. Jephson; D. L. S., dated the 12th day of October, 1900, and of record in the timber and mines branch of the department of the interior excepting thereof, any claims for which were granted or which were staked or located prior to the date upon which the ground with the location was closed by the gold commissioner.
Dated Feb. 8th, 1901.

The Dog Pound.
Poundmaster Constable Borrows and two catchers are still in business and have on hand at the new pound about 20 dogs and the stock is being added to regularly. On Friday last a medium sized brindle dog, in the pound developed a severe case of rabies and was consequently killed. All the dogs at

the new pound are kept in separate apartments so there is no danger of others being bitten in case one goes mad. Three dogs have gone mad and been killed there within the past two weeks.

The Weather.
The mercury has again gone below the zero mark, the past 48 hours having been quite disagreeable, the cold being augmented by the steady wind from the north. During the 24 hours previous to 9 o'clock this morning the official thermometer which is kept by Sergeant Major Tucker showed the minimum temperature to be 7 below, the maximum 8 above zero.

NAPOLEON CREEK.

James F. French Returns From a Visit There.

Mr. James F. French, of French & Carroll's grocery, recently returned from a prospecting trip on Napoleon creek in the Fortymile district on the American side.

Napoleon creek is situated just over the divide from Jack Wade and the samples of gold he brought back with him is very similar in color and shape to that of Jack Wade.

"We sank four holes," said Mr. French this morning, "and have the pay streak located. We cannot tell just how rich it is but we believe we have a comfortable fortune awaiting us. We did most of our prospecting on No. 6, but we are interested in No. 7 also. This creek was one of the first located in that district but was thought to be so spotted as to be unprofitable to work. The more work there is done, however, the better the prospects appear and it is expected work will be carried on quite extensively there this summer."

OFF FOR KOYUKUK.

Party Leaves This Morning Via Fort Yukon.

Victor Virgil Lowry and James Cross started early this morning with four first-class dogs to a sled laden with a good outfit of clothes and provisions for the Koyukuk. They will follow the Yukon to a point 15 miles beyond Fort Yukon where they will leave it and cut across the country, a distance overland of about 250 miles. They expect to cover the river trip in from 12 to 15 days. Last year Lowry, who made the same trip a year ago this month, made it to Fort Yukon in ten days, but the trail at that time was in fine condition owing to the Nome travel. They expect a rather slow and rough trip from the Yukon back to the Koyukuk. While there last year Lowry secured a number of claims and is confident that they will yield good returns for labor this year.

Eagle City Hopeful.
Mr. W. F. Wilcox, United States mail inspector, arrived in Dawson yesterday afternoon after a ten-days' trip to Eagle City.

"Eagle City," said Mr. Wilcox, "is very quiet just at present, but the people are looking forward to the railroad being built from Valdes which they think will greatly benefit the country. A telegraph line is under construction from Eagle to Valdes, the government having it in charge and starting work on the 4th of this month."

Mr. Wilcox leaves Wednesday on the stage for Whitehorse.

Champagne Flowed.
In four hours Friday afternoon and evening Andy McKenzie, first officer at the Aurora No. 1, cracked 240 quarts of wine, the occasion being the "loosening up" of a number of mining magnates, government employes and other men of means and the inclination to put their means into circulation. McKenzie claims the championship of the Yukon on wine opening.

Early Morning Fire.
Too large a fire was built in the stove in the Holborn Cafe this morning causing an elbow to become red hot and threatening to set fire to the ceiling. An alarm was turned in but before the chemical reached the restaurant the fire in the stove had been put out and the pipe cooled off by the application of wet cloths, so that no serious disaster resulted.

Any kind of wine \$5 per bottle at the Regina Club hotel.

Mrs. Thompson has received new ladies' furnishings over the ice. ad st. When in want of laundry work call up 'phone 52. Cascade Laundry.

M'CONNELL CASE.

(Continued from Page 1.)

nell's letter this morning and stated to a Nugget representative that he was greatly surprised at its contents.

"You may say for me," said the major, "that I am at a loss to understand Mrs. McConnell's present position in the matter. After I filed my suit against her, Col. MacGregor came to me and stated that he wished to see me as a representative of Mrs. McConnell. Mrs. McConnell wished him to convey to me the information that she had not included me in her references to the council and that she regretted that my name had been dragged into the matter.

"I told the colonel that I would accept the explanation as given provided the same was placed in writing and over Mrs. McConnell's signature. This has not been done as yet and until it is done my case will not be withdrawn, but will be prosecuted with the others." Gold Commissioner Senkler was also seen and made substantially the same statement as Major Wood.

"Col. MacGregor came to me," said Mr. Senkler, "and told me that Mrs. McConnell did not include me in the references she made to the council in her letter and that no reflections were intended so far as I am concerned. I took the same position which Major Wood did and told Col. MacGregor that when Mrs. McConnell made the same statement in writing over her own signature, that I would withdraw my case. Pending that action on her part there is no change in the situation. My case stands with the others."

The following is Col. MacGregor's statement of his connection with the matter:

"In conversation with Mrs. McConnell on Friday last in regard to being summoned to appear in the police court to answer for statements she made in a communication to the minister of justice in regard to the administrative acts of some members of the Yukon council she said that she always held Major Wood in the highest regard and considered his administrative acts above reproach and nothing had transpired as yet to alter her mind in that respect. She regretted, however, that he unfortunately was in mistake in taking part in the proceedings against her in the police court.

"I replied that I did not believe that Major Wood knowingly would do anything that would be an injustice to anyone. I did not believe that he did in the matter of which she complained. If he was legally responsible in any way, he certainly was not morally and that I would be pleased to have him out of it or any other person that was not in the wrong and with her permission I would approach the major with a view of arriving at a better understanding in the matter. Mrs. McConnell replied that I could act my own pleasure as for her she would be pleased to have any misunderstanding cleared but had no apology to make to anyone. Later I approached Mr. Senkler in the same manner as I understood that he was somewhat reluctant in taking action in the matter I wished to see him out of it. I stated to both Major Wood and Mr. Senkler that if they withdrew their charges I thought I might be able to prevail on her to make some statement in writing to the effect that she had held both in high esteem and respect."

Two Funerals Yesterday.
Two funerals occurred yesterday afternoon, those of Samuel Keyes, who died at the Good Samaritan hospital on Wednesday last, and John Gschwindt who died of accidental poisoning in his cabin near the Klondike bridge last Thursday morning.

The funeral ceremony of Samuel Keyes was held in the Masonic hall, the beautiful and impressive rites of the order being conducted by Worshipful Master Dr. C. H. Wells.

Gschwindt's funeral was held from Undertaker Green's and was well attended by the Germans of Dawson. At one time in his life Gschwindt had been a member of the German army and on that account yesterday his coffin was in German colors and covered with the German flag.

Both interments were in the cemetery at the top of the hill.

Frosty.
He (feeling his way)—What do you think of a man who leaves his friends and goes off to the north pole?
She (artlessly)—It depends upon the kind of man you mean, you know. You don't mean to say that you think of going, Mr. Bluffer? Well, I hope you will have an enjoyable trip.—Boston Transcript.

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Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—Albert Neilson, 15 years old, a keeper of lion cubs at the zoo in the city, met a terrible death today in the cage of a Bengal tiger.

It was Neilson's duty to feed the cubs at 9 o'clock. Instead of opening the door of the cub cage, he absently opened the door of the tiger's cage. The blood-thirsty animal crouched in a corner until Neilson was well inside the door, then it sprang upon him with a roar, and although he made a fearful struggle, the tiger bore him to the floor. His flesh was torn off, and the tiger, maddened by the taste of fresh blood, was about to begin eating him alive, when help arrived.

Keepers hurried to the scene with red hot irons, and while these were applied mercilessly to the tiger's flanks, five revolver shots were fired into the maddened beast's head. Neilson managed to crawl toward the door, and was quickly dragged from the cage. He died in a few minutes. The tiger was not seriously wounded.

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