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SAPOLO

Shipping Gold to Canada.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Gold to the amount of \$10,000 was withdrawn from the sub-treasury today for shipment to Canada.

The Salt Trust Advances Prices.

RAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 19.—The Michigan Salt Association has advanced the price of salt in all markets to the west.

Miners' Supplies.

Gold Seal Boots, Rubber Boots with Leather Soles, Water-proof Coats, Blankets and Sleeping Bags.

The Washington Rubber Co., 714 First Av., Seattle, Wash.

BANKERS' LAST DAY.

Association of Moneyed Men Ends Business.

NEW OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN.

Needed Reform of the Currency and How It Can Be Accomplished—The Great Work Done by Savings Banks—A Currency Commission Proposed.

DETROIT, Aug. 19.—The twenty-third annual convention of the American Bankers' Association came to an end at 1 o'clock this afternoon. According to precedent, Vice President Joseph C. H. Van Slyke, who was elected to the office of president, George H. Russell, of Detroit, received a large majority of the votes cast for vice president, although the nominating committee had recommended F. W. Tracey, of Illinois, for the honor. Business was transacted with a rush today, a number of papers having been carried over from yesterday. Several papers were ordered printed without delay. Luncheon at the great distillery of Hiram Walker & Sons, Walkerville, Ont., and a boat ride to the De Cade Show Co., this afternoon wound up the social part of the meeting.

The question, "What legislation is needed in respect to the currency?" was discussed in an interesting speech by Mr. N. B. Van Slyke, president of the Eastern National bank of Madison, Wis. The speaker suggested as the first important step, a currency reform by evolution—retirement of one class and a corresponding increase of the other until entirely doing away with the government's banking business and placing it with the banks, where it is naturally belongs.

He mentioned 5,000,000 depositors with more than 100,000,000 of deposits in the financial system last year and graduated on November 3, 1906. Touching on government savings banks he pointed out the difference between this country and European countries, for the latter have a permanent debt to employ the people's money, while this country has a tendency and policy is to make the people subservient to the government. Our theory looks to making the government subservient to the people.

He pointed out that the savings banks have absorbed practically all the municipal and state debts and, with individuals, the bulk of the national debt, and carry the real estate loans and half the railroad debt. These were signs that the United States is changing from a debtor to a creditor nation.

In his address on "Organized Capital, Its Privileges and Duties," Harvey J. Hollister, president of the Chicago National Bank, dealt with the power of organized capital and the need of control, due to the fact that "such combinations of power have been formed in this country as to control the banks and the money market."

He blamed the banks for neglecting their duty to educate the people as to the real relation of banks to the country and said that no such bitterness could have been entertained as existed during the political campaign of 1906 had the banks done their duty to educate the people.

Bradford Rhodes spoke on "Are Country Checks Practical?" He submitted an elaborate account of the proposed method of facilitating the collection of country checks. Gunby Jordan, president, supreme trial, National Bank of Columbus, Ga., gave an address on the subject of "How World National Banks With a Capital of Less Than \$100,000,000 Can Be Beneficial or the Reverse?" This was discussed by William C. Corwell, president of the City Bank, N. Y.

Frank W. Tracey, president of the First National bank of Springfield, Ill., read a paper on the subject "What Can Be Done to Increase the Facilities of the American Bankers' Association?" Papers followed on "Currency Shipments by Registered Mail," by Charles H. Hannan, president of Iowa Bankers' Association, and "Express Money Orders," by L. P. Hillier, secretary of the Georgia Bankers' Association. The laws of the American Bankers' Association, and Eugene H. Pullen, of New York, were withdrawn by their authors, on account of the lateness of the hour and ordered printed in the proceedings.

A resolution was adopted by the committee organizing congress previously provided a complete non-partisan currency commission to the end that sound legislation may speedily be secured.

Report of the committee on the resolution offered by N. B. Van Slyke. The members of the executive committee elected are: J. S. Cannon, New York; W. Huntington, Ohio; R. J. Lowry, Georgia; J. B. Findlay, Pennsylvania; J. C. Sanks, West Virginia. After E. H. Pullen, president, R. J. Lowry, with a hand-gavel, the installation of officers took place and the convention adjourned sine die.

THE FUTURE OF SILVER.

Gov. Grant Thinks Fifty Cents Will Be Backward Price.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 19.—In a letter to the public ex-Gov. J. B. Grant, of the Omaha and Grant speaking, says regarding the future of silver: "I think the price of silver is greater than 100,000,000 ounces, so that 50 cents should be the backward price. In the immediate future it may be as low as 30 cents, because the miners are offering to sell millions of ounces at the lowest price to be obtained at thirty, sixty or ninety cents. Some of the present stock with a little loss is possible."

2 cents a barrel, and in the home market 8 cents a barrel, which brings the price up relatively the same in all markets. The new prices are: Packers, 50c; No. 1 granulated, 45c; No. 2 granulated, 40c; No. 3 granulated, 35c; No. 4 granulated, 30c; No. 5 granulated, 25c; No. 6 granulated, 20c; No. 7 granulated, 15c; No. 8 granulated, 10c; No. 9 granulated, 5c; No. 10 granulated, 0c.

KEEP IN THE MIDDLE.

Peffer's Advice to Iowa Populists—He Expresses Distrust of Their Late Allies in Politics.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 19.—The middle-of-the-road populists held a state convention here today, which was largely attended, about fifty counties being represented. M. W. C. Weeks, of Madison county, presided.

"If recent discoveries of goldmines should prove true, the silver question will soon be eliminated from Republican discussion," declared the speaker, "and those whose individual interests are at stake. Silver Republicans would probably be satisfied with gold if there is enough of it. It is proposed that the range of our discussions be limited to the range of our discussions to the silver branch of the money question and all outside of the Democratic party. These are the propositions on which we are divided. I am opposed to the proposition that the Democratic party has changed its policy in respect to the silver question. The reform utterance is merely declaratory, inserted to catch the Populist vote. The reform utterance is merely declaratory, inserted to catch the Populist vote. The reform utterance is merely declaratory, inserted to catch the Populist vote."

LIKE THE DAYS OF FORTY-NINE.

Seattle Newspaper Man Tells Chicago of the Klondike Boom.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—C. M. Nettleton, of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, who is visiting in Chicago, says that conditions on the Pacific coast remind the old settlers of the palmy days of California in 1849. He has a number of specimens of Klondike gold.

"I believe," said Mr. Nettleton, "that without question \$100,000,000 of the yellow metal will be taken from Alaska, next year, and it is confidently believed that the steamer Portland, which is due to arrive in Seattle on August 25, will bring \$1,000,000 in nuggets and gold bars.

"One peculiar thing is that the miners, upon landing, seldom are willing to tell the truth in reference to their success. Nearly all of them are willing to say that for this reason do not give the facts as to the amount of gold they have in their possession. I asked one miner how much he had and he said he had only \$100,000, when the truth was he had about \$1,200,000 worth with him. Their idea seems to be that if they use the estimate of the amount of gold they have found, it will have a tendency to keep other people out."

A SUICIDE BY FASTING.

Woman Starves to Death Because Her Husband Left Her.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Aug. 19.—Lena Collinsworth of Claiborne county, Tenn., died from the effects of a six-day fast. She starved herself to death under a vow. She quarreled with her husband, they separated, and she vowed she would fast until he returned to her. The efforts of friends and relatives to force her to eat have been of no avail.

TERRIBLE EFFECTS OF THE BOMB.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—A despatch to the Herald from Constantinople, describing the bomb explosion, says:

"The explosion was felt through the lower windows of the council house of the sublime porte by Armenian hands and fell just before the morning. All the telegraph office is situated, shaking and shattering the entire building, bursting the walls and shooting up through the floor beams which it is reported finally perforating the roof with holes like those of a pepper box. Every window in that part of the building was smashed, the gas covering the floor, the corridor leading to the grand vizierate being broken into an extraordinary mess, showing how severe the concussion had been. One person was killed and several officials wounded. The bomb must have been of a large and coarse kind. Six persons were arrested and certainly will be executed."

Mrs. Allen's Infatuated Pursuer.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Frances Allen, wife of the late John W. Allen, who was killed in that city by riding horseback in pink tights at an amateur charity circus in that city, was reported to have been in New Orleans, who is madly in love with her. Her husband obtained a divorce on that account. She is now in New York, where she is in New York two weeks ago, he found her in this city and renewed his suit with threats. She gave him the slip and went to New York, weather he has followed.

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MADRID, Aug. 19.—Senator Sagasta, the Liberal leader, is quoted as saying in the Cortes today:

"Even during 'Canoas' time dissensions existed in the cabinet, and, if they are continued, Gen. Azaraga will be obliged to resign. I do not believe that the cabinet is certain to be only a temporary one. I am ready to accept office, and should I do so, I would apply reforms to Cuba in the widest sense."

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TRYING TO PLACE THE BLAME.

Trial of Men Responsible for Charity Bazaar Hoax.

PARIS, Aug. 19.—Honor Macau, one of the promoters of the charity bazaar of the Rue Jean Goujon, which was destroyed by fire on May last with a loss of over 100 lives, and Bailac and Bagrashov, two employees of the cinematograph establishment, were placed on trial today, charged with homicide, through their imprudence upon that occasion.

MASSACRED TWO HUNDRED.

Kurdish Man-Hunters Amuse Themselves on the Persian Border.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Tabriz, capital of the province of Azerbaijan, Persia, says that yesterday the Kurds raided the district of Salmas, on the Turko-Persian frontier, sacked and destroyed 200 Persian villages and massacred 200 Persians, Christians and Mussulmans, indiscriminately. The Persian government has sent troops to the scene of the invasion.

BACKED BY GUNS.

Miners On the Trail Defend Their Rights.

SKAGUAY TRAIN STOPPED.

Packers Forced to Live Up to Their Agreement.

RISE IN PRICE NOT TOLERATED.

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smuggling and will use every effort to promote the immigration of American miners for the purpose of development of Canadian territory.

From twenty to thirty people in large boats and scows, which have an average carrying capacity of 100 to 150 people or seven people, are leaving every day for the Stewart river and Klondike mines. Hundreds of pack people have landed on the coast with from 80 to 120 pack animals, plus, but when they reached here they had discarded down to about 400 pounds, and that has been the case for the last few weeks when leaving for the mines. Boats that are ordinarily worth \$40 or \$50 are selling for \$150, and pack animals are worth from \$10 to \$15 a day. Provisions are very high. The cost of packmen from the coast to the mines is \$25 a pack and down here is about \$17, and one sack sold yesterday for \$25. A man cannot get a load of pack animals from the coast. Linderman for less than \$125, and is fortunate at that price.

Boatbuilders by the Score.

CAMP LAKE LINDERMANN, Northwest Territory. The boats that come from the coast to the lakes by the way of the Skaguay pass is open, and the first lot of people, numbering about 150, reached the coast yesterday. The boats that come from the coast to the lakes by the way of the Skaguay pass is open, and the first lot of people, numbering about 150, reached the coast yesterday. The boats that come from the coast to the lakes by the way of the Skaguay pass is open, and the first lot of people, numbering about 150, reached the coast yesterday.

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Chimney on Hands and Knees.

Two miles from Sheep Camp we came to Stone House, so called on account of the fanciful arrangement of the chimney to a building. At that point the timber belt ends and hardly a spear of grass is to be found from there to the summit. The walking is a little easier, but across beds of lava rocks, sharp and jagged, and where a false step would mean a serious fall. It is necessary to be very careful to avoid falling and serious injury. One or two glaciers are crossed and at the foot of the summit the traveler comes to a glacier. The glacier is a narrow, dense embankment of moisture enveloped the summit and a person cannot be discerned at a distance. As I reached the summit with a sigh of relief, thankful that I had gotten over the worst part, as I thought, I was overtaken by a heavy shower of rain. The rain of the glacial top of adjoining mountains, which transformed the beads of perspiration upon particles of ice. A passing Indian, who carried a pack weighing half of a million tons each, which are cracked as though they had been suddenly immersed in cold water while in a motion. The pack is the ideal spots for a geologist to study.

Down on the Other Side.

Descending the mountain to the lake, I crossed dozens of small glaciers, beneath which were roaring torrents of water, and which were so close that the ice would crack, break off or go tumbling into the waters below. Some of the glaciers were deeply fissured. The water was being carried by a narrow way along the ice until in some places it is a mere shell. There is a much danger of falling through into a crevasse, which is a deep hole in the ice. A narrow stream of water is running in a narrow crevasse, which is a deep hole in the ice. A narrow stream of water is running in a narrow crevasse, which is a deep hole in the ice.

Interception of Whisky and Tobacco.

The Canadian customs officers have established a custom house at the arm between Tagish and Bennett lakes and are inspecting all pack animals entering the Northwest Territory. Duty is not exacted on ordinary and necessary supplies, consisting of plain, common food and clothing weighing less than 50 pounds or less. It is reckoned that amount will last a miner one year. The officers are inclined to act in an impartial manner and free from discrimination. They are particularly after the liquor and tobacco smugglers and are reported to have already seized a considerable quantity of whisky. The officers are determined to put a stop to this class of

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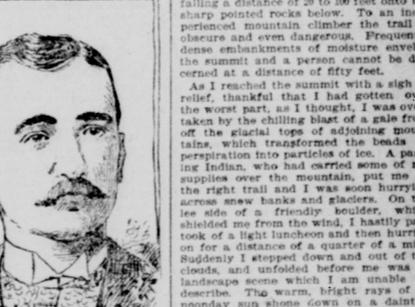
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