

KENNECOTT'S RECORD FOR JUNE IMMENSE

BOSTON—The Kennecott Copper Corporation's production of copper in June amounted to approximately 9,000,000 pounds. The net earnings available for dividends were in excess of \$1,300,000, equal to \$1.16 a share. This is at the rate of \$15 a share per annum. A production as great as 9,000,000 pounds per month is not expected to be maintained throughout the year, but it is now believed that the output for the quarter ended August 31 will be between 25,000,000 and 30,000,000 pounds far in excess of the earlier estimates.

Application will soon be made to list Kennecott Copper on the New York Stock Exchange.

NE YORK—New York Curb Market Association has listed and admitted to quotation 729,000 shares and \$10,000,000 first mortgage 6 per cent convertible bonds, due in 1925, of the Kennecott Copper Corporation. The stock is without par.—(Boston News Bureau.)

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TWENTY-FIVE BABIES BORN AT ST. ANN'S

According to the records in St. Ann's hospital the number of boys born in June since January first of this year exceeds the number of girls who have arrived within the six months ending June 30 by just five. Twenty-five young hopefuls have occupied the nursery cradles at St. Ann's at various times during the past six months, and twenty-five separate and distinctive varieties of smiles and dispositions have displayed themselves in the babies' ward. So far the anti-suffragettes have the balance of power. The following is a detail of the nomenclature of 1915's arrivals:

BOYS—Raumen, Cheney, Karr, Ewen, Lindstrom, Jameson, Wicks, Hagen, Riendan, Miller, Ostrom, Chapin, Cole, Riley and Radel.

GIRLS—Brittain, Hellenenthal, Perkins, Simpkins, Whittier, Johnson, Hackworth, Lenders, Takano, Denham.

A Summer Impulse "Let's organize an expedition to discover the North Pole." "It's discovery was announced some years ago." "Yes, but it has had enough to get lost again."—(Washington Star.)

BASEBALL BINGLES

Anyway, the game at Treadwell yesterday demonstrated the fact that Mitchell Rose is as nifty a ballplayer as ever played in the North. Rose had the satisfaction of striking out Kertis, Redmond and Killeen, during the three innings he twirled.

And this boy Killeen pitched some game himself. He struck out twelve, fanning Smith three times, Conway twice, Fry twice, Cloudy, twice, King once and Rose once. He allowed but two hits, one by Callan and the long homer by Boeckel.

Juneau had a patched up team. Wright was out of the game with a bruised wrist, and Healy was at work at Thane. Baxter has not yet returned from Seattle. Smith, a member of the "Terrors," was tried out in right garden, and gimed the only one that came his way, although he couldn't connect with Conway's offerings. Old War Steel Conway was on the king sack, and fielded his position well. Herb also had trouble in connecting with the pellet. Cloudy went to left field and Fossas to second.

Rose got "akunked" yesterday. It was the first time in a long period that the stocky little infielder failed to hit safely. He almost got his usual bingle in the seventh, but Eddie Wood speared the drive, for the last out.

Frank Dutton played a nice game at third for Treadwell. His percentage with the stick was 1000, and he accepted his two chances without error.

Carl King had an off day, which by the way, is excusable, for he has been catching in fine style this season. Three missed third strikes and a wild heave save him four black marks for the malinee.

Carl Lewis demonstrated again that when a sacrifice bunt is needed he can be relied upon to deliver. He dumps them down in front of the plate pretty regularly.

Boeckel's hit looked like a record-smasher. The ball hit the middle of the roof of the boarding house in left field, and bounced over, hitting another building. And it was traveling some, too. Boeckel sent in Callan ahead of him, who had reached first on Wood's bad throw, after Fry had made a nice pick-up of a hard drive.

Herb Conway got hit on the arm and reached first in the second inning. Then Lewis let a ball get away from him and Herb started for second. He was thrown out by about two feet and an unkid kid in the bleachers yelled: "We'll send you down by parcels post next time."

That inning was an awful nightmare. King's errors were costly, and before the smoke of battle had cleared, the islanders had grabbed six runs. Five hits were made off Fry, Dahl's clout going for two bags.

Killeen struck out five men in a row in the 6th and 7th innings after Boeckel had hit his home run. The islanders' win makes it Treadwell 8 and Juneau 7, on the series.

ROAD WILL BE BUILT AROUND CAPE NOME

According to an announcement in the Daily Nome Industrial Worker, the survey of the road around Cape Nome has been completed and work will be begun in the near future. The surveyed road will be divided into sections and let in separate contracts. Most of the work will be through heavy rock, although the rock is not solid and in place, it consists largely of massive boulders which will have to be bull-dozed with dynamite.

This work is being done under the recent appropriation made from the funds received from the sale of timber in the National forest reserve. No announcement has as yet been made as to whether or not the work will be delayed pending the decision of the law suit recently filed against the Territorial Treasurer in connection with the use of these funds. Territorial Roadmaster Dan Jones is in charge of the work.

"UNCLE SAM" MAKES DEBUT AS AUCTIONEER

ANCHORAGE, July 10.—Uncle Sam's debut as an auctioneer in town-site lots in Alaska was made here this afternoon and was attended by undeniable success. Bidding was really active and prices were raised by bidders in the crowd of upwards of 1500 people, from two to three times the appraisement made by the Government's agents. A total of about \$20,000 was received from the sale of the first 45 lots.

A. Christianson, of the General Land Office, conducted the sale and officiated as auctioneer. The proceedings were conducted out in the open air on the present unofficial town-site near the new railroad tracks. The auctioneer and his clerks who kept the official record of the sales, were located upon a temporary frame platform, while the bidder's and interested spectators stood grouped about them.

Mr. Christianson made an extended address, explanatory of the sale and of the government's plans in connection with the construction of the railroad from Seward to Fairbanks, with-out the injection of any new information of any new information on this already widely discussed national project. He was given the closest attention of the crowd, which appeared to go in a general good humor. There were no signs of the agitation that might have been anticipated because of recent expressions of dissatisfaction over the auction plan of sale in preference to a proposed lottery plan with a fixed price put upon every lot which the fortunate fellow in the lottery would be called upon to pay for the land. There was nothing to be heard of the cry "that the poor man is being discriminated against in favor of the rich man."

Neither was there any indication of the appearance of agents of any syndicate intent upon grabbing of the entire town-site, as some timid folks had professed to dread as a possibility.

It was a serious-minded crowd that attended the sale. There was little hilarity attending the bidding, although occasionally some fellow could be heard indulging in good natured comment upon the price paid by some successful bidder. But as a whole, the buyers were evidently men intent upon business which they were not diverting to their numerous chance acquaintances. Anchorage certainly got off to a good start on its new homestead.

The first successful bidder was a former Minnesota merchant, named O. L. Nyberg, a recent comer to the Territory. He proposes entering business on his lot, the first one put under the auctioneer's hammer, and which is at the corner of what is officially 15th and C. Streets. Nyberg paid \$225 for his lot, which was appraised at \$400. All the lots sold are 50 by 140 feet to 20 foot alleys. The streets all have a uniform width of 60 feet. The highest price paid for a single lot was \$1,150. This lot was lot 7 in block 28.

BIG LEAGUE SCORES: YESTERDAY'S SCORES.

- Northwestern League At Seattle—Seattle 2, Victoria 1. American League At Detroit—Detroit-Washington game postponed; rain. At Chicago—Chicago 3—4; New York 1—1. At St. Louis—Boston 7, St. Louis 3. National League At Philadelphia—Cincinnati 5—1, Philadelphia 1—3. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 1—1, St. Louis 1—1. At New York—New York-Pittsburgh game postponed; rain. At Boston—Boston 4, Chicago 3. Federal League At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 3; Newark 2. At St. Louis—Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 0. At Kansas City—Buffalo 5, Kansas City 1. At Chicago—Chicago 4, Baltimore 1.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Gilbert Backer is in the hospital with a broken right arm as the result of being struck by a falling rock while working on a trail in Sheep Creek Basin. He was brought to town by A. B. Dodd and William Brennan yesterday.

MRS. FRY LEAVES.

Mrs. John H. Fry, who has for several weeks been visiting Mrs. Frank Carroll, left this morning on the Princess Alice and will return to her home in Denver, Colorado.

MISS DAVIS LEAVES.

Miss Alice Lombard Davis and Miss Florence Nachtrieb who have been in the city for a couple of weeks left this morning on the Princess Alice and will return at once to their home in Berkeley. Miss Davis and Miss Nachtrieb have studios in Berkeley and are well known instructors in elocution and music.

CHILD IS BURIED.

The four-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Jenkins, who died Wednesday, was buried in Evergreen Cemetery yesterday. The Rev. Dr. J. H. Condit, of the Presbyterian church, conducted the services.

OSUBY IS CAR OWNER.

J. M. Osuby yesterday bought the Studebaker machine from Perry E. Jackson, and is learning to drive. He will use the car for transportation between Juneau and his home on the Salmon Creek road.

Everybody reads Empire "ada."

"WAR ORDERS" TAKING IMPORTANT PLACE IN SUMMER'S TRADE

PITTSBURGH—Allies have placed additional orders in Pittsburgh for 2,000,000 bayonets, 1,000,000 rifles and \$200,000 worth of trace chains, according to a Pittsburgh banker, who declined to give further details.

On account of the increased number of orders received recently, between 800 and 900 men are working night and day at the plant of the H. K. Porter Co. The largest order is from the Russian government, which calls for 22 locomotives weighing 72 tons each, and for 11 locomotives weighing 67 tons each. The company also has a finishing order for 33 locomotives of a lighter type from Havana, Cuba. Orders also have recently been received from the governments of Brazil and the Argentine.

NEW YORK—There has been no let-up of the placing of war orders with American manufacturers in the last few days. Bankers estimate new business reported in that period at close to \$100,000,000.

It is said that war orders to the value of \$500,000,000 have been placed through the firm of J. P. Morgan & Company to date, \$400,000,000 of which is for the account of Great Britain.

Recent orders covered a wider range of commodities than hitherto, indicating a more general demand by the Allies for American products being aside from those which are strictly munitions.

Great Britain, for instance, placed a new order for 115,000,000 pounds of granulated sugar, valued at \$5,250,000. Shipments are to be made at 4.95 cents per pound net cash in bond. The French government is reported to have bought 2,650,000 pounds in San Domingo raw sugar at 3.72 cents per pound, c. l. f.

Apart from that tendency and the placing of the American order, the feature of last week was the distribution among the smaller manufacturers of orders given to the big companies.

Rapid progress has been made in distributing General Electric Co's order, a big slice of which went to the International Steam Pump Co.

The Lackawanna Steel Company has closed a contract with French interests for 25,000 tons of shrapnel steel. The total shrapnel steel orders taken by the Lackawanna Steel Company are close to 100,000 tons.

The Colt Patent Firearms Manufacturing company decided to double its plant at Hartford, Conn., to fill the huge war orders for machine guns. One of the factories to be so utilized has not been used for firearms manufacture since the close of the Civil War.

Work on the Canadian Car & Foundry Company's mammoth structure to be used for filling shrapnel and high explosive shells near Lindhurst, N. J., made much headway, and the building is expected to be finished in a month or two. It is 1350 feet long and 327 feet wide.

The Republic Rubber Company, of Youngstown, Pa., took an order for \$500,000 worth of solid rubber tires. The Bendix Manufacturing Company sold 2,000 motor-cycles for war purposes, the value of which is approximately \$600,000.

One of the other import features of the last few days is the development of the export movement of war supplies to the rush point. In the past few months shipments of supplies have been confined largely to powder, food stuffs and horses, but now the exportation of shells is becoming a feature. The Bethlehem Steel Company is shipping 25,000 big shells a day.

The return of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and the arrival here of D. A. Thomas added a new interest to the complaint of the Canadians as to the way they have been treated in war orders. It is understood Sir Thomas returned with enormous orders, that are expected to keep all the Canadian plants busy at capacity for a great many months. The business will be handled through the purchasing department of the Canadian Pacific.

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GILBERT'S MOTHER DIES. George K. Gilbert, well known business man, has gone to Seattle, having received word that his mother died at Seattle last Sunday. AND IT RAINED. Welcome rain fell yesterday, the first real fall since July 5, and the faces of the old-timers were wreathed in smiles last night. The rain was badly needed, as the town was as dry as tinder, and the danger of conflagration was strong.

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JEFFERSON SAILS. The steamship Jefferson sailed South last night. Outgoing passengers included B. B. White, Mrs. C. R. Halford, C. F. Whaley, Miss Teresa Murphy, R. F. Stone, G. O. Johnson, J. Condon and W. Doran. Mrs. Harry F. Cain and the Misses Ruth and Esther Carlson of Taku Harbor, returned from Sitka, having made the excursion voyage from here.

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A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Edrington, in St. Ann hospital last night, at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. Edrington is a mechanic at the Perseverance mine. Miss Elsie Cowley expects to undergo an operation for appendicitis in St. Ann hospital. She is well known here as a trained nurse. Miss Gertrude Hold is spending a week at Perseverance, the guest of Mrs. Allen F. Chamberlin.

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