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THE STAR ROUTES.

Their Cost at Present as Compared With That Under Brady.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—In response to an application from the Government's counsel in the Star Route cases, Second Assistant Postmaster-General Elmer has prepared a statement of the cost of the Star Route mail service for the fiscal years 1876 to 1882, inclusive, in the States of Louisiana, Texas, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Oregon, Nevada and California, and the Territories of Montana, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Idaho and Washington. The annual cost at present is $2,018,635.

This table covers one contract term and half of a preceding term. The previous contract term ended June 30, 1878, when the cost was $2,944,049; the new term began on the following day, July, 1878. One year afterward the cost had been raised by Brady to $3,535,566, and at the end of the second year of the term another million had been added. The term of four years ended on June 30, 1882, and on that day the annual cost was only $2,877,209, owing to the reduction made by an honest administration. The next term began July 1, 1882, and its annual cost is only $2,018,000, while the service in the same States and Territories at the hight of Brady's inflation cost $4,520,821.

EGYPTIAN AFFAIRS.

The Forces that Will Probably Soon Fight in the Land of the Pharaohs.

ALEXANDRIA, July 25.—Rebels are distributed as follows: One division outside of Cairo, two regiments in Cairo, two divisions at Kader El Dwar, 3,000 infantry at Rosetta, and 7,000 at Dametta. Each division consists of four regiments of infantry of 740 each, and one regiment of artillery of 700 men and 36 guns, and 4,000 civilians taken from necessary works on the Nile to intrench at Kader El Dwar.

Arabi Pasha holds one batallion and battery and two squadrons of cavalry in readiness to check any British advance parties.

The British brought 60 prisoners from Ramleh to-day.

An occupying force is entrenching at Ramleh.

The British have cut the Turkish telegraph wires to Stamboul.

PARIS, July 25.—In the Chamber of Deputies, to-day, Admiral Juareguiberry, Minister of Marine, moved a credit 9,500,000 francs for the protection of the Suez Canal.

DeLesseps telegraphs that Arabi Pasha has declared his determination to respect its neutrality.

MADRID, July 25.—The Government will send three additional frigates to Egypt. One will be stationed at Port Said, another at Suez, and a third at Ismalia.

ALEXANDRIA, July 25.—There are now here ten English, two Austrian, one American, one German, one Russian, one Greek, and three Italian men-of-war and a Turkish corvette. England will send 15,500 troops.

A Slight Advantage.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The Government scored a victory, yesterday, in the Star Route trial, when the examination of their witness Walsh was concluded after a severe cross-examination lasting two days. The strong testimony given by Walsh remains substantially unimpaired. Mr. Walsh is pronounced by lawyers of experience to be one of the best witnesses ever put on the stand.

Ex-Senator Clayton was in the Court-room to-day, and it is probable that he will soon be called to the witness stand to lay the foundation, by his testimony, for the notorious Reardell confession.

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

The tobacco crop of San Domingo promises to be superior both in quality and quantity.

A careful computation of the sugar crop on the island of Cuba, fixes at 601,500 tons, being an excess of 22½ per cent. over the last crop.

Robert E. Pattison has accepted the Democratic nomination for Governor of Pennsylvania.

George P. Marsh, American Minister to Rome, died suddenly at Valambrosa last Monday.

THE CAMP-FIRE.

It Will be Held on the 30th and 31st of August—The Programme to Include Dancing, Racing, Glass Ball Shooting, and Other Amusements.

Yesterday a committee of the Bellevue Post of the Grand Army of the Republic selected the location where the forthcoming camp-fire will be held. The place agreed upon is a small island in Wood River, between Colorado and Star gulches, and about midway between Bellevue and Hailey, and a working bee of ex-soldiers will be organized in a few days to clear the place of underbrush, erect a dancing pavilion, and make other necessary improvements.

The camp-fire will be held on the 30th and 31st of August, and continue for two days. The programme has not been fully arranged as yet, but it will include an address (probably by His Excellency Governor Neil), sack, wheel-barrow, and foot races, glass ball shooting, dancing, a sham fight, etc. The details of the entertainment will be published in a week or ten days.

Application for Patent.

NOTICE NO. 61.

United States Land Office,
Boise City, Idaho, July 18, 1882.

Notice is hereby given that Henry E. Miller, whose postoffice address is Bellevue, Alturas county, Idaho Territory, has made application for a United States Patent for the "Queen Bee" Lode Mining Claim, situate in Mineral Hill Mining District, Alturas county, Idaho Territory, consisting of 1,500 linear feet of the lode, and surface ground 600 feet wide, being lot No. 36, and described in the field notes and plat of the official survey on file in this office with magnetic variation at 19 degrees and 45 minutes east, as follows:

Commencing at the discovery—thence south 69 degrees and 30 minutes east along center line of southeastern end of claim 300 feet, center of southeastern end line of claim; thence north 20 degrees and 30 minutes east 300 feet to post No. 1; thence north 69 degrees and 30 minutes west 1,500 feet to post No. 2; thence south 20 degrees and 30 minutes west 600 feet to post No. 3; thence 69 degrees and 30 minutes east 1,200 feet to post No. 4; thence north 20 degrees and 30 minutes east 300 feet to post No. 1, the place of beginning, survey of exterior boundaries embracing an area of 20 86-100 acres, from post No. 1, quarter section, corner on section line, between sections 26 and 27, township 2 north, range 18 east, bears south 24 degrees and 20 minutes east 1,661 feet distant.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of the "Queen Bee" Lode Mining Claim or surface ground are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office at Boise City, Idaho Territory, during the sixty days' period of publication thereof or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute. The said mining claim being of record in the office of the County Recorder of said mining district, at Hailey, in Alturas county, Idaho Territory. The nearest known location being the "Queen of the Hills," "Minnie Moore," and "Star" mines. I direct that this notice be published in the WOOD RIVER TIMES, the newspaper published nearest the said mining claim, for the period of sixty days.

jy21 JOHN B. MILLER, Register.