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Mining District Wants Miners and Workers and Not Pugs.

Eureka (Nev.) Sentinel: The Yerington, Nevada, people do not take kindly to the prize fight game, labeling the sport as brutal, ungentlemanly, and a few other things, and promising the participants a term in jail if they try to give an exhibition of their fist prowess at that point. A crowd of the San Francisco sports recently wired to the Chamber of Commerce at Yerington saying in regard to a proposed fight:

"This will be worth millions to your camp as an advertisement. All the Nevada camps are having them—look at Goldfield and Tonopah, and Bullfrog and Searchlight and Ely. If you will put up liberally we will give you a mill that as an ad for the camp will knock the stuffing out of the event Tex Rickard promises to pull off in Ely next spring."

The Chamber of Commerce gave the matter but slight attention, instructing Secretary Dyer to "turn down" the proposition in unequivocal terms. That official sent the following reply to the sports:

"Letter received. Nixy, no opening here for your art. Only thing Chamber will put up for prize fight is jail, with ironclad guarantee of bread and water for 30 days. Yerington not doing anything above ground and doesn't believe in scandalous advertising. Got Ely skinned a mile for copper and willing to let her have all flim-flam advertising she can get from prize fights. Have the greatest copper deposit in Nevada. Greatest opportunities. Glad hand to all honest miners and prospectors. Marble heart to all brands of flim-flammers—see? This is not confidential. Pass it up to your local newspapers so the public may know and Yerington will remember you all in its prayers."

CRACKSMEN

Blow Safe in Acme Lumber Co's Office.

By gaining an entrance through the rear door by the aid of a jimmy safeblowers demolished the safe in the office of the Acme Lumber Co. at an early hour last Friday morning. The noise of the explosion awoke the neighborhood, causing the robbers to leave a number of the tools used in doing the job. The sum of \$25 and some papers were secured by the cracksmen. The heavy door of the safe was blown off its hinges and landed on a table several feet away. There is no clue to the robbers.

About two years ago the company's safe was blown open and \$20 secured, the robbers escaping with their booty.

Be a Gentleman.

Young man, be a gentleman. It is just as easy as being a rowdy, and pays a whole lot better. There is nothing smart in being "tough." The young men you see nowadays who are rowdies, are fellows who in later years fill poor houses and jails. They are the ones who have no homes, no friends, no money,—the ones the policeman tells to move on. If you play ball, be a gentleman. The crowd will applaud you a whole lot more when you make a good play and guy less when you make an error. The gentleman has friends everywhere—the rowdy none. The rowdy and tough come to a premature old age of want and privation; the gentleman lives long and walks in green pastures; friends are there to help him over rough spots. Be a gentleman because there is money in it. Be a gentleman, it will pay you dividends when about everything is below par. Be a gentleman and in the final wind up it will bring flowers to your bier and eulogies to your memory.—Springfield Herald.

Wanted.

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READ THIS

And Then Stop Complaining About the Weather.

Just because the West has had record breaking weather nine-tenths of the people registered an abled-bodied kick that jarred every one in their neighborhood. Now that we have been enjoying the regulation brand of Oregon winter under balmy skies for the past week, we print the following extract from a letter recently received from a friend in Minnesota:

"During the past two years there was so much rain that the rust struck the wheat and oats, and, of course we had a very inferior crop. To cap the climax last summer it rained all the time. No one who ever lived here or anywhere ever saw so much rain. Still the prospect for a crop was not altogether hopeless could we have got on to the fields to cut what grain was there. But even that was impossible. The grain stood until it was ripe and then went down, and there it lay until the ground froze so that it would hold the horses. We then cut what we could with mowers, hoping that we could use it for feed. Before we could care for it or haul it away we had a number of heavy snow storms that covered the fields. Now we are enjoying a series of blizzards that we will not forget for many a day."

By carefully reading the above many of us who have been complaining can see that we have been pretty well off.

BETTER VALUES

In Real Estate on the Peninsula Than Anywhere Else.

H. W. Vining, formerly in the real estate business here, but who has been speculating in dirt in Seattle for the past six months, was a visitor to St. Johns last Saturday. Said he: "I believe the best values on the coast are in Portland and vicinity. If you want to see sky high prices go to Seattle. Unless you have a roll, and a big fat one, you cannot touch anything. I honestly believe there is not ten pieces of income property in the city. People have gone real estate crazy. Nearly everything is sold on a margin. Men pay \$500 or \$1000 down expecting to sell at an advance before the option expires. Everybody is predicting a slump in prices and all are playing the game close and hard. Seattle is full of strangers and what the Seattle spirit is doing to some of them would not look good in print. People are beginning to find out the values in Portland, and you can say that as long as good income property can be bought prices will hold up."

A Rhyme in Jag Time.

The following lines from an exchange will be appreciated by some who have enjoyed a like experience:

Sing a song of pestilence, a fellow full of rye; four and twenty serpents dancing in his eye; when his eyes were opened he shouted for his life. Wasn't he a pretty chump to go before his wife? His hat was in the parlor, underneath the chair; his boots were in the hallway, his coat was on a chair, his trousers in the kitchen, his collar on a shelf, but he hasn't any notion where he was himself; when the morn was breaking, some one heard him call—his head was on the ice box, which was the best of all.

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