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BIG GOLD DIRT DEAL

London Company Secures Valuable Placer Claims.

THREE MILLIONS THE FIGURE

Properties are Situated on the Feather and Bear rivers in California. London Venture Corporation Agrees to Take Over Properties.

San Francisco, July 19.—The Call says today:

The deal pending for several months between the London Venture Corporation and the owners of several valuable dredger properties on the Feather river for sale of the latter, has finally been effected in London. A private dispatch from the East states that the London Venture Corporation has agreed to take over the properties and that its representatives would soon be here to arrange a formal transfer.

The properties involved are the Boston and Oroville companies, the Oroville Gold Dredging and Exploration Company and the Bear river Company. The latter is situated on the Bear river. The price agreed upon is said to be three million dollars.

Among the owners of these properties are Messrs. Evans and Clark, of Boston, and William P. Hammon, and A. F. Jones, of Oroville, the estate of the Colonel E. Dooley, Fred W. Bradley, W. H. Crocker, the Guggenheims, John Hays Hammond and several others who are prominently identified with the dredging enterprises along the rivers in Northern California.

WILL ADOPT NEW SCHEDULE.

Royal Arcanum Will Raise Rates At Next Meeting.

New York, July 19.—Announcement has been made officially that the grand council of New York state, Royal Arcanum, will meet in Buffalo August 1 to take action on the new schedule of rates adopted recently by the supreme grand council. It was intimated in connection with the announcement that the supreme body will reconvene September 5 to take action on the resolutions which will be adopted on Buffalo.

ASSAYERS UNDER ARREST.

Charged With Receiving High Grade Ore And Keeping It.

Cripple Creek, Colo., July 19.—Six assayers of this district have been arrested and placed under heavy bonds, upon a charge of receiving high grade ore, knowing it to have been stolen. From a set of books examined in one assaying office it is shown that about \$3,000 profit was made by the assayers in the last six months. Other books lead the officers to believe that upwards of one million dollars worth of ore has been stolen in the district and disposed of to assay officers.

WANT DAMAGES.

Venezuelan Authorities Will Institute Proceedings Against Cable Co.

New York, July 19.—The Venezuelan authorities have, according to a Herald dispatch from Caracas, instituted proceedings against the French Cable Company for damages incurred by the government for the cable company's alleged participation in the Matos revolution.

CHAUNCEY WILL RETURN.

Says Next Saturday for Home. Not Worrying About Equitable.

New York, July 19.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew has returned from Aix les Bains, says a Herald dispatch from Paris, and will sail for New York next Saturday. When asked a few days ago whether he would return to America in view of the Equitable society matters the senator declared that he would not break up his vacation.

BARBER BACK TO RAZOR

Finds Duties of the Dog Catcher Too Onerous.

Orange, July 19.—East Orange dogs barked with glee today when it was announced that John M. Schmitt, the East Orange barber who was appointed dog warden Monday, had resigned. One day's experience was enough for Schmitt. The duties of the office were too onerous and he said he would rather stick to shaving.

According to the rules, Schmitt was required to note a detailed description of each dog he caught, and perhaps a photograph, and, after holding the dog for a ransom, he was to deliver it to a police headquarters, after which he was

to put it in a steel tank and turn on the gas. Another rule required him to keep tab on vagrant cats and still another clause contained the startling information that he was to corral other domestic animals the size of a dog, although a standard dog is not named in the ordinance.

For all this Schmitt was to receive the princely sum of \$65 a month, out of which he was to pay two assistants. Schmitt was not to engage in any other occupation.

George B. Darley, of Summit avenue, wrote an open letter to the aldermen a while ago in which he offered to take the position of dog warden for a compensation of one cent a year, and today Mr. Darley's friends are working hard to land the job for him. It is said though that Mr. Darley has a violent antipathy for dogs, which arouse all the latent animosity in his nature.

KANSAS ALMOST READY.

No Baptism of Petroleum for big Battleship.

Camden, July 19.—The first-class battleship Kansas will be launched at the New York Shipyard Sunday morning, August 12. Governor Hoch of Kansas has been asked to forward the name of the sponsor, and the names of those in the party that will come from Kansas, but no word has been received from him as yet. Captain Randle does not take seriously the story that the Kansas will be christened with crude petroleum, instead of the customary wine.

The Kansas is a sister ship to the Vermont, which is being built at Quincy, Mass. She is of 16,000 tons displacement and has a contract speed of eighteen knots an hour. The keel of the Kansas was laid February 10, 1904. The Kansas has been built entirely under the cover.

COMMENCE BOYCOTT

Chinese Guilds In Five Cities Institute Boycott.

MAY NOT BE EFFECTIVE

No Official Action United States May Take so Long Boycott Only Refusal to Purchase American Goods May Be Discouraged.

Washington, July 19.—The state department is informed by its consuls that the Chinese boycott against American goods instituted today, was organized by the trade guilds in five ports, Shanghai, Canton, Tien Tsin, Hankow and New Chwang. It is believed that the boycott will not be successful or do any particular injury to American goods except in the cities of Canton and Shanghai, where the guilds are stronger than elsewhere. There is no official action which the United States government can take as long as it remains a simple boycott or refusal to purchase American goods, but it is thought the boycott may be discouraged by the Chinese government as far as possible.

BRIDE OF HER COACHMAN.

Woman Worth Four Million Dollars Marries Lackey.

Brooklyn, July 19.—According to reports which have reached New York from abroad, Mrs. Granville W. Garth, who has been the subject of much newspaper comment since the supposed suicide of her husband, millionaire and president of the Mechanics' National Bank of Manhattan, has become the bride of her coachman, Hubert Hartigan. Mrs. Garth has an independent fortune of \$4,000,000.

It is rumored that Mr. Garth took his life on Christmas eve, 1908, by jumping into the Gulf of Mexico from the deck of a steamship because of domestic trouble, in which Hartigan's name was mentioned. Several months ago Hartigan left for Europe. Not long afterward Mrs. Garth decided to educate her children abroad. The marriage is now reported.

Loose Life In Mill Pond.

Bathe, Me., July 19.—The first drowning accident of the season in this city occurred yesterday when John McOrater, 14 years old, lost his life while swimming in the mill pond.

Today's Weather.

Portland, July 19.—Western Oregon; Thursday, fair and cooler in the northern portion, except near the coast. Eastern Oregon, fair and continued warm. Probably cooler Friday.

TRAINER OF MONKS

Noted Park Attendant Dies of Intense Heat.

WAS COLLECTOR OF EPITAPHS

Thousands of People in New York Seek the Parks and Beaches to Escape the Heat and Sleep All Night in the Sand of the Beaches.

New York, July 19.—Jacob Cook, for 30 years an attendant in Central park, whose death from heat has just occurred, was one of the best known trainers of monkeys in the world. He entered the park service as a laborer, but it was not long before he became attached to the menagerie, and finally became identified exclusively with the monkey house. He showed the greatest affection for his pets there and nursed them through long illness.

The trainer's greatest triumphs were achieved in the education of "Mister Crowley," and "Kitty Crowley," chimpanzees which were world renowned attractions and learned innumerable tricks. Cook was noted among other things for his peculiar idea of an enjoyable vacation. It was to visit graveyards and copy inscriptions from tombstones. Year after year, accompanied by his wife, he made pilgrimages to the cemeteries, not only of New York and the suburbs, but far into New England and invariably returned with an interesting collection of epitaphs.

While thousands of persons left their homes in the city going to the public parks seeking relief from the night's intense heat, by far the greatest crowds gathered on the sands of the seashore at Coney island. Trains arrived there even after midnight and were crowded and it is estimated that an army of 10,000 men, women and children, the latter being in the majority, made beds in the sand. A northwest breeze blew over the sands, bringing much comfort to the people. A large force of extra policemen was kept on duty and guarded the sleepers from harm.

The early morning hours in Manhattan brought considerable relief in the shape of a mild breeze which caused a drop in the street temperature to 79 degrees by 4:30 A. M.

NEW HAVEN TO LOSE SHOPS.

Next Year Entire Force Will Be Transferred to Norwood.

New Haven, Conn., July 19.—The plan for the new locomotive repair shops of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at Norwood, Mass., will call for their early completion in the early autumn of next year. At that time, it is definitely announced, the repair shops in New Haven will be abandoned and nearly a thousand men employed in them will be transferred to the Norwood shops.

Tiverton Speedy.

Philadelphia, July 19.—The speedy New York trotting gelding, Tiverton, 2:04, easily defeated Sweet Marie, 2:04, in a \$5,000 match today on the track of the Belmont Driving Club. Tiverton won two straight heats.

Colored Mason Drowned.

New London, Conn., July 19.—John Lucas, of New York, a colored waiter, was drowned at Ocean Beach, near this city, today, while attempting a distance swim. The body was recovered and will be sent to New York. Lucas was a member of Boyer lodge of Masons, whose headquarters are in New York.

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