

**KANSAS GOLD EXCITEMENT**

**Reported Discovery of Yellow Stuff Creates Widespread Interest.**

**OWNERS OF PROPERTY WORKING STEADILY**

**Character Given the Matter Because There Seems to be Nothing of a Speculative Nature Connected With It—E. H. Andrus Talks.**

Does gold exist in Kansas? This is a question upon which there is a wide divergence of opinion and the reports that the yellow stuff in good paying quantities has actually been discovered in the western part of the state along the Smoky Hill range in Trego and Ellis counties, has created a stir that is confined not only to the state of Kansas, but is attracting attention throughout the whole middle west.

Some people, and there are many of them, believe that gold really exists in the sections of Kansas mentioned above and are confident that their judgment is correct that they have ventured several thousand dollars in the purchase of lands in which the peculiar looking shales reported to carry the gold are located, the prosecution of development work and are now even going so far as to erect mills for the treatment of the ore. The affair has reached a point where it is not a speculative scheme and it cannot be charged against it. The land situated adjacent to the gold-bearing properties is almost wholly disposed of and the present owners are disposed to place it on the market, believing that they are the possessors of that which will one day make them wealthy and permit them to figure in the same class of gold mine barons as Hearst, Haggis, Daly and the rest of the big gold bonanza kings of the West.

**Statement of Mr. Andrus.**

It is difficult to arrive at the true status of the case. E. A. Andrus, general agent in Kansas for the Union Pacific land department, is a caller at the general headquarters and in discussing this matter said:

"Nothing has created more widespread interest throughout Kansas than this gold excitement. For the past two years work has been going on in the Smoky Hill region and experienced mining men from southern Utah have been developing the ground. The gold is supposed to exist in a vein of shale formation, from 200 to 300 feet in thickness, and extending over an area of forty by ten miles. The shale is soft and grayish in color and contains, so those who believe in the reported discovery say, gold, silver and zinc. There is a peculiar process necessary to separate the gold from the shale, which is covered by a man named Jackson. With him, also, was associated Thomas A. Edison, who furnished the electrical end of the treatment. Much of the land in the Smoky Hill region is owned by a syndicate that purchased the right to use this Jackson treatment from the originators, Jackson and Edison, paying them \$30,000. The Ott syndicate is now at work building a \$20,000 mill at Denver, which will be adapted for the special treatment of this class of rock, and the members of the syndicate are confident that they will realize handsomely from it."

"The land in Ellis and Trego counties is almost all taken up and the owners of property in that region are eagerly buying up all that is vacant, so that there is little chance for any one else to get in there. The belief is held by many that the shale bed extends as far as the west of Trego and Ellis counties and even as far as it underlies all of western Kansas. If the present fields are found to be bona fide and productive there is no doubt but that all western Kansas land wherever there is an indication of shale will be rapidly bought up."

There are divergent reports regarding the assays that have been received on the gold from western Kansas. Those who have faith in the discovery cite the fact that many assays have been made on the shale, which shows that it contains an average gold value of \$14 to the ton. Some assays have shown that the rock contains no gold, others report a gold-bearing value of from \$5 to \$1,000 a ton. Those who have the "gold craze" claim that the ore is of such a peculiar nature that an assayer is unable to discover the presence of gold unless he has just the proper understanding of the ore to extract it. At \$14 a ton the shale beds would prove immensely productive to the owners. The supply is practically inexhaustible. The formation exists only a short distance below the surface and can be mined at an extremely low rate, not to exceed 25 cents a ton. Then with a mill specially adapted for the treatment of the ore the gold can be extracted at a nominal cost and the profit is figured at \$10 per ton. This is a greater per cent of profit than is derived from the production of some of the richest gold mines in the world. Despite the pronounced declaration of well-to-do mining men that there is no gold in Kansas the promoters of the Smoky Hill mining properties are working away and spending all the money necessary to pursue their operations. The principal interested parties come from Lawrence and Topeka, although there is a company of Indiana men and a company of Illinois parties who have property. J. H. Thorpe of Omaha, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, owns 160 acres of land.

**Does Not Believe in Kansas Gold.**

The most authentic denial of the existence of gold in the Smoky Hill river region comes from the University of Kansas. Prof. F. W. Burt, who is associated with the university in the geological department, has looked carefully into the matter and is quoted as saying:

"We have no mines in Kansas producing gold and silver. The material which the gold is said to be in is a fine-grained shale, very abundant in the state, but there is nothing about the strata to imply that any eruptive action of any kind had ever taken place near them. From an extended study of the geology of this part of the state it is positively known that the great mass of strata of ore is lying undisturbed and entirely removed from any eruptive action. There is always a possibility of local disturbance similar to these in gold mining districts, but there is nothing of the kind in western Kansas. Our principal disbelief in the existence of gold and silver in Kansas is attributed to two conditions. First, we can find no gold in specimens sent to us for assay, 40 cents to the ton being the highest yield obtained. Second, the character of the strata is such that it would be most remarkable should any great amount of gold be found under like conditions."

**Similar to South African Formations.**

On the other hand expert opinion is advanced by Prof. C. A. Dalton of Denver, one of the first to open up the rich deposits at Johannesburg, South Africa. He says that the Kansas rock is strikingly similar to some of the very richest finds in South Africa. He pronounces the formation as being the result of submarine volcanic eruption and gives it as his opinion that it was lifted from the surface at the time the Rockies were thrown up. This theory is borne out by the fact that shells and sharks' teeth are found in the shale.

The new mill which the Ott syndicate is erecting at Denver will be a combination of the fire and chemical processes of ore reduction. The fire process will be used to re-

**TENTH PENNSYLVANIA BOYS**

**Reception Committee Passes Through Omaha to Meet Them at San Francisco.**

The Pennsylvania committee to receive the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment upon its arrival at San Francisco passed through Omaha yesterday in a private car en route to the coast over the Union Pacific. The people of Pennsylvania have raised \$50,000 to bring the regiment home and give the boys a rousing reception. The regiment will be mustered out in San Francisco, but the plan is to keep the men together until they reach Pittsburgh. At New Brighton, a short distance west of Pittsburgh, where they will take breakfast, they will be furnished with arms and accoutrements from the state depository. Upon arriving at Pittsburgh they will march to Sherry park, where a fine program will be carried out.

Yesterday was the anniversary of the first battle in which the regiment fought, the command of Major Hal Cutbertson was engaged. It was the battle of Maleta, in which the regiment lost eleven men. The anniversary was observed by the committee by appropriate exercises in its car. The committee consists of State Senator Charles Muehlendorfer of Allegheny City, W. B. Cutbertson of New Brighton, R. M. Cook of Canonsburg, Josiah Wood of Waynesburg, Lucien Clawson of Greensburg, W. C. Looer of Greensburg, Heron of Monongahela City, George B. Cramer of Pittsburgh, E. O. Christy and E. W. Morland of Pittsburgh. Accompanying the committee are the following newspaper men: H. J. Ford of the Chronicle-Telegraph, L. W. Stroyer of the Commercial Gazette, R. W. Herbert of the Times and News, C. E. Locke of the Press, John Angus Mackay of the Dispatch, all of Pittsburgh, C. W. Campbell of the Philadelphia Enquirer and H. W. Mill, jr., of the Greensburg Press. The party is in charge of Charles Travers of the Chicago & North-western railroad and S. J. Myers of the Union Pacific. The committee was met at the depot by Mr. J. A. Wakefield of this city, who is well acquainted with the members, who come from his old stamping ground.

The transport Senator, having on board the Tenth Pennsylvania, is expected to arrive at San Francisco about August 3.

**SHORT CUT TO GREAT LAKES**

**Extension of Northwestern Along Old Grade from Denison to Algona.**

The Beyer Valley branch of the Northwestern, extending between Denison and Wall Lake, Ia., a distance of twenty-five miles, has been completed and passenger and freight service has been inaugurated. The towns on the new line are Denison, Beyer and Weed, and the country through which it runs is a particularly rich agricultural region. The completion of this extension to Wall Lake gives rise to the belief that rails will be laid along the already constructed grade from Denison to Algona, and thus bring about a short cut from Omaha to St. Paul.

**Under Union Pacific Control.**

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 31.—(Special.)—The Union Pacific Railway company has secured control of the new Wyoming Southern railway. It is stated that the Union Pacific, before entering into traffic arrangements with the Wyoming Southern, insisted upon a five-year option upon all stock, and a similar option giving the Union Pacific the privilege of redeeming the bonds in the same time at par. The bonds were underwritten by the International Trust company of Boston, whose officers state that agreements have been signed with the Union Pacific. The capitalization of the new company is \$2,000,000, half in bonds and the balance in stock.

**Much Utah Land Sold.**

The Union Pacific land department reports no cessation in the demand for lands situated along the line of its road. A big sale has just been closed with T. U. Van Pelt, whereby he purchases 2,408 acres of Banner county (Nebraska) land, which he proposes to use for a cattle ranch. Utah land is in special demand. John H. White of Salt Lake City has just purchased 2,537 acres near Salt Lake; 3,039 acres of Summit county (Utah) land has been sold to Ernest N. Stillman, and W. J. Lindsey has come into possession of 7,000 acres in Davis county, Utah.

**Engineers Settle with Grand Trunk.**

MONTREAL, Que., July 31.—P. M. Arthur, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and F. P. Sargent, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, have arrived here, and after a conference with the board of directors of the Grand Trunk railway's grievance committee, satisfactory adjustment of the matters in dispute with the Grand Trunk railway was arranged. The new scale will probably be given out in a few days.

**Railway Notes and Personals.**

H. S. Jones, traveling passenger agent of the Burlington, has gone to Hot Springs and other Black Hills points on a business visit. In order to convey to several hundred teachers in eastern South Dakota to the annual meeting of the South Dakota Teachers' association, in session at Hot Springs this week, a special train will be run over the Sioux City & Pacific and Elkhorn roads, arriving at Hot Springs this evening.

**Going to Civilize the Samoans.**

Mr. John Kelkenny has received a letter from Pat Ford, jr., dated Valparaiso, Chile, dated Jan. 28, from which the following extracts are made: "We are on our way to Samoa. This is a transport ship I am on. We are going to civilize the natives. We are going to teach them to be good citizens, and to taking our rifles and plenty of ammunition along to do it. We own one of the Samoan islands and we are going to establish a coal station there." "Some of our free rifle friends ought to be down here in Chili. This is a silver country and the gold is as high as a five-dollar gold piece. You can buy the town for a few dollars in American gold."

"We stopped at Montevideo, Uruguay. It is a fine town and we had a high old time there."

"We also stopped at Punta Arenas (Sandy Point), the most southern city in the world." "We leave here for Samoa on July 5 and will get there about August 5."

**One Minute Cough Cure**

One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine—quick and safe."—W. W. Weston, Mayhew, Wis.

**Report of Health Department.**

The report of the health department of the city for the month of June shows that deaths during the month numbered seventy-seven and the births 142. The death rate, based on the census of 1890, was 7.28, but the actual rate is about 6.6, as the estimated population at the present time is reckoned about 20,000 greater than that of the last census. Consumption caused ten deaths, or against sixteen the year before and corresponding month from the same disease, and appendix three. Three deaths were from old age.

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**ALL FOR LOVE OF A WOMAN**

**J. E. Sampson Seeks Solace from Trouble in the Arms of Death.**

**FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM AT THE DELLONE**

**Leaves Letter for His Daughter Giving Reason for Ending His Life—Bottle of Morphine Near His Dead Body.**

The dead body of J. E. Sampson was found yesterday morning in his room at the Delone hotel at about 11 o'clock. The chambermaid had been unable to get into the room at all Sunday, and yesterday morning, upon finding the door locked again, she called a bell boy, who peered over the transom, only to see the dead body of the occupant stretched on the bed.

The door was at once opened and the coroner notified. A bottle labeled "morphine" was found near the man, and a letter to his daughter, Miss Mamie Sampson, who lives at Albany, Mo., in which he gives the reason for taking his life. The letter is as follows: "OMAHA, Neb., July 29.—'My Dear Darling Daughter: When you will have received this I will have passed into the unknown from whence no traveler has ever returned. The reason why I have committed this act is because Mrs. Roff went back on me at the trying moment. She had promised me to be my wife for the last four years and when I arrived home and found she had received me so I could not stand the disappointment. Do not weep after me, but always remember, darling, that I did for one I loved. Be good girl. Always mind your Aunt Cena. Tell your Uncle Bob to look after your interests; he will always be your right. Goodbye, darling, I will never see you again. Your papa."

He also left a letter addressed to the public which contained practically the same as the one addressed to his daughter. The letter was found about the man at the hotel. He came there July 7 and told the clerk that he might remain there some time, as he thought of going into the stock business at South Omaha. He was a quiet, unobtrusive man, and did not seem to be engaged in any business. He called for his mail daily, and that was about all that was seen of him around the hotel.

**CITY HAS A COUNTER CLAIM**

**Meals of City Prisoners Have Not Been Paid For Because of Trial Expenses.**

In regard to the action of the County Commissioners in instructing the county attorney to bring suit against the city for something over \$12,000, claimed to be due for meals furnished city prisoners at the county jail, City Comptroller Westberg says that the claim is probably a just one. It has never been paid because the city had a counter claim against the county for the expenses of police court trials and the services of officers and detectives in connection with state cases, the prosecution of which is the duty of the county. The comptroller has repeatedly asked the council to allow him extra help for the purpose of going over the police court records and ascertaining the exact amount of the city's claim, but the council has never acceded. Consequently it has been impossible to render an account against the county. Comptroller Westberg believes that the claim of the city, if carried by him as follows, "I was in the county against the city, but he has no means of knowing just how much it is. It is possible that the matter may be brought to the attention of the council and some plan adopted by which the suit may be averted."

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**Soundings on Government Square.**

Under the instructions of the supervising architect of the Treasury department at Washington soundings are being made west of the federal building to determine whether it will be necessary to drive piles upon which to put the foundation for the new building. Specifications for which are being prepared.

**POWELL LOSES HIS ROLL**

**Some One Enters His House and Takes \$145 from His Trousers' Pocket.**

Tony Powell, an Italian fruit vender living at 312 North Tenth street, is mourning the loss of a roll containing \$145. Peter Procipl, another Italian, is languishing in the city jail at present to await an examination into matters that implicate him slightly with the missing of the money.

Powell tells the police that some one entered his house Saturday night and took his trousers from the room to the porch and extracted from the pocket thereof a roll of bills with a rubber band around it. In the roll there were seven \$10 bills and an old \$20 bill. The complainant states that Procipl came to his place last Saturday night and took his trousers from the room to the porch to sleep with him. That night Powell missed a \$20 bill, but found it later. In looking for the money, however, he had occasion to flash his roll and he says that Procipl took a good look at it.

When Procipl was placed under arrest \$550 was found on his person. He told the police the reason he had so much cash about him was owing to the fact that he had been in business in Webster City, Ia., and had burned out. The cash represented what he had obtained from the insurance company. When the money was examined, seven \$10 bills and an old \$20 bill were found bunched together. Powell says he was not so sure that the money was his, but is of the opinion that it was.

Procipl will be detained until word can be received from Webster City and from Storm Lake, where he says he has been stopping for some time. Another suspicious circumstance connected with the matter is that Procipl is unable to account for but about \$400 of the money in his possession.

**FLOOR COVERING YANKED UP**

**Dispute Over the Ownership of Some Carpet Causes Excitement in a Hotel.**

Sergeant Whalen was called down to the Brunswick hotel Sunday afternoon about 2 o'clock upon a report that the carpets of that hostelry were being forcibly removed from the floor by a gang of men. When he arrived he found several men engaged in their wonted covering, the air was filled with particles of flying dust and the elevator shaft was piled full of carpets. There was excitement in the air and wild gesticulation and angry words passing to and fro. As the sergeant was enabled to untangle the complicated trouble he ascertained that there has been some difficulty between the present proprietor of the hotel and a former one. It seems that the man in possession purchased the carpets in the house from the one who formerly ran it. He claimed he had paid several hundred dollars to pay for the remainder at a future date. The original owner got in a hurry for his money, but it was not forthcoming, so he hired a number of men Sunday and went to the hotel and began operations. The carpets were yanked from the floor in short order, notwithstanding the remonstrances of the irate landlord. Sergeant Whalen poured oil on the troubled waters and a Sabbath quiet soon reigned again after he had commanded the men to cease work.

**Robbed the Grave.**

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in the most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise the first hot bath made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim. No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at Kuhn & Co.'s drug store."

**Salt Lake City.**

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**QUIT WORK FOR THE SUMMER**

**District Court Judges Close Their Dockets and Prepare to Leave on Their Vacations.**

After dragging tediously several weeks beyond the actual end of the May term all branches of the district court closed their dockets today and there will be little going on in the court house until the September term opens, which will probably be after the autumn is well advanced. Nearly all the judges came down in the morning to sign what few papers were still pending and clean up their desks, but there was little to occupy them beyond some very routine matters.

The next thing on the docket is the departure for midsummer relaxation, and, with a few exceptions, all the judges have already decided on their plans. Judge Paretz expects to travel some time this week for the farm near Galena, Ill., where his invalid son is staying, and he will spend most of his vacation in his company. Judge Slabough left last night for Chicago, and from there he will go to visit his parents in Ohio. Judge Dickinson has gone to the pretty little lake above Takamuh, where he will camp out with his family through the hot weather and spend his time fishing and fighting mosquitoes. Judge Kaysor will not go away at once, but later in the season he will take his usual vacation with his parents at Mankato, Minn. Judges Powell and Baker have not decided on their plans.

**Still Looking for Bondsmen.**

The attorneys for Charley Moore, who is in the county jail waiting trial for killing John DeMolins, were before Judge Baker yesterday to secure permission to take Moore out for a few hours to see if he could secure a bond. Sheriff McDonald has gone to Lincoln to meet his family, who are returning from Salt Lake City, and in his absence the deputies refused to take Moore out of the jail without an order from the court. After some hesitation Judge Baker granted the order, and Moore was allowed to go out under guard of a couple of deputies and see two or three bondsmen who he hopes to be able to induce to go in on his bond. The amount of bond required is \$5,000.

**Painters' Injunction Continued.**

The hearing on the application of Local Union No. 108 of the Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators' of America for an injunction to prevent union No. 104 from assuming to belong to the brotherhood, was scheduled for hearing before Judge Kaysor yesterday, but, with the consent of the parties, it was continued for one week. This is the culmination of the controversy between the two organizations that has been in the courts once or twice before and the decision on the application for an injunction is expected to settle the trouble one way or the other.

**Another Paving Suit.**

Property owners have begun proceedings in district court to have the special tax assessed for paving Thirty-second avenue from Farham to Davenport streets. It is alleged that the mayor and council had no legal right to assess the tax and that the benefits were never equitably assessed by the Board of Equalization.

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