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## DAWSON'S LATEST

**She Develops a Grabbing Coon Whose Weakness Is White Women.**

**JERRY MOORE IN A NEW ROLE**

**Was Formerly Poo-Bah of the White Pass Railroad.**

**KID FIELD'S CASE DROPPED.**

**Standard Theatre Cast Not Needed in Evidence—Hunker Cabin Case Dismissed.**

Magistrate Starnes opened the week's series of police court sessions this morning.

Texas is the home of the horned frog; the black and tan lizard is indigenous to Florida; Maryland first produced the kissing bug which later spread all over the country, but it has been left to Dawson to add to the list by developing a grabbing coon. J. B. Moore, a gingerbread colored son of Ham, was up this morning on the charge of loitering on the streets, using insulting language and of insulting white women by grabbing hold of them. Moore came to Dawson last summer with Manager E. C. Hawkins of the W. P. & Y. R., whose errand boy he had been for nearly two years, and who, so long as the railroad magnate managed him, was a careful and trusty negro. Moore remained in Dawson and has since, up to a few days ago, been engaged about saloons in the capacity of porter. Two women have complained to Corporal McPhail and Constable Stutz that Moore had rushed up to each of them and at different times on the streets had frightened them almost into hysterics by throwing his arms around and grabbing them. The women, however, declined to appear in court as they did not want the publicity which would naturally attach to the case were their names to become known. "Jerry" denied that he had been guilty of the grabbing act and said it had been some other colored man; that he had a witness to prove that he was in bed when the last woman alleged to have been grabbed, which was on Second avenue and at 2 o'clock Friday morning, the

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date of the other assault being the previous Wednesday night. Neither the corporal nor constable saw either of the assaults made, but were confident that, from the descriptions given by the women, the assailant could be none other than the prisoner. The case was remanded until this afternoon when it is probable some means for procuring further identification will be employed. In the meantime, the man who was at one time, in Jerry's estimation, the "main squeeze" of the railroad, is in jail.

Further hearing in the wage cases in which O'Brien & Jackson are defendants, evidence in the cases having been given last Friday afternoon, was continued for two weeks and until further evidence is procured.

It looked as though the Standard Theater Company was to play an engagement in police court this morning as all its members were there, including the leading lady, who wrings her hands and says: "Oh Love! Oh Fate!! Oh Death!" the low-browed villain who hisses: "At last you are in my power!" the black-faced comedian who runs errands in daylight, all were there, but the engagement was a short one: The cause of this appearance of theatrical people so early in the morning was due to the fact that Kid Fields had issued some worthless paper, a check for \$50, which had been passed upon the theater people. Fields had been arrested and was out on bond and was not present when the case was called. He was represented by an attorney who asked that the case be continued. In behalf of the prosecution, Theodore Eggert, manager of the Standard, stated that there was no desire on its part to prosecute the case and, after instructing the attorney to warn his client to be more careful in his future conduct, the case was dismissed.

E. and A. Billeveau were in court on the charge of having forcibly and unlawfully taken possession of a cabin on 35 below on Hunker, the property of Geo. E. Wilkins. As the prosecution was not present, and as it was stated that it had been duly notified that the cause would be on for hearing this morning, it was, therefore, dismissed.

### Entertainment Tonight.

The concert and literary entertainment to be given tonight in the Dawson reading and recreation room will be fully up to the high standard to which these semi-monthly entertainments have already attained. Judge Craig will preside as chairman. The following program will be presented:

Pianoforte solo, Scotch selections, Mrs. Alex McDonald; song, "The Shadow of Pines," Mrs. F. Maltby; song, "Flow, Gently Sweet Afton," Dr. A. G. MacDonald; recitation, "Dialect Sketch," Mr. Frank Johnston; song, "Love's Sorrows," Mrs. N. Devig; song, "Dawn," H. E. A. Robertson; violin solo, "A Torto ti Lagni Amor," Miss Elsie Larson; song, "Song of the Robin" (Bischoff) Miss Emma Allen; recitation, selected, J. S. Cowan; song, "Jack's the Boy for Work," C. W. MacPherson; zither solo, selected, Mr. Harding; recitation, "The Money Musk," Miss J. A. Killeen. "God Save the Queen."

The performance will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

### A Fever Producer.

When the ice in the Yukon ceased moving it caused the water near the mouth of the Klondike to back up until it overflowed a portion of the flat fronting the south end of the barracks reservation, which flat was as dry previously as a missionary's sermon, and littered with all manner of filth. Now, however, a hole has been cut through the ice and from that shallow place the fluid extract—a summer's accumulation of filth is being dipped up and sold all over the city for domestic use. Yet when several cases of typhoid fever developed last week people remarked, "It is a strange season of the year for that disease to develop."

By driving 100 yards further on, water haulers and vendors can get good water from the channel of the Klondike river, the use of which will not jeopardize the lives of the people. Just now there are sanitary questions to be considered fully as important as that caused by a few cases of mild type of smallpox, Rouse, ye Romans.

### Would Be a Warm Time.

A well known Dawson business man was heard to say in a barber shop Saturday evening: "If Bryan is elected in the States and the Conservatives win in Canada there will not be sufficient whisky in Dawson to properly celebrate the joint victories."

### Snow Storm Is General.

Reports from all over the district so far as have been yet received indicate that the fall of snow thus far has been uniform and unusually heavy for this season of the year. From Dawson all the way to the summit of White Pass a heavy snow fall is reported, and the same report comes from every creek in the Klondike. Those who have been in the country since '94 say that never

in their experience has there been so much snow on the ground by the middle of November as there is now. Extremely high water is predicted for next spring and an abundance for sluicing purposes all through the summer. As one present result of the snow, the roads are now and will continue in first-class condition.

### An American Author.

Hunker Creek.

Editor Nugget:

Dear Sir—Will you please decide this bet in the Nugget. A bets B \$10 that the author of "After the Ball" is an Englishman and that the song was written in England.

B bets that the author was an American and was written in the United States. Very truly,

READER OF THE NUGGET.

(The author of the above song is Chas. K. Harris, an American citizen.—ED.)

### Needed in Dawson.

"Another thing," said the street railway advocate in a tone of protest, "a slight thing, perhaps, but it all goes to show how we are discriminated against and how little our philanthropy is appreciated."

"Your philanthropy!" echoed the critical citizen, as he gasped and clutched a railing.

"Yes, sir. You hire dog catchers and secure high salaried people to control their movements and see that stray canines are properly slain. It costs a lot of money. Now, our cars have hit and slaughtered countless stray dogs, for which service we have never collected a single penny. And yet we have never had so much as a vote of thanks from a citizens' association."—Washington Star.

### The Weather.

For the 24 hours previous to 9 o'clock this morning the minimum temperature was 16 below zero, the maximum temperature for the same time being two degrees below.

At all points between Dawson and Bennett last night and this morning the temperature varied but little, the rise being general and in the same proportion all along.

The river is still open at Selkirk and all points above today. Nothing had been heard of the progress of any of the consignments of incoming mail at 11 o'clock this morning.

### Exceptional Enterprise.

The Standard Theater is now one of the finest fitted up theaters in the country, as far as arrangements for the comfort of its patrons is concerned. Electric lights illuminate the place from one end to the other, there being fully 100 lamps in use during the performance. At the front of the house an arc light is displayed, the only one in Dawson with the exception of those of the A. C. Co. The current feeding these lights is generated by a 30-horse power boiler and engine which has recently been put up at the rear of the theater. A dynamo is installed capable of supplying fluid to 250 lamps. Connecting with the boiler is a complete steam heating plant which is piped to all parts of the house making the place a most comfortable theater even in the coldest weather.

The cost of installing the machinery for heating and lighting purposes was in the neighborhood of \$8000.

### A Public Warning.

There is a big notice posted on the front of the postoffice building this morning warning people against using water from the Yukon opposite or below town, or out of the slough back of the barracks for household purposes, and prescribing a fine of an amount not to exceed \$500 as a penalty for so doing.

Try Cascade Laundry for high-class work at reduced prices.

Table de hote dinners. The-Holborn.

Films of all kinds at Goetzman's.

## DID NOT STAND

**Injunction Against the Water Company Was Dismissed This Morning**

**BY JUDGE CRAIG IN OPEN COURT.**

**Case Will Come Up for Hearing in Near Future.**

**HE BROKE JAIL IN JUNE**

**And Will Be Heard on That Charge Tomorrow—List of Cases for the Week.**

Justice Craig this morning rendered a decision in the injunction case of Mrs. McConnell against the water company.

The motion to dissolve the previously granted injunction was argued Saturday, and it was thought by many that the injunction would stand, despite the fact that an ordinance had been passed by the Yukon council which practically disposed of the whole matter, inasmuch as it made the water company liable for damages, although this was contrary to the decision rendered when the injunction was granted.

This morning Justice Craig dissolved the injunction, but ordered an immediate trial of the case on its merits. The hearing of the case will probably take place either tomorrow or the next day, as the court has some time at its disposal before the jury cases commence Thursday.

Charles Daniels, a prisoner serving 18 months time for theft, and whose time expired at 11 o'clock this morning, was brought before Justice Dugas for sentence for having broken jail early last June. Hearing of his case was postponed till 10:30 tomorrow morning.

The case of Bonfield against Hense, a civil action growing out of the recently dismissed criminal charge, will come up sometime today.

The case of Burr vs. Wilson has been adjourned, and the cases of Fields and Pioneer, Holden and Caforena and Donatelli against Ames have been dropped.

The case of Robertson vs. Gares has been settled out of court, which leaves only ten civil cases on the week's permanent list, which is as follows: Dodds vs. B. L. & K. N. Co, Morgan vs Wright, Dupavy vs. H. N. A., Smith vs. Carmody, Berryman vs. Spencer, Hawkins vs. Wright, Morrison vs. Bourke, Madden vs. Ripstein, Crofoot vs. Trevoarra, Albers vs. Toumeau, Binet vs. O'Brien.

### \$50.00 Reward.

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