

SPIRITED STRIFE OVER A CLAIM.

Interests of Innocent Purchasers Placed in Jeopardy.

A Promoting Company Does Not Recognize the Act of its Agent—Arizona Charlie in Court—Count Carbonau Appeals.

An interesting case involving the possession of a rich piece of mining property on Dominion, being a half interest in 10 below upper discovery, held the boards for a time to Judge Dugan's court. The plaintiff is the Canada & Yukon Prospecting & Mining Co., which in 1897 went into the Klondike a grub-staked party headed by Mr. Secrestan. The latter went out after a time, leaving Mr. Barwell in charge of affairs with a power of attorney. The latter sold the company's interest in the claim described and now the suit is brought to recover it, the company claiming that the power of attorney was worthless. The defendants are Wm. Gasey, J. V. Harrison, W. W. Caldwell and C. F. Manning. Trial of the action will be continued Monday.

Charles Meadows, better known as "Arizona Charlie," is suing Pat Galvin, J. C. Bealee and the North British American Co., to recover on notes given by defendants to secure him for \$2000 worth of advertising in the *Klondike News*. The action is still pending.

Isaac Schwartz vs. Kahn and the New York Tailoring Co. was the title of an action brought to recover possession of a dog. Judgment was given to plaintiff for \$75 damages and costs of the suit.

Louis Germain had two cases against A. S. Levine, one being for the unlawful detention of goods and the other for wages. Judgment was deferred.

Johnson vs. Misher involved the question of partnership, one party claiming he was an employee of the other, the second that he was a partner in the business. It was ordered that, pending settlement, the accounts of the house be kept by the defendant.

In the case of Carr vs. Gillis, a non-suit was entered.

An appeal was taken from the police court in the wage cases of Edward Caron and F. W. Roden vs. the Anglo-French syndicate, represented by C. E. Carbonau. While the men were employed under contract, defendant reduced the wages of one and discharged the other because he insisted on being warmly clad while at work. The amounts involved constitute but a mere pittance and the appeals put the workmen to much hardship.

Made an Assignment.

Pelletier & Clear made an assignment this week to George F. Johnson for the benefit of their creditors. The firm had been operating a number of rich claims on Gold Hill and Dominion, on which they had options; but their workmen crowded them for their wages, a number of judgments were rendered against the firm, and the assignment was finally decided upon after the men had been notified. Representation of this action was made to Magistrate Harper and he may conclude to dismiss the cases, though he will hold decisive action for a week.

A Suggestion.

BONANZA, May 16, 1899.
Ed. Nugget:
Dear Sir—In view of the possible shortage of water and the large number of idle men, let me suggest that the claim owners generally adopt the method already being tried by a few—namely, employ three ranges of eight hours each. This would give 144 hours continuous use of the water every week and the work would be a great boon to the additional laborers employed. Yours truly, R. M. D.

"Hasn't Done a Thing."

If popular parlance the life department "hasn't done a thing" with dancing records in Dawson. The affair to be given by them to conclude the day's festivities on the night of May 24 will easily eclipse anything ever attempted, and by long odds. Imagine a floor 30x100 feet—a space of 3000 square feet and ample for 500 couples at one time—and imagine an orchestra in proportion to the space; and imagine decorations, seating capacity, cloak rooms for a thousand couples and you then know what the department has prepared for the dancing public on the Queen's birthday in the A. C. warehouse, a part of which formerly occupied as an engine house by the department.

Back Again.

"Spitzey old boy" is back at his old tricks again. "Who's Spitzey?" Well, it's odd if you don't know the baron. Fact is Spitzey is in with Eddy Lewin and Billy McCrea in the handsomest back room in Dawson. The brilliantly illuminated tables at the Dominion are the talk of the town; and as we said before, you can find anything you want there with Lewin, McCrea and "Spitzey" to guarantee you the square thing. There are twelve tables in the hands of familiar friends, each lay-out furnished and brightened up anew, and the place has been deservedly patronized by a crowd of people from the moment of opening up to the present time. It is easily the handsomest resort in town.

Risen From the Ashes.

The attractive Dominion saloon has come out of her fiery bath not only cleansed but positively handsomer, and in every way more attractive than when she went into the flames the night of the great conflagration. The building covers 25 by 100 feet, the full size of the lot. Both front and back bar are of handsomest quarter-sawn oak, surmounted by the most costly plate glass mirror in town, while the walls are decorated throughout with the highest skill and the most ambitious attempt of the paper hanger's art ever seen in Dawson. The undefeated Joe Cooper and enterprising Tom O'Brien are the proprietors of this handsome establishment, and have every reason to be proud of what their taste, energy and money has accomplished in so short a time. The three excellent oil paintings from invaluable pictures of old masters still ornament the north wall as of old, and at night the effect of the whole artistic ornamentation, under the most brilliant illumination in the city, is one of beauty calculated to make a lasting impression upon even the dullest beholder. From the moment of opening on Wednesday—the place having opened simultaneously with the river—

to the present time, the crowded patronage of the house has demonstrated the public appreciation of the good judgment and skill shown by the popular proprietors in their attempt to please.

New "Novelty" Theatre.

The new Novelty theatre, which will be opened on Monday next by C. L. Cole and C. A. Brown, on Front street, next the Opera house, is not only true to its name but is designed with a view to the summer comfort of theatre goers. The spacious building is 100 feet long, with an airy roof 15 feet high, and the whole building is brilliantly lighted by electricity. Look out for the street parade on Monday next.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Important letter at this office for A. V. Padcock.

Klondike City people are much interested in the reported discovery of a quartz ledge in the hill immediately back of the place.

Missouri still hangs her originals in public. A colored man named Hancock was recently hanged in the presence of 500 people.

T. H. Brooks has just purchased the hill claim on No. 1 above on Bonanza, left limit, and moves out there at once to work his property.

Mr. George A. Estabrook, of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Susan J. Taylor, of New York, were united in marriage at Grand Forks last week, Rev. K. M. Dickey officiating.

Mr. Ely Weare got in a dry joke at the expense of cheecharko friend. "When do you think the river will go out?" cheecharko had inquired. "The ice may go any day," was the reply, "but the river is likely to be here all summer."

Mr. O'Malley, a well known seller of newspapers, who is popularly known by the sobriquet of "The Tourist," had the unpleasant experience of falling into a shaft nearly full of water, while coming to town from Bonanza on Saturday night. He was luckily able to catch hold of the edge and drag himself out.

The first known effort at tree planting in Dawson may be credited to Miss Mulroney, proprietress of the Fairview hotel, who on Monday had a number of young and handsome evergreens set before her establishment. The effect is so gratifying to the eye that the example seems worthy of emulation wherever possible.

Pat Rooney was successful on Saturday in getting Rod McKenzie to sign an agreement to spar 20 rounds for \$1000 and the admirers of the art are feeling jubilant. However, on Monday Rod changed his mind and declared the contest off. On Tuesday, Perkins, the Australian, took down his \$100 which he had had up for nine days in the hands of the *Newer* as an earnest of \$1000 to spar the same McKenzie. McKenzie made no effort to cover it, hence the withdrawal.

Chief Timber Inspector McCrea is up the creeks collecting royalty on the cabins of the halfway-house people. While McCrea cannot but obey orders given him by his superior, Mr. Willison, it is needless to point out that the junior is stirring up a hornet's nest wherever he goes. Holders of free miners' certificates entitling them specifically to logs for building, can hardly be blamed for objecting to this new graft.

The term sour dough is of comparatively recent origin, not being yet a year old. In the Chinook language the word *chee* means new, fresh, just now, while *chahko* means to come. The term *chee-chahko* was applied to new comers by the old timers, and after casting around for a return term, the *chee-chahkos* hit upon sour dough as an appropriate epithet to apply to the men who had been here long enough to progress past the baking powder bread. By common consent the terms have become universal in the territory, it also being agreed that to see the ice come and go in the Yukon was the one test to be applied for the admission of a *chee-chahko* into the ranks of the sour doughs.

Removed.

Albert Mayer, jeweler, has removed to the new Novelty Theatre, Front street.

Open day and night. Rainier House.

The Flyers run day and night.

Come and see us, it will pay you. The Regina.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership existing between Ed. Lewin and Joseph Cooper has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All bills due the old firm will be collected and outstanding obligations paid by Ed. Lewin. ED. LEWIN. Dawson, May 10, 1899. JOE COOPER.

The Flyer is the line of the people.

Notice.

A fine business building in business portion of town, paying \$1250 per month rental, is offered for next ten days, \$5000 half down. A bargain. Inquire, PRINCE & CO., Second St.

Sargent & Pinks have a fine line of clothing. Front street, opposite Monte Carlo.

Special Sunday dinners 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. The Regina.

Meals 50c and 75c; clean bunks, good ventilation. Rainier House, opp. A. C. Co.

Purify your blood in the Spring with Shoff's Blood & Liver Bitters. Pioneer Drug store.

Luxurious rooms. The Regina.

\$2.00—Cafe Royal—\$2.00.

SUNDAY DINNER.

Soups—Bisque of Oyster and Consomme.

Fish—Dutch Herring, Tartar sauce.

Salad—Turkey on Mayonnaise.

Boiled—Leg of Mutton with Caper sauce.

Entrees—Croquettes of Game aux Petits pois; Lamb. Calfettes a la Maryland; French Toast, wine sauce; Rice Tart.

Sauce Violate.

Roasts—Larded Sirloin of Beef aux Champignons; Haunch of Fresh Moose, pan gravy.

Vegetables—Potatoes a la Creme; Kentucky Sugar Corn.

Dessert—Roman Punch; Preserved Cherries; Greenagages.

Pastry—Lemon Cream, Pear and Mince Pie; Cheese and Coffee.

Information Wanted.

Information wanted of Joseph McGee at this office.

If the following persons will call on Corporal Carter, at the N. W. M. P. orderly room, they will hear something to their advantage. M. F. Wilson, R. Harold and H. Yeager.

Cafe Royal.

Second Avenue

The Only First Class Cafe in Dawson

PRIVATE DINING ROOMS AND WINE PARLORS UPSTAIRS.

Open Day and Night

It is not the cheapest but it is the best, the cleanest, the most comfortable and best furnished cafe in the city.

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C. J. REILLY, Agent, Chisholm's Aurora, Front Street.

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AT THE HORSESHOE

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY EVENING, MAY 24, 1899

HANDSOME PRIZES

EXCELLENT MUSIC

DAWSON'S FINEST

GEO. NOBLE, Mgr.

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Hotel and Club Rooms

BEST BRANDS WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS

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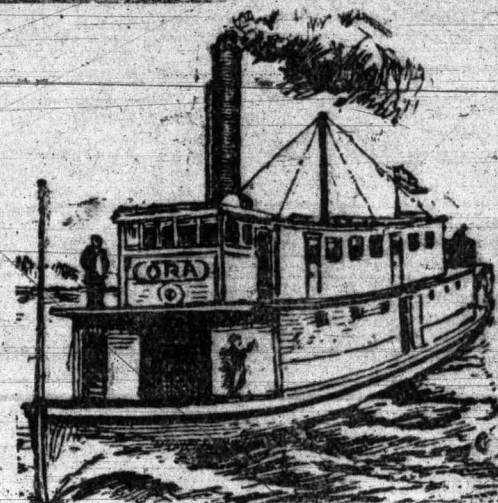
Fastest Steamer on the Yukon

STEAMER WILLIE IRVING

Will be the First Boat to Leave Dawson for the White Horse this Season

STAUF & ZILLY, Agents, A. C. Office Bldg.

Bennett Lake and Klondike Navigation Co.

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ORA
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Weekly for
White Horse
Bennett
and
Way Points
Through
Connections
to all
Coast Points

Will be the First Boats to Leave for Up River

For further particulars, rates, etc., call at office, Second St., opp. Bank B. N. A.

JUST OPENED

MADDER HOUSE - BARBER SHOP

LHENREUX & BENNETT, Props.

Finest Tonsorial Parlors in Dawson

Madden House, Front Street.

Book by the Flyer and "get there."

Best bar in town. The Regina.

When you get to Seattle Jos. Mayer & Bros. will buy your dust at full assay value. Full returns within 24 hours. P. L. building, Cherry street.

Notice of Dissolution.

Dawson, May 15.
Notice is hereby given that the firm of Boyle & Slavin has been dissolved by mutual consent and that on and after this date the business will be carried on by Joseph W. Boyle, by and to whom all accounts of said firm are payable. J. W. BOYLE. F. P. SLAVIN.

Ten days to Seattle by the Flyers.

Best regular table board. The Regina.

Bids Wanted

For 500,000 feet of logs delivered at Arctic Sawmill. Logs to be cut on Bertha 25 and 26 on Klondike river. Bids close May 25.
JOS. W. BOYLE.

H. Hershberg & Co., the Seattle clothiers and gents' furnisiers, are now open for business next door south of Madden house, where they will be pleased to see their many friends and customers.

Excellent meals and first-class accommodations on the Flyers.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Best built road-house and store on Hunker creek. Good business. Inquire this office.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A black Newfoundland dog, white on breast. Lena Binhauf, Travelers' Home, mouth of Bear creek.

ELECTRIC BELTS.

HOW IS YOUR BACK? Lumbago and porous plasters don't do the work; try an Edison or Sander electric belt; a guaranteed cure for lame back, kidney troubles, rheumatism and preventative against fevers. Office next to Jeanne Joe's restaurant.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

LAWYERS
F. C. WADE (Crown Prosecutor) Barrister, Attorney, Advocate, etc. Offices, Green Tree Building, near Fairview Hotel, Dawson.

C. M. WOODWORTH, M. A., LL. B., Advocate, Solicitor, Commissioner, Notary, etc. Five years' practice in Northwest Territory. Room 3, A. C. Office Building.

BURRITT & McKAY—Advocates, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Offices, A. C. Office Building. Safety deposit box in A. C. vaults.

TABOR & HULME—Barristers and Solicitors, Advocates; Notaries Public; Conveyancers, Offices, Green Tree Bldg.

CLEMENT, PATTULLO & RIDLEY—Advocates, Barristers, Notaries, Conveyancers, etc. Money to loan. Offices, over the Bodega, First Avenue.

H. C. LISLE—Barrister and solicitor, of England and Canada, conveyancer; Notary Public; 27 years practice. Pacific hotel.

DENTISTS
DR. E. B. MERCHANT—Dentist; crown and bridge work a specialty. Office, new location, over Pioneer Drug Store.

ALBIN & SMITH—Dentists. All work guaranteed. Office with Nugget Express Co., Eldorado City.

DR. W. A. RYSTROM, DENTIST—Formerly in Chisholm block, is now located on Second street in rear of Tom Chisholm's.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

DR. J. WILFRED GOOD, M. B. S. R. C. P., Edinburgh; late surgeon to Winnipeg General Hospital; medical health officer for Dawson; Large and varied supply of glasses. Office Arlington block, First ave. Dawson, telephone 16.

MINING ENGINEERS.

J. B. TYRRELL, M. A., B. Sc., F. G. S., Consulting Mining Engineer, 15 years geologist on the Geological Survey of Canada. Dawson.