



Susie and Louise

Will Begin Next Monday Under Direc-... tion of Captain Nixon-But Little Danger From Ice Jams.

The A. C. Co. on next Monday morning will start a force of men at work happy day. cutting out the steamers Susie and Louise as well as the two barges which are now in winter quarters in steamboat slough. Capt. Dixon, of the Louise, who has had charge of the company's steamers this winter, will engineer the enterprise. Capt. sDawson of the Susie 18 on the way in now and will assist Capt. Dixon. Twenty firemen will be put to work cutting out the boats, the method employed being the cutting clear of a strip all around the outside of each hoat, cleaning the rudder and wheel of ice.

After this has been accomplished water will be pumped into the hold of the steamer and steam pipes will be introduced which will heat the enclosed water to a sufficient temperature to melt the surrounding ice on the lower hull. Each boat will be kept under a head of steam with outside coal, there being some 75 tons on each boat. Deadmen will be sunk in the neighboring bank with strong hawsers attached to the steamers and such other precautions will be taken as the conditions will suggest.

The Louise is at the head of the slough high and dry with water four feet away. There are no indications that the ice ever broke through this channel as the sides of the slough are not ice marked as usual wherever the flowing ice travels, but there is a possibility that the river may jam at Klondike City at the curve, which if such became a fact might send the ice through the slough in which many boats are wintering. / Manager Mizner said this morning that the boats at the lower end of the slough were in a dangerous position, for should the river dam up at the same point as last year's water would destroy those boats which referred to the committee on public grew thinner and paler. were not cut free. Such would also be he case should the ice go tearing through the slough, but that seemed unlikely as a bar protects the harbor at its upper end.

HE TRAVELS ON SKATES By Claiming Local Origin for of Trade to use their influence to this Leadville Quartz. There is now in Dawson an old man

ho has a unique plan for keeping him. self filled up to the top vest button with free whisky. His scheme kept him drunk in Skagway from the spring of '98 until 18 months or two years later when he came on to Dawson and it is said to have caused him to be able to bid dull care begone many times since his arrival in the Klondike vale. The old man carries with him a small piece of Lesdville, Colorado, quartz from which the bright yellow gold stands out in bold relief and his scheme is to enter a saloon and inform the proprietor that he has just returned from a quiet sneak into the hills all by himself. Then in a very confidential way he tells of a great lead he discovered and to substantiate his statement shows the Leadville quartz which he carries carefully wrapped in a piece. of buckskin. He informs the saloon has endeavored to do his share in the man that he only proposes letting a few good fellows in on the ground floor and confidentially informs the dispenser of grog that he is on the list of few good fellows.

flad a Birthday. Mr. Hugh McDermott, chief factotem in the postoffice money order depart-From Around A. C. Co.'s Steamers or 44th he did not say and no one else

of a number of rare presents, among which he kindly sent to the Nugget office with the request that the Stroller smoke it when in need of an inspiration. If the next man who has a birth. day will forward a package of tobacco, 'Hughey's'' present will be doubly appreciated. In the meantime his host of friends wish him 400 returns of the

THE BOARD **OF TRADE**

Appoints Standing Committees at Last Night's Meeting.

The council of the Board of Trade held a meeting last night and appointed the following standing committees for the ensuing year: Mercantile-H. C. Macaulay, H. Te

Roller, T. G. Wilson, A. B. Palmer and Chas. Bossuyt. Mining and Property-E. B. Condon,

Emil Stauf and Alex McDonald. Public Works-D. Doig, E. S. Orr

and James I. Gray. Finance and Auditing-H. T. Wills, W. D. Bruce and J. P. McLennan.

The committee appointed at a previous meeting to discuss the taxation question with the Yukon council made its report which was accepted and the committee discharged after being

thanked for the very satisfactory result of its work. The committee on new quarters reported that rooms A and B in the A. C. building just opposite from the rooms now occupied had been secured, and were being remodelled and fitted up for the use of the board and would be ready for occupancy in a

Chamber of Commerce containing a resolution regarding the absence of a Dominion bankruptcy law and urging the Board of Trade to make representations to the Dominion government with a view to legislation on the subject. was read by the secretary and was

works. A communication was read from the Atlin Board of Trade enclosing a copy of a petition sent to the legislative assembly of British Columbia stating that the development of the country was greatly retarded by the exceeding high freight rates and requesting the legislature to grant the charter to the Chilcoot Railway Co., so that by having competition the rates might be lowered and asking the Dawson Board end. The communication was laid on

Hum of Industry.

the table.

Missing Men. Information is requested by friends through the N. W. M. P. for the folment, celebrated his annual birthday lowing persons. Such information yesterday but whether it was his 24th should be left at the town station. Dr. Harold G. Howes, Ashfield, Mass. appears to know. He was the recipient James H. Fellows, Clear Lake, Wash. Ernest Malone, Paterson, N. J.; John them a case of T. D. pipes, one of N. Innes, Peterhead, Aberdeenshire, Scotland.

Triumph for Private Allen.

Washington, D. C., March 2.-The house committee on merchant marine has voted unanimously to report favorably a bill for a fish hatchery at Tupelo, Miss. This came about as the result of an irresistible argument made befor the committee by John Allen.

Mr. Allen referred to the years he had spent in the house wrestling with cares attendant on the, transaction of the public business; the delightful associations, the many tender recollections and the pleasant reminiscences. He referred to his own gene osity in

always being willing to grant every member all he asked for his district. "And, Mr. Chairman," concluded Mr. Allen, "I am about to retire from the scenes of my labors, of my trials and triumphs, and leave the burden of be laid upon younger shoulders. But in my old age when I am far away hear no longer the clash of wit and familiar faces-what then, Mr. Chairfish hatchery-if you pass this billwhich will then grace the beautiful City of Tupelo and watch the little fishes hatch and marvel at the wonders of nature. And, Mr. Chairman, I shall see exemplihed the truth of the adage that 'a sucker is born every minute.' '

Received to Much Attention.

There is a plump and young looking matron in Omaha who is the mother of three children who do not seem to thrive. They are always affected by a tew days. A letter from the London sudden change in the weather, and seem never able to gain flesh and strength. The mother has been a reader of The Woman's Home Josher and that class of magazines for several years, and has faithfully followed all the "Mrs. Yeller's Household Hints to Hurried Mothers," but despite this the children

In despair she sought the advice of a physician the other day, taking her flock with her.

"You enjoy such good health that one would naturally suppose your children healthy," said the physician. "Yes, but they are not. I don't know why, either. I have been so care. ful of their diet. I give them only food rich in protein and all that sort ol thing. I select only the health foods recommended by The Woman's Home Josher, and I can't understand why they are so thin and pale." "I can not understand why they

should grow thin and pale on a diet that keeps you in good health and spirits," said the physician "Bless me, I don't eat those health foods!" exclaimed the mother. "I eat whatever I like."



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Of course the saloon man's eyes stick out and he says "have something, and make my place your headquarters until you are ready to go back to your dis-

make my place your headquarters infin you are ready to go back to your dis-covery." The old man "has something" and continues to patronize that house for some times a month or until the pro-prietor tumbles to the fact that he has been taken in by a rank old fakir. Then the Leadville quartz is carried to another saloon and the same program is carried out and another prolonged drank is enjoyed. As the old man is now in Dawson,

As the old man is now in Dawson, noon. Judgment has been reserved. dispensers of the oil of joy will be wise to devote but little time to gazing on trial this morning, Attorney McDougall Leadville quartz.

All creek orders at Dawson prices Elegantly furnished rooms with elec-only. Cribbs & Rogers, druggists. c23 tric lights at the Regina Club hotel.

Beef, chechako, 33c by the side, at P. O. Market, Third street.

Chechako unfrozen eggs at Meeker's. neer Drug Store.

From the nu steam whistles heard and the dense volumes of smoke seen to roll heavenward from a dozen smoke stacks and the busy hum of machinery heard all through the day a person could well imagine town instead of where he must look old subscriber .- Omaha World-Herald. nearly straight up at night to view the north star.

All the mills, machine shops and foundries in Dawson are now being operated steadily and two months later Any kind of wine \$5 per bottle at the several of the mills will run day and Regins Club hotel. night in order to keep up with the demand for their products.

First Day of Spring.

According to calendaric arrangement this is the first day of the spring season and as 1f in honor of the event Old Sol ushering in act. And this leads up to the question: When will the work of Defendan thawing and opening the drains in orthawing and opening the drains in or-der that the city will not be inundated be inaugurated? Nearly all the open ditches in the city are full of packed ice shoveled into them from the side-walks where, unless removed, it will be very slow in melting. The time

The case of Burns vs. Adair was on

conducting the case for plaintiff.

Round steak 50c at P. O. Market.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor Pio.

The physician then understood it, and the advice he gave her is calculated himself back in some New England to lose The Woman's Home Josher an

Fresh cabbage at Meeker's.

For choice meats go to the Denver Market.

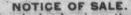
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Sheriff's Sale. In the exchequer court of Canada,

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JAMES H. McLEAN ET AL., I'laintiffs,

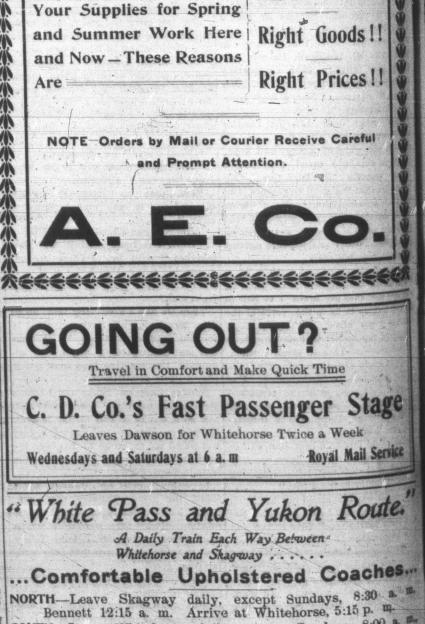
Defendant.



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One double engine, non-condensing, made by the Washington Iron Works, Seattle; two cylinders 16x72; length of stroke six feet; made 1898; two steel boilers 170 pound pressure. Dated at Dawson this 20th day of

R. J. EILBECK, Marshal of the Exchequer Court of Canada, Yukon Territory, Adimralty E. C.



SOUTH-Leave Whitehorse daily, except Sundays, 8:00 a. Bennett 1:25 p. m Arrive at Skagway, 4:40 p. m. J. H. ROGERS

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