

PEOPLE WE MEET.



COMPTROLLER J. T. LITHGOW.

ble, and it is hoped to have it completed about the same time as that running from Eagle to Valdez.

Owing to the difficulty of keeping the cable from St. Michael to Nome in working order, due to the constant grinding of the ice for weeks at a time in spring and fall, the submarine route will, doubtless soon be abandoned.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Report of Late Business Is Most Encouraging.

The 20th annual report of the Canadian Pacific railway, which has just been issued for the period of 18 months, ended June 30th, 1907, is considered by far the most encouraging statement of affairs ever issued.

Preparing for Winter.

Mr. F. J. Kalles returned to Dawson Thursday from a several weeks' trip over Dominion, Hunker, Last Chance and other creeks in the district.

Strayed.

Strayed.—Red cow, white underneath, short horns, had leather halter on with short rope.

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WAS AFTER M'KINLEY

A Crank Attempted to Enter His Carriage in Arizona.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 7.—An attempt on the life of President McKinley in Phoenix May 7th while the presidential party was on its western tour has just been made known to the public.

Mr. McKinley rode with Governor Murphy in the carriage surrounded by an escort of rough riders. As the procession proceeded along Washington street a man sprang from the dense moving throng and attempted to climb into the president's carriage.

Extra precautions were thrown about the president and although he mingled freely with the people during his trip through the territory, walking among miners and laboring men, he was not exposed during the balance of the day in Phoenix and shook the hands of but a few of the selected guests at the capitol building.

Nome's Short Season.

Nome's open season is already nearly at end. This is the report brought to Seattle by the steamship Centennial, which has just arrived from the north.

"The indications," said Mr. McDonald, "point to the fact that Nome is to have an early winter following the late spring. Cold weather is coming on before the Centennial reached Bering S. a. Gold is now beginning to come in at Nome at a good rate, and all indications are that the next ships returning to port from Nome will have large amounts of treasure.

In order to provide for these expenditures, the shareholders will be asked to authorize the issue of steamship bonds to the amount of four hundred and eighty thousand pounds (£480,000) sterling.

Gold is coming into Nome from Teller and from Gold Run. A peculiar feature about the latter is the fact that the large amount of claim jumping and disputes during the early part of the season caused caution on the part of many claim owners, and these said nothing of the richness of their property. Now however this richness is beginning to manifest itself in the season's yield.

Capt. Conrad, of the Centennial, reports that on the voyage to Nome he picked up the second mate and six of the crew of the schooner James Sennett, of San Francisco. The Sennett went ashore on Umiak island August 7. Her crew was picked up August 21. During their stay on the island they had plenty of provisions, and even lived for a large portion of the time on board the wrecked schooner. They were brought from Nome to Seattle.—Alaskan.

CELEBRATED JACK HORNER

Who Set in a Corner Eating a Christmas Pie

He Was a Noted Character and the Plum He Pulled Out Was a Title to Valuable Property.

Herbert Gladstone, the best known son of the famous statesman, has become engaged to the daughter of Sir Richard Horner Paget.

Few Americans are aware that the little Jack Horner of nursery fame, "who sat in a corner," was once a living historical personage.

The famous rhyme really celebrates the achievement of Mr. Horner in helping himself to a fine estate, while negotiating a "deal," without asking the consent of either of the other parties concerned.

The Horner are today people of position in their county, Somerset, and are so proud of their connection that every scion of the house is named Jack just as every member of Lord Nelson's family is named Horatio.

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