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MRS. FERGUSON'S PETITION

Asks Yukon Council to Purchase Street Numbers

She Has Expended a Large Sum in Public Enterprise and With Very Small Returns.

Mrs. Maria L. Ferguson, whose work in connection with the publication of a directory for Dawson has made her a familiar figure in this city, will leave for the outside on the steamer Canadian.

Mrs. Ferguson first came to Dawson in the summer of 1899, when she received from the Yukon council a franchise which permitted her to erect on the street corners posts bearing the names of the different thoroughfares, and also to number the business houses and dwellings in the city. In addition to these privileges she also secured the right, afterwards made exclusive, to publish a directory for the territory.

In pursuance of the work required of her by the council Mrs. Ferguson established the street posts at a very heavy expense, and then went to the outside to perfect arrangements for the publication of her directory.

The Yukon council as it was constituted in 1899 was so impressed with the value of the work which Mrs. Ferguson had done that on the 29th of Sept in that year the following resolution was passed as a protective measure, to give her some insurance of return for her efforts.

The records on this point read as follows:—

"It was resolved that it be put on record that, recognizing the great utility of a directory for the city of Dawson, the numbering of the houses, the location of posts with signs indicating the names of the streets, and the establishment of an inquiry office by Maria L. Ferguson, for the establishment of which she has undergone, and will undergo, large expense, this council will take all necessary means within its power to protect her for and during a term of three years against any venture of a similar kind by anybody who might take advantage of her labors."

Mrs. Ferguson began immediately the work of collecting the data for her directory and making preparations for placing numbers on the houses and store buildings of Dawson.

The first volume of the book appeared this spring, although the lady did not realize a dollar of profit from the venture.

Mrs. Ferguson returned to Dawson in June last, bringing with her all the facilities required for numbering the houses. In accomplishing this purpose she was greatly hindered by the fact that the Yukon council had under advisement a plan for changing the names of the streets, and until that matter should finally be decided Mrs. Ferguson was unable to proceed with her work.

The unexpected bereavement of Commissioner Ross and his hasty departure for the outside brought the whole thing to a standstill, and while the numbers for all the houses and stores are here they have not as yet been placed.

Mrs. Ferguson is now called to the outside in connection with the publication of her directory for next year, and has left her affairs in the hands of her attorneys.

The following petition has been circulated in her behalf, which was generally signed, every one who was familiar with the circumstances agreeing that Mrs. Ferguson is justly entitled to favorable consideration at the hands of the council.

To the Honorable
The Yukon Council,
Dawson, Yukon Territory,
Canada:

We, the undersigned residents and citizens of Dawson, recognizing and appreciating the great public good and benefit that has been enjoyed through the erection by Maria L. Ferguson in 1899 of sign posts and boards at all the street crossings bearing the names of the streets and avenues of Dawson; and, further, believing that it will be to the best interests of all the residents and citizens of Dawson to have all the houses of Dawson properly numbered; and being of the opinion that the said Maria L. Ferguson is justly entitled to recognition and consideration for the inaugural work which she has done in the matter of numbering said houses, hereby pray your Honorable Body to grant the petition of said Maria L. Ferguson wherein she asks your Honorable Body to accept her posts, sign boards, maps, numbers and letters for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00).

Dated at Dawson, Y. T., this.....day of September, 1901.

Mrs. Ferguson stated to a Nugget representative today that she goes to the outside to prepare for the publication of her next year's directory, which will be devoted exclusively to Dawson and the Yukon territory.

She will have a corps of practical directory men in the field, and fully anticipates that her next year's book will greatly excel the directory published this year.

Mrs. Ferguson has expended about six thousand dollars on the work she has done and, as stated above, has as yet received very little revenue. It seems, therefore, no more than just that the petition which will shortly go before the council should be favorably acted upon.

The Dawson Social Club gives the first dance of the season Friday night, at Pioneer hall. Grand march at 9 p. m.

Only best brands of case goods served. Drinks and cigars 25c. Pete McDonald, Bank saloon.

COMING AND GOING.

Mrs. Charles Meadows has gone to California for the winter.

C. B. Zabriskie has returned to the states, permanently so he says.

Mrs. J. E. Doherty took her departure for Seattle Wednesday night.

Auguste Noel, the barrister, left for his old home in Quebec Wednesday.

J. A. Williams, the electric light man, has gone outside on business.

Mr. Peter Erickson, of Grand Forks, is a guest today at the Regina hotel.

Mrs. F. E. Maltby has returned from a short visit with her parents in Seattle.

Major Woodside, census commissioner, is back again from a trip to Whitehorse.

Mrs. Dr. Wharton and sister, Mrs. Harry Hull, have gone to Seattle for the winter.

H. H. Honnen, formerly manager of the Honnen stage line, will winter on the outside.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lay were passengers on the Whitehorse Wednesday night for the outside.

J. W. Esler, lately store manager with the N. A. T. & T. Co., left for the outside on the Whitehorse.

Dr. and Mrs. P. D. Carper left on the Whitehorse Wednesday night. They will spend the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lowe have gone outside to spend the winter They were pasengers on the Whitehorse.

Mr. Wm. McKay, of the law firm of Burritt & McKay, was a passenger for Vancouver on the Whitehorse.

Capt. Donald B. Olsen, manager of the Telephone Co., left on the Whitehorse for Seattle, where he will spend the winter.

J. S. Robe, with the N. A. T. Co., and who was a passenger on the ill-fated Islander, returned to his home yesterday on the Whitehorse.

Marshal Perry, of Eagle City, who took the U. S. prisoners of that place to McNeil's Island, is in Dawson on his return from San Francisco to Eagle.

Mr. Fred Matthieson, a well known claim operator of Dominion, left on the steamer Whitehorse for Seattle. He will return on a bicycle in February.

M. Prescott Lawyer, U. S. Commissioner at Eagle, is in Dawson en route to San Francisco, where he will remain thruoghout the winter. Mr. Lawyer is registered at the Regina hotel.

FREQUENT LIBATIONS

Cause J. Rogers to Steal a Horse and Go to the Woodpile.

In the territorial court Tuesday afternooon J. Rogers was sentenced to two months at hard labor for horse stealing, by Justice Dugas.

The evidence of the prosecution was borne out by the story told by Rogers, who said that on the date on which the charge was laid he had been asked to take a horse from Cariboo to some road house down the creek. He had been drinking heavily for some time and had stopped at nearly every road house on his way and had continued to fill up. When he got to Mathieson's road house he had taken more drinks and then Mathieson asked him where he got the horse. He replied that he brought him into the country with him. Mathieson asked if he would trade for one of his and he replied he would but wanted $100 to boot. Mathieson offered him $50 and the trade was finally made. Mathieson did not have $50, and gave him $25 on account. Rogers remembered the conversation about the trade but said that after that he did not remember anything that occurred, and was not aware that the trade was made or that he received the $25. He was only joking when he first talked of trading, and had put the boot at such a high figure that he knew Mathieson could not cover it. He remembered leaving Mathieson on a horse—he did not know which one—and the next he knew he was lying by the side of the trail about a half-mile from the road house all bruised and with a terrible headache; he had walked to a road house and gone to bed when he was awakened by a constable and taken to the barracks. An attempt was made by the defense to show that the man was in a crazed condition from the drink, and that he did not know what he was doing.

The justice said that his action was not excusable by his condition, and imposed the sentence of two months at hard labor.

A nolle prosequi was entered by the crown in the case of the King vs. Dailey, in which the defendant was charged with stealing from the woman with whom he was living, there not being sufficient evidence to prove the charge and the prisoner was discharged.

Nome's Ex-Postmaster.

There are many people in Dawson who are sorry to learn that Joseph H. Wright, late postmaster at Nome, is an embezzler in the sum of more than $4,000. "Joe" Wright for a long time was in the Skagway postoffice, and was the most popular of the force for the reason that he was always accommodating and obliging, and it was the good reputation he made for himself there that gained him the appointment at Nome. His friends are legion, and it is to be hoped he will yet be able to straighten up the shortage charged to him.

Broke Her Arm.

Little Nora, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Slavin, while playing at their house yesterday evening had the misfortune to fall, breaking one of her arms. Surgical aid was at once enlisted and the little girl will be able to resume play in a few weeks.

Kodaks $2.50; fresh films 50c. Goetzman.

WILL ERECT STAMP MILL

Ladue Co. Is to Assist in Quartz Developement

To be on First Avenue Near Company Stores and Will Be Completed Next Week.

The preparatory work for the erection of the Ladue Company's stamp mill which is to be put up near the company's mill on First avenue, is about completed and the construction will commence immediately. It is hoped to have it completed and in readiness for tests by a week from Saturday.

The mill is the improved pattern from the Joshua Hendy Machine works of San Francisco, having a double stamp with a tripple discharge to both mortars, making its capacity equal to that of a five single stamp mill. It has all the latest improvements with a rock crusher and feeder connectd.

It is the intention of the Ladue Company, which is interesting itself deeply in the development of quartz in this country, to use this stamp for the purpose of making tests of properties.

Dr. Cook, manager of the company, in speaking with a Nugget representative this morning, said: "When a man comes in with a sample of rock which shows a good assay value, instead of going to the expense of setting a mill on the ground and then perhaps having it prove valueless or of such a low grade as to be unprofitable to work, we will bring a sufficient quantity of the rock to the mill to make a thorough test and there prove or disprove its value. This will avoid the publicity which would naturally follow should the mill be set up at the claim and save the injury which would result to miner and the country generally if the result did not prove satisfactory besides a considerable expense to the company."

Yesterday a prominent assayer was in consultation with Dr. Cook and had between 50 and 60 samples of rock, all from this territory. All of the samples were of different formation, and of different grades of valuation, showing the variety of the quartz formations in this country. More than 20 of these samples are from free milling, gold bearing rock and some of them show a high assay value.

From this fact it would appear that we are on the eve of discoveries which when the value is assured will make Dawson one of the greatest mining centers of the world and will insure permanency and stability to the camp.

Will Sell Claims.

Sheriff Eilbeck has several sales under writs of execution which will come off in the near future. Julius Fowle has secured judgment against Mrs. J. Gray, better known as "Corinne" Grey, and has seized three cabins belonging to the fair but frail defendant. They are located at Cariboo on Dominion and will be sold in satisfaction of the execution on Monday, September 30.

Wm. Howe having a judgment against Maria Cunningham will have sold by the sheriff for his benefit the hillside claim, left limit, adjoining 28 and 29 below upper on Dominion.

At Gold Bottom on Friday, October 4, there will be sold 800 feet of flume and 57 lengths of boxes, the property of J. H. Crowey and George Gaillard, the judgment creditor being Victor Riopard.

Daily Stage to Hunker.

On and after October 1st, 1901, the Orr & Tukey Co., Ltd., will run a daily four-horse stage, Sundays included, to upper Hunker, leaving Group Roadhouses, 6 below, at 8:30 a m. Returning leave Dawson at 2 p. m., arriving at Gold Bottom at 6 p. m. cr5

PEOPLE WE MEET.

POLICE MAGISTRATE C. D. MACAULAY.

THE POLICE MAGISTRATE

Judge Macaulay Holds Office by Virtue of Civil Appointment.

Police Magistrate C. D. Macaulay whose portrait appears above, is a native of Belleville, Ontario, where he has spent much of his former life, having grown to manhood and practiced law there for 12 years previous to his appointment to and acceptance of his present position. His wife and one child still reside in Belleville, but will come to Dawson next season.

Judge Macaulay holds the position by virtue of civil appointment by the minister of justice. He has jurisdiction in cases involving amounts up to $1000 where the police officers as magistrates have jurisdiction only where amounts of $200 or less are involved.

During his brief term of office here Judge Macaulay has fully demonstrated his eminent fitness for the position he occupies.

EFFECTS ARE SIMILAR

All Brands of Hootch Lead to Police Court.

Business troubles effect men in various ways. Some seek comfort and solace in prayer while others get uproariously drunk. Julius Jaeger is of the latter class and yesterday when he encountered a snag in his pathway through this vale of tears and tough beefsteak he cultivated a lurid jag that caused him to become a disturbing tack in the great bootleel of humanity, the scene of his effervescence being a South Dawson saloon. When he faced Magistrate Macauley yesterday he had more business troubles as a snag in the form of $10 and costs loomed up like an Egyptian pyramid in his pathway. Julius obviated the snag by a roundabout way that leads through the royal fuel factory where he will pause for 20 days.

J. McMasters "guessed" he was guilty when confronted with that ancient charge "d and d." J. had gone up against the hilarious brand that caused him to lift up his voice on the street. He paid $5 and costs and departed to give his dark brown taste an airing.

Reception Tonight.

The reception at the Presbyterian church in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Grant will be an informal affair to which all friends of the church and Dr. Grant are cordially invited, the hours being from 8:30 until 10:30.

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CASES WERE DISMISSED

Str. Sarah's Whisky Bugaboo Gets Final Hearing.

The cases against Manager Mizner, of the N. C. Co., and the captain of the steamer Sarah which have been hanging fire in the police court since the arrival of the steamer Sarah from St. Michael on July 25th, were dismissed by Magistrate Macauley yesterday morning.

Both Chief Preventative Officer McKinnon and Crown Prosecutor Congdon testified that the defendants had complied with the instructions of Commissioner Ross and Officer McKinnon and had in no manner attempted to evade or violate the law governing the importation of spirituous liquors. Manager Mizner also testified to having advised with Commissioner Ross, Mr. McKinnon, Mr. Congdon and License Inspector Bliss and to having acted on instructions imparted by them. The police, however, took issue with the other branches of the government and prosecution followed with the result that the charges were dismissed yesterday.

Blaker Improved.

Julian Blaker, of the Fairview hotel, has entirely repapered his house and is now busy placing in position complete plant for heating that popular house with radiators. Warm air will be piped to every room in the house the heat supplying the same being obtained from an immense stove on the lower floor.

Doing Business.

Cox & Cloes, the enterprising painters and decorators, are now happily situated on Second avenue with a new store loaded with wall paper, furniture and stationery. The firm has a complete line of the latter which is without exception the finest in the city. School supplies of all kinds are kept in stock also.

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