New Steamers Are Speedy

Dawson to White Horse in Less Three Days

Lots of Freight at the Railway Terminus But No Blockade.

Monday with \$600,000 of treasure a ngers, about twenty of whom left the Klondike, June 24, on the steamers Selkirk and Dawson. The river steamers made the voyage from Dawson to White Horse in sixty-eight, and sixtyseven hours respectively. This is the st up-river record ev er recorded be-

J. Francis Lee, ge reral traffic manager of the White Pass & Yukon route, returned after a month's trip to Skagway, White Horse and other Upper Yukon points. He said:

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"While travel is not particularly heavy between Skagway and Dawson as yet, there has been an immense amount of freight traffic. At White Horse, where shipments are transferred from the railroad to the steamers, there was approximately 3,500 tons of freight for Dawson when I left a few days ago. This large volume of freight was being moved rapidly by the steamers and there is no blockade. In a general way, shipments to Dawson this season have been very heavy.

"Just before I left the steamer Daw-"Just before I left the steamer Dawson broke all records for the trip upstream from Dawson to White Horse,
making the voyage in two days and nineteen hours. Last year the average time
required for the up-river trip was about
four days. Not a great many people are
coming out, which is a good sign for
Dawson. The camp is in a very prosperous condition, and the outlook is that
the annual clean-up will be heavier than
ever before in the history of the country."

Haines mission passengers of the Victorian report that the Chilkat river steamer H. D. Gardner was totally destroyed by fire Sunday a week ago near Jones Point, Chilkat inlet. It is claimed that the fire was of incendiary origin, having been started by the Chilkat Indians, whose attitude has ever been against the opening up and development of that section of Alaska.

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The grounds for accusing the Indians were that as this boat was destined to run on the Chilkat it would take away the freighting and passenger business which the Indians with their canoes have enjoyed since the Dalton trail was open-ed. It is claimed by the Gardners that The missionary at Haines defends the

Indians against the charge, and con-tends that they had nothing to fear from Friendly Help.—The Friendly Help so-ety will hold its regular monthly meet-g in the market hall this forenoon at

Special Prayers.—In all the churches a the diocese, special prayers were of-ered yesterday for a blessing on the eeting of the Anglican Synod, which leets in Nanaimo on Wednesday.

Treatment of Animals.—In most of the city churches on Sunday the pastors preached on the work of the S. P. C. A., and the treatment of animals generally. Many eloquent appeals were made for the dumb creatures, which receive so little attention from men.

Committee Meeting.—The committee pointed by Mayor Hayward to arnge for the reception to the Duke and achess of Cornwall and York will nold meeting at the city hall on Friday 4 o'clock, when the preliminary arngements will be made.

Would Like to Stay .- William T. Gib-Would Like to Stay.—William T. Gibbins, a Winnipeg grain broker and Canadian agent for that wonderful curative invention, the Oxodonor, is in the city on a business and pleasure trip. Mr. Gibbins is delighted with the Coast and declares he would make his home here did not his business interests compel him to remain in Winnipeg. He had intended remaining a month in British Columbia but is obliged to shorten his stay in order to meet a brother, whom he has not seen for years, who is now en route from England to visit him at Winnipeg.

Will be Tried.—In the police court this morning Mrs. E. R. Patterson, who as stated in the Colonist on Sunday, was brought from Seattle by a private detective, will be charged with theft. Mrs. Patterson says she came against her will, while the detective told the police that she was desirous of coming over. The manager of the Westside did not know what the coat which she admits having stolen from that store on May 25 was missing until the woman was taken into the store by the detective. The only reward the detective could look for for bringing her back would come from the parties from whom the coat had been stolen, and it hardly seems likely that they would take chances on this, especially as they had only the word of a known shop-litter for the fact that the coat was in the Victoria pawn shop. It might be that the authorities saw a good opportunity of getting rid of a troublesome customer and shipped her to Victoria.

Broke Camp.—The Fifth Regiment broke camp on Sunday morning after two weeks of practical work as soldiers, that is as practical as it can be provided without real war. The men seemed to enjoy their two weeks under canvas, although many of them found it difficult to creep out before 5 o'clock in the morning after a late evening. Shortly after breakfast yesterday morning the whole regiment was formed into a statione party and each and every one

at Beacon Hill and Goldstream on Sunday were very largely attended. The Fifth Regiment played a sacred concert at the pretty resort along the line of the E. & N. railway, and the City Band at Beacon Hill. The people showed at Beacon Hill. The people showed in arranging for Sunday concerts at the hill flocking out there in large numbers.

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Hospital Board.—A meeting of the directors of the Jubilee hospital will be held at the hospital on Friday evening.

Wrong Name.—In the list of graduates rom the Normal school the name of from the Normal school the name of Eleanor C. Loat appeared as Eleanor Choat.

Dangerously Ill.—John Stocks, the navy pensioner who attempted suicide by drowning at Esquimalt on Monday last, was yesterday removed from the provincial jail to the Royal Jubilee hospital, suffering from acute pneumonia.

Scattered the Fur.—Yesterday morning a horse attached to Abe Droscowitz's express wagon took fright on Wharf street and dashed along that street and up Yates street. The wagon was loaded with furs which were scattered along the route the animal took.

Customs Returns.—During the month of June the revenue collected at the Victoria customs house amounted to \$80,349.01, made up of duty, \$72,215.46, and other revenues, \$7,133.55. The imports were, free, \$56,747, and dutiable, \$249,590. The exports were produce of Canada, \$10,485, and other than produce of Canada, \$25,798.

I. O. G. T. Jubilee.—Fifty years ago the I. O. G. T. order was established on this continent, and to mark the occasion jubilee celebrations will be held throughout Canada and the United States between the 9th and 12th of this month. In Victoria the order has fixed upon Tuesday as its day of rejoicing and a concert has been arranged for that evening, when an excellent programme of music, singing and addresses will be presented.

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working Tarle—In garden of St. 250. The ore gave an average of \$2.95 per ton. The gross expenses of operation for the month were \$47. St. 6.

Was Well Armed.—Yesterday evening Constable J. Wood arrested a Jap at the corner of Government and Yates streets, who, to judge by the arms and amunition he was carrying, contemplated year upon somebody or something. The fete will commence at 3 o'clock and will continue during the grounds form an ideal place for an entertainment of this kind, being spacious and very pretty. The fete will commence at 3 o'clock and will continue during the afternoon and the devening. The entrance ticket will be beautifully illuminated, and the Cecilian orchestra, under the leadership ing the man more closely the office of the arms of the first popular ming the man more closely the office of the side with revolver cartridges. Examining the man more closely the office of the side with revolver cartridges. Examining the man more closely the office of the side with revolver cartridges. The strength of the first popular strength of the first popular and the corner of povernment and the corner of Government and the corner of Government and Yates streets armed as he was. He said he had been here for three the corner of the case.

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BEST CUSTOMER

A Detroit Paper Pleads for a Better Trade Arrangement With Canada.

From Detroit Tribune.

Within the past year or two the people of Michigan have had their attention most emphatically called to the existing commercial relations between the commercial relations and commercial relations between the commercial relations and commercial relations between the commercial relations and the commercial relations between the commercial relations and the commercial relations between the commercial relations and the commercial relations an by Senator Burrows, with the consequent retaliatory measures adopted at Toronto, resulting in the closing of the east shore mills and a most disappointing showing for Saginaw, Bay City and other Michigan cities in the recent federal census. Next the industrial developments at the Soo, which, in the space of a few months should greatly increase the population of the American town, but tariffs compelled the location of the larger and more important plants on the Canadian side. This served to renew discussion, and to compel recognition of the fact that our present customs system has outlived its usesupplies of the raw materials for many of our principal lines of productive industry are practically unlimited. We want these raw materials, and we want them delivered at our mills and factories on terms which will make their profitable working possible. So long as our own resources were sufficient, for our industrial activities, it was profitable, perhaps, to maintain tariffs which would keep our northern neighbors out of our markets. If so that time has passed, and now we must consider a fresh aspect of the case.

Hon. John Charlton, member of the Canadian parliament, and of the joint high commission, which has in charge the consideration of future commercial relations between the two countries, made a speech recently at Boston that seems to have attracted less attention than it deserves. While there was nothing in it which can be distorted into a threat, he pointed out clearly that the

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