

RATES MAY YET GO HIGHER

On the Steamers Plying on the Upper River.

Preparing to Go into Winter Quarters
—Canadian With Mail Expected Tomorrow.

Considerable confusion resulted among the steambot companies by the sudden change in the date originally given out as the time when rates would be increased for passage on the steamers. The change was to go into effect on the 10th, but Agent Rogers was notified by the head office to make the increase on the 14th, consequently \$55 was asked for first-class tickets at the W. P. & Y. R. Co.'s office yesterday. This rate will be maintained by all the boats plying on the upper river for the rest of the season with a strong probability of an increase as the end of navigation approaches.

The Leon and barge Otter, of the A. E. Co., sailed for Stewart river yesterday afternoon, where they will winter. This is the first time one of these barges has passed the Klondike.

The Gustin may come up river but is hardly expected by the A. E. Co. Should she do so she will go to her last winter's quarters near the mouth of the Stewart also.

The N. A. T. & T. Co. will winter the Barr here probably at her old berth in the eddy opposite the company's store. This company is expecting the Lavelle Young loaded, she having been chartered by the N. A. T. & T. Co. Also the Barr, Hamilton and Powers.

No boats arrived up to noon today from the upper river. The Canadian is 24 hours delayed. She met with some slight accident above Five Fingers and was reported this morning at Selkirk. It is hardly possible that she can get in tonight. She is carrying the mail.

E. A. Moerck, the fuel agent of the C. D. Co., returned from a two weeks' trip down river from Whitehorse in a canoe. He located different fuel stations along the river, the same to be operated this winter as C. D. Co. wood camps. With those taken up on this trip that company now has 27 wood stations on the upper river where the company's boats can take on their own wood. No more contracts will be given out by the company for wood as their own men will be worked all winter at these camps.

The following was received by wire: Steamer Victorian pulled into Whitehorse at 11 o'clock last night and left for down river as soon as loaded. The Flora left the same point at 4 this morning. Steamer Sybil reached Whitehorse at 5 this morning.

The Gold Star passed Selkirk going up at 10:30 last night. She was followed by the Siton at 2 this morning. Steamer Canadian passed down from that point at 9:30 this morning.

Creek News.

Mr. Oleson, of Orofine Hill, is in town today.

Messrs. Hall & Lushbaugh, of 35 Eldorado, are in town on business.

Messrs. Willet & Thompson and their wives were in town last week, the gentlemen looking after their numerous business matters and the ladies visiting among their numerous friends.

An Italian whose name was not learned, living on 34 Eldorado had a sack containing \$1000 stolen from his cabin. The sack was secreted in a can under the stove. On his return at noon from the hay field he found his bed all torn up, the thief evidently expecting to find the dust hidden there. The police were at once notified, but no trace of the thief has as yet been found.

A. J. McDonough, of Cheechako Hill was laid up last week with a severe cold.

A big dance was given at 33 road house last Thursday. A number of ladies were present. The fine music was remarked by all. Everyone present enjoyed themselves, and at midnight the dance closed with a big supper.

E. A. and Chas. Leak, of 52 below Bonanza, left limit, closed their summer's work last week. These gentlemen will resume work again in the spring.

Geo. W. Roland, of 7 Victoria pup, left for his old home last week.

Miss Clark, sister of Mrs. Jackson, of 29a Bonanza, arrived from California last week. Miss Clark brought with her little Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson. Margaret is one of the most interesting little ladies on the creeks. It is surprising to hear her describe the various places she has visited and what she thinks of them.

Mrs. Waechter and children arrived last week. Mr. Waechter got in from

31 below Bonanza just in time to meet them as they stepped onto the wharf. Mr. and Mrs. Hawley, of Monte Cristo, left for Seattle last week.

R. R. Reed, of 18a Bonanza, is the happiest man on the creek; cause, the arrival of his wife, whom he has been expecting for three weeks.

C. A. Harrison and wife, of 38 Eldorado, are in town today.

W. L. Thompson made a flying trip to town Thursday.

Messrs. Hibbs & Cole, of 4 Victoria, closed down their works Friday.

A big cave-in occurred in one of the tunnels of the Anglo Klondike Co. on Fox gulch last week; no one hurt.

J. D. Barnes and C. D. Blodgett, of 26 below Bonanza hillside, had a narrow escape last Tuesday. The men refused to go into the tunnel; Barnes & Blodgett being part owners, determined to get out the pipe, hose, points, tools, etc. On their way in for the third time an awful crash was heard. The bank caved in for a depth of 70 feet, crushing big timbers like matches.

Messrs. Blodgett, Barnes and Mensies will start a new tunnel at once and continue work throughout the winter.

The government road is good from town to 57 below Bonanza.

A Double Bed Rock.

Some of the claims on American creek in the Eagle district have discovered rather a curious state of affairs concerning the bedrock and pay gravel. From a recent report it seems that places have been found where there is no gravel whatever, the muck extending to the bedrock upon which is found fair pay. This bedrock has been penetrated and below it is found about four feet of pay gravel, and in the crevices of the bedrock below this is found better pay than on the layer above.

New Stamp Books.

Postmaster Hartman now has on sale small booklets each containing twelve 2-cent stamps. The stamps are arranged with a sheet of glazed paper between, so as to prevent their sticking together. This method of carrying stamps is very popular on the outside and promises to become equally so in Dawson.

'Twas Only a Dream.

A newspaper reporter dreamed one night that the editor had decided to get out a paper that was entirely satisfactory. Every item that was brought in was carried around to different houses, and if any objections were raised it was "killed." At 3 p. m. the paper went to press as usual, and when the patrons unfolded it that evening they found nothing but a blank sheet. The editor of the paper slept sweetly that night, realizing that he had printed nothing to offend anybody and that his paper was entirely satisfactory.—Ex.

Pa in a Small Corner.

"Say, pa?"
"What is it?"
"It says in the paper that when the Boers went away from Pretoria they left their wives behind."
"Yes."
"Why did they do that, pa?"
"Well, it might have been because it was the first chance they ever had to—Hello, ma. When did you come in? I don't know why they left them. Perhaps there was no way the ladies could get their trunks taken to the depot. Now don't bother me any more. I want to read about the war in China."

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Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following survey, notice of which is published below, has been approved by Wm. Ogilvie, Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, and unless protested within three months from the date of first publication of such approval in the Klondike Nugget newspaper, the boundaries of property as established by said survey shall constitute the true and unalterable boundaries of such property by virtue of an order in council passed at Ottawa the 2nd day of March, 1906.

No. 13 ELDERADO.—Creek claim No. 13, situated on Eldorado creek, in the Treadwell mining division of the Dawson mining district, Y. T., plans of which are deposited in the office of the Gold Commissioner, at Dawson, Y. T. Surveyed by G. W. S. Barwell, Dominion Land Surveyor. First published July 14, 1906.

BRIEF MENTION.

Byron James and wife, of Seattle, are registered at the Fairview.

Mr. H. H. Hart and wife of San Francisco, are visiting Dawson.

Gold Commissioner Senkler is expected to return about the 25th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McArthur, of San Francisco, are registered at the Regina.

Dr. Barnes and his brother the well known Whitehorse pilots who have been in Dawson for some time past, have returned up river.

A. F. George, familiarly known to his friends as "Prof." is down from Hunker renewing old acquaintance and enjoying a needed rest.

The A. E. Co.'s assay office has turned out several highly satisfactory assays within the past few days, in some cases returning upwards of \$16 for commercial dust.

Louise Plotcofer, a German woman formerly resident at the Forks, died at the Good Samaritan hospital yesterday of heart disease. She had been a patient of that institution during the past two months.

W. C. Orcutt, formerly of the freighting firm of Orcutt & Parlin, of this city, returned from a general trip of investigation of lower river points, including Nome, a day or two since, and will return to Rampart in a few days.

Quartz finds, or the rumors of them are numerous this week. John McRae is down from the Stewart river yesterday and had a piece of quartz which showed about one-third native gold. He says he has located and staked the ledge.

The Ottawa government has communicated a decision in the Lake Lebarge fisheries controversy between Fishermen Humes and Clark, which effectually disposes of the matter. It has been decided that Humes is an American, and therefore not entitled to hold a fishery license.

The local market as regards perishables and staples remains practically fixed so far as prices are concerned. It is thought by dealers that this winter will be different from all former years inasmuch as there will be little or no corn and that the price of fresh meats will remain low throughout the season.

W. H. Beattie, a clerk in the mining inspector's office at Gold Bottom was riding up the ridge road on one of Orr & Tukey's freight wagons yesterday and was thrown from the seat when near the Twelvemile house, by the wagon's going into a chuck hole. His left leg was broken as a consequence, and he was brought back to the Good Samaritan hospital.

Dr. Wilcoxson has received a letter from W. D. Ross who went to Nome this spring and is coming back via Seattle. He says its the toughest camp he's ever in. Mud is knee deep in the streets, and thousands of men are tramping the country looking for work which cannot be had. He closes his letter by saying that possibly it may be a good camp some time in the future.

A fight occurred on the street in front of the Rochester Bar this afternoon between an ex-dog catcher and man from the creeks. The latter was drunk but not so as to enable him to put up a good, strong defence. The police interfered and the second round will probably be refereed by a police magistrate Monday morning. The ridge road to the Forks and on to Dominion and Sulphur is said to be in very fine condition, there not having been any rain for nearly two weeks.

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"It seems but a few months ago since the usual clothing worn by the Dawson public was of the coarsest nature, and machinists in all their hideous colors were seen upon men who today are as careful of their dress as the most fastidious habitue of the boulevards in the effete east.

"Fortunately for me, I anticipated just such a change, and placing my orders for this winter's supply I have made it my point to have shipped to the Star Clothing House the finest wearing apparel obtainable. At my establishment today I can supply my customers with the new clothing and haberdashery demanded by the changed conditions to which I have referred.

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