

NUGGET'S REPRESENTATIVE WRITES.

None Has More Stories Than Gold Dust in Circulation.

Everybody Has Claims for Sale, but Not Many Are Being Worked - Powers of Attorney Are Recognized - \$10,000 Story Not Verified.

St. Michael, June 21, 1899.

ED. NUGGET - Dear Sir: We arrived here yesterday at 4 p. m., after laying off about thirty-five hours at the different towns and Indian camps along the river. We were delayed two days on sandbars, but for the most part we enjoyed a fine voyage. The weather at St. Michael is simply horrible. The thermometer registers 42 degrees above zero, and a stiff wind is blowing from the north and there is not a drop of rye in the town.

The British-American steamship Garonne arrived here Sunday from Victoria with 339 passengers and left Monday for Cape Nome with about 300 people and 200 tons of freight. She is expected here some time tomorrow.

We expect to sail for Cape Nome tomorrow evening, but I hope that the Garonne will arrive in port before we sail, so that I may be able to write you some late news.

There is no one here who has returned from the camp later than April 11, owing to the fact that the ice in Bering sea only broke the 17th inst. I had a talk with Mr. Shenbert of the N. A. T. & T. Co., and he assures me that two men rocked out \$1500 in four days, and that is all he is willing to state. Both the A. C. Co. and the N. A. T. & T. Co. have stores in operation at Cape Nome.

It is true that almost all the employees of both companies were over there this winter and staked, and many of their laborers are over there yet, but all the men holding good positions returned in April over the ice.

I had a talk with men of both companies and they all say that not a hole has been put down to bedrock in the entire region.

There is no wood on the creeks, that being given as the reason why no holes were sunk. It is claimed that the \$1800 spoken of above was taken out last October, just before the freeze-up.

I am offered claims and also town lots over there by some of the A. C. Co. boys. Twenty acres constitute a claim.

Powers of attorney are allowed, but it costs \$27.50 to record. Of this amount \$25 goes for a hospital fund.

The fare to Cape Nome from St. Michael is \$25. I am told that provisions sell at Dawson prices. On the strength of the \$1800 story 3500 claims have been located and recorded by about 250 people. It is the opinion of people here that a row will result over the use of powers of attorney.

June 22 - I have just met three men who arrived here last evening from Cape Nome. They state that there are three creeks in active operation, namely: Anvil, Snow gulch and Dexter. Anvil creek has eighteen claims on it and is the longest creek of the three. Four claims on the three creeks have sluice boxes on them. The men whipsawed the lumber from driftwood on the beach.

There are a few rockers working. On some of the claims they work the ground by burning the moss of the surface on each side of the sluice boxes. The pay dirt, they say, begins right at the grass roots. They scrape the thawed dirt off every day and shovel it into the sluice boxes. These men are Norwegians and seem truthful. They say that almost every man has from ten to twenty claims and half interests, and claims are held at from \$500 to \$2000. Nobody is trying to get to bedrock. Four feet is the deepest that has yet been sunk. The Norwegians said they thought this hole was pretty close to bedrock. They did not bring any gold down with them, but said another man was bringing \$10,000. He has not as yet arrived.

I shall write again as soon as I have seen the ground, and then shall be able to give you more accurate and definite information. Meanwhile I remain, very truly yours, PHILIP SMYTHNER.

LATEST OUTSIDE NEWS.

BARCELONA DISORDERS CONTINUE. BARCELONA, July 5. - There was a renewal of the disorders here last night. A band of rioters attacked the church of San Matrona and the Jesuits' school. The police charged and the mob pelted them with stones. Later the police were reinforced by gendarmes and infantry, and finally scattered the mob. Many conflicts took place, and many people were wounded. The theatres are closed.

The disorders were renewed this evening when the workmen were leaving the factories. Several persons were wounded in charges by the mounted gendarmes. The violence of the mob continued to be directed against the churches and the priests. Trade is suffering severely. It is stated that martial law will be proclaimed.

SEATTLE GOLD RECEIPTS.

SEATTLE, July 9. - There are not many busier offices in this city than the Seattle branch of the government mint, commonly referred to as the assay office, though strictly speaking an adjunct of the United States mint. Since Yukon gold commenced flowing in two weeks ago the force of the office has had little rest. Of this season's output of Klondike gold the Seattle mint has to date taken in more than \$500,000, which is represented in 285 deposits. This equals the total receipts of the mint since its establishment 11 months and 20 days ago, to the enormous figure of \$5,700,000. Over 3500 men and women contributed as depositors.

Of the total sum over \$5,000,000 came from the Klondike.

MUST HAVE HAD A JOOLY FLYE.

CHICAGO, July 5. - The Tribune prints statistics from 62 of the principal cities of the nation, showing the results of patriotic fever on July 4. The number of killed reported is three; injured, 1074. Fire losses due to fireworks, \$149,105. Of the injured 627 were hurt by cannon firecrackers, 113 by toy cannon, 60 by powder explosions, 59 by skyrockets, 143 by guns and revolvers and 15 by stray bullets.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 8. - A warrant, based upon a complaint sworn to by the representative of a New York newspaper, was issued today from County Attorney Putman's office for the arrest of President Angus M. Cannon, of the Salt Lake Stake of the Mormon church, charging him with polygamy, which is cited as being contrary to the provisions of sections 4,209 and 4,216 of the compiled laws of the state of Utah, 1898.

The affidavit cites a long list of witnesses in support of the above charge, including F. S. Bascom, Senator A. J. Cannon, Martha P. Hughes Cannon, wife of Angus M. Cannon; Lorenzo Snow, president of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; Gov. H. B. Wells; George Q. Cannon, counsel of the First Presidency; Joseph F. Smith, H. J. Grant, John H. Smith, John S. Winder, Aquilla Nebeker, president of the state senate, and J. T. Hammond, secretary of state.

READY FOR THE ROW.

LONDON, July 5. - The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon says the secretary of state for war, the Marquis of Lansdowne, in conjunction with the military chiefs, has completed arrangements to dispatch 40,000 to 50,000 troops of all arms to South Africa, in the event of matters taking a turn for the worse. It is added that all necessary arrangements have been made there for a distribution of troops on arrival.

PRETORIA, July 5. - The special conference between President Kruger, the members of the executive council of the Orange Free State, who was the bearer of compromise suggestions from the Free State in the matter of the dispute between the Transvaal and Great Britain, and Hoffmeyer, the Afrikaner leader, has been practically concluded. It is believed the franchise proposals have been accepted, and may be laid before the volksraad tomorrow, and that peace will be preserved.

EXPANSION ALL THE GO.

OLYMPIA, July 5. - Gov. Rogers, when asked today if he knew of anything startling, said: "There is one thing I do know now, even if I didn't know it before, and that is that it is idle and useless to talk or work against expansion of the holding of territory conquered by the military branch of the United States government." After seeing the reception tendered to the officers and men of the Iowa at Tagoma yesterday it is preposterous to talk against expansion. Why, the people simply went wild over them, and they were cheered to the echo and called "The hero of Santiago." Even the goat came in for his share of praise, the people believing there never was such a goat before and that there never will be such a one again.

OUTSIDE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Late Texas floods will result in the loss of upwards of 200 lives, it is thought. Armed union miners in the Coeur d'Alene are driving the non-union men out of the country.

In New York on June 30 Charles Murphy, while peed by a locomotive, made a mile in 57.4 seconds.

John E. McLean of Ohio is said to be out for the democratic nomination for president against Bryan.

Young Prince Bismarck has made a speech in the Reichstag eulogistic of the government, and it is understood the emperor will reward him with appointment to some high position, possibly the chancellorship.

Emperor William visited a French training ship at Bergen in response to an invitation issued by order of the French government, and now all Europe is agog over it. It is believed to constitute "a turning point in the world's history," as the papers put it.

Cardinal Rampolla has announced to Archbishop Bruchest that the new papal legate, who will permanently reside in Canada and be the direct representative of the Holy See, will be Mgr. Falconio, titular archbishop of Acerenza and Matera.

Woman Beater Punished.

Boston Page, the Monte Carlo man who brutally beat and maltreated Maud Raymond an actress, was arraigned before Colonel Steels on Thursday. The Colonel was appalled of the nature of the woman's injuries and that the assault was the second of which Page was guilty, and he punished the defendant by banishing him from the territory, the order to take effect within twenty-four hours on pain of imprisonment. Page didn't wait on ceremony but got out.

Miss Raymond was badly, though not seriously, injured. There were bruises on her head, face, neck, body, arms and legs, the latter being the most hurt. They were all, it is said, made by Page's boots.

Miss Raymond was able to leave the Monte Carlo for her home on Tuesday.

Another Cabin Burned.

The home of Mr and Mrs. James Moore, located on the hill east of Dawson, was destroyed by fire on Sunday, together with all the contents. The folks were away at the time and the cause of the fire is unknown. Mr. and Mrs. Moore reside at Tagoma when at home.

Purchase your outfit now and not be imposed upon by having to pay exorbitant rates later. The Yukon Outfitting & Express Co.'s buyer leaves shortly for the outside to purchase outfit. Office, Room 9, Bodegas building.

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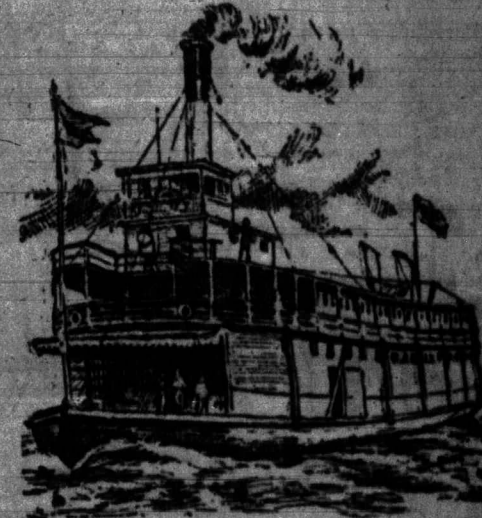
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