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MR. SAYLOR REGALED

Meets Many Dawsonites At Zero Club.

Where He Was Distinguished Guest of Honor at Saturday Night's Reception.

The Zero Club apartments were crowded Saturday night with members and their guests, the occasion being a reception to Mr. H. D. Saylor, recently arrived United States Consul for Dawson. As the guests arrived they were presented to Mr. Saylor by Acting President of the club, Thomas McGowan.

It was 11 o'clock and after a full hour had been whiled away in general conversation and in music from the orchestra, that E. B. Gordon called the assembly to order and introduced the acting president, Mr. McGowan, who, in a few words gave a welcome not only to the guest of honor but to other guests of the club. The president appointed Barney Sugrue sergeant-at-arms for the night and then introduced Mr. Alfred Thompson who, in behalf of the city of Dawson and of the British subjects of the Yukon district welcomed Mr. Saylor to Dawson and the Yukon. Dr. Thompson said, among other nice things: "Of all people who may come to our country we welcome to Americans is most sincere and they of all people are most welcome."

Mr. Saylor, when introduced by the president, was most heartily applauded. In slow, measured and distinct tones, for he is a very deliberate speaker, the new consul expressed his appreciation of the courtesy extended by the club whose guest he was and by the Canadians to whose country he had come as an ambassador for the very kindly and brotherly manner in which he had been received. Taking from his pocket a small book case and from that a miniature gold pen which bore engraved upon it the invitation from the Zero Club to their guest for the occasion, Mr. Saylor said that, while he had not come to mine literal gold from the country, he hoped it would be his to bring out golden opinion and goodwill from Americans and Canadians alike during his tenure in office as a diplomat in the Yukon.

Following Mr. Saylor's address the orchestra rendered the "Star-Spangled Banner," the audience joining in the chorus.

C. M. Woodworth, Esq., was the next speaker. He advocated matrimony and spoke freely of Mr. Saylor as a gentleman and a fitting man to represent the great republic from whence he came. Mr. Woodworth and Mr. Saylor traveled in the same stage from Whitehorse, consequently saw much of each other and became, as Mr. Woodworth said, like brothers before arriving in Dawson. Mr. Woodworth said that next to Canadians, Americans are the best people on earth and that of all foreign flags he admired and respected the Stars and stripes most.

And the orchestra played "The Maple Leaf Forever," the crowd joining in the chorus.

Frank Johnson brought down the house with a French dialect story in which he condemned the granting of the Fairgold concession.

At this juncture Mr. Woodworth moved that Mr. Saylor be made an honorary member of the Zero Club, the question being carried unanimously.

Messrs. Clayton and Aske rendered a vocal duet which was followed by an address and several good stories by Allan R. Joy.

Mr. Rudy Kalenborn, acting German consul, was introduced and, after a few remarks, yielded to the popular demand for the rendition of a couple of German songs.

Mr. Dufferin Patullo, consul for Norway and Sweden, was next introduced, and in a few neatly delivered words welcomed Mr. Saylor to Dawson's diplomatic corps.

The club, anthem, "Why do we love you," was sung with as much vigor as the very mild but delicious punch which was copiously served would insure.

Mr. Noel, Mr. Sugrue and Mr. Teasdale followed in the order named with remarks and amusing stories, at the conclusion of which President McGowan invited everybody to repair to the dining room which, on being opened, was found to contain a most delicious supper to which all present did ample justice.

What had taken place previous to the supper was designated as "High

Jinks" and what followed the repast was called "Low Jinks," but why the distinction should have been made was not clear, as among the best speeches and music of the occasion were the after-supper productions. Mr. E. B. Congdon presided as master of "Low Jinks" ceremonies, the speakers of which were Messrs. L. R. Fulda, Leroy Tozier, E. C. Senkler, F. T. Congdon, Hon. Justice Dugas and others. A cake walk by Messrs. Chisholm and McRae was one of the interesting and amusing features of the post repast program.

The entertainment went merrily on until well along in the early morning and at its conclusion the guest of honor could heartily exclaim: "Truly are my lines cast in pleasant places."

FEDERAL BUILDINGS

Official Residences For Territorial Judges.

Offices For Mining Inspectors, the Total Estimate of Which Will Aggregate \$50,000.

In the list of estimates which went forward to Ottawa some time ago was an appropriation asked for, aggregating about \$50,000, which it is proposed to expend this summer in the erection of additional federal buildings needed in and about Dawson. Those to be built in the city will include only an official residence for each of the territorial judges, the plans for which have already been drawn ready to begin work as soon as the budget has passed parliament and the weather will permit. Where the residences of the judges will be located has not been decided upon definitely, but they will doubtless be within reasonable distance of the court house. The structures will be commodious and imposing and of a substantial character fully in keeping with the other buildings erected by the federal government. The approximate cost of each will be \$15,000.

In addition to the buildings just referred to there are also four offices for mining inspectors to be erected, one at Grand Forks, one on Hunker probably at Gold Bottom, one on Gold Run and one on the Stewart. That built at the Forks will cost \$6,000, which will be about the cost of the others. The location of the one to be built on the Stewart river has not been decided upon. It will probably be put up at the mouth of the river, the present location of the Stewart mining inspector, as that is the most convenient for such officer when the close proximity of creeks other than tributaries of the Stewart are taken into consideration.

There can be but little doubt that the buildings contemplated will be

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Record Not Broken

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.—Claude Crouse, a linotype operator, has broken the record by setting 86,200 ems in seven hours and forty-five minutes.

(This is no record to be sent over the wire. Four years ago J. T. Riley, of Denver, Col., set 107,000 ems in seven hours and fifteen minutes. The man who is setting this up on a Monoline in the Nugget office says he can beat the record telegraphed if somebody will make it a consideration.

Charge Absurd

Washington, Feb. 15.—The dispute regarding the attitude of the powers to the United States previous to the Spanish war is occupying much space in the American and British press and it is agreed by them that the charges made by Germany that Pauncefote was secretly antagonistic to America are absurd.

Hors de Combat

New York, Feb. 15.—Kid Lavigne broke both the bones of his forearm while training with his sparring partner, consequently his fight with O'Brien on the 23rd has been postponed.

To Consolidate

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—It is reported that the Adams, United States, Wells-Fargo and American Express Companies are to be merged into one corporation with E. H. Harriman as president.

General Vaccination

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Every railway employe from the presidents down to messenger boys, has been ordered vaccinated as a spread of smallpox is feared.

Shot to Kill

Sandwich, Ont., Feb. 15.—In a quarrel over wages today Farmer John Francis shot Fred Hardis, a Swede employe. Hardis will probably die.

Want More Tariff

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—Promoters of the beet sugar industry are petitioning the Dominion government to temporarily raise the sugar tariff.

Legislatures Open

Montreal, Feb. 13.—The legislatures of Quebec and Nova Scotia opened today. Thos. Robertson was chosen speaker of the latter.

Boer Delegates

The Hague, Feb. 15.—Boer delegates have left this place on some secret mission. It is believed they are bound for the United States.

Hospital Closed

Quebec, Feb. 15.—The Civic Contagious Diseases hospital has been closed for lack of funds. As a result much indignation is expressed.

built as proposed. Parliament is now in session and one of the first acts of that body generally is the passage of bills containing the annual appropriations asked for. Estimates recommended by the commissioner may be considered practically the same as passed. The appropriation does not become available until July 1, after the completion of the present fiscal year, but upon notification of the passage of the bill work may be begun prior to that date, if it is so desired, payment of bills being deferred until such time as the funds become available. The plans for all the buildings to be put up this year are from the hands of Dominion Architect T. W. Fuller, whose complete mastery of his profession is shown in the federal buildings already gracing the city.

boundaries established by Mr. Fawcett, surveyor, which the court of appeal declared to be within the limits of the claims of the defendants, but had the said boundaries fixed even at fifty feet further on the defendants' claims, contrary to the dictum of the court of appeal.

"Under the circumstances I cannot see, for the present, my way to granting the injunction asked for, and the motion is therefore dismissed with costs with permission to renew afterward should circumstances warrant it."

JUDGMENT RENDERED

Injunction in Famous Case is Denied.

Clerical Error in Decision of Court of Appeal Causes Much Difficulty.

Graves at Ottawa

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—President Graves of the White Pass has arrived in Ottawa from England and with Newell, Crysler, (Ottawa barrister), and Mitchell, interviewed Premier Laurier yesterday, the premier passing them to Minister of Railways Blair and he to Deputy Minister Shrieber.

Live Wire

Sydney, C.B., Feb. 15.—Robert Glover was killed by a live wire here today.

Two Much Gossip

Perth, Ont., Feb. 15.—Gossipers have caused the retirement from the ministry of Rev. Foster McAmmond.

Big Shortage

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 16.—Lancefield, the absconding librarian, is short \$5,000.

Chipped diamonds, yellow diamonds or flawed diamonds can not be bought at J. L. Sale & Co.'s. They carry only the best.

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The gold is found in slide matter on Seven pup. Where did it come from?

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LEW CRADEN, Acting Manager.