

VISITED BRYAN

C. J. Vifquin, Well Known Yukon River Steamboat Purser Spends Winter East.

WITH HIS PARENTS AT LINCOLN, NEB.

The Home of Democratic and Populistic Ideal.

BRYAN PLEASSED WITH GIFT

Voted to Him in Nugget's Presidential Election—His Paper, the Commoner, is Very Popular.

From Tuesday's Daily. C. J. Vifquin temporarily on the Bonanza King as purser, has recently returned from his home at Lincoln, Nebraska, where he spent all of last winter. While there Mr. Vifquin visited William Jennings Bryan the distinguished Democratic leader, and was received by him with the greatest cordiality.

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gushed Democratic leader, and was received by him with the greatest cordiality. Mr. Bryan expressed his admiration of the valuable gift presented to him by the Nugget and extends to the Americans in the Klondike his keen appreciation of their evidence of good will towards him which was proven in the mock election held here last winter.

Steamer Nora Sails. The Klondike Corporation Co.'s steamer Nora left for Whitehorse this afternoon with the following passengers: Mrs. F. W. Cabbage, Gus Lindstrom, Mrs. Lindstrom, Mrs. P. B. Moore, Jos. Joyce, John Williams, W. H. Conners, E. L. Peterson, W. Trombley, P. Arthur, P. Beodoe, O. Brother, John Strom, R. Sim, Jno. Carriers, A. Mikak, J. Arora, K. Timmonen, H. Landry, M. Sberby, Ed. Carlson, S. Ham, Mrs. M. T. Hammond, W. Watchman, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, Swan Carlson.

SETTLE THAT HAT BET AT Sargent & Pinski's THE ONLY HOUSE IN DAWSON THAT SELLS THE HIGH GRADE ...STETSON HAT... Same price as charged for cheaper goods.

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RECEIVED BY WIRE. King Edward's Escape.

Southampton, May 22, via Skagway. The king escaped unhurt but Sir May 28.—King Edward had a narrow escape today from what might have been a serious accident. He was out with Sir Thomas Lipton in the latter's yacht Shamrock which he built as the American cup challenger. A heavy storm was encountered and just as King Edward was half in and half out of the hatch the mast snapped and the whole sailing gear collapsed on the deck.

EAGLE CITY NEWS NOTES

Winter was Quiet But Present Outlook Good.

At Eagle City a man named Thos. Wilson recently became violently insane, due, the doctor who examined him said, to religious dependency. His principal delusion is as to his destiny and he imagines sometime that he is the ruler of the universe and other times he is the most menial of slaves.

Eagle City has been very quiet the past winter, but the outlook is much brighter for it this summer. A number of the creeks are reported as being good payers and it is expected that a considerable amount of work will be done in the vicinity this summer.

Nothing definite concerning any new developments in the proposed railroad from Valdez to Eagle are known but everyone is of the opinion that it is now a surety and it will only be a question of time when the cars will be seen steaming into the Yukon country from Valdez.

The court for the district has been removed from Rampart to Eagle and the July sittings of the court will be held at the latter place.

There is on the docket for the July sitting of the court over two hundred cases which will require the presence in the town of several hundred people, including principals, witnesses and jurymen. Several criminal cases will be up for trial, and on the first boat down the river the deputy sheriff, accompanied by other officials, will start for Rampart, where the prisoners are now located and will bring them up to Eagle for trial.

Eagle City has one of the best locations for a townsite on the Yukon river and if the railroad makes that its headquarters Eagle will be a lively and prosperous town.

They Saw Chicago. Joe Le May, partner of Joe Bohm, returned yesterday by canoe from a trip to the outside where he spent the winter.

FEELING FOR BOTTOM

Dawson Prices Drop Under Low Water Mark.

The old campaign watchword "Down with high prices," has been heard in Dawson and since the opening of the river and the influx of the innumerable scows prices on certain commodities have fallen with a mighty crash.

Meats have also taken a drop. Fresh beef is quoted from 40 to 45 cents wholesale, fresh mutton 50 cents, cold storage mutton 40 cents, hams 27 and 28 cents, bacon 27 cents, last year's bacon is quoted at 24 cents.

The commodity to receive the biggest drop in the price is eggs which have dropped in less than a month from \$60 per case to \$40 to \$46.

The Dawson market is very unstable and prices quoted today may be very materially changed tomorrow.

It is not thought that prices will advance very much from now until the closing of navigation again in the fall.

COMING AND GOING.

All danger from high water on Bonanza is reported as passed.

Mail for the outside will be carried on the Victorian on next Thursday.

Messrs. Ernest M. Whalley and H. V. V. Bean arrived in Dawson Sunday night in a canoe.

Tom Davies, Percy Swan and Capt. Richie are recent arrivals in Dawson from the outside.

Tom L. Greek and P. McDiarmid left Dawson early this morning in a small boat for Nome.

Mr. T. C. Healey of the Regina has possession of a small nugget which came from 16 Eldorado which weighs something over \$100.

Weldy Young, mining recorder for the Clear creek division, is in Dawson for a few days. He will return to his post about June 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Pearl and Miss Pearl are among late arrivals from Skagway. They brought a scow load of merchandise, principally dry goods.

Mr. Chas. Hall, the genial representative of the A. C. Co., at Fortymile, arrived in Dawson with the returning A. B. excursionists on the Clifford Sifton yesterday afternoon.

W. H. Conners and Al. Peterson of Dominion, Col. J. H. McLaughlin of Gold Bottom and Mr. and Mrs. Breckenridge of Grand Forks are guests today at the Regina hotel.

On Thursday of this week at 6 p. m. on the barracks grounds the Gandolfo and the Townsend & Rose baseball teams will play another match game.

After a week's visit with her many Dawson friends Mrs. Ed. Hering and two children left on the stage this morning for Caribou on Dominion, where Mr. Hering has charge of the Nugget's circulation for the creeks of Dominion, Sulphur and Gold Run.

Wife—Isn't it a fact, dear, that handsome men are proverbially disagreeable? Husband—Well, I don't know. I always try to be pleasant.—London Fun.

Canned spring chicken. Selman & Myers.

Photo supplies reduced at Goetzman's. Try Allman's sanitarium bath. Try Allman's scrub baths.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. HAWKINS IS MUM.

Has Nothing to Say Regarding Ottawa Extension Order.

Skagway, May 28.—Superintendent and General Manager E. C. Hawkins of the White Pass & Yukon Route, returned last night from below and left for Whitehorse this morning. He has nothing to say regarding the declaration of the railway committee at Ottawa that the railroad must be extended to Selkirk within one year.

The three new steamers just completed by the W. P. & Y. R. at Whitehorse have been christened Dawson, Selkirk and Whitehorse.

POLICE COURT.

In police court yesterday afternoon Duncan Sinclair, a South Dawson retailer of the oil of joy, was fined \$100 and costs for furnishing liquor to Indians. The two Indian women who had been drunk were each fined \$5 and costs.

Magistrate Wroughton presided this morning and only one lone victim was before him on the charge of having imbibed too freely. That one was Andrew Werronen and Andy was fortunate that he was not the subject of a coroner's inquest instead of being a prisoner at half mast on a trivial charge, as he had been found last night in a helpless condition on the outer edge of the C. D. wharf. A fine of \$5 and costs was imposed.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT

Bonanza King Was O. K.—Steamers That Will Sail.

The steamer Bonanza King under the guiding hands of Capt. Steve Martin, arrived all O. K. last night much to the surprise of steambot men who had her hard and fast on a bar away from the regular channel. The report published of her stranding was this time at least unwarranted and was due to the fact that the channel near Hellgate has left its old course and now takes a turn on the opposite side of the river. She was sighted away from the presumed channel by down-coming voyagers and reported hard aground. She will return to Whitehorse immediately when it is designed she will be put on the ways and fitted up exclusively for a freight boat.

The steamer J. P. Light, the powerful boat of the Dawson & Whitehorse Navigation Co., is dispatched today to the scene of the flood at Fortymile. She will load there some 50 tons of damaged stuff, the same having been contracted for by local speculators. Her arrival in Dawson from the trip is looked for on Wednesday night. She will be placed on the St. Michael run this summer. R. B. Woodson has opened an office for the company at Aurora dock.

The Nora returned from Indian river last night and will sail for Whitehorse today.

The Clifford Sifton sails for Whitehorse Wednesday. Her hour of departure will be announced later.

The Leon will be the next boat dispatched by the Northern Navigation Co. down stream. She leaves for Koyukuk connections next Sunday.

The river is constantly rising and each day sees it steadily climbing up towards the highwater mark. River men all say there is a strong probability of extreme high water. The Pelly is running bank full and a great deal of drift wood is coming down that stream showing an unusual volume of water there. Stewart and White rivers are also high, although the latter has not as yet commenced to give its full volume of water.

Rubber gloves for sluicing. Cribba & Rogers.

Holland herring. Selman & Myers.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. ANARCHIST BRESSI

Who Killed King Humbert Commits Suicide in His Cell by Hanging

WITH A BLANKET MADE ROPE.

Trial of Colored Editor Brings Out Interesting Evidence.

STRIKE CONTINUES TO SPREAD

Presidential Trip May be Continued From Frisco—Revenue Cutter Runs on Rocks.

From Tuesday's Daily. Rome, May 22, via Skagway, May 28.—Anarchist Bressi who assassinated King Humbert, committed suicide in his cell at the penitentiary by hanging himself with a rope which he manufactured from the blankets of his bed.

Coon Editor on Trial. Seattle, May 23, via Skagway, May 28.—The trial of Clayton the negro editor on the charge of criminal libel preferred by Chief of Police Meredith is bringing out some very evidence. John Consideine testified that when Meredith was on the police force there was money left for him every night at his (Consideine's) place, by the "big mitt" joints.

Strike Still Spreads. Seattle, May 23, via Skagway, May 28.—The strike of machinists and iron workers all over the country is still spreading. Here the employes of the electric works have struck and joined the other strikers for the reason that non-union men are employed.

May Complete Trip. San Francisco, May 22, via Skagway, May 28.—The presidential party may yet complete its trip as originally planned, as Mrs. McKinley continues to improve very rapidly. The president was given a good reception by the California Pioneers today.

Cutter Damaged. Victoria, May 23, via Skagway, May 28.—The U. S. revenue cutter Grant ran on the rocks off Sanich Island yesterday and was badly damaged. She was on her way to Alaska on a six months' cruise as a member of the Berling sea patrol.

New Pacified. Nueva Caceres, Province of South Camarines, Luzon, April 28.—This turbulent region is now pacified. The Philippine commission has traveled 20 miles by river to this point, having established provincial government for North and South Camarines. The commissioners have been greeted with banners inscribed with "Long live the commission," and "Out with the friars."

The question as to whether a native or an American shall be governor has been settled by the appointment, until such time as an election may be held, of Lieut. George Curry, of the Allevin volunteer cavalry. Maj. Henry B. McCoy, of the Forty-fourth volunteer infantry, was appointed treasurer, and Lieut. Elmer O. Werrick, of the Forty-fifth volunteer infantry, supervisor.

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