

## A FULL HOUSE

Greeted Magistrate Scarth This Morning at Ten O'Clock

WHEN NUMEROUS CASES WERE HEARD.

Merchants Must Not Obstruct the Streets With Their Buildings.

AN INDIAN IN GOLF PANTS

Arrested for Being Drunk—Where Did He Get the Hootch?—Two Fines for Not Cleaning Premises.

(From Friday's Daily.)  
In police court this morning a large portion of Dawson's population was in attendance. Some were there for obstructing streets and alleys, some for neglecting to clean up their premises, some for throwing garbage on the streets and others for being drunk. As a whole, it looked to the casual observer more like a Democratic convention than a police court, for the reason that people were present from all the walks and shady avenues of life.

The first cases called were a batch of charges of obstructing the streets and alleys with merchandise, buildings, stairs, verandas, et cetera, which to the eagle eyes of Sergeant Wilson and Constable Borrowers did not look good. Those up were all business men, namely: J. P. McLennan, W. H. Twohy, James Hall, D. A. Shindler, O. J. Anderson and J. H. Ward. They one and all wore a conciliatory look that bespoke no intent to violate in any way a law of the land. Capt. Scarth, the presiding magistrate, explained that such practices could not and would not be tolerated, and dismissed the cases. That batch of Dawson's population melted out into the summer sunshine as the cases were severally dismissed.

Dolphus S. Leggett was the next man on the list. Dorph was charged with having, in the Gold Hill hotel at Grand Forks yesterday, cultivated an uproarious jag—a jag which caused him to not only be disorderly, but to ruthlessly break a pane of glass of the value of \$8.80. A fine of \$10 and costs, also the cost of the glass, was imposed. The total, \$28.80, was paid, and Dolph followed the merchants down town.

William Pelly, a steersman on the good ship John Cudahy, is to "the manor born, sah," in that his veins are wholly uncontaminated with the blood of the white man. William is a full-blooded Indian, but is civilized to such a degree as to wear golf pants and very loud hosiery. At any early hour this morning he had been found in a condition very much the worse for fire-water and was taken by a policeman to the skookum house. In court he looked as though harmony prevailed between the taste in his mouth and the color of his face, both being the color of a well smoked '88 Rex ham. "Tell me," said the court, "where you got the whisky?" William grinned like a ground-hog but said nothing. A fine of \$5 and costs was imposed and an order made to hold the Indian in jail 14 days, or until he revealed the particular saloon in which he procured whisky. The latter part of the sentence appeared to move "Lo," as he said he could point out the place where he had obtained the whisky. An officer was sent out in his company to locate the paint store that has so flagrantly violated the Indian act as to sell whisky to one of the race.

J. H. Weiter, of the Criterion hotel, was up on the charge of not cleaning up the alley in the rear of his premises. Weiter explained that his premises do not open upon the alley and that he is not responsible for the condition of that thoroughfare. The case was continued until 2 p. m. in order that the premises might be more rigidly investigated.

For throwing garbage on a Second avenue alley, Edward F. Wood was fined \$100 and costs; the court declaring that such practices must be stopped.

Chester C. Hull, one of the proprietors of the bath house in the rear of the Fairview hotel, contended that, owing to the peculiar lay of the country by his place, it is not possible to keep the place clean and dry for the reason that water has to run up hill to get out of the slough which is the recipient of the excrement from five different drain pipes. As this is known to exist, Hull was instructed to arrange for the carrying off of the water from his own place of business and informed that the authorities will look after the slough.

Wilson Foster, charged with putting garbage in an alley succeeded in satis-

fying the court that he is not responsible for its presence. The case was dismissed.

Alex McDonald appeared by proxy to answer to the charge of failure to clean up a lot in the rear of McLennan's dry goods store, which lot Constable Borrowers stated, is in a very filthy condition. The constable further stated that he had warned Mr. McDonald three weeks ago to clean up the lot and that inspection made by him yesterday evening had showed conclusively that the warning had not been heeded. The proxy said the lot would now be put in good sanitary condition at once. But, for not already having attended to the matter, a fine of \$100 and costs was imposed.

Frank Luthimer Shot.

Frank Luthimer, a painter and paper hanger, formerly of Dawson, has been shot and killed at Nome.

Luthimer left here early this spring and went out over the ice, buying a stock of wallpaper and other goods of that kind which he shipped to Nome on the steamer Humboldt, taking passage on the same boat. When he got his goods onto the Nome beach a row was in progress, and in the course of the argument arising between the parties in dispute, shot shots were fired. As is often the case, an innocent party got shot. Luthimer was struck in the neck by one of the bullets, and soon died. He is remembered here as a particularly inoffensive and quiet young man.

The Citizens Committee.

At the meeting held by the citizens committee in McDonald hall last evening, Col. McGregor, Alex McDonald, McMullen, Woodworth, Proudhomme and Noel were present.

A resolution was offered by McMullen and seconded by Proudhomme, to telegraph his excellency the governor general, asking what steps had been taken for the holding of an election to elect members to the Yukon council, and the probable date of same. The resolution was adopted, and after some little discussion of minor matters the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Large Shipment of Dust.

The Seattle papers are making a great ado over a shipment of gold dust which recently arrived in that port on the San Blas from St. Michael.

There was an even million dollars in the consignment and it was shipped by the Bank of B. N. A., of Dawson to the assay office of Seattle. One-half million dollars was dispatched from here on the Rock Island and the same amount on the Seattle No. 3, both operated by the S.-Y. T. Co., from which boats it was transferred to the San Blas. This is the largest single consignment ever sent from this country. It was landed in Seattle 19 days after being stored on the S.-Y. T. Co.'s boats.

Preparing for Winter.

Thousands of cords of wood for fuel are now being rafted down the Yukon to this city. The majority of the wood comes from near the mouths of the Indian and Stewart rivers where there is considerable heavy timber. Each year it becomes necessary to go farther up the river farther back into the interior to procure fuel, and ere the elapse of many years the supply will be practically exhausted. But by that time there is no doubt but coal will have been discovered and developed in sufficient quantity to supply the fuel required not only for domestic purposes, but for the river fleet.

Stock at Large.

A number of persons in Dawson assert that the law which provides for the impounding of dogs should be extended so as to embrace horses, mules and cattle which are allowed the free run of the city. The complaint is made that in the residence portion of the hillside loose stock is very much of a nuisance during the hours of the night when constant tramping and rubbing against cabins is an annoyance to those who are striving to woo nature's sweet restorer. These people do not hesitate to say that the cattle and horses are much more offensive animals to be at large than dogs; besides, dogs do not ruin the sidewalks by traveling over and through them.

Claim Jumping at Nome.

Capt. Dobler, pilot on the Cudahy, while at Nome last fall located and duly recorded a claim on one of the creeks on which gold is known to exist. He spent the winter at his old home in Washington, and when he arrived at Nome on the Roanoke, one of the first steamers to reach there from below, he found his claim had been jumped on an average of three times each week since last fall, and until the outsiders began to get in this spring when it was jumped several times every day. However, none of the jumpers have presumed to work the claim, and the captain does not anticipate any trouble when he gets ready to work it himself.

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## ROUGH RIDERS

Hold a Frontier Demonstration at Oklahoma City July 2nd.

ROOSEVELT THE CENTRAL FIGURE.

Sec. of Local Committee Thrown From His Horse Fatally.

ANOTHER FIRE IN HOBOKEN.

Two Tenement Houses and Twelve Lives Are Destroyed—Seven of One Family Dead.

Oklahoma City, July 3.—A real frontier demonstration and a rousing welcome from Rough Riders, cow punchers and citizens of all classes, white, black and red, were accorded today to Gov. Roosevelt, of New York. The second annual reunion of Roosevelt's famous regiment brought 10,000 strangers into this little Western city. Of the 1100 who originally composed the Rough Rider regiment, about 200 were here to greet the colonel. The surprising part of it is that the city took care of her guests so well. Of course there was some inconvenience, but everybody was in the mood to take things good naturedly, and the second day of the reunion can be described as a great success, with but one distressing feature. That was an accident to Clifton George, secretary of the local committee on reception, who was thrown from his horse and is thought to have sustained fatal injuries.

The central figure was the New York governor, and the guests of the city vied with each other in extending to him a true western ovation. The governor himself rode a black charger in the procession, which passed through the principal streets. He was cheered all along the line, the cry "Hurrah for Teddy" being the prevailing sentiment. He was not attired in the garb of the Rough Riders, but wore a plain black cutaway coat. The brown sombrero and spurs on his boots alone marked him as the colonel of his famous regiment.

The procession was formed by members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Confederate Veterans' cavalry from Fort Reno, a band of red men in their native garb, members of the Twentieth Kansas, First Tennessee and First Colorado volunteer regiments and civic organizations of Oklahoma City and Guthrie.

Another Hoboken Fire.

New York, July 3.—Fire in the crowded tenements, Nos. 127 to 131 Adams street, Hoboken, early today caused a loss of 12 lives. Up to now four of the bodies had not been identified. Three were bodies of men and one was that of a girl about 16 years of age. The names of the identified dead follows: Joseph Nicolas, 28 years; August Bachman, 24 years; August Bendt, 25 years; Ella Winkler, 1 year; Edith Winkler, 5 years; Charles Winkler, 11 years; Frederick Winkler, 9 years; William Winkler, 3 years.

Out of nine members of the Winkler family but four were saved, Mr. and Mrs. Winkler and their two children, John and Martha. Mrs. Winkler was badly burned while clinging to her infant. Her husband had to drag her and the infant through a window to save their lives. The building was a frame structure, three stories high, and several families lived on each floor. When the fire started it burned rapidly, and the firemen could do little either to extinguish the fire or to save life.

Volume of Alaska Trade.

Washington, July 3.—The treasury department bureau of navigation states that in the fiscal year of 1900 the total tonnage officially numbered, added to the United States merchant marine, amounted to 417,34 gross tons. About 38,000 tons of Hawaiian vessels and less than 1000 tons of Puerto Rican shipping were admitted to American registry. It is estimated that complete figures will show that the actual additions to the merchant marine fleet during 1900

have been greater than any year since 1856. The vessels built in the United States officially numbered during the year, aggregate 318,863 gross tons; a record surpassed in 1874, when 432,225 gross tons were built and documented. Of the new vessels, 58 per cent have been the large steel vessels built for the lakes. The only vessel built exclusively for the foreign trade has been the Maracaibo, of 1771 tons, for the Venezuelan traffic, while three steamships, of an aggregate tonnage of over 8000 tons for the Puerto Rican trade, are the first maritime results of the annexation of that island.

Full returns probably will show that the total documented tonnage of the United States on June 30, 1900, for the first time since 1865, has again reached 5,000,000 gross tons. The tonnage registered for foreign trade, however, will probably be slightly below 848,000 gross tons, the figures for June 30, 1899. The increase of the Alaskan trade, carried on mainly by registered vessels, has checked somewhat during the year the steady decline in American tonnage registered for foreign trade.

Losses in Boer War.

London, July 3.—The following dispatch has been received at the war office from Lord Roberts:

"Pretoria, July 3.  
"Gen. Hunter's division has crossed the Vaal and should be at Frankfort today where he will be joined by Col. MacDonald's brigade from Heilbron.

"Gen. Buller's leading brigade has left Standerton for Graylingstad.

"Both here and at Johannesburg several families of the men who have been fighting around us are being fed. At Heilbron where the food supplies ran out, groceries, meat and other supplies of food are being distributed among the inhabitants under the supervision of the relief committee. Arrangements are being made for the distribution of oats for seed purposes to farmers actually in need of it, those who are unable to procure seed oats in any other manner."

This dispatch was received this afternoon at the war office from Lord Roberts.

"Pretoria, July 3.

"Gen. Hunter reached Frankfort July 1 without opposition and Hamilton joined him there yesterday. He found two men of the Seaforth's and eighteen of the Derby militia in the hospital. They had been well treated by the Boers.

"Methuen reports from Paarde kraal on the Hilbron Kroonstad road, that he has captured the commander of Dewet's scouts, two other prisoners and Andrei Wessels, the head of the Afrikaner band."

The war office today issued a return of the British casualties in South Africa since the beginning of the war. The total losses, exclusive of sick and wounded, have been 29,706, of which the killed in action were 254 officers and 21,403 noncommissioned officers and men; died of wounds, 70 officers and 610 noncommissioned officers and men; missing and prisoners, 65 officers and 2642 noncommissioned officers and men; died of disease, 133 officers and 4204 noncommissioned officers and men; invalided home, 844 officers and 18,433 noncommissioned officers and men.

Dominion Subscribers Warned.

If the Dominion creek patrons of the Nugget notice anything unusual in the appearance of the carrier—if he wears a smile when asleep or punches himself in the ribs and snickers when walking along the trail, they are notified to not take it seriously, as there is nothing serious in the wind further than that a pretty young lady is now en route, from Seattle and will arrive in two weeks, when John will secure the services of a minister. A cabin has been already secured.

Malamutes Like Chickens.

"That crate of chickens," said the unreliable sour dough, "puts me in mind of an experience I once had here with poultry. That was about two years ago. My brother and I went up the river as far as Rink rapids in a steamer and walked to Haines' Mission over the Dalton trail. The walk took us 19 days, and a lot more time and considerable money was spent before we finally landed in Dawson again with 368 chickens. We pitched a big tent and that evening while we were calling on friends about town, the chickens were let out of the crates to get a little exercise. Our friends were glad to see us. We had money and some of them had hootch, so that it may have been just a little late before we got back to the tent where I was to dispose of the chickens the next day. Well, I never sold any of that poultry, and they are not running around laying eggs and cackling, either. While we were seeing our friends the malamutes had seen our chickens and the whole 368 had gone in less than two hours.

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RECEIVED BY WIRE.

## CHINESE BLOOD

Will Freely Flow Very Soon in the Flowery Kingdom.

LEGATIONS HOLDING OUT JULY THIRD.

Dreadful Threat of the Young Emperor of Germany.

HAS SWORN DIRE VENGEANCE.

Says German Colors Will Fly From Peking Walls—One Jack Wade Verdict Set Aside.

Washington, July 7, via Skagway, July 13.—Consul-General Goodnow cables that on the 3d of July the legations were still holding out in Peking, but the situation was most desperate.

The foreign powers had fixed the 7th as the date on which the Japanese troops, which are arriving in large forces, would begin operations. Japan now has 22,000 troops on Chinese soil. America has ordered 6000 troops to report in China at once, and England, Germany, Russia and France have done likewise.

It is rumored that Japan from use of money has been indemnified by the Chinese powers.

For Germany the situation is a serious one. The young emperor sails on the 9th with an iron-clad division for China. Germany is worked up to the highest pitch over the dastardly murder of her minister to Peking. The young emperor says:

"I go to establish peace with the sword and take vengeance in a manner never before seen by the world. I go to eradicate the dishonor done my fatherland by barbarians. I shall not rest until the German colors fly from the wall of Peking."

Stevenson Vice-President.

Kansas City, July 9, via Skagway, July 13.—The main fight before the Democratic convention was settled last night by the nomination of Adlai E. Stevenson for the office of vice-president. Ex-Senator Hill, of New York, and Congressman Towne, of Minnesota, the latter being the candidate of the Populists and silver Democrats as well as having the support of Bryan himself were also before the convention. It is the opinion of the best political judges that Stevenson's nomination will cause a third ticket to be placed in the field. The western delegates resent Stevenson's nomination. Bryan was nominated unanimously.

Jack Wade Cases.

Skagway, July 13.—In the celebrated Jack Wade cases, claim No. 5 has been allowed the plaintiffs. The defendants have offered to compromise and have asked a postponement until September, pending negotiations. W. B. Allen and Messrs. Jamison and Wells left for the interior this morning on business connected with the case. By the verdict given by the jury claim 5 was awarded to the defendants, but the court set aside the decision by reason of failure on the part of the jury to follow the court's instructions.

Real, Live Chickens.

Bosworth & Co., of Seattle, have landed in Dawson 120 head of real, live chickens, which are now being pastured on the race course opposite the Nugget office. Other shipments will be received from time to time during the open season of the river, and the Dawson market will be supplied with feather-wearing poultry.