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TROUBLE IN CAMP

Big Split in the Liberal Party in House of Commons at London.

BOER QUESTION BONE OF CONTENTION

Treatment of Boer Women and Children the Issue.

PINGREE DYING IN LONDON.

Lord Strathcona Says Colonials Help Themselves When They Fight for England - Buller's Views.

From Wednesday and Thursday's Daily. London, June 28, via Skagway, June 26.—There has been a great split in the Liberal party over the Boer question. A motion to adjourn the House of Commons while debating the question of the treatment of Boer women and children was rejected, by a vote of 253 to 133. This served to accentuate the split in the party over the government's policy in the Far East. Sir Campbell Bannerman, Sir Vernon Harcourt and other party leaders voted with the minority. Fifty Liberal imperialists abstained from voting as a protest against the extreme pro-Boer policy.

Pingree Dying.

London, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—Ex-Governor Pingree of Michigan is dying here of dysentery.

The Colonial Club

London, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—At a banquet given by the Colonial Club Lord Strathcona presided and in the course of some remarks said the colonials will know that in fighting to help England they are fighting for their own best interests.

Sir Redvers Buller said the worst thing that can happen to any country is the prevalence of the jingo feeling; that the expenditure of crown forces for conquest and oppression is but business.

Dr. Milne Returns.

Dr. Milne of Victoria is among the recent arrivals in Dawson. The doctor is one of the sour doughs of this country having come in with the big rush in the spring of '98. He is the holder of the Milne hydraulic concession on Hunker and has now on the way to work the ground. The machinery is at Whitehorse and will be brought to Dawson on one of the next boats down and will be immediately transported to the property on Hunker where work will be started this fall.

Boer Peasants.

If there is a country where the tradition of hatred of "the Englishman" as a hereditary enemy still holds it is in Catholic Brittany. In the eyes of the Breton peasants and fishermen the Englishman is the enemy, with whom they have fought battles and will fight them again.

That is to say, the Englishman stands for the typical sailor of a man-of-war or torpedo boat, whom they will fight when the time comes for the attack, at no one thinks of him as a man. The enemy is a unit of war, something outside ordinary life, a being in uniform whom it is glorious to kill. He is "the enemy"—something which will do real mischief to France if one does not take care, something which must be much more terrible and dangerous than they can imagine, since all the men of France lose the best years of their youth in learning to kill this eventual adversary.

If ever the peasants come clearly to realize that the only use of war is to kill people like themselves; if ever each soldier becomes capable of imagining what the shock of two armies is and by what complicated series of lies and intrigues peoples are brought to the point of killing each other, the work of peace congresses will be wonderfully simplified.—Ex.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ashelby are among the recent sour dough arrivals from the outside. They spent the winter in Chicago where on their return they left their little son Elmer in school.

Send a copy of Goetzman's Souvenir to your outside friends. A complete pictorial history of the Klondike. For sale at all news stands.

Cow for sale. S. Archibald. c27

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DAWSON HOOTCH

Causes a Montana Chechako to Become Gay.

Wm. Morrison a chechako from Montana who has only been in Dawson for a week has been celebrating his arrival in this celebrated camp by getting on a glorious jag. Yesterday afternoon he was on First avenue in a very intoxicated condition using obscene language, and was taken to the barracks and this morning pleaded "Guilty, your honor." The circumstance of the case was told by the arresting constable and a sample of the obscenity which Morrison had been using was also told to Magistrate Wroughton, who gave the offending chechako the option of paying \$10 and costs or spending 15 days on the royal wood pile and also told him that such conduct would not be tolerated in this country to which Mr. Morrison replied in a very meek tone of voice, "I will never let it happen again, your honor."

C. D. McKay, waiter at the Orpheum was before the magistrate charged by D. T. Webber with keeping \$45 change out of a \$50 bill with intent to defraud. Webber was put on the stand and gave his testimony in a halting undertoned manner. He said he is a miner and has recently come in from the creeks. He had been to both of the theaters last night and taken drinks at both. He had about \$105 last night including several \$10 and \$20 and one \$50 bill. He had given the waiter the \$50 bill and had received \$3 in change. He had inquired for the balance of the change and had been informed that he had all that was coming to him as he had only given the waiter a \$5 bill. Under cross-examination he said that a search of the cash drawer had been made—and it failed to reveal the presence of that particular bill. He had also gone back to the Standard to see if he had lost it there, and he could not swear positively that he had given the \$50 bill to the waiter. The defense brought forward no witnesses although several were in the courtroom. The magistrate dismissed the case, the evidence of the prosecution not proving the charge.

We Want to Know.

Not only the Nugget but several hundred Dawsonites as well would like to know why it is that on an occasion like the leaving of the steamer Susie yesterday a policeman presumes to stand at the gate and discriminate as to who shall pass through and who shall not. A representative of this paper yesterday evening stood by the gate and dozens of respectable men and women were refused admittance and later when he passed on through found every prostitute and tinhorn gambler in town on the wharf. If the policeman is self-appointed, the sooner such officiousness is sat on the better, and if he is otherwise appointed the sooner the person who makes the appointment gives explicit orders that no discrimination is made the more profound will be the respect entertained for the policeman. The majority of people desire to conform to official orders but they object seriously to being discriminated against.

Dominion Accident

A man named Dowie was seriously injured yesterday afternoon on 31 below lower Dominion hillside claim owned by Mrs. Weisman. The unfortunate miner was working under a flume which crosses the way when one of the braces gave way from the weight of its supporting boxes, striking him on the side of the head and tearing his face in a frightful manner. The blow struck him on the left side, breaking one of the nasal bones and blinding him in the eye, impairing the rim of the orbit. Dr. Bell attended the stricken man. He will recover and is now resting comparatively easy.

Is It Contraband?

Last night a whisper breathed into the ear of Corporal Piper the police waterfront guardian of Dawson told him of the arrival and disposal of intoxicating liquors in the City of Dawson by a party not possessed of a proper license for so doing. Mr. Piper immediately commenced a search for the parties and found that the liquor had been delivered by the bar keeper on the steamer Columbian to a Second avenue saloon. Piper took the goods to the barracks. In court this morning both the Columbian bar-keeper and the saloon proprietor explained their positions in the matter as being wholly open and above board, each thinking that a retailer in Dawson has the same right to buy goods from a wholesale house in Whitehorse as in Dawson, both places being in the Yukon territory. Decision in the case was reserved.

Business Reverses.

New York, June 15.—Ludley R. Walker, a grandson of the late Rear Admiral Walker, and well known in musical circles, committed suicide by inhaling gas at his boarding place in Brooklyn. He was 30 years old. Business reverses are thought to have caused him to take his own life.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor Pioneer Drug Store.

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RACES AT ASCOT HEATH

Aristocratic Gathering and 150 Starters.

Ascot Heath, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—There was an aristocratic gathering at the Ascot Heath races today on which there were 150 starters, the entrance fees amounting to \$200,000. Two of the events were won by American horse, W. C. Whitney's "Watershed" won the trial stakes and Foxhall Keene's "Sponpe" won the Ascot stakes which was the greatest event of the meeting.

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CZAR SIGHS FOR HEIR

And Sees Little Hope as Fourth Is Another Daughter

St. Petersburg, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—The czar is still sighing for a son and heir. Another daughter for was born to him today, making four.

Fourth of July Celebration.

A meeting of committees of above will be held tonight at 8:30 at Board of Trade rooms. Business of importance. EDWARD B. CONDON, Chairman.

Wall paper galore, fine assortment. Atwood, 3d ave., bet. 1st and 2d sts.

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FIRE AT BUFFALO

Destroys Mills and Goods Valued at \$300,000

Buffalo, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—Fire on Squaw Island destroyed several mills and a large lot of goods. The loss will exceed \$300,000.

Fire in Dixie.

Charlotte, N. C., June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—Fire today destroyed the business section of Greenville, S. C. Owing to the destruction of the telegraph office no details can be obtained.

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CRANK AT SKAGWAY

Objects to Dominion Customs Flag Being Unfurled in American Breeze.

MRS. DAILEY DIES ON STR. TOPEKA

Left Dawson by Dog Team on January 16.

SMELTER STRIKE STILL ON.

Will Very Seriously Effect the Big Companies at Rossland and Northport, B. C.

From Wednesday and Thursday's Daily. Skagway, June 26.—Saturday morning Busby the Dominion customs supervisor floated the customs flag over his office and a man who had but recently arrived from Portland tore it down. American Collector Andrews says Busby has a perfect right to float the Canadian flag over his office. Busby again raised the flag this morning but on representations made by citizens he took it down. This afternoon he will decide whether to fly it or not, after a conference with Manager Garkins of the W. P. & Y. R. and others. Meanwhile Andrews, the American customs collector has reported the incident to Washington asking for instructions.

Mrs. Dailey Dies.

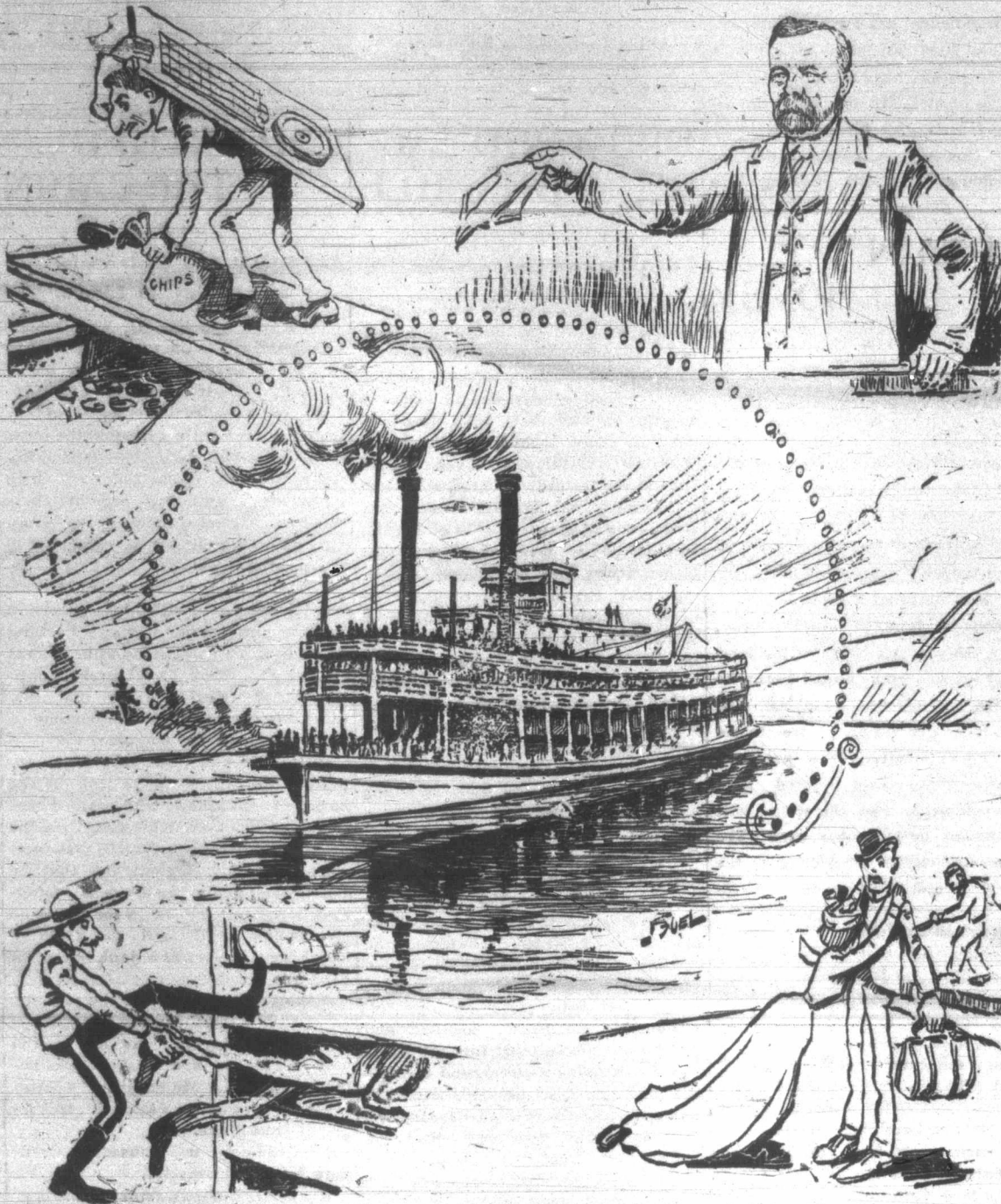
Seattle, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—Mrs. Janet Dailey died on the steamer Topeka in Wrangell Narrows while en route from Dawson to Seattle. On January 16th Mrs. Dailey's husband started with her from Dawson on a dog sled she having been sick previous to starting. They remained a month at Log Cabin, where she was very sick. She got stronger and completed the journey to Skagway where she remained until she started on the journey on which she died.

Smelter Strike

Rossland, B. C., June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—The strike at the Northport smelters is still on. The smelters were started yesterday, but it was found the furnaces were "frozen" and the fires had to be withdrawn. The effects of the strike will be very serious to the Le Roi Company.

SNAP-SHOTS ON THE DEPARTURE OF THE "SUSIE" LAST EVENING

From Wednesday's Daily.



THE HOTEL M'DONALD

Has an Unaccountable Fire in a Disconnected Flue.

This morning a disconnected flue in the kitchen of the McDonald hotel caught fire and for a moment threatened to do considerable damage. The chemical responded quickly to a telephone message and succeeded in putting it out before any damage resulted. The cause of the fire is unexplainable as no stove is connected with this flue in the entire building. Two flues run up through the roof from the kitchen, both of which are the same height and about 15 feet apart. One of them connects with the kitchen stove and the other is used for heating stoves, all of which are now removed, so that no smoke or fire is going up one of the flues. It was in this one that the fire caught which makes it peculiar. The only explanation is that a spark from the connected flue must have dropped into the other setting fire to some paper inside.

Murder and Suicide.

New York, June 15.—A man named Meinhope, said to be a butcher, shot at a young woman known as Miss Mary Bolte in the Bronx tonight and then sent two bullets into his own head. The woman died several hours later and Meinhope is said to have come here from Los Angeles, and Meinhope, before being taken to the hospital, said she was his wife.

Gloster Dismissed.

In Magistrate Howard's court this morning C. A. Gloster, charged with being drunk while on duty as captain of the ferryboat Marjorie, was dismissed with a warning that will probably cause him to refrain from looking again on red liquor for some moons to come.

Hague Court Organized.

Berlin, June 15.—P. W. Hollis, the United States member of the Hague arbitration court, during an interview today, informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the Hague arbitration court has only just been organized by the appointment of the last of the 55 judges, but several international questions are already before the court. The Transvaal question was certainly not one of these, because The Hague peace conference had decided that the Boer states were not sovereign states. The court will not be in permanent session, but will only act when suitable questions are presented to it when the whole court will select a bench to adjudicate each question.

Mr. Hollis said both Count von Buelow and Baron von Richthofen, the foreign minister, had received him in the most kindly manner, sharing his belief that the Hague court, was like the Magna Charta, an agreement around the future of which international law will crystallize. Mr. Hollis believes the emperor, the German government and the German people are now sincerely in favor of The Hague arbitration court on all questions which seem to properly belong there. Mr. Hollis thinks this is all the more remarkable because Germany, during the conference of 1899, had at first a number of serious weighty objections to urge against arbitration. But she has now honestly altered her opinion.

Good Work.

Men are at work on First avenue this morning filling in the ruts and preparing the street for the events on the Fourth of July. A roller will be put to work as soon as the ruts are filled in and the ridges made by the wagon wheels are cut down and by the Fourth the river should flood the street or some heavy rains fall the street will be in much better condition for the sports on the Fourth than it was on the 24th of May.

Special Power of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

DR. SPARLING OF MANITOBA SEATTLE

Will Occupy the Methodist Church Pulpit During Summer.

Rev. A. E. Hetherington of the Methodist church leaves some time this week with his family for a trip to the outside. He will be away until the 1st of September and during his absence his pulpit will be occupied by Dr. Sparling, principal of Wesley College, Winnipeg.

The request to Dr. Sparling to occupy the pulpit here during the summer was sent by wire and the answer that he would leave immediately was received here by wire. The following item taken from the Manitoba Free Press gives an account of a love feast at which Dr. Sparling read the telegram and announced his intention of coming north: "The love feast opened with the breaking of bread, followed by a fellowship meeting at which nearly all the venerable men at the conference recited their spiritual experiences. A number of ladies also spoke on the work conducted by the various church aid societies organized by the women of the Methodist church. At the conclusion of the love feast, Dr. Sparling read a telegram received from his son inviting him to preach at Dawson, and he announced his intention of spending July and August in conducting services in the Yukon."

On Second Avenue.

Sargent & Pinsky, the well known druggists, are now to be found at their new location on Second avenue, opposite the S. Y. T. Co. The present location is fully twice as large as their old quarters and gives an opportunity to the firm to make a fine display of their handsome new importations of which they have received large invoices in the past few days.

STANLEY CASE AGAIN BEING AIRED IN COURT.

Stanley Case Again Being Aired in Court.

Seattle, June 18, via Skagway, June 26.—Tomorrow the celebrated Stanley divorce case will have another airing in the court. It has been in the courts three years. Stanley is the son of a Klondike millionaire and his wife claims his parents have alienated his affections from her.

The case of Schorbron against Louis Schorbron for separate maintenance is still on in the superior court. She alleges her husband should have \$45,000 and he says he gave most of it away, nearly all to his wife at various times and in various sums. He says he cannot live with his wife on account of her unreasonable behavior. She was accustomed to keep him awake at night by scolding him because he was not versed in etiquette. The wife says she knew before she married him that he was coarse, but thought he knew sufficient to say "excuse me" if he was called away from the table while she was still eating.

Law Remains in Force.

The law regarding the tying up of dogs is still in force, though not so rigidly obeyed now as a few weeks ago. Now people just turn their dogs loose sufficiently long to enable them to take exercise in the neighbors' gardens, roll on sweet pea shoots and otherwise cause staid and peppy people to sweat like the mate of a deep water wind jammer. Latest photo buttons of Goetzman's.