

ENTHUSIASTIC SCOTCHMEN

Meet Last Night and Arrange for St. Andrews Ball

To Be Given Friday Night November 29th—Tickets of Admission \$18—New Officers Elected.

From Friday's Daily. The Scottish clans were out in full force last night at the McDonald hotel, the occasion being the first meeting of the St. Andrews society for the purpose of celebrating the day of the society's patron saint, November 30. The meeting was the largest, best and most enthusiastic ever held by the society and bespeaks for the ball and celebration a high success eclipsing all previous efforts.

Hon. Pres.—Hon. J. H. Ross. Pres.—R. P. McLennan. Vice Pres.—Dr. A. B. Thompson. Secretary—H. E. Ewart. Treas.—Jas. F. McDonald, re-elected. Chaplain—Col. McGregor, re-elected. Piper—Robt. Henderson, re-elected. It was unanimously decided to celebrate the day this year with a grand ball, similar to previous years only on a more elaborate scale.

dered adopted and a vote of thanks was joyously rendered him for having made up the deficiency of 45 cents. A general executive committee, consisting of D. C. McKenzie, J. U. Nicol and J. T. Bethune, was appointed who shall have charge of all the details of the ball. The price of tickets was fixed at \$15, the same as last year, and it was resolved that the issuance of complimentary tickets should be confined to the commissioner of the territory, the Hon. Jas. H. Ross, and the press. The program of dances will be interspersed here and there with vocal numbers by professional artists and Scotch exhibition dances.

The present is the fourth celebration of St. Andrews day held in the city. The society was organized in '98, the observance of the day in that year being in the nature of a banquet given at the Royal Cafe. It is interesting to note that of the original organization, but two at present remain in Dawson, Col. McGregor and J. U. Nicol. The following year was given the first ball last year was another which was the most exuberant event that ever took place in Dawson, and this year it is proposed to excel anything heretofore attempted.

Receiver Asked for. Helena, Mont., Oct. 16.—In the United States court Attorney McIntyre made application for the appointment of a receiver for the Helena Power and Light Company. The proceeding is commenced in the interest of the Central Trust Company, which holds bonds of the company to the amount of \$1,500,000. The court signed an order appointing H. L. Walker, secretary of the company, as receiver. The trust company is trustee for the bondholders. For some time the company has defaulted on interest on its bonds. The company owns the gas, electric light and street car plants in Helena.

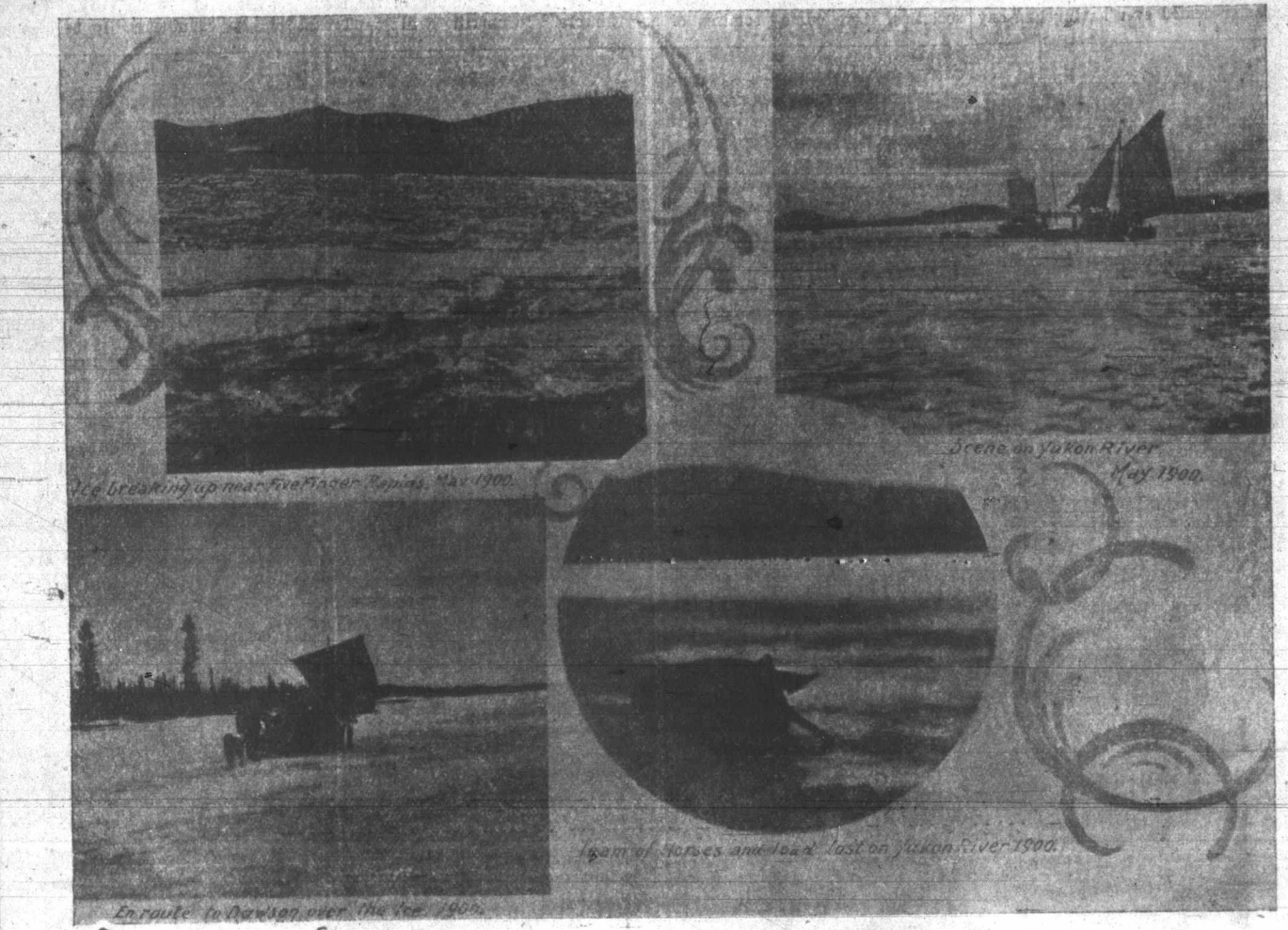
Terrific Explosion. Bangor, Me., Oct. 16.—A terrific explosion, probably of gasoline, in the second floor kitchen of Nathaniel Ladd's restaurant this afternoon caused the death of Miss Haney, Mrs. Mary F. Carrigan, a cook, and John Barry, a waiter.

THE FIRE OF LAST NIGHT

Looked Threatening Through Lack of Water Supply.

Hot Water From Electric Light Works Cooked the Boys' Hands—River Resorted To.

The first serious fire the department has been called to attend for some time occurred at South Dawson last night. As matters terminated it was not really serious, though on account of the absence of any water for some



time it certainly took on a threatening aspect. The trouble was due to the fact that the water works was shut down making needed repairs and for an inexplicable reason water for some time could not be had from the electric light works, either. The alarm came in at 10 o'clock and was quickly responded to by both companies. No. 2 company was first at the scene, laying a line of hose from the electric light works, which, however, was of no avail for the time being. Connection was finally made after a while with the well, the water of which is heated to a boiling point by steam from the exhaust, and it had been used but a short time until the hose nozzle became so hot that the firemen had to drop it. Seeing the condition of affairs a message was phoned to No. 1 hall for an engine which on arrival was stationed on the bank of the Klondike, necessitating the laying of 500 feet of hose in order to reach the fire. While awaiting for the engine a line was also laid to the McDonald Iron Works which eventually supplied some water and which with the two chemicals kept the fire under control until the engine was in position. Then it was but a short time until the smoldering embers were completely drenched.

The fire first started in a cabin belonging to George Andrews, now somewhere in the lower country, and it became ignited by a stove. How it became ignited, unless it took fire from the stovepipe. By the time the water was available the cabin was gutted and proved a total loss, amounting to probably \$200. Separated from the cabin by out a few feet is the cold storage plant of W. G. Preston which contains a large consignment of frozen fish, principally halibut. The building is two stories high and for a time was in considerable danger. The rear end caught at about the same time the water arrived and the flames inflicted a damage not exceeding \$150.

Burglars Were Shot. Evansville, Ind., Oct. 16.—Burglars today blew open the safe of a store at Howell near here with dynamite and secured part of the contents, how much is not known. The citizens heard the explosion and a running fight followed. Marshal Sumpter was shot in the leg. Three robbers were shot and one escaped. The wounded robbers, one of whom is dying, are in the hospital.

One of the supposed robbers lies at death's door in the hospital tonight. His name is Henry McCarroll, of Nashville, Tenn. The other man, who was wounded and captured by the posse, is not severely injured, and is in the hands of the police. He gives his name as William Dunn, also from Nashville. The third man has not yet been captured, but it is believed he will soon be found, as Marshal Sumpter is positive that he wounded him.

Only the best brands of case goods served. Drinks and cigars 25c. Pete McDonald, Bank saloon.

President Roosevelt Accepts

Washington, Oct. 16.—President Roosevelt accepted today honorary membership in the William McKinley National Memorial Arch Association, and gave his approval to its purpose of erecting by national subscription a memorial arch at the Washington approach to the memorial bridge.

President Roosevelt expressed a cordial interest in the matter, and indicated a desire to see the project succeed. Afterward the representatives of the Memorial Arch Association talked with Secretary Cortelyou.

THEIR CAPTURE DELAYED

Bandits Who Held Up the Great Northern Express Warned

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 16.—The capture of the bandits who held up the Great Northern overland express at Wagner, Mont., July 8, securing \$43,000 in bank notes, officials of the Great Northern Express Company say, has been seriously delayed by the announcement of the capture at Nashville of Annie Rogers, alias Maude Williams, supposed to be connected with the gang. Before her arrest the Pinkerton agency and police officers

Dimmick Is Sentenced

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—Walter N. Dimmick, formerly chief clerk in the United States mint in this city, was today sentenced by United States Judge De Haven to two-years imprisonment at San Quentin. Dimmick was convicted on two counts, one charging the presentation of a false voucher and the other the use of public moneys in a manner not prescribed by law, Dimmick not being a legal depository.

Case of Mrs. Witmer

Dayton, O., Oct. 16.—Coroner Hatcher has been informed of the examination made by Prof. Curtis C. Howard, of Columbia, of the remains of Mrs. Anna C. Pugh, sister and alleged victim of Mrs. Mary Belle Witmer, but has decided not to make

HORSES FOR BRITISH ARMY

Purchasing Them in the State of Washington.

Walla Walla, Oct. 16.—"The average cost of a cavalry horse in South Africa is \$360," said a representative of the British government yesterday. The speaker is a purchasing agent and has spent some time in Washington and Oregon buying remounts for the British soldiery. "The average life of a horse under condition that exist in South Africa is but six weeks, and it requires thousands of horses to equip an army and keep the men mounted. Over 100,000 remounts have been purchased in the United States, and buyers are busy all over the country, where horses can be found, buying at high prices. The demand is still strong, and prospects are good for future business from the same source. Argentine republic has furnished more horses than any other country, while nearly every country has contributed some. The average cost at Cape Town is \$360 per head, and this the government has to pay in gold coin. Here a good horse can be bought for \$50 to \$75. But it is a long journey to South Africa, and the worst of it is that horses are very short-lived after they get there."

It may seem strange that these remounts are not gathered upon the prairies of Western Canada, where it is known thousands of horses roam about at will and farmers make a business of raising them. But it is not so easy when one understands conditions. The Western Canadian

Stolen on Wednesday

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 16.—Stevens, the boy who a couple weeks ago shot Jacob Hartzel with a pea gun, inflicting a wound which it was at first thought would result fatally, was today committed for trial on the charge of attempted murder.

Cold Weather Snaps... FOR A FEW DAYS. Men's All Wool Underwear. Per Suit \$2, \$3, \$3.50, \$4. Men's All Wool Socks. 2 Pairs for 25 Cents. Men's All Wool German Socks. Per Pair. Men's Felt Shoes. \$3.50 and up. Don't Forget to Call for Prices on Your Winter's Outfit Before Placing Your Order. Old S-Y. T. Co. Building, Second Avenue Whitney & Pedlar

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who is the Washington representative of the association for the erection of the McKinley monument at Canton, and there was a general agreement that there was no conflict between the two propositions, and that the two associations should and would work in harmony to their mutual advantage. The hope was expressed that the proposed local memorials in various cities would await the success of these national memorials.

Too Much for Him. It was a guard on the Sixth avenue elevated, who lipped, that was doing the conversational act at the time. "Well, I like the job all right," he said, "while it keeps me on the Thirty avenue line, but none of that Ninth avenue for me," and he shook his head vigorously in negation. "What's the difference? Well, there's a lot. I thought just like you do before I tried it, and then I found out. On thith line I don't have any trouble, to thpeak of, calling stationth, but over there—well, it laid me off the firth round. You thee, I wath working all right over here, not having any bother at all, though thometimeth pathengrth or thentienth, especially Thixty-third, but it didn't count for much, and I didn't care a cuth. Then one day a friend of mine, doing the Ninth avenue turn, wanted me to thubthtute for him while he went off on a picnic with hith wife and children, and, of course, I wath willing to do what I could for the family, ath I didn't hay? any of my own. The I took hith plathe. I began at Hundred and fifty-fith and came thailing along ath usual till we got to Fifty-ninth, or below, and then I got into new territory, but there wathn't and difference till I called for Chrih-opher threet, and I had to call it twith to get it thtraight, and the pathengrth give me a mild ha ha. Well, I hadn't more than got over that till we thtruck Houthton-threet, but I didn't have the mouch trouble with that, only coming the thoon after. Crith—Crith—the other one, I wathn't quite fixed for it. I got it through all right, and wath feeling pretty good, when I remembered the next one and before I had time to catch my thcopnd wind I had to thing out Dethbrotheth. Threet. That wath a twith for me and I had to go at it the darned many timeth that the pathengrth actually thorted, and one chap offered to help me out with it. Well, I had a fit the retth of the way wondering what would come next and when I got down to Thouth Ferry I wath took thick and laid out in the offith till they got thomebody to thubthtute for me. Then I hobbled home, and you bet I don't do any more thubthtute thnthun on the Ninth, not any for me, if you please."—N. Y. Sun.

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