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MANY SHEEP FOR DAWSON

Nine Hundred and Fifty Driven Over the Summit From Skagway Yesterday and Seven Hundred Today—Hundreds of Cattle and More Sheep to Come—All for Dawson.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Skagway, Sept. 10.—Every day now sees live stock for the Dawson market leaving this place, most of it being driven over the summit on foot.

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KITCHENER NOT ALONE

In the Matter of Issuing War Proclamations.

London, Sept. 4, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—A Daily Mail dispatch says: "Dewet has issued a proclamation saying he will shoot all British troops found in the Orange river colony after September 5th."

AH THERE TURKEY

France Will Dispatch a Warship to Maintain Peace.

Paris, Sept. 2, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—It is rumored that a French warship will be dispatched to Turkish waters tomorrow.

Territorial Court.

The case of Miller et al. vs. Trabold is being heard in the territorial court today. The suit is largely a question of boundary lines and embraces an action for trespass, the ground involved being known as the Claussens claim, a bench described as being in the second tier, left limit off 29 below, Bonanza, and also as the third tier, right limit, off a claim on Monte Cristo.

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NO LONGER MOOREVILLE

Skagway Townsite Case Is Now Practically Settled.

Skagway, September 10.—The Moore townsite trouble is now practically a thing of the past. Nearly all the occupants of the disputed land have arranged with Moore's attorneys for the title to the same and all the contracts are on terms indicated before the final telegram bearing one the matter was received.

TO REDUCE ITS SERVICE

The Alaska Steamship Co. Will Take Off Several Boats.

Seattle, Sept. 4, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—The Alaska Steamship Association was in session here yesterday for the purpose of arranging sailing dates for the fall and winter. It is reported that enough steamers will be taken off the Sound-Alaskan run to make the ones left on pay their expenses during the winter. The Queen will be taken off at once and will yet make two trips to Nome this fall. The Topoka will hereafter be run on the Sitka route.

Sale of Emma Knott. The little steamer Emma Knott was sold at Whitehorse yesterday by the officer commanding, acting under instructions from the marshal of the admiralty court. The vessel brought \$5000 which sum was applied in the settlement of the seamen's wages who had libelled her.

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A LESSON IN GEOGRAPHY AS APPLIED TO FREIGHT RATES.

Distance Seattle to St. Michael	2872 Miles	Distance Seattle to Skagway	1000 Miles
St. Michael to Dawson	1500 Miles	Skagway to Dawson	500 Miles
Total	4372 Miles	Total	1500 Miles
Freight rate, per ton	\$70.00		
Freight rate, Seattle to Skagway	\$ 10.00		
Skagway to Dawson	135.00		
Total	\$145.00		

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GREATEST COMBINE KNOWN

All Bituminous Coal Companies in Greatest Coal Producing States Have Consolidated Into One Gigantic Syndicate Representing Three Hundred Million Dollars

From Tuesday's Daily.

Pittsburg, Sept. 3, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—The Daily Post will say tomorrow morning: "All the bituminous coal companies owning and operating mining plants or owning undeveloped coal lands in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, West Virginia and Kentucky have been formed into one gigantic corporation by the merging of the interests of the various syndicates. Upwards of three hundred million dollars are involved in the combine which is the strongest now in existence from a financial standpoint. The big combination is one of the direct results of the strike now on and which has very seriously affected the coal dealers."

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IT LITTLE MATTERS

Whether Blaine Is in Washington or British Columbia.

Vancouver, Sept. 4, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—It is currently reported now that the international survey will throw fully one-half of the town of Blaine, Whatcom county, Washington, into British Columbia. A joint national survey of the international boundary line will be made next year and until then nothing definite will be known.

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THE KING AND CZAR

May Not Meet in Confab at Fredericksburg as Planned.

London, Sept. 3, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—It is reported from Copenhagen that the czar and King Edward will not meet at Fredericksburg as previously arranged.

EMPIRE HOTEL

Will Soon Be Opened by Jas. P. McDonald and R. J. Morgan.

On tomorrow evening there will be opened in Dawson the newest establishment in the shape of a hotel that has yet catered to the public wants in this line. Mr. Jas. P. McDonald whose management of the MacDonald hotel, made that hostelry so popular last winter has associated himself with Major R. J. Morgan in opening the Empire hotel and bar.

The gentlemen have a two years' lease on the property and have entirely renovated and refurbished the establishment.

The Empire will start off under most favorable auspices and is assured of good patronage from the start.

The public generally is invited to attend the opening tomorrow night and inspect the finest hotel in the city.

COMING AND GOING. Mr. Roberts of the Forks is a guest at the Regain hotel today.

QUESTION OF ENDURANCE

Is Now Condition of Strike at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Sept. 3, via Skagway, Sept. 10.—The strike is now becoming practically a question of endurance of the two factions. The Labor Day demonstration failed to give the strikers any material advantage. Steady gains are being made by the manufacturers and many mills are running work.

BIG CUT IN RATES

Manager Calderhead Slashes to \$20 and \$15.

Manager Calderhead of the Klondike Corporation Co., created consternation in steamboat circles this morning by announcing on his bill board and by the cry on the street that the rate to Whitehorse on the next trip of the steamer Flor which will be due in a couple of days would be for first-class and for second-class. The rate war which was announced a few days ago as being declared off has sprung to life again with more force than ever and the result is watched with great interest.

The hotel, 79 below Bonanza, will give a grand dance Friday, Sept. 13th. Everybody cordially invited. A good time assured to all.

NIGGER IN WOODPILE

Is What a Watchman Says of Sluiceway Robberies.

A gentleman who is in position to know for the reason that he took an operator in the act of taking gold from his own sluice box at 2 o'clock in the morning, says that if partners will watch each other closely and owners will camp on the trails of laymen, sluice box robbing in the district will be practically unknown.

He further says that in the majority of reported robberies of this kind there are big bills owing by the claimers. Where one box was reported robbed of \$3000 a cleanup after an equal amount of shoveling in from the same dump yielded only \$300.

CAPIASES ISSUED

Three Placed in Deputy Jack Ellbeck's Hands Yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Jack Ellbeck yesterday afternoon did a land-office business in capiases. One Thompson issued an order against Kathleen McKinney who is supposed to have departed on the Canadian for the outside. Miss McKinney will have to pounce up \$165 and costs when she reaches Whitehorse or return to Dawson as the guest of an officer. Dubuque & Kober had a capiase issued for Harry McMurray who was supposed to have left Whitehorse for Skagway either on last night's train or this morning. The amount alleged to be due is \$165.

Still another was issued by Frank Beaulieu against Minnie Jones who claims she is indebted to him in the extent of \$700. Miss Jones was apprehended here before she had an opportunity of leaving and in default of bail or a willingness to settle now languishes in jail.

THE HILL OPENING

Long Gap Appears on Face of Chechako Hill.

An unlooked for result of mining operations is now being found on Chechako hill. This is nothing more or less than an immense crack extending along the hill a distance of 100 feet. The hill proper extends from Little Shookum along Bonanza to Adams gulch a distance of five creek channels or roughly speaking 2500 feet. Mining properties of great value have been located on the sides and top of the hill and an immense amount of gold has been taken from it during the past two years. Most of the work has been done by means of tunnels run into the face of the hill from the river.

As a result of the tunnelling and the drifts which have been run in all directions the hill has been, in mining parlance, completely "gothored."

A considerable area of the hill is sustained only by such pillars and timbering as were left by the miners when their operations were completed. These are giving way in places. It is stated with the result as noted above—that a huge crack has appeared on the surface of the hill. The crack has been gradually extending both in length and width since its first appearance some months ago, and at the present time it can be traced a distance of about 1000 feet.

It is as yet very narrow in most places not exceeding 15 inches, but at points the seam has opened to a depth of 25 feet.

No serious results are anticipated from the unusual occurrence although it might occasion a heavy landslide should the gap continue to widen.

Miss Mary-Gae will give a farewell concert at the Methodist church Tuesday next. Tickets on sale at Criles & Rogers, Third street.

On and after Monday, Sept. 9 Reeves' Bonanza stage will leave Dawson from Hotel Grand at 5 p. m. instead of 7.30 p. m.

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See the display of fur skins at Mrs. Roberts' Fur Store, Second avenue. Fur coats made to order. Mrs. R. Roberts, Second avenue.

Fresh Looney's candles. Kelly & Co., Druggists.

CASE WAS DISMISSED

Miss Simpson Did Not Steal Canned Goods.

In Magistrate McCanley's court this morning Miss S. Simpson who conducts the Royal Cafe on Second avenue, was charged by C. S. Rhind who sells canned goods of the S. & W. brand, with stealing goods of that brand to the value of \$25. The prosecuting witness was certain an empty can be found in Miss Simpson's will barrel had been his property for the reason that it had contained peeled apricots, and his sample case had contained the only peeled apricots in Dawson. Likewise he had recognized in Miss Simpson's place of business cases containing shrimps, oysters, asparagus tips, and the like. The goods had been taken from a valise that had been put out in the back yard with no covering but heaven's canopy while the owner was working from 6 o'clock in the morning until 12 at night (labor unions will please note), at repairing the West block and it was while the valise was knocking around in the yard that the goods of the valise of S. & W. were alleged to have disappeared. Rhind had only his own unsubstantiated testimony to offer while Miss Simpson had half a dozen or more reputable witnesses to substantiate her statement. The case was promptly dismissed, the decision of the court wholly exonerating Miss Simpson.

Kodaks \$2.50; fresh films 50c. Goetzman.

FRIENDLY RELATIONS

Off So Far as France and Turkey Are Concerned.

Constantinople, Aug. 28.—The French ambassador, M. Constant, has notified the sultan's first secretary that all diplomatic relations between France and Turkey are broken off and that the ambassador has informed his government to this effect. M. Constant declares the latest negotiations were conducted with the sultan personally. The ambassador justifies his action on the ground that the sultan broke his direct personal promise, given to M. Constant at an audience in the Yildiz palace, Thursday, regarding the purchase of the quays and settlement of disputed French claims. The foreign minister also gave formal assurances that the agreement would be carried out, in view of this breach of faith, M. Constant holds that it is impossible for France to continue diplomatic relations with Turkey.

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