

VOLCANO YET ACTIVE

On the Little Island of St. Vincent

The Northern Part of Which is a Solid Mass of Traveling, Lurid Flame.

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 14.—Late cables say the Soufriere volcanic eruption on St. Vincent continues active. Terrible detonations are heard hundreds of miles away. Reports are followed by columns of smoke rising miles in the air. Immense balls of colored fire also issue from the crater. Lightning is playing fiercely in the upper sky and the whole northern part of the island is one mass of travelling flames. It is impossible to reach the desolated district by land or sea and there are no means of estimating the destruction wrought to life and property.

Fraternal Man Insane

Special to the Daily Nugget. Helena, Mont., May 14.—J. A. Difenbaugh, prominent in Masonic and Elk circles, is insane. He was Past Exalted Ruler of the Elks of Baltimore. He recently attempted suicide.

Indians Vaccinated

Seattle, May 14.—In the last thirteen months 2,000 natives along the coast of Alaska have been vaccinated as a preventative of smallpox by a surgeon of the revenue cutter Rush.

The Ladue Quartz Mill

IS NOW IN OPERATION. We have made a large number of tests and are ready to make others.

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and it is believed the prompt action and thoroughness with which his duty was executed had the effect of effectively keeping the scourge out of southeastern Alaska. With the exception of a few cases on Hoonah island, which were quickly subdued, the disease failed to make its appearance, though in the previous year it raged with great severity among almost all the native population along the coast for a thousand miles.

Horrors of St. Vincent

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 14.—The British commissioner at St. Vincent reports to the colonial office: "Details of the disaster are too harrowing for description. I have got a St. Lucia coasting steamer running up and down the leeward coast with water and provisions. Twenty-two hundred persons received relief. I have asked for officers from Trinidad and Grenada. All the neighboring British colonies are assisting generously. Every effort is being made to grapple with the awful calamity. The best sugar estates in Casib county are devastated and all cattle are dead."

Bill Not Allowed

Special to the Daily Nugget. Ottawa, May 14.—The Ottawa government disallowed the British Columbia act for incorporating the Chilcat and Klehin railway and Lake Bennett Railway Co. on the ground that the province has no right to incorporate a company to build from a provisional boundary line; moreover, it is contrary to the government policy regarding Yukon railways.

Royal Entertainment

Special to the Daily Nugget. Madrid, May 14.—The Spanish government is following the English precedent of entertaining a large body of European princes and foreign representatives, who will witness the king's civil inauguration. The princes are either guests of the crown in his palaces or in houses with a complete retinue of servants placed at their disposal.

Vesuvius Awakens

Special to the Daily Nugget. Naples, May 14.—Mt. Vesuvius shows signs of activity. Lava is flowing from the crater on the Pompeii side and hot cinders are being thrown up.

MUST GO 300 Cases St. Charles Milk at Less Than Cost Price Landed. Special Inducements on Large Lots. BARRETT & HULL WHOLESALE COMMISSION MERCHANTS Phone No. 1. THIRD AVENUE Special Sale on Hay and Oats

RATE WAR IS ALREADY ON

Between Different Steamship Lines Operating Between Seattle and Skagway—Fares Go From \$30 and \$20 Down to \$7.50 and \$5.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Seattle, May 14.—An Alaska transportation cut rate war which will probably be bitterly fought with disastrous results to the lines engaging in it, was inaugurated here yesterday. Before the day closed tickets to Lynn Canal points were selling at \$7.50 and \$5, first and second class respectively. The prevailing tariff has been \$30 and \$20. The entry of the Pacific Clipper Line steamer Santa Ana on the Lynn canal run precipitated the fight. When the management brought the Santa Ana north the Pacific Clipper line sought to join the Alaska Steamship Association, but the application for membership was promptly turned down. A further request that the White Pass railroad be allowed to sell through tickets via that line to the Klondike and other interior points was likewise refused. It was then that the Santa Ana decided to go it alone.

PRESENT DYNASTY

Is Very Unpopular With Rebels in China

Proclamation Issued Demanding Its Overthrow and Establishing of New One.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Vancouver, May 14.—Reports from Hong Kong indicate the health conditions of that place in a threatening condition. The Empress of India left there April 22. During the two previous days three fresh cases of plague were reported.

Rebels in China have issued a proclamation, the object of the rebellion: "First—Overthrowing the present dynasty; Second—Founding a new dynasty with a Chinese emperor; Third—Helping the oppressed and needy; Fourth—Introduction of reform; Fifth—Protection of trade; Sixth and last—Establishment of Kwang, Kwangtung and Kwai Chow as three seats of government with Canton as the capital with an emperor and viceroy for each province of Kwang and Kwai Chow. In conclusion be it known that western people will not be interfered with, their lives are to be protected, let them go in peace. We are enemies of the Manchu dynasty only. We have spoken."

Road Almost Completed

So rapidly has the work been pushed on the construction of the new garbage road that before the week is out it will be so near completion that scavengers will begin to utilize it. Contractor Sutton has been working about twenty men in two shifts, pushing the grading and cribbing to the utmost. The construction of the pier which was done by the city by day's labor has also been expedited to the greatest possible extent, from eight to ten men being employed. The blasting down of rock from the adjoining bluff for use in the pier has been so continuous that it resembled cannonading, the work being prosecuted by night as well as by day. Nearly 1800 tons of rock have been utilized in the pier as ballast and City Engineer Randall considers it to have been built sufficiently strong to withstand the wear and tear of the river for ages.

Easy Money.

For the past two days a few men have carefully scanned the river in quest of logs suitable for lumber and not a few have been salvaged. It is not much of a log that is not worth from \$4 to \$6 tied up to the bank by one of the sawmills.

Introducing a Fashion.

Andries De Villiers, a Boer, was the person who first introduced hats among the African natives, says the Hatters' Gazette, and profit, not philanthropy, was his motive. One morning many years ago he chanced in Port Elizabeth to come across a consignment of damaged hats, offered for a mere song. He bought the whole lot, packed them away in his wagon and started for Kafirland.

May Adjourn Tomorrow

Special to the Daily Nugget. Ottawa, May 14.—Prorogation of parliament is possible tomorrow, the government dropping several bills. Laurier stated that no railway subsidies will be granted this year, though the government is not unmindful that railway development is

more than ever a pressing necessity. This is especially the case in the valley of North Saskatchewan. Railways there are engrossing the attention of the government and at the next session aid will be given the line from the Manitoba boundary through the Saskatchewan valley towards Edmonton.

Brotherly Love

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 14.—In a speech today dealing with international relations Carnegie said that never in history had American people been so lovingly inclined toward the old home, and never had patriotism of race, the coming force in the world, revealed itself so clearly.

For Y. M. C. A.

The meeting called last evening for the purpose of organizing a Y. M. C. A. in Dawson was well attended considering the shortness of the notice given. The movement was heartily endorsed by all present and after considerable discussion a resolution was passed to the effect that an association be formed and a committee was appointed to canvass the town as to the support that will be given the organization, and report at a meeting next Tuesday evening.

Officers Installed.

A most interesting session of the Arctic Brotherhood was held yesterday evening, the special feature of which was the installation of the officers elected at the meeting a week ago. The attendance was large and all enjoyed the impressive ceremonies incidental to the induction into office of the newly elected. Past Arctic Chief L. L. James officiated as installing officer assisted by Captain D. B. Olson. Those who will serve at the various stations during the ensuing six months are as follows: Arctic chief—John Gilson. Vice-Arctic chief—J. N. Cowan. Arctic recorder—Dr. Edwards. Keeper of nuggets—Dr. T. H. Cooke. Chaplain—F. N. Atwood. Alchemist—Dr. Everett. Arctic trail guide—Frank Fletcher. Arctic trail blazer—C. N. Taylor. Whitehorse pilots—Frank Mortimer and Jack Crawford. Keeper inner tollgate—R. M. Boyd. Keeper outer tollgate—A. J. Mangold. Caterer Tom Bruce served an excellent collation at the conclusion of the ceremonies. New members initiated last night were Fernand de Journal, D. McKay and L. Ginsberg.

Charged With Libel

A warrant was issued from the police court today for the arrest of Joseph Andrew Clarke on a complaint sworn to by James (Curly) Monroe charging him with criminal libel, the objectionable utterances having been published in a late issue of Clarke's paper. As Clarke is said to be somewhere on the creek, the warrant had not been served at three o'clock this afternoon.

Reported Sale.

It is reported that the McDonald Hotel property has been sold to a syndicate for \$22,000. No particulars could be learned as interested parties cared to say but little about it. The deal is said to have been consummated yesterday.

Big Land Deal

Special to the Daily Nugget. Ottawa, May 14.—The biggest colonization proposition ever floated in Canada has just been made successfully. A syndicate of Minneapolis, Duluth, and eastern Canadians has purchased one million acres of the finest farm lands of Assiniboia and Saskatchewan. The company has a capital of three and a half millions.

Ard Fouled

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 14.—For the Newmarket stakes, Ard Patrick was the first horse home, but the jockey on the second horse, Fowlingpiece, lodged an objection on the ground of bumping and boring. The objection was sustained and the race awarded to Fowlingpiece. Royal Lance second, Cheers third.

DECISION RESERVED

In Hylands vs Now Defunct C. D. Co.

All Witnesses Who Knew of Case Have Met With Tragic Death.

Thanks Extended.

George Brimstone, manager of one of the top-of-war teams now in training for the 21st, desires to express his appreciation of the courtesy J. H. Rogers extended his team in allowing them the use of one of the White Pass warehouses for purposes of practicing.

Needed Improvements.

The J. P. & Y. R. Co. has put down two new crossings leading from its warehouse to the opposite side of First Avenue. These are improvements which will be much appreciated, especially in rainy times.

Peace Meeting

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 13.—Representatives of the Boers are gathering at Vereeniging for the peace conference tomorrow.

Carnegie Honored

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, May 13.—Freedom of the plumbers' company was presented to Carnegie today.

Two Shooting Affrays.

As a result of two gun plays in the Black Hills one man is dead and another is dying, but Dunham, the Family Grocer, is still alive and is still headquarters for the family groceries, such as W. W. Lytle, Shilling's tea and coffee, Hines' pickles, preserves, Miller's butter, &c., &c. Corner Second Avenue and Albert Street.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE Capital paid up (Eight Million Dollars), \$8,000,000. RESERVE, \$2,000,000. The Bank is prepared to purchase gold dust at actual assay value, less the usual charges for express and insurance, up to and including 30th April, 1902; after which date all dust will be subject to the proposed export tax. D. A. CAMERON, Manager. Dawson Branch.