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DAWSON, Y. T., MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1000.

THE ROAD COMPLETE General Superintendent Haw-

kins Tells About Railroad Affairs.

WHERE THE GOLDEN SPIKE WAS DRIVEN

Five Hundred and Fifty Tons Daily Can Now Be Handled.

COPPER MINES EXTENSION

And a Branch Line Will Be Run to Them-Smelters Will Be Built.

Mr. E. C. Hawkins, chief engineer and general superintendent of the White Pass & Yukon railway, arrived by the Zealandian early Sunday morning, and has much to say interesting to shippers and those who travel.

"With the driving of the golden spike at Caribou Crossing on July 29," said Mr. Hawkins this morning, "we finished the line from Skagway to Whitehorse, a distance of 112 miles."



The exact spot of the driving of the RECEIVED BY WIRE. golden spike is about 200 feet below the new draw span over the crossing, and within 12 hours after the rails had been connected a loaded freight train of 15 cars and a locomotive passed on the first through run from Skagway to Whitenorse. After the ceremony of driving the spike was finished, the party consisting of a large number of railroad employes and invited guests from Skagway repaired to Camp H, just above the crossing, when a dinner was tendered to Contractor M. J. Heney, Of Italy Shot and Killed by a whose work, so far as the main line of the road is concerned, aside from some ballasting work on the recently completed track, is now finished. "We have completed the best possible

facilities for handling perishables at Whitehorse," said Mr Hawkins, in reply to a question upon that head, "and are in a position to handle goods with the least possible delay, and greatest care. A whart, the best on the river, 800 feet long, has been built, and on it a w rehouse 40x600 feet, which will accommodate about 3000 tons of freight. Three tracks are laid on the wharf and cars coming in loaded are run right down too the steamer's side, and the freight transferred direct from car to steamer, which arrangement possesses

great advantages over the old way. "We have in operation at present 250 freight cars, and 15 locomotives, with four more of the latter in course of con- Was Chosen by Lot to Murder King wire. struction in the Skagway shops. One hundred and twenty of the cars now in use were also built at Skagway.

"The present capacity of the road is 550 tons daily, which will meet fully any demands that can be made, as that is about all, if not more than can be received at Skagway under the present system, which is usually about four 11:30. The murderer who was at once prietor is wondering why he allowed it steamers a week, each with a carrying arrested, gave the name of Angelo Brissi large philanthropic heart who could not large philanthropic heart who could not





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AT 10:45 O'CLOCK NIGHT OF JULY 30

Angelo Brissi of the Mafia Society the Murderer.

NEW JERSEY MAN'S LETTER.

and Weakened-Europe Mourns-Pekin Contradiction.

Monza, Italy, July 30, via Skagway,

dered king. More Pekin Contradictions. Washington, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6.- A dispatch has just been received from Minister Conger at Pekin which says that on July 16th the legations were all safe, but were very short on ammunition.

Portugal, who is a sister to the mur

erita, also Maria Pia, queen dowager of RECEIVED BY WIRE.

Lots of Gold.

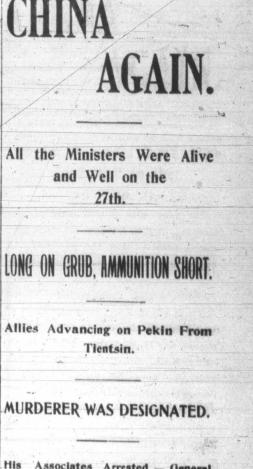
Seattle, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6. The deposits of gold at the assay office here during July amounted to six million two hundred and fifty thousand dotlars.

## Telegraph Line Extended.

Work was commenced this morning on the Dominion telegraph extension to Fortymile. C. A. Couture, construction foreman, commenced operations today and will continue until Fortymile and Dawson are joined with a continuous wire. Twenty-five men will be put to work immediately on construction. The distance is 57 miles and 1t will take about one month to complete it. At present there, will be but one office maintained on the extension, that at MURDERER WAS DESIGNATED. Fortymile, but a refuge cabin will be built, half way between where an instrument may be placed for testing the

POLICE COURT NEWS.

Hootch of the same old kind is again procurable, wholesale or retail, accord-ing to the capacity of the buyer. It was even possible to procure it for a Aug. 6. - King Humbert was shot at time at least yesterday, which comes 10.45 o'clock tonight. He died at within the forbidden hour of the law,



His Associates Arrested - General Greely Will Visit Dawson on Telegraph Business.

Washington, Aug. 1, via Skagway Aug. 6.-A message has been received from Conger dated at Pekin, July 27. It says that since the 16th there has been no firing, a cessation having been secured by agreement. All the lega-

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