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RECEIVED BY WIRE. TO VISIT CANADA.

Duke and Duchess of York Will Visit the Dominion Next September.

WILL MAKE TOUR OF UNITED STATES.

Colonel Steele Will Take His Family to South Africa.

ALASKA'S POPULATION 62,592

Brandon Hotel Burned—Bill to Incorporate Lake Bennett Ry. Co.—Carnegie's Gift to Vancouver.

London, March 8, via Skagway, March 13.—It is on the official program for the Duke and Duchess of York to visit Canada next fall. They will arrive at Halifax on September 15th and go west through the Dominion visiting all the important points as far as Vancouver. The return to the east will be through the States.

Coming for His Family.
Ottawa, March 8, via Skagway, March 14.—Col. Steele is to return here soon for his family which he will take with him to South Africa. He states that he is much pleased at the turn in his fortunes since leaving Dawson, his letter stating that he was glad to get away from there. The statement is

also made that he is enjoying the very best of health and is in good spirits.

Laurier Will Not Go.
Ottawa, March 6, via Skagway, March 14.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not go to Australia as was his intention, a Mr. Millock having been appointed to represent Canada at the great confederation convention.

Alaska's Population.
Washington, March 8, via Skagway, March 14.—The complete census returns of Alaska show her population to be 62,592.
The two largest cities are Nome, 5486, and Skagway 3117.

Assaulted the Emperor.
Berlin, March 6, via Skagway, March 14.—While Emperor William was driving from Rathskeller to the railway station a workman named D. Weiland threw a piece of iron at him, striking and injuring his cheek. Weiland was arrested.

Winnipeg Hotel Burned.
Winnipeg, March 8, via Skagway, March 14.—The Queen's hotel at Brandon, built 20 years ago at a cost of \$18,000, was destroyed by fire during a heavy storm today. The storm was so great that trains are now unable to move between Brandon and Souris.

Another Railway.
Victoria, March 9, via Skagway, March 14.—A bill to incorporate the Lake Bennett Railway Co. was read in the house today and referred to the committee on railroads.

Carnegie's Generosity.
Vancouver, March 8, via Skagway, March 14.—Andrew Carnegie who has given \$50,000 each to several American cities, has offered the same amount to Vancouver for a library if the city will secure a proper site. The city officials will accept the offer on the terms stipulated by the millionaire.

MORE POLICE OFFICERS.

Major Wood's Staff to be Augmented by Three Members.

Capt. Primrose, who for the past ten months has been in charge of the police station at Whitehorse, will shortly be returned to Dawson where he will succeed Capt. Courtland Starnes as officer in command. Inspectors Crosby and Wroughton will also be added to the Dawson detail, these three to fill the vacancies made by the leaving of Capt. Cartwright, Harper and Belcher, who left a year or more ago to join the South African service, since which time the Yukon division of police has not had its full coterie of officers.

Capt. Snider and McInnis are en route in from the outside to take charge of the Whitehorse station.
So far as known, Capt. Cartwright, Harper and Belcher will not be returned to this territory.

The work which has devolved on the four inspectors now here, Capt. Starnes, Rutledge, Scarth and McDonnell, for nearly the past year has been very onerous, they having to attend to all the magistrate court work not only of Dawson, but of both up and down the Yukon and of all the creeks as well as to their many other arduous and complicated duties. The addition of three more officers will tend to not only lessen the work for the former force, but will enable the members of the force to be more efficient, if possible, in the discharge of their official duties.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. MAY ANNEX LYNN CANAL

Rumor That Canada Is Preparing to Expand.

Skagway, March 14.—There is a rumor here that a Canadian agent sent to St. Petersburg to look up old papers and documents relating to the sale of Alaska by Russia to the United States returned and reported that the head of Lynn canal is undoubtedly in British territory, and it is further reported that Canada is preparing to take possession of that particular piece of country. It is said here that Major Z. T. Wood, of Dawson, has received notice to the above effect.

(When the above telegram was shown Major Wood this afternoon he first looked surprised, then amused and then he laughed. "No such news," said he, "has ever come to me. Canada may have sent a man to examine documents at St. Petersburg, but if he has made any report on his work I am not aware of it.")

RECEIVED BY WIRE. ANOTHER EXODUS

Today From Skagway for This Place.

Skagway, March 14.—Another exodus of 100 people bound for Dawson left here on the train for Whitehorse this morning and Skagway is crowded with people who are awaiting more favorable weather.

Whitehorse is reported full of people who are there for the same reason.
The weather for the past several days has been very wild and there is at present no indications of a cessation of the storm. The wind is rather warm with the result that the upper end of the ice trail is said to be getting very sloppy.

Underground Photos.
Geo. Cantwell the local photographer, has just completed some splendid underground photo work. The views are taken by the flash light process and give the most realistic underground effects we have yet seen.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. COLONEL STEELE

Personally Complimented by King Edward on Valiant African Service.

THE WARRIOR'S PATRIOTIC RESPONSE

Presented by King With Insignia Royal Victoria Order.

IRISH MEMBERS CALLED DOWN

Eight Companies of Volunteer Cyclists Called for—Too Much American Girl for One Duke.

London, March 9, via Skagway, March 14.—The London newspapers are devoting a great deal of space to the presentation of the colors to the Strathcona Horse. King Edward in addressing Col. Steele said:

"I welcome you from South Africa and I am sure that in preventing you with these colors, you, Col. Steele, and all those under you will as ably defend them as you did the British flag in South Africa. Be assured the British nation will never forget your valiant and valuable services there."

Col. Steele replied: "I assure you the people of Canada are always ready to defend the flag. We did our best in South Africa and I am pleased your majesty thinks so highly of us."
The king personally presented Col. Steele with the fourth-class insignia of the Royal Victorian Order.

Irish Obstructionists.

London, March 8, via Skagway, March 14.—Irish obstructionists have met with an obstacle in the way of the new rule of Balfour who has come down hard on all disrespectful acts on their part. Recalcitrant members have been suspended for the session. Lord Hugh Cecil's amendment that the obstructionists be imprisoned was voted down amidst ironical laughter.
Balfour's rule was adopted by a large majority.

Bicyclists for Africa.

London, March 5, via Skagway, March 14.—The war office has ordered the organization of eight volunteer companies of bicyclists of 100 men each.

Duke in Trouble.

Liverpool, March 6, via Skagway, March 14.—When the Duke of Manchester arrived with his American bride he was immediately served with a writ in a breach of promise suit brought by Miss Fortia Knight, an American actress, 24 years of age. Miss Knight is an Oregon girl who went on the stage only four years ago. She has been in London a year.

Acknowledges the Lie

The following telegram was received at the Nugget office at 1:30 p. m. today from our Special Correspondent stationed at Skagway:

Skagway, Alaska, March 14, 1901
Daily Nugget,
Dawson.

The Daily Alaskan says that the Dawson Daily News' Correspondent has been ordered to find out how the Nugget secured the report of McKinley's inauguration on March 7th.

If the Daily News correspondent isn't ahead of the Daily News editorial staff, he is quite likely to make a mess of the matter. The Nugget wouldn't mind telling the News all about it, only we are running a newspaper and not a kindergarten for the instruction of amateur journalists.

We wish the public to notice, however, that in wiring its correspondent as noted above THE NEWS ACKNOWLEDGES THE LIE CHARGED AGAINST IT LAST NIGHT BY THIS PAPER.

DEVINE'S OPPORTUNITY

If He Beats Slavin He Can Meet Sharkey the Sailor.

Manager Kennedy of the Century Athletic Club of New York, has written to Frank Slavin offering a purse of \$10,000 if the big Australian will go out in June and meet Sharkey. Slavin was seen last night and stated that such a letter was received by him but that owing to interests lately acquired it would be impossible for him to go out, even if he was sure of winning the purse.
"If arrangements can be made for us to meet here I am willing to meet him," he said. "O'Brien & Jackson of the Savoy will offer the same purse for Sharkey to come in here and we will wire Kennedy to that effect."
Tom McDonald, now with the Exchange and formerly manager for Jeffries and later for Sharkey, guaranteed Slavin that as soon as a purse of \$10,000 was put up, he would get Sharkey to come in. So there is a possibility that Dawson will witness a big go next summer. Devine who meets Slavin tomorrow night now stands in a position to jump at once to the top of the ladder in fistiana, for should he best Slavin and there are many who think he will, he will in all probability be matched to meet the redoubtable sailor.

HIT HIM \$2 WORTH.

Lacerated Face and Bitten Thumb in Police Court.

At the instance of Swan Swanson, whose face looked as though he had engaged in a several round catch-as-catch-can with T. Cat, esq., M. H. Tyler was in police court this morning on the charge of assault, a disagreement having occurred between the men yesterday in which Swanson's face was very much scratched and Tyler's thumb was bitten, but as Swanson the biter was not blood-flecked or frothing at the mouth no danger from rabies are apprehended.

Attorney McDougall, of Belcoist, McDougall & Smith, appeared in behalf of Tyler with the result that evidence adduced was of such nature as to make it appear that the row was a mutual, two-sided affair and that one of the participants was as much to blame as the other. Magistrate Rutledge imposed the nominal fine of \$2 and costs.
Social dance at McDonald Hall, Thursday night, given by Prof. Payne. Brewitt makes fine pants. c3

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