

### ARRANGEMENTS ADVANCING

For Dawson's Grand Fourth of July Celebration.

Full Meeting Last Night—New Committees Formed—Old Ones Increased—Un-American Feature.

There is one fact which warrants the imminent success of the efforts to provide a suitable Fourth of July celebration for Dawson and that is that Chairman Te Roller of the general committee, also ex-officio chairman of all sub-committees, is prompt at all times and in all things. The meeting last night for furthering the work of arranging for the celebration was called for 9 o'clock in McDonald hall, and promptly at that hour Chairman Te Roller called the meeting to order when, in a few words, he stated the object for which it was being held for the benefit of those who had not been present at the previous meeting.

Secretary Story read the minutes of the previous meeting which, with a correction in that the word "executive" as applying to the first committee, was changed to "general" were adopted.

In behalf of the committee appointed to forward subscription blanks to the creeks, Secretary Story reported progress, five blanks having been distributed on Bonanza and at the Forks. The report was received and the committee continued.

An executive committee was selected, the names being suggested from the floor as follows: Messrs. Leroy Tozier, Capt. D. B. Olson, G. M. Allen, Dr. H. M. Yemans, F. Jansen, Capt. J. B. Wood and Dr. L. O. Wilcoxson. Later eight more were added to the same committee: Messrs. Langley, Timmins, Gilson, Cowan, Col. McGregor, Whitley, Arnold and Mohr; these 15, with the chairman, secretary and treasurer form the executive committee.

It being decided that the matter of decorations and fireworks, previously assigned to one committee, should be divided, the former committee was given the matter of fireworks, and Messrs. Thomas, King and Dundon appointed to look after decoration.

The finance committee was increased to eight members by the addition of Messrs. Jansen, Vernon, Olson, McIntosh and Wilcoxson.

The sports committee was not ready to add to its number, but suggested that desirable names be submitted to it for consideration.

F. P. Slavin gave it as his opinion that a person contemplating taking part in any of the sports contests should not be placed on any of the committees.

On motion of F. J. Hemen, all committees were made subservient to the executive committee.

Probably for the first time since the Old Liberty Bell rang out the glad tidings that America was declared a free and independent nation her natal day is to have designated patrons. It has been a time-honored American principle that every citizen is a patron on the broad plain of equality when it comes to celebrating the "Glorious Fourth." On motion of Mr. Tozier, Commissioner Ogilvie and U. S. Consul McCook were named as patrons of the day.

All the committees are now ready to begin the action assigned to them, and the preparations for a grand celebration in Dawson may be said to be most auspiciously inaugurated. A meeting will be held a week from last night at which the various committees will report the progress made.

#### Territorial Court.

This morning, Justice Dugas rendered decisions in four cases, and then a number of motions were submitted for his consideration.

Judgment was given for the plaintiff in Leighton vs. Cox.

In Cullen vs. the Yukon Corporation, Ltd., the injunction already granted in the cause was continued until the referee makes his report.

The receivership in Sullivan vs. Barlow was ordered to continue; but no decision was rendered in reference to the questions as to the distribution of the gold, which may be extracted from the property in litigation, and which may be deposited in court by the receiver.

In Williams vs. Faulkner, the receivership is to continue until ordered otherwise; and it was determined to have the property in dispute inspected by three men to be appointed by the court.

The injunction in Miller vs. Kroeber was continued by consent of parties.

In Turroune vs. Faulkner, the motion was postponed till Monday.

The order for the usual foreclosure proceedings was entered in the case of the Anglo-French Company vs. Doig.

In Newfelder vs. Nelin, an order was made requiring security for court costs. The motion in Miller vs. Kroeber was postponed till Monday, and in the meantime the injunction issued in the cause will remain in force.

A motion to continue an injunction was submitted in the case of Cashman vs. Senkler.

The trial of the action of the Queen vs. George Scott, accused of theft, was fixed for June 14th.

#### BRIEF MENTION.

Benton Miles is visiting the city. E. W. Parks is spending a few days in town.

G. S. Long is enjoying a vacation in Dawson.

Walter Hawley arrived in Dawson yesterday.

Miss Stanchfield is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Annie Post will depart for Nome on Monday.

Thomas Anderson came to town from the creeks yesterday.

Capt. J. J. Donovan is greeting his Dawson acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Clan are making a brief visit to the city.

M. F. Brown and wife recently arrived here from Circle City.

William De Wolf is shaking hands with his local acquaintances.

The best cigars without any exception sold in Dawson are to be found at George Butler's Pioneer. He has the agency for Vallen's goods.

Today Mrs. Purdy surrendered possession of the Fairview hotel, and Mr. Julian Blake has assumed the management of this well established house.

R. P. Shaw is in town and registered at the Regina. Mr. Shaw is anticipating with pleasure the arrival of his wife and family on the next boat from Whitehorse.

S. C. Knight has been appointed acting chief of the fire department. He will fulfill the duties pertaining to his position until the arrival of Chief Stewart, who is expected in Dawson about the first of next month.

Sam Bonfield is enjoying a fine patronage at his new place. Every night sees an increase of patronage, not only at the clubrooms but also lined up to the bar, partaking of the delectable concoctions which are dispensed at that resort.

#### Butler House Washed Away.

James Tweed, the owner of No. 7 above discovery on Bonanza, has commenced to ground sluice his claim within the limits of which the building commonly known as the Butler house, is situated. Already the ground under one of the upper corners of the structure has been washed away, and the building has settled considerably. The Butler house is owned by George Apple and Mrs. Addie Butler, and until very recently, it was occupied by Jack Cavanaugh, who conducted a saloon and dance hall. The mining operations rendered the structure unsafe, and a few days ago the premises were vacated.

It is reported that the present state of affairs is the result of a disagreement between the owners of the Butler house and the owner of claim No. 7. Mr. Tweed demanded a certain ground rental from Mr. Apple and Mrs. Butler, and upon their refusal to pay the owner of the mineral claim started to ground-slurice his property.

#### POLICE COURT NEWS.

There was no business transacted in Magistrate Scarth's court this morning, the only cases set for hearing, those of Gus Williams and John Williams vs. McDonald and Talbot, being continued until 11:30 tomorrow forenoon.

Yesterday afternoon James Quinn, the young man mentioned with several others as having been arrested on account of the troubles of the steamer Merwin, Quinn being accused of taking money from three men for tickets, and of not providing the tickets or refunding the money, was honorably discharged, there being nothing to show guilty intent on his part. As Quinn turned the money over to Talbot, it was passed up to him to tell what became of it, and he was put on hand to report; but as the three complainants got their passage to Nome and are now en route, it is a case of "all's well that ends well," except that Quinn, like his fellow-boarders at "Hotel de Stripe," thinks he was badly treated.

J. E. Coveney, of whom mention was made in the Daily Nugget of Monday as having been arrested on the charge of unlawfully extorting money to the amount of \$7000 from Frank J. Phiscator, and who, owing to the latter's indisposition, was re-arrested until yesterday, was brought into court for a preliminary hearing. Coveney plead not guilty and was held without bond to appear before the territorial court. No evidence was submitted. The case is one which will be watched with no small degree of interest, its nature being a departure from the general order of criminal charges in the Yukon.

#### For Koyukuk.

Steamer Gold Star will leave Yukon dock for Koyukuk Monday evening June 4th, taking passengers to head of navigation without transfer. Low rates have been made for this trip.

FRANK J. KINGHORN, Agent.

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### NEWS OF THE WATER FRONT

Actions of Those Who Go Down to the Deep in Ships.

Leah Sails for Koyukuk Tonight—Mail Leaves Bennett Today—Capt. Evan's Ingenuity.

The steamer Leah sails tonight at 8 o'clock for the Koyukuk, Captain Habby Young in charge.

The N. A. T. & T. Co.'s boat John C. Barr has changed her sailing date from June 4th to Thursday, June 8th. All first-class tickets have been sold on the steamer and tickets are now being sold on the barge which she will tow down the river. J. W. Abbott is captain of the Barr.

The Gustin took a run down the river early this morning and turned near Moosehide. She leaves her dock to load freight from the company's warehouses. The boat made a very pretty sight as she sailed up the river with the water flashing from her paddles, and the sunlight glistening from her freshly painted woodwork. She will sail Monday next under the charge of Capt. E. L. McNoble.

The Empire line has the following boats on the lower river, all of which it is expected will make a double run between St. Michael and Dawson this season: St. Michael, Victoria, Seattle and the Tacoma. The estimated time of these boats from St. Michael is 16 days up and 6 days down. The first boat of the fleet is expected here the middle of July.

There is no more mail under way between Bennett and Dawson, consequently the next consignment will not arrive in less than a week, as it must make the through trip between these points, leaving Bennett today.

The Gold Star will leave next Monday for the Koyukuk. It was originally intended to sail the boat yesterday. C. H. Lewis is captain and a skilled navigator. He was formerly captain of the W. H. Evans, which is now on a bar below Circle City, where she was frozen in last winter.

The Evans is a powerful steamer 222 feet 6 inches in length and a 40 foot beam. She can carry 400 passengers and 700 tons of freight with a five foot draught. This spring Capt. Evans saved the boat from destruction in an ingenious manner at the time of the break up. As he had but one man with him on the boat he resorted to the unique idea of scuttling the steamer, hoping that the weight of the water in her hold would withstand the immense force of the ice as it piled up on her at the break up. The result was eminently satisfactory as the ice broke on either side of her and passed on without doing any damage to the boat. There was six feet of water in the hold and she sank to seven feet. It is estimated that the dead weight of water in her hold was 1200 tons. The Evans never reached Dawson although she came up the river in '98. She is owned by the Lewis-Klondike Exploration Co., of which the captain is the principal owner.

#### Gold Commissioner's Court.

The case of Francis J. Krick, plaintiff, vs. Henry W. Matson, Charles E. G. Powell and Thomas Johnson, defendants, is on trial before Commissioner Senkler today. The action involves the title to an undivided half interest in No. 40 below discovery on Sulphur creek.

#### Multum in Parvo.

"John," said the old man to his son, "I will give you £100 to go away with. Maybe, as you don't like my business, you will find a better one." Three weeks later the young man landed in New York. A month later, finding but £3 in his possession, he determined to return home again. It was best to let his father know beforehand, but how? A letter would be too slow, so off went John to the telegraph office. "A quarter (one shilling) a word to London, sir," answered the polite clerk to his inquiry.

"I want to tell my father I've spent all my money, and I'm sorry, and I'm coming home and want him to forgive me and a lot of other things, and I can only pay for six words to tell him everything," said John. "Cut it short," replied the clerk. John sat down and thought. Soon after, to his immense astonishment, the old man received the following telegram: "Squills, London: Fatted calf for one."—Chicago Journal.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor, Pioneer Drug Store.

The only first-class market in the city is the Denver Market.

#### Notice.

George Brewitt intends to leave for the outside not later than the 5th of July. All persons having accounts

against me are requested to present same not later than June 20th, and all persons knowing themselves indebted are hereby asked to pay same.

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No. 1. Situated on Scroggie creek, a tributary of Stewart river, in the Yukon Territory, commencing at a point about 13 1/2 miles from the mouth thereof, and extending up stream a distance of 5 miles.

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A sketch showing approximately the position of the above locations may be obtained on application to the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

A separate tender to be made for each location and an accepted cheque in favour of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount offered as a bonus must accompany each tender.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

PERLEY G. KEYES, Secretary.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 4th April, 1900 C-1

#### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Guitar and mandolin. Nugget office.

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#### WANTED.

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WANTED—Stenographer. Apply and send references to Nugget office. C-2

#### LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A red pocketbook, containing valuable papers. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. Apply at Nugget office.

LOST—\$20 reward; stop watch, Louis XIV. hunting case, American movement; horse shoe engraved on one side, flowers on other; leather fob, with copper nugget attached. Return to this office and receive reward.—C-1

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