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HER LINES GRACEFUL

Thistle Arrives in Tow of La France

Large Passenger List on Columbia and Sifton—Last of the Cut Rates.

The La France of the Merchants' line with the hull of the Thistle, her sister ship, in tow sailed into port like a whirlwind this morning at 11 o'clock, the graceful lines of the Thistle on account of her being light showing splendidly as she sat high in the water. Every stick of timber and every plank in her hull is of selected British Columbia fir and she is as pretty craft as ever churned up the Yukon. The only cargo brought by the Thistle was material for her completion. Her boiler and other machinery will be installed at once and the house and upper works completed. The La France brought 25 tons of freight and as most of it is Eagle she will probably deliver freight direct without transfer. Captain Martineau reports a pleasant trip down without any incident worthy of note. The shallowest water he found on the flats at the head of Lehigh was six feet. The following are the passengers arriving: Mrs. N. Miles and child, Miss Archambault, A. Bir, E. R. Peoples, F. M. Woodruff, W. H. Henderson, James Wardell, Miss Telford, C. McDougall, P. N. Bergman, Jno. Mero, R. Reski, P. Napier, R. Nero, J. F. Ferguson, Miss Eva Vincent, Captain Fussell and Dr. Austin. The Columbian yesterday afternoon took the largest load of passenger mail that has left this season, every berth, every cot, and practically all the standing room being taken. Her passengers were as follows: Ed. S. Brown, A. Camell, Mrs. Ella McDonald, Mary McDonald, Margaret McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. R. Oliver, Mrs. Hemstead, Mrs. C. A. Celene, W. Shaw, T. H. Allice, H. H.

The Ladue

Quartz Mill

IS NOW IN OPERATION.

We have made a large number of tests and are ready to make others.

We have the best plant money will buy and guarantee all our work in this mill and also in the

Assay Office

Shoff's Worm Cure FOR DOGS—It Never Fails...

PIONEER DRUG STORE

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ANOTHER NIGHTMARE

Prehistoric Find Made on Eldorado

Tale of a Rusty Gun, a Human Skeleton and the Remains of a Mastodon.

A new brand of bop has been found on Eldorado and "Triby" Collins has again succumbed to the seductive influence superinduced by divers long draws of the fragrant poppy on the end of a yard of bamboo. Another pill has been rolled, but the dreams resultant are not of petrified ships hidden on mountain tops at the source of the purling, laughing Koyukuk, nor of unprecedented storms that ravaged the bleak, barren coast of Alaska sending "Black" Sullivan's barges to fathomless depths below, nor is "Triby's" brain child new to the untutored and ultra credulous denizens of this classic village. There have been others. Today idlers with gutta percha head supporters passing along First avenue have had their attention called to a curiosity on exhibition in the window of Suter's jewelry store. The curio is an old rusty, moth eaten revolver of the vintage of '49 and about it "Triby" has weaved a romance, the wool and warp of which is said to have been steeped in the cauldron of veracity, dyed in the pot of truthfulness, and woven upon the loom of a battle scared conscience made invulnerable by a four years' residence on Eldorado. Accompanying the gun is the tale, a legend inscribed upon the pasteboard lid of a modest collar box, the result of the little pill.

FOUND

"On Eldorado bench claim in 65 feet of silt beneath the surface. Human skeleton on one side and the remains of a mastodon on the other."

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Whitehorse Arrives.

The steamer Whitehorse arrived at 3 o'clock with 33 sacks of mail and one of the largest loads of freight brought down this season—205 tons, dead weight. The following were her passengers: E. L. Webster, Mrs. Aast, Mrs. Malstrom, G. Cruella, Miss Carmen, T. Schumberger, J. Beveridge, M. Deshrisey, E. J. Strellan, Miss H. B. Miss Z. Herrett, Mr. and Mrs. Stanly, Mrs. Mrs. Bolson, K. Dineen, M. M. Brunelle, L. B. Shepard, Miss A. Houghton, F. Houghton, Mrs. G. Houghton, A. Bauer, M. Mehlner, E. F. Botsford, Mrs. H. K. Stephenson, J. Metzger, Mrs. J. H. Ryan, J. Fungbill, Mrs. Phalen, S. Smallwood, G. H. Sprout and Mr. Lamont.

Mrs. Miles Arrives

Mr. W. N. Miles, the popular Alaska Pacific Express agent, thinks he is IT. Mrs. Miles has arrived and that is what causes the inflated feeling of the express man, who had a fine home near the corner of Fourth avenue and Albert street ready for her reception.

Meeting Tonight

A general meeting for arranging for a proper celebration of the Fourth of July will be held in the Board of Trade rooms tonight at 8 o'clock.

Killed by Accident

Colville, June 15.—Arby Cecil, the 16-year-old son of S. P. Cecil, who lives near Addy, sixteen miles south of this city, accidentally shot himself last night while hunting. Only meager details of the shooting could be obtained this morning, as the family lives some distance in the country, but the report is that the boy was leaning on the gun, when it was discharged, the bullet passing diagonally through the body, ranging upwards. Soon after the report reached this city a second dispatch conveyed the news of the death of the young man. Deputy Sheriff W. H. Graham, uncle of the young man, left immediately for the home of the stricken family.

New Fruit Tree Pest

Vancouver, Wash., June 15.—A fruit insect has been troubling Clarke county orchards very much lately and B. F. Packard, a well-known fruit man, has been looking up the matter. While in Washington, D. C., recently he called upon the department of entomology and left some specimens of the insect. A letter received here from the department says the species is known as the pear blight beetle or shot-hole borer (xylophorus dispar, Fab), and that it originally came from Europe. It has not been reported from this coast before. It attacks diseased trees mostly, or those which are in poorly drained soil. The insect has caused a good deal of damage here in places. The department says a liberal washing with kerosene or creosote solution will kill the germs, as the eggs are laid in holes in the bark. The growers of fruit in Clarke county are alert in trying to ascertain the names and species of all fruit insects and remedies therefor, and such information will be carefully received and noted.

Send a copy of Oostman's Souvenir to outside friends. A complete pictorial history of Klondike. For sale at all news stands. Price \$2.50.

The Nugget's stock of job printing materials is the best that ever came to Dawson.

PONDEROUS MACHINERY

Received by the Dawson L. & P. Co.

Which Will be Operated on the Forty Nine Group on Bonanza.

Part of the huge cargo of the Mary Graf was for the Dawson Light and Power Company. Its consignment consisted of one Babcock boiler of 500 horse power, two large beam pumps and a new fashioned compound centrifugal pump. Mr. Williams has lately purchased an interest in the twelve claims known as the Forty-nine group on Bonanza and he has sent for this pump to put on the property. The limits of the ordinary centrifugal pump is from 45 to 50 feet, but it is claimed that this will raise water 500 feet. Mr. Williams has associated with him in this purchase Mr. Trehold of Monte Christo, who will superintend the operations. Work will be begun tomorrow on the claims with a big gang of men and will be pushed with vigor. Not to be dependent on the alleged powers of the compound centrifugal, Mr. Williams will also install one of the beam pumps there. These have a capacity of 100 gallons per minute. The other beam pump is intended for King Solomon's hill, where the company is supplying some ten or twelve claims with water.

Criminal Assize

Criminal cases will be taken up by Mr. Justice Dugas next week. The case of the King vs. Clarke is down for trial on Tuesday, but as his longship has expressed a desire to not hear the case it will doubtless be enlarged a week, or until the return of Mr. Justice Craig. The Bertrand case, that wherein the defendant is charged with having committed an unmentionable crime against nature, will be heard. One or two other persons bound over for trial will be up for arraignment and election.

Wire Still Down

Day before yesterday evening between 5 and 6 o'clock the telegraph line folded the drapery of the coach about it, figuratively speaking, and lay down in pleasant slumber somewhere in the locality of the mouth of White River and up to this afternoon that slumber had not been disturbed.

Holiday Tomorrow

Tomorrow, Coronation Day, being a public holiday by proclamation all the public offices, banks and many of the stores will be closed. The general delivery windows at the postoffice will be open only between 9 and 11 in the morning. The mail leaving on the Victoria this evening will close promptly at 6 o'clock. McDONALD'S WOOD YARD. Cut wood all lengths. Prompt delivery. Third avenue, near Harper.

Over Brooklyn Bridge

New York, June 15.—A young man who was a passenger on a Brooklyn bridge car tonight suddenly left his seat and sprang over the bridge rail into the river below. The body has not been recovered. Those who noticed the man before he made the jump from the bridge say he was apparently about 27 years old and was well dressed.

Job printing at Nugget office.

MOVED...

The Dawson Dental Parlors have removed to their new location in the Portland Bldg., cor. 2nd Avenue and Third St. Call and get our prices.

Coronation Decorations and Badges Just in.

SUMMERS & ORRELL, Second Avenue.

Drowned in Lake Huron.

Port Huron, Mich., June 15.—During a gale today Arthur Martin, aged 21, Beatrice Abraham, aged 14, and Nora Abraham, aged 7, were drowned in Lake Huron by the overturning of a rowboat off Edison beach. The accident was witnessed by a number of people, but the storm was so fierce that no help could reach the young people.

Get in the Swim

The Dawsonite who does not wear one of the fine, latest style straw hats just received by Sargent & Pinska is not in it with those who do. They are cooler than a milkshake.

Straw and Chip Hats From 25c Up. Very latest styles Knox shapes. See them and save money. SARGENT & PINSKA Second Avenue