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BRYANT STABBED

Tony Bogetta Uses a Knife on Well Known Actor at Orpheum Theatre

ALLEGED CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE

Being Jealous Over a Female Attache of House.

KNIFE WIELDER NOW IN JAIL

Will be Arranged for Hearing Tomorrow Afternoon Bryant's Wound Not Dangerous.

A stabbing affray took place last night at the Orpheum theater in which Larry Bryant, one of the stage actors was seriously cut in the left forearm by Tony Bogetta. As near as can be learned the particulars of the affair are that Bogetta was drinking wine in one of the upstairs boxes with Blanche Cametta, one of the female attaches of the house, and that Bryant went up and threw Bogetta out of the box and in the encounter that followed received the knife wound as above described. Corporal Piper was soon on the scene and Bogetta was arrested and taken to jail. The case was called by Magistrate Starnes in police court, Attorney Howden appearing for the defendant. As the prosecution was not ready to proceed with the hearing of the case this morning, it was continued until 2 o'clock tomorrow. Bogetta's attorney asked that his client be admitted to bail until tomorrow but the request was denied.

Bryant is a well-known local actor. His wound is not considered dangerous. Tony Bogetta is proprietor of the Donovan hotel on Second street and is also well-known around town.

Attempt to Steal \$50,000,000.

San Diego, April 13.—Charges of conspiracy have been made in the superior court against the firm of Spencer, Trask & Co., of New York city, and against Wade Chance of the same place, by R. G. Douglass and Mrs. R. O. Rutterfield, owners of two lepidolite mines at Paia. It is claimed that these are the only lepidolite mines in the United States which will produce lithia in paying quantities, and that there are at least 100,000 tons of the ore, valued at \$50 a ton, making the total value of the mines \$50,000,000.

The New York firm secured an option to purchase the property for \$185,000, and carried on development work for a time. The representatives of the company, it is claimed, ran tunnels and shafts into the mines and then covered them up with waste to conceal the value of the property. The firm was given a lien upon 1000 tons of the ore, to secure the payment of money advanced, so it is alleged, but now the firm claims that the lien was upon the whole property, and is seeking to foreclose it. The owners allege that the firm, after learning that the mine was of great worth, is conspiring to obtain them for a very small consideration.

The General Effect.

Like the election of McKinley and the return of the Liberals the going out of the ice has "restored confidence" and it is also hoped will serve in a very few days to reduce the price of antique eggs and also permit of mail being landed in Dawson. To the Dawsonite the going out of the ice is the most cheerful event of the entire year.

Elegantly furnished rooms with electric lights at the Regina Club hotel.

Derby plug tobacco is in the market to stay; there's none better.

NIGHT MAN DISAPPEARS

From Gilt Edge Restaurant on Second Street.

A man for whom no other name than Charley is known, but who for some time past has been night man at the Gilt Edge restaurant on Second street at the corner of the alley in the rear of the Aurora, disappeared yesterday morning since which time Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fenger, owners of the restaurant, have not seen him.

Tuesday morning when the Fengers came to their of business the night man told a story of how the till had been robbed sometime the previous night, some thief having "touched" it while he was in the kitchen in the rear. His story seemed feasible and was believed by the Fengers.

In order to make the bluff stronger the night man insisted that a port hole be cut in the partition between the dining room and kitchen in order that he could see the till when working about the store. The hole was cut and the following night when Charley went to work he laid a big gun in the kitchen with which he announced his intention of shooting the till thief full of holes in case he returned that night. The Fengers went home satisfied but when they returned yesterday morning the till had again been touched and the night man had left for parts unknown. He was heard of yesterday as having been met heading up the creeks. The restaurant owners say they will not prosecute him as there is no hope of recovering the money, about \$100, stolen and the time spent in prosecuting the case would be lost to them.

POOL ROOMS RAIDED

Spasmodic Moral Wave Sweeping Over New York.

New York, April 21.—The committee of fifteen raided seven alleged pool rooms this afternoon. The raids were made on warrants issued by Justice Jerome, and upon evidence obtained by the staff of detectives working for the committee under the direction of Superintendent John McCallagh. The raids in each case were personally conducted by individual members of the committee, assisted by their own detectives and policemen of the regular force from the precinct in which the raid was made.

In only one place did the raiders fail to make any arrests, and C. C. Brewster, of the committee, openly says the inmates of this place received a tip from the police that the place was about to be raided.

Mr. Brewster said the police moved so slow that he urged them to hurry, but met with a rebuff. When Mr. Brewster reached the place ahead of the police his own agents told him some one had come to the place a few minutes after he went into the station, and given a tip to the 40 or 50 men within, and they had all left. They were still coming out when he got there. When the policemen arrived the place was empty. Six books of racing charts, a rubber speaking tube and some racing slips were seized. Mr. Brewster later entered a protest concerning the action of the policemen, to Capt. Moynahan, who is in command of the precinct but who was not present at the station when Mr. Brewster presented his warrants for service.

In all 20 arrests were made. A feature of the raiding was the effort by at least two of the police officials to prove that the places raided were not pool rooms, but orderly and well conducted clubs.

Some Are Crawfishing.

There are reports of a number of unpaid ice bits around town, some who had put money on their belief that the ice would not go before dates later than the present refusing to pay on the ground that so long as ice is still running in the river it is not gone. This claim looks very much like a pretext to avoid paying the money, for when the ice is moving at all points the river is surely open. Much trouble and talk would be obviated if the conditions of wagers were stipulated in writing.

Notice.

Any person driving or riding on any bridges in Dawson or on the Ogilvie bridge faster than a walk will be prosecuted according to law.

W. THIBAUDEAU, Territorial Engineer. Dated, 15th May, 1901.

For a fine bath try Allman's. Latest Kodak finishing at Goetzman's.

ICE JAMS REPORTED

At Various Points Along the River From Selwyn to Eagle City.

STILL REMAINS SOLID AT FORTMILE.

Pelly Broke This Morning and is Sweeping Everything.

NO MOVEMENT AT SELWYN.

Water Falls Five Feet at Ogilvie Owing to Jam Two Miles Above. Steamers Ready to Sail.

Reports from up the river received today at 1 o'clock, as well as those from below, show that the river is as yet only open in places. At Fortymile it is still solid, while at Eagle it broke and moved down 200 yards yesterday when it became solidly jammed. At Dawson the ice broke south of the mouth of the Klondike at about 1:30 this morning and for several hours much ice floated past the city, but there is evidently an unbroken tract or a jam a few miles up the river as but little ice has been running today. The following is this afternoon's report: Hootalingna—River: all open at this place but the water is very low. The steamers Ora, Nora, Flora and Clifford Sifton are all here ready to start for Dawson but they will not probably get away before tomorrow.

Big Salmon.—The river is clear from Hootalingna to Tantalus but the water is very low.

Selkirk.—The Pelly broke this morning and is sweeping everything before it.

Selwyn.—No ice is yet moving at this place but the open spaces along the shores are rapidly widening.

Stewart.—The ice is all gone from both up and down the river for several miles.

Ogilvie.—The big jam below here broke at 10 o'clock this morning and passed on Dawsonwards. The jam which broke away at Stewart yesterday came down to within two miles above here, jammed again and is still holding. The last jam has caused the water to fall five feet at this place.

Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon the ice began to come down afresh and in half an hour the river was full from shore shore of floating ice on its silent journey northward.

Decline in Old Meat.

The combine which was made a short time ago on the beef market was yesterday broken and beef which had been held at upwards of 50 cents per pound wholesale took a drop to 40 and it is expected to go still lower. This only includes the frozen beef or that which has been in Dawson all winter. The fresh beef which recently came in over the ice is still stiff at 60 cents. There is on the market a large amount of beef which must be disposed of before the boats get in as there is such a wholesale amount of it at the head of the river awaiting transportation. Mutton also took a drop to 45 cents per pound.

A Good Suggestion.

A First avenue merchant suggested to a Nugget representative yesterday evening that if the authorities would prohibit the sawing of wood on the streets during the winter it would not take them until the middle of the following summer to dry out and become passable. The point is well taken as anyone can see that where wood-sawing was carried on all winter on the streets there is now a mud hole, owing to the fact that the saw dust prevents the ground from thawing but very slowly and until the frost is all gone and the water runs away, last winter's scenes of activity will be scenes of mud and mire.

More Fleet Coming.

A telegram was received yesterday by Mr. M. N. Miles, agent for the Klondike Corporation, Co., Ltd., from Manager Calderhead to the effect that the steamers Ora, Nora and Flora would leave Hootalingna this afternoon for Dawson. Try Allman's sanitarium bath.

COMPELLED TO PAY TOLL.

Toll Bridge Arouses the ire of Suburbanites.

It is not to be wondered at that the citizens of Klondike City are wrought up to a high pitch over what appears to be a scheme to prevent people from even making a two mile journey around in order to cross the free bridge and avoid paying toll, as, according to a petition presented to the council at its last meeting, the owners of the toll bridge were tearing up the 500 foot gangway across the slough on the south side of the river thereby making it impossible for pedestrians to get up along the south side of the Klondike to the free bridge. In fact, a policeman was sent to put a stop to the destruction of the footway across the slough. Evidently the toll bridge people are attempting to clinch a clinch, but people who have the time and inclination to cover the more than two miles walk in order that they may cross the river without contributing to the coffers of a monopoly have a perfect right to do so and it is no wonder that they object to having that right taken away from them.

Bad Marksmanship.

A policeman took two shots at a dog on Third street near the postoffice today between 12 and 1 o'clock but further than puncturing the atmosphere and causing the dog to accelerate his pace, no results were apparent. The dog was a small brindle devoid of both collar and muzzle. When common revolvers are used two men are required in killing a dog, one to hold him and the other to shoot.

TOO MUCH GAMBLING

And to Few Children are Evils of Present Day.

New York, April 23.—Too much gambling in society and too few children are the two evils that are attracting the attention of the pastors of fashionable New York congregations, says the Evening World today.

Many of the ministers are recent additions to the religious and fashionable life of New York, and they declare that the conditions that they have encountered here appall them. The ministers have been counselling with each other, exchanging confidences and experiences, and trying to devise means of correcting the conditions which they say prevail.

They have not decided what they will do, but they have declared that they will not begin by any public crusade, and they will not refer to the subjects in sermons. When a score of ministers, who care for flocks that live up and down Madison and Fifth avenue, West End and Amsterdam avenue, begin to talk over their troubles in confidence, they find that all had the same story to tell.

Gambling among the members of their flocks, they said, was entirely too common, and the play was often for extremely high stakes. Many instances were told, showing how young men had lost much larger sums than they could afford, and had often been compelled to borrow small sums for railroad fares or temporary expenses from their hosts.

One of the ministers says: "It is my personal opinion that a good deal of the money put on the plates in such liberal amounts on Easter Sunday came easy at the gambling table, or if it did not, these large gifts were made in many instances as balms to supped guilty consciences."

Double Funeral.

The remains of Thos. Donahue, a miner who died on the 12th, and Frank Langdon, a gambler who died on the 13th, were buried today at 12 o'clock by Undertaker Green, both funerals being held from St. Mary's church. Donahue was from San Francisco and Langdon from Los Angeles.

Any kind of wine \$5 per bottle at the Regina Club hotel.

TO SEIZE PROPERTY

Tax Collector Will Open New Order of Campaign in Dawson Tomorrow

WHEN DELINQUENTS ON TAX ROLLS

Will Have Their Property Seized for Unpaid Tax.

TO BE ADVERTISED AND SOLD

Taxes Became Delinquent on January First—Only 50 Per Cent. of Assessment Yet Paid.

The tax collector will start to-morrow morning and seize all property on which taxes have not yet been paid and after advertising will sell same or such part thereof as will cover the delinquent tax account and cost of such seizure and sale. This statement was given to a Nugget representative this morning from the collector's office.

An idea seems to be incultated in the minds of the people that taxes do not become delinquent until the first of July, while as a matter of fact they become delinquent on the 1st of January. Owing to the numerous delays which have occurred in the collection of the taxes, caused principally by the appeal cases from the assessment and for which a court of revision was established, the collection of the taxes for last year did not commence until early in this year. As an inducement for prompt payment a discount of 10 per cent was allowed on all taxes paid before the 1st of May and the order states that all taxes paid before the 1st of July would be received at par while after that time an additional charge of five per cent will be made.

It is possibly owing to the fact that taxes will be received at par until the 1st of July, that the idea has gotten abroad that the delinquency does not occur until that date, but the collector said this morning that the delinquency began the first of the year, but owing to the delays that have been mentioned the enforcement of the delinquency order has not been put into effect.

It is considered that plenty of opportunity has been given for the voluntary payment of taxes due and now the payment is to be forced. No more than 50 per cent of the assessment for last year has been paid and it is the intention to collect it all in before the next assessment.

Death of Roy Agee.

Roy Agee, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Agee, a respectable colored family, the father being proprietor of the Colorado Barber Shop on Second avenue, died shortly after 1 o'clock this morning at the Sister's hospital, where he was taken by his father a week ago suffering from what later developed into typhoid pneumonia. The writer has known many colored boys but never a more manly or honorable one than was Roy Agee. He was a good barber and worked steadily in his father's shop. He had a good reputation as a pugilist, being always on the square and possessed of considerable science. He was born in Fort Crawford, Colorado, and was 19 years of age the 10th of last February. The funeral will be held from the family home on Second avenue at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Deceased had many friends who deeply sympathize with his family in its bereavement.

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