

LARGE QUANTITY OF BEEF

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Messrs. McNamara and Duncan Sled Meat From Bennett—Cow Miller's Outfit Reached Here Yesterday.

Large quantities of beef have arrived in Dawson during the past week. On last Thursday, Mr. McNamara reached here with 100 trimmed hind quarters, which he had sledded from the head of Lake Bennett. Saturday evening, Mr. Duncan arrived. He brought with him about three tons of loins, which he had freighted over the trail. On Sunday afternoon, Cow Miller's outfit arrived here. He had 25 sleds and 30 horses; about 14 men were employed to freight the beef from Selkirk. As the procession of loaded sleds with horses and drivers proceeded down Front street, quite a number of people were attracted by the unusual sight. Mr. Miller left Skagway with 120 head of cattle, eight of which he lost through the ice in the Hotaling river. The stock was driven to Fort Selkirk, and there it was slaughtered and dressed. About 13 tons reached here yesterday. This is half of the original shipment; the rest will remain at Selkirk until the drivers and horses return there, when it will be started on its way to Dawson. Besides the consignments which have arrived here, and the beef at Selkirk, there are still large quantities of meat on the trail only a few miles up the river.

The price of beef is now 50 cents per pound; and it is not thought that the present market value will be effected by the large shipments, which have recently arrived. Mr. Miller intends to retail his meat directly to the consumer, and will not lower the prices now prevailing.

A Daily Nugget representative interviewed several of the butchers in reference to the matter.

Mr. Ashby of the Dawson Market said: "I think that the arrival of Cow Miller's beef will have a tendency to decrease the price of meat. If the butchers do not pool together, I expect to see beef fall to 35 cents per pound."

Mr. Whitley of the Denver Market, replied: "I would not be surprised to see the present price decrease. There is plenty of meat here now, and lots more coming. People prefer caribou at 22½ cents to beef at 50 cents. Just now the market for beef is very dull."

Mr. Dumbolton, when asked for his opinion, said: "I do not believe that beef will go lower than 50 cents. That is a fair price to the consumer, and affords only a moderate profit to the dealer. There is not more than enough beef to supply the market until the opening of navigation. I do not believe that Mr. Miller will gain anything from his speculation in the meat business; for I think it has cost him at least 50 cents per pound to land his beef in Dawson."

Mr. McDougal, of the Victoria Market, said: "I do not see how the price can go any lower. There is not now and will not be a surplus of meat in Dawson. Consumers consider the present price fair, for we have sold more beef in the past two weeks than we did during the six weeks previous."

"Is it true, Mr. McDougal, that the butchers have combined to keep the price at 50 cents?"

"Not that I know of," he replied. "As for me I can truthfully say that I am not nor never was in any such combination; and what is more, I never shall be interested in affairs of that sort."

Charles Hill in Danger.

This morning Charles Hill, accused of murder, was brought down from Fort Selkirk by two members of the N. W. M. P. The prisoner is accused of shooting and killing his partner, John Blair, on January 28th, 1900. The scene of the alleged crime was about 50 miles from the mouth of the Pelly river. Immediately after the killing, Hill journeyed to Fort Selkirk, and there surrendered himself to the custody of the police. The story of the accused is to the effect that he and his partner were located at a small fish camp on the Pelly river; that they quarreled over the ownership of a dog; that words led to blows, and that Blair assaulted the prisoner with a gun, threatening to shoot. Hill started to run and succeeded in getting behind a pair of bob sleds from which point he fired at his partner, after the latter had discharged the first shot. Blair fell, mortally wounded. An Indian woman who had been occupying the same cabin with the two men, was the sole witness to the fatal duel.

The body of the deceased was brought to Selkirk by Constable Tuttle. At the inquest, held at Selkirk, in February, crimiinating evidence, contradicting the prisoner's story, was adduced, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict that Blair came to his death by being willfully and maliciously murdered by Chas. Hill. At the preliminary examination, subsequently held before Commissioner W. H. Rutledge, the accused reserved his defense and was committed for trial before the territorial court.

The records in the case and the gun which was used by Hill were received by Mr. Snell, the clerk of the court, this morning. The prisoner is now confined in the police barracks at Dawson.

Territorial Court.

Justice Dugas rendered several decisions this morning. The motion of the defendant in Ashby vs. Pay asking to be discharged from the writ of capias issued in the cause, the money having been deposited by him as security, was rejected, and the parties were ordered to argue the case upon its merits.

The court refused the application for judgment made in the case of Gibson vs. McKay Brothers.

In McCrea vs. Winckley, the application to continue the injunction was dismissed with costs.

The following motions were made this morning: In F. Anderson vs. Klondike & Alaska Mining Company, a motion was submitted asking for an order staying sale under execution. The sale was postponed; an argument on the motion continued till Saturday, March 17th. The plaintiff in Schale vs. French, made an application to continue the injunction heretofore issued. Decision was reserved.

The application for judgment in Beyers vs. West stands for two months from March 5th by consent. The hearing of the motion in De Journal vs. Wilkens et al., was postponed till Friday.

The court reserved its decisions upon the motions to continue injunctions in the cases of Foster vs. Anderson and Burke vs. Anderson.

The hearing on the motion in Woodworth vs. Howie was continued till Friday by consent.

The motion in King vs. Robertson was postponed till next Monday; and the examination of witnesses will be taken before the court clerk on a day to be fixed by him.

Case and Malloy.

It is reported today that Dick Case and Pat Malloy have entered into an agreement to engage in a ten round glove contest which will take place in this city at an early date not yet definitely decided upon. Malloy recently demonstrated at Ford's gymnasium in a contest with Smith that he is a good man, while Dick Case is certainly in fine condition, notwithstanding the fact that his trip over the ice from Bennett was completed only a week ago. When the meet occurs some fine work on the part of both men will be seen.

A. W. Stewart Injured.

Alexander W. Stewart, a miner, fell down a shaft on No. 2 below on Bonanza last Saturday morning, and suffered a fracture of his right leg at the hip joint. The injured man was immediately brought to Dawson, and entered at the Good Samaritan hospital. His fractured limb was set by Dr. Macdonald, and the patient is now resting as easily as possible under the circumstances.

Out on Appeal Bond.

Through the efforts of his attorney, C. M. Woodworth, Frank J. Golden, who on last Thursday afternoon was sentenced in police court to a term of two months at hard labor on a charge of theft by conversion, was released from custody Saturday night on an appeal bond in the sum of \$2000. The case will now come on for hearing before Justice Dugas in the territorial court when it is claimed that evidence not brought out in the lower court will be introduced. An effort is being made to have the case called tomorrow.

Weather Report.

The minimum temperature for Sunday was 41 degrees below zero. Last night, the thermometer registered 30 degrees below. At 9 o'clock this morning the instrument registered 26 degrees below, and at noon it was 10 degrees below zero.

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All creditors of the Nugget Express are requested to meet at the office of Tabor & Hulme, First avenue, Dawson, on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1900, at the hour of three in the afternoon, to consider the winding up of the affairs of the Nugget Express and the appointment of a trustee to act in the stead of the present assignee of the estate, who desires to withdraw. Creditors will present their claims duly approved. TABOR & HULME, c17 Advocates for Assignee.

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