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STRIKE NOW VERY SERIOUS

Coasting Vessels Tied Up at 'Frisco Where Strike is Daily Spreading —Situation in Pennsylvania Unchanged and Determination of Men is Unshaken.

From Friday's Daily.

San Francisco, Aug. 5, via Skagway, Aug. 9.—The officials of the Pacific Mail steamers have declared their crews non-union and are unloading their cargoes without delay. Efforts are being made to discharge other vessels today but with little success. Several coasting vessels are now tied up here, having been deserted by their crews as soon as they reached port. Tomorrow the painters' union will strike and it is though will be followed by many other unions as the striking spirit is rapidly spreading.

Pittsburg, Aug. 5.—The suspense which was induced by the uncertainty of the recent negotiations between the committees of workmen and operators is now over and there is less excitement although there has been no decrease in determination on the part of the strikers. All eyes are on President Shaffer of the association, as it is recognized that by him will be made the next move in the great struggle. Speculation is rife as to when he will order a strike of the amalgamated men in the plants of the United States corporations. President Shaffer says this latter strike will be ordered by him within the next week.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The Dawson arrived this morning at 7 o'clock with ten passengers.

The Prospector will be in this afternoon having passed Stewart shortly after noon.

The Ora is due this afternoon with a raft of logs from Selkirk.

The Flora will be in tonight from Whitehorse with two scows. After a rest of several weeks' duration, the Eldorado has again gone into commission on the Whitehorse run. She leaves this evening on cut rates, tickets being sold at $30, $40 and $50.

Birthday Party.

The party given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Daniel Rose in honor of her daughter Audrey's third birthday was a very happy event. Joy was unconfined among the 30 guests of the little girl and the whole neighborhood was filled with the resonant notes of merry laughter which indicated the pleasure all present were getting out of the occasion. The house was very prettily decorated with flags and bunting and during the afternoon a very excellent luncheon was served.

Miss Audrey was the recipient of many handsome presents and all joined in wishing her many happy returns of the day.

Jury Disagrees.

For the third time a jury has failed to agree on a verdict in the case of Purden vs. the A. E. Co., wherein the plaintiff sues to recover an architect's commission alleged to be due for having drawn the plans and specifications from which the A. E. building on First avenue was constructed. The case was heard before Mr. Justice Dugas Tuesday and after spending some hours in their deliberations the jury came to the conclusion they could not agree as to a verdict, standing three and three.

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FRONEMAN KILLED

After Exciting Chase Boer Commander Is Put Out of Business Near Winburg

CONVOY OF 70 WAGONS CAPTURED.

Vancouver Assay Office to Deal Directly With Miners

ADVANTAGE OVER SEATTLE

Detective Seeley Coming—May Carry Important Papers—Chief Stewart and Bride En Route.

From Friday's Daily

Bloemfontein, Aug. 5, via Skagway, Aug. 9.—Boer Commandant Froneman was killed near Winburg after a very exciting chase. Important papers were found in his pocket. The British have also captured a Boer convoy of 70 wagons near Rashoff.

Beats Seattle.

Vancouver, Aug. 5, via Skagway, Aug. 9.—The government has decided to have the assay office here purchase gold direct from the miners which will give this place a great advantage over the Seattle office. Victoria has also been granted the right to give a rebate of one per cent to miners who produce royalty receipts.

Seeley Coming In.

Skagway, Aug. 9.—Detective Seeley of Dawson arrived on the Hating today. It is supposed he carries with him the Ottawa order in council denying O'Brien's application for a new trial or commuting of his sentence.

Chief Stewart En Route.

Skagway, Aug. 9.—Dawson's chief of her fire department H. A. Stewart, arrived with his bride on the steamer Hating en route from Vancouver to their home.

THREE MONTHS FOR CARLSON

Chechaco Hill Knife Wielder Will Operate Royal Saw.

John Carlson, whose trial was had yesterday upon the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon committed upon John Holm, was found guilty and sentenced to three months at hard labor. He has already been confined several weeks awaiting trial.

William Ovenshaw was also convicted upon the charge of having sold a cabin and its contents, the property not being his own. Last fall Ovenshaw passed the night in a cabin belonging to Ed Reyburn, having been given permission to do so. He left his effects there temporarily and later Reyburn locked up the cabin and went outside, leaving R. M. Crawford as his representative during his absence. Ovenshaw returned, broke into the cabin, remained there a number of days and finally sold its contents to a second hand dealer for $50, claiming that he was acting as the agent of Reyburn. The cabin itself he sold to Capt. Murray of the steamer Eldorado. Reyburn returned to the city this spring and found he had lost his home and everything it contained. Upon being found guilty as charged Ovenshaw was given six months at hard labor.

Prospector for Pelly River.

The substantial and speedy steamer Prospector will sail for Pelly river at 7 o'clock tomorrow, (Saturday) evening. For rates and other information inquire of Agent Frank Mortimer, Aurora dock.

Fred Rekate, well known about town, left for the outside last night on the Columbian.

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DOWAGER EMPRESS IS DEAD

Passes Away at Cronberg Castle at 6.15 on Evening of the 5th —Emperor William and Others of Her Children Present— King Edward Hastens to Holland.

From Friday's daily.

Cronberg, Aug. 5, via Skagway, Aug. 9.—The Dowager Empress Frederick died at 6.15 o'clock this evening. Relatives of the dying empress arrived at intervals throughout the entire day. Emperor William and other children being in the sick room throughout the day and when the end came. A detachment of infantry patrolled around the castle all of the day.

Cowes, Aug. 5.—King Edward has been notified of the death of his sister, the Dowager Empress Frederick of Germany, and will start at once for Flushing, Holland, on his royal yacht.

The usual gaieties at Cowes have ceased, there being no dancing by the king's order.

COLLAR AND ELBOW MATCH.

The greatest sporting event in Dawson history is to occur on Friday night the 16th of the month. On that date Ole Marsh and Col. J. H. McLaughlin will meet at the Standard theater in a wrestling bout, best two out of three falls, mixed holds, the winner of the contest to take all the gate receipts. McLaughlin needs no introduction or in fact neither does Ole Marsh "the terrible Swede," to the Dawson sporting public as both men have earned a national reputation. Col. McLaughlin is known all over the world as the world's champion collar and elbow wrestler, he holding that title since 1870 in which year he won that distinction at Detroit, Michigan, at a national tournament where the champions of many countries went down before the herculean veteran. A world's champion belt was awarded to him on that occasion which he has held ever since meeting all comers, save in '84 when the belt was won on a foul by Dufur who lost it again to McLaughlin one month later.

Ole Marsh is a much younger man than McLaughlin but his youth is offset by weight. The colonel weighing trained, 230 pounds, Marsh but 190 pounds. The latter athlete is a handsome Apollo-like gladiator and has vanquished the best men in the country one after the other, his light complexion and fearful power gaining him the sobriquet of "The Terrible Swede." He is remarkably swift in action and is imbued with a bull dog tenacity which has won him many a hard fought battle against apparently overwhelming odds. The outcome of the meeting will be looked forward to with the greatest interest as both men are in tip-top condition and eager for the try out. Following is the agreement signed by the men at the Nugget office where the match was made, also the rules which govern the contest:

AGREEMENT.

Dawson, Y. T., July 26.

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to wrestle at some place in Dawson (to be decided upon later), on or before August 16, 1901, under the following rules:

The match to be collar and elbow style.

First fall to be in jackets.

Second fall to be in harness.

Should each man win a fall, the one who wins the fall in the shorter time can name the style for the last or third fall.

Referee to be governed by N. Y. Clipper rules.

Winner of the contest to take all the receipts of the house.

Signed, "OLE" MARSH.
J. H. McLAUGHLIN.

Witness: R. J. FITZPATRICK.

RULES TO GOVERN THE MATCH.

1. The men shall wear knit shirt and short coat or jacket, not extending below the hips, with strong collar and elbow for grasp of the opponent, and thin rubber sandals on the feet.

2. Each man shall take hold of the collar of his opponent with his right hand, while with his left he must take hold of his elbow.

3. Both men shall stand up breast to breast, with limber arms and show fair and equal play.

4. Either man who shall break his hold with one or both hands, to save himself from a fall, shall forfeit said fall.

5. Kicking the limbs strictly prohibited, and the offense forfeits the contest.

6. The falls must be square back falls, or two hips and one shoulder, or two shoulders and one hip to strike the ground or floor, to constitute a fall.

7. Striking upon the face, side or knees, or no fall, and nothing shall be allowed for forcing a man from such position to his back.

8. Going down on one or both knees is fair, as long as both men keep their holds.

9. No betting shall be allowed under any circumstances.

10. Not less than ten nor more than twenty minutes' rest allowed between each wrestling bout.

11. The match will be first fall, best two out of three, or three in five, according to stipulation.

12. The ring to be twenty-four feet square, and nobody to be allowed inside except the referee and two umpires, who shall be chosen on the day of the contest. Referee's decision to be final.

THEY MEET ON THE STANDARD MAT NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT.