

ROBBED IN THE NIGHT.

A Stock of Jewelry Abstracted From Frank's Store.

Coining Thieves Cut Through Canvas Walls While the Proprietor Sleeps Within Arm's Length.

Mr. E. Frank, jeweler, has reason to regret the clumsy nature of some of Dawson's summer buildings. He recently opened up a stock of jewelry in a small square office occupying one front corner of the J. B. Lynch building on the water front. The building and the office are of cloth stretched over skeleton frames of wood. Thursday morning Lynch entered his premises and immediately saw that entrance had been made to Frank's jewelry room by the simple process of cutting the canvas with a knife. Frank had not yet discovered his loss and has not yet been able to draw up a list of what had been taken. The stolen property consisted of a complete stock of rings, watch chains, charms, watches etc. A case of repaired watches hanging on the wall was untouched, the stolen goods all being taken from a drawer of the work bench.

The interesting feature of the case was that Mr. Frank slept in the place all night, and the robber must have stood within a couple of feet of the sleeping man while he did his work. Entrance was effected to the Lynch premises from the rear. The loss is estimated at about a thousand dollars.

The amount of thieving going on in Dawson proves the reported arrival of a gang of thieves to be no hoax. The police are constantly on the qui vive, but the unworldly trustfulness of people in leaving valuables in conspicuous and insecure places is making lots of work for them. The time has gone by when gold dust and other treasure could be left unguarded by lock or key. People must learn that with our new population have come in thieves of national reputation.

Dedication of Fraternity Hall.

Members and friends of all fraternal orders will meet at the Mine Exchange on Sunday, at 3 o'clock, and proceed in a body to Fraternal Hall, east of Salvation Army barracks, where the following program will be rendered:

Calling to order by Col. O. V. Davis, chairman; music, Goodwin Bros. Quartette, selected; prayer, Rev. Mr. Bowen; presentation of hall to the C. F. & A. M., response by Dr. Thompson; presentation of hall to the I. O. O. F., response by Mr. Snyder; presentation of hall to K. of P.; response by Judge Miller; presentation of hall to A. O. U. W., response by Captain Starnes; presentation of the hall to W. of W.; response by W. A. Kalb; address by J. D. Carroll; music by Goodwin Bros. Quartette, selected; benediction.

A New Ruling.

Persons on business at the recorder's office last week were notified as follows:

"All unrepresented claims that have been staked for nine months or more, only half is then open for relocation, viz.: the half nearest Discovery, on all creeks that have a discovery, on all creeks that have a discovery claim, and on the nearest half to the mouth on all other creeks."

"If a claim has been staked less than twelve months prior to the 1st inst., the former owner could save his claim by starting to represent any time before 12 p. m. on August 31st."

A Popular Concern.

One of the busiest places in Dawson, because the wheels of industry within it are running every hour of the day's twenty-four is the Yukon saw mill on First Avenue. The mill is equipped with the best of machinery, of latest improved designs, and turns out house logs, dressed and matched lumber, mouldings, finishing and dimension materials in vast quantities daily. The proprietor, Mr. J. F. Burke is noted among Dawson's most enterprising and public spirited citizens, his close attention to every detail of his business, courteous treatment of patrons, resulting in the building up of the extensive business they now enjoy. An able lieutenant the firm has in Mr. Perkins in charge of their office.

The Empire Transportation Co.

While the element of "hard luck" as it were entered into the initial service of the Empire Transportation Co. in its opening of the season, by reason of the U. S. Government taking four of their ocean steamers for transport, it speaks for the steamers themselves the highest encomiums, that the ships were accepted without question, while others underwent the critical examination of surveyors and inspectors before acceptance, or their more prompt rejection. The service of this company consists of the well known steamers "Ohio," "Pennsylvania," "Indiana," "Illinois" and "Conemaugh," which preparatory to their service on the Pacific ocean were thoroughly refitted in the famous shipyards of Cramp's Philadelphia, with every modern convenience for the safety and comfort of passengers. Lighted throughout by electricity, well ventilated, and provided with bath rooms, lavatory accommodations and luxuries not usually familiar to Pacific ocean travel.

Operating in conjunction with these popular ocean steamers, playing successfully in the Trans-Atlantic service of the International Navigation Co., while the palatial floating St. Paul, St. Louis, Paris and other boats have been the admiration of Atlantic travellers, is their fleet of seven steamers built especially for the Yukon service, provided with all that will make this all-water route comfortable and enjoyable.

The officers of the company are gentlemen of many years' experience in transportation interests, know well how such interests should be served, studying the best interests of the public, providing a perfect cuisine, and everything that would be conducive to the coming to or returning from Alaska. It may be more plainly stated that the *biscuits* of the company is transportation, therefore not organized for speculative purposes or a "by the night" concern. Amply provided with necessary capital, nothing is stinted, patrons are handled carefully and there is an assurance of responsibility the public will hardly fail to appreciate. The first boat of the company to arrive in Dawson, is the Seattle, which came into port yesterday, loaded to the guards. She is a powerful river boat, and of great carrying capacity, with ample and comfortable passenger accommodation.

The Tacoma and Victoria, of the same line, are now on their way up the river and may be expected at any hour. On board the Victoria

is Mr. Gates D. Fahnestock, the general agent of the company at Seattle, who is making a flying trip, but with close observation of the needs of the public in travel to the Alaska gold fields. The local agents are Dr. H. W. Yemans and W. H. Chisholm, gentlemen of extended travel and experience, familiar with travel, and with whom will be a pleasure for the public to transact business if courteous treatment, polite attention and prompt transaction of business merits the approval of the public.

The offices and warehouses of the company are located near the hospital. The Seattle will probably make her return trip on Monday or Tuesday morning.

POLICE COURT ITEMS.

A. Gibson made a charge of theft against Erlesen and Nelson.

The docket of the past week was lighter than usual. There was the usual number of "drunks" and the usual fine.

The charge against J. Murphy would puzzle one not acquainted with local affairs. For being "drunk and disorderly and stealing from Seacat No. 1" he is for ten days being watched with a gun while he works.

Hercules had no right to abuse his dog, especially when a policeman was looking, and thus it happens that for wounding that same faithful canine he contributed \$5, with the option of serving 14 days at hard labor.

On the complaint of C. L. Hawkes two thieves, D. A. Bassett and F. Marsh, were arrested and convicted. Thirteen days of hard labor may open their eyes and convince them that "honesty is the best policy," especially in Dawson.

H. Hillman wishes he hadn't spoke. He was fined \$1 for shooting within the town limits, but was given the option of a day at hard labor. Hillman theremore became uncompromising to the justice, who was letting him off so easily. His contempt was apparent, and he is now serving a sentence of five days, plus one we suppose, for the original offense.

P. Kruzzner, of the Hoffman House bar, was fined \$1 up charged with keeping a disorderly house. In this offense he willingly contributed \$20. This particular disorder which brought about the arrest was a case of "O be joyful" amongst some of the habits of the place during the cold Sunday session. In an excess of hilarity wine glasses were thrown onto the street, to the edification of belated pedestrians. The police failed to see it that way, however, and hence the fine.

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

The new crown Prosecutor, Mr. Philip Sheridan, is fitting up a law office in the Chisholm building. His duties as public prosecutor will be light until the arrival of Judge Dugas, of Montreal, who is expected in before the final hearing.

Complaints are being made from fishermen with nets in the river that fish are being abstracted therefrom in the night time. Quite frequently nets are taken up in the morning and the only fish in them have evidently been caught within few hours.

Miners and others should beware of the later frauds being attempted, in sharpers going over the creeks representing themselves as agents for the Alaska Exploration and Alaskan Gold Fields companies. Credentials signed and sealed with these companies' offices are in the hands of duly accredited representatives and properties bonded to them are all right, but not otherwise.

The narrowing of the Klondike river, by reason of low water, has led to the extensive use of boats in crossing and the bridge has recognized the competition by putting down the fare to 25 cents each way, instead of 50 cents, as it has been all summer. The water is narrow but swift, and the overturning of boats, with the human freight is quite common. On Tuesday there were four colored men dumped into the river, to the amusement of a throng of white people on the banks. While they were wringing out their clothes they had the satisfaction of seeing a whole boat load of their amused watchers turned into the river in the same way.

Mining Exchange Removal.

The Mining Exchange will remove to their new winter quarters in the Combination Theatre building early next week.

Sales will be held at the usual hours each afternoon. Handsome offices for the conduct of business are being erected in the front of the building.

No waiting for your ocean connection, if you go on the Monarch. The Columbia Navigation Co.'s ocean steamer is already there.

Staple and Fancy Sundries. Complete stock. Kelly & Co., Druggists, Front street.

Are you buying your drugs at the Pioneer Drug Store?

Hot for Seattle. The Monarch's ocean connection is awaiting her return to St. Michaels.

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Have your prescriptions filled by Kelly & Co., Druggists, Front street.

I have several good cabins for sale. Best location in Dawson, at snap bargain prices. Call at once and secure first choice. HEMEN, NUGGET office.

The man that cures dogs sick with mange of diphtheria lives at the Pioneer Drug Store.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND.—Large black dog, marked white on breast; strap on neck. Owner can obtain by calling at NUGGET office and paying charges.

FOUND.—A black pocket book containing valuable papers in which the names of H. C. Currie and J. E. Appear. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

LOST.—On Friday, a sheepskin sack containing \$20 in currency and small sum in silver. Please leave at NUGGET office. Reward.

FOUND.—Black malamoot dog with strap around neck. Inquire Seaman or Hawkes, half mile above upper ferry.

WANTED

Japanese wants situation as cook. Address M. S. this office.

WANTED.—Steel cable, either $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ in. for W. H. Berry.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—No. 1 Centrifugal Sand Pump and Portable Saw Mill, with rip and cross cut saws. Fine engine and boiler suitable for mining purposes. Apply A. C. Anderson, steam saw, opposite Record office.

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The company's mill also furnishes all kinds of matched, dressed and plain lumber at current prices.

JOSEPH LADUE, PRESIDENT.

Public Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that under a writ of execution issued on the 30th day of August, 1898, up-on a judgment made and entered on the 10th day of August, 1898, by the Territorial court, Yukon Territory, in the case of Alexander Daniels vs. A. D. Nash there will be sold at the barracks, Dawson, by me the following personal property, viz.: Thirteen (13) dogs, two (2) bitches and a litter of six (6) pups. The sale will take place at 11 o'clock a. m., on Monday, Sept. 19th, 1898.

CORTLANDT STARNES, Sheriff.

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