

TANANA LOOKS GOOD TO HIM

Typo A. X. Grant Writes of the New Territory.

Advices People Going There to Take One or More Pack Animals—Circle Will Be Lively.

By the steamer Sarah, which arrived from the lower river this morning, Foreman Geo. E. Storey received from A. X. Grant, a former typo in the Nugget office, the following letter:

Circle City, June 11. Friend George: I thought I would drop a line to you and the rest of the boys who are anxious to learn something about the new Tanana diggings. I will say from what I hear from these old time sour doughs and others that the new fields look good to me—in fact, very good. I will also say that I think I would rather take my chances in the new field than stay in Dawson and work. I say that for myself, without advising anyone else either one way or the other. Definite particulars are hard for me to get. I can only pick up a little here and there, but the tenor of all the talk is that the new diggings are O. K., and that Circle City, which is now a dead burg, will before long be a lively place. In case anyone were coming here be certainly ought to bring a horse or burro, in order to take his stuff over. The animal would cost little, after he had it here, for there is good grazing all around here. Am writing this under disadvantages, and so you will excuse brevity.

A. X. GRANT.

Steamboat News.

The Nora arrived last night at the hour expected and will leave again at 7 p. m. tonight. These boats arrive and depart with such regularity that Agent Calderhead is contemplating using their itinerary as a means of correcting the official time, thereby dispensing with the noonday gun and its consequent vibrations.

The Victorian left Whitehorse this morning at 2 o'clock. The Canadian was reported at Five Fingers at 7 o'clock today. She will sail Saturday afternoon.

The steamer Rock Island of the S. Y. T. Co., has made a flying trip from Dawson to St. Michael and return. She left St. Michael on the same day as the Sarah, the 21st, and was in the lead all the way up the river until Eagle City was reached, where something happened to delay her, as she was passed by the Sarah. She will probably arrive today and will sail on her return trip immediately after discharging her cargo. The Rock Island is a splendid boat and is officered by first-class men who take an interest in the affairs of the company, and the comfort of the passengers.

As the forms go to press the steamer Rock Island is coming up the river and will arrive at the S. Y. T. dock at 3:45.

The steamer Hannah was passed by the Rock Island and Sarah, seven days from Dawson, at a point about 15 miles from the mouth of the river.

The steamer Sarah, of the A. C. Co.'s fleet of lower river steamers arrived this morning at 8 o'clock. This is the first boat from St. Michael this season and she brings the latest news from the beach diggings, a full account of which will be found in another column.

She is loaded with 300 tons of general merchandise and carries 3 1/2 tons of mail in 110 sacks.

The Sarah came through without any incident of note and brought the following passengers:

- St. Michael—F. S. Putnam. Kutlik—J. Marion. Andreaki—L. R. Radcliffe, J. Perlede. Rampart—Mrs. T. Hughes. Circle City—Joseph Dryden, Dennis Farrell, A. Madison, J. Hicks, J. Dubuque, Thos. Hannon. Eagle City—A. J. Russell, W. A. McBe, Mrs. J. H. Dames, Rev. Fr. Monroe, N. Peterson, Thos. McMahon. Fortymile—E. J. Tennant, R. W. Lefurgy, T. A. Smith, C. B. Parks, P. G. Sullivan, Henry Seymour, J. F. Cotton, P. C. Dewolf, Wm. Gibson, Rev. Hanksly, W. H. Klenkauf, Chas. McDonald, A. K. Cameron, W. H. Stafford, Bonney Delberg, Dan McLamon, Lou Redman, Chas. McLarty, Walter Lampert, Jas. Watson, Dan Broyer.

She sails for St. Michael tomorrow night at 9 p. m. To Relieve the Nott. The steamer Emma Nott has been fast grounded in a blind slough near Tulare during the past two weeks, and can only get off by the aid of another

steamer. The Columbian will take her off on her upward run this trip, after which she will probably get on to Dawson. As she is loaded with live stock her two weeks' tie up has been expensive.

The Market.

Although today is Friday, the day when people are supposed to eat fish, there will be none eaten in Dawson. The monopoly from up the river has let the supply run out.

Beef remains so far the same as when last quoted, notwithstanding the fact that the supply has greatly increased during the last few days. Tomorrow, will likely see it drop materially.

Beef, 75c; mutton, 90c; butter, \$20; potatoes, 10c; onions, 50c; eggs, \$20. The rise in onions is due to the fact that they do not keep well, and already many have been dumped as garbage.

Territorial Court.

Judge Craig, the newly arrived judiciary, sat in chambers today, when considerable progress was made in the disposal of court business. The judge has decided, owing to the great number of cases which have accumulated, to waive his right to a vacation and dispose of all cases in which the parties thereto are ready to proceed to trial. He will also dispose of all criminal cases in which the defendants have elected to be tried by the judge instead of by jury. By the time for the opening of the regular session in September, the docket will be in much better condition than at present.

Swift Water Flarried.

A letter received by the Nugget from Circle City this morning states that "Swiftwater Bill" paused long enough at that place to take unto himself a wife.

As there is a lady out on Dominion creek who bears that title already, it is presumed that William found his voyage unbearably lonesome. To quote the letter exactly it says: "Swiftwater Bill" was married at his rooms to Miss Beatrice Beebe on the 22d day of June and went down the river in an open boat on his wedding tour.

If this report is proved correct William is complicating his affairs at a rate which renews his right to at least a part of his title.

For Sanitary Improvement.

Commissioner Ogilvie has issued a call for a meeting of local physicians and business men to be held this evening in the A. C. Co. store. The meeting is called for the purpose of considering the sanitary condition of Dawson and to take such measures as may be deemed advisable for the improvement of the same.

Lynch's Gold Recovered.

R. A. Grimes, who was a passenger on the Rock Island as far as Circle, and who left her there and came on the Sarah from that point, brings word of the capture of the cook who a short time since departed from here in a small boat, taking with him a large poke filled with dust from Lynch's Cheshako Hill claim. He is being held in Circle City, waiting, it is understood, the arrival of extradition papers, on the arrival of which he will be returned here.

The gold was nearly all found with the man, whose name, so far is unlearned. His capture was effected July 2d.

Forks Church Services.

The many old friends and acquaintances of the Rev. A. E. Grant who are at present stationed on the creeks, and have for that reason been unable to be present at any of the services he has conducted since returning to Dawson, will be pleased to know that an opportunity of hearing him will be given them on Sunday evening next at the Presbyterian church at Grand Forks. Services at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

It was a short session held by Magistrate Scarth this morning, there being nothing up for hearing except two cases of drunk.

The first was that of Donald McKinnon, who had taken just sufficient to make him very drunk, but not boisterously so. A fine of \$5 was entered and Donald payed up and departed.

J. S. Boise had taken a couple of three fingers more than McKinnon, with the result that he became somewhat noisy. It took \$10 and costs to appease outraged law in his case.

The C. M. Woodworth case will be up for further hearing tomorrow morning. Much of the afternoon session of the police court was taken up in fining gamblers, so that the O'Brien case could not be reached till late in the afternoon.

Photo Supplies.

Paper plates, films, chemicals. Atwood & Cantwell, Third ave., and First street. Light-weight blue serge coats, single and double breasted. Star Clothing House.

THE REFEREE'S REPORT.

M'Gillivray Views the Surface and Interior of Disputed Claims.

Hears Evidence in the Cases and Reports That Faulkner Has Taken Gold Which He Was Not Entitled

In the well known Faulkner mining cases, the report of Joseph McGillivray is as follows:

In the Territorial Court of the Yukon Territory. Between J. W. Raymond, Peter Falk and N. J. Falk, plaintiffs, and G. M. Faulkner and A. J. Kroenert, defendants.

I, Joseph McGillivray, beg to inform the court that in accordance with the order made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Dugas, in the territorial court of the Yukon territory, bearing date of June 1st, 1900, have, for the purposes of the above action, personally examined the mine and surroundings both on surface and underground; also have heard evidence produced by both parties and would submit to the court the result of my investigation and findings.

I find in answer to question:

(1) "If the said workings encroached on the mining claim of the plaintiffs, the Clarken claim, and if so to what extent?"

That the defendants have encroached on the mining claim of the plaintiffs, the Clarken claim, to the extent of twenty-five square yards on bedrock.

(2) "If any pay dirt has been taken from the said mining claim, and if so to what amount?"

That pay gravel has been taken from said claim by defendants to the amount of thirteen thousand one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$13,125), a portion of which has been rocked out in the mine and a portion put in the dump.

(3) "The amount of pay dirt in the dump in question?"

I estimate there are about 2463 yards, and value same at eighty-three thousand two hundred and seventy-nine dollars (\$83,279).

(4) "Generally the condition and manner of the said workings?"

That the drifts and tunnels are not made in a miner-like manner in order to be made for permanent use.

They should not have made them wider than five feet and should have been straight on the sides and arched at the top, whereas these drifts and tunnels in instances have been made as much as 12 feet in width, flat and gouged in underneath. (Signed.) JOSEPH M'GILLIVRAY.

Rumor Denied.

San Francisco, June 27.—The persistent publication in the newspapers of the Northwest and East of a story to the effect that Rev. J. George Gibson of this city is dead, and that before his demise he made a confession admitting that he murdered Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams, whose bodies were found in the Emmanuel Baptist church in this city several years ago, and for whose murder Theodore Durrant was convicted and hanged, have no foundation in fact. Dr. Gibson is still alive and has made no confession. He is still pastor of Emanuel church.

Up the River.

The reports from up the river today are that the weather is quite cool, the mercury being as low as 50 above at Bennett, with little variation at intermediate points. At the same hour it was 20 degrees warmer in Dawson than in Bennett.

Ben Ferguson's Sad News.

By the arrival in Dawson Wednesday night of Mrs. Lulu Hall from Victoria, Ben Ferguson, of the Fairchild bar, learned of the death of his wife, which occurred in Seattle from typhoid pneumonia a few days ago. She was sick but a short time. Mrs. Ferguson was a sister of Mrs. Hall who brought the sad news to the bereaved husband.

The Six-Day Race.

At the finish of the fourth heat in the six-day race last night Cardinal was three laps ahead. Both men are in good shape and the contest is getting very interesting. There will be an interesting heat run tonight.

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LOST—Black horse; white hind feet; branded "figure 8," with bar across on shoulder; weighs about 1400 lbs.; liberal reward. G. K. Peterson, 21 above Bonanza. p6

FOUND—I took up, and have been feeding since March, a gray malamute dog; information concerning same at the lodging house over Northern Annex Restaurant. Mrs. Cummings. p8

FOUND—Bobtail Siwash dog; color black, w'th white breast and feet; followed finder from Indian river. Owner can secure dog by calling on L. M. Stordock, cor. First st. and Eighth ave., and paying charges. p8

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