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The Steamers Are Once More Afloat

No Boats Will Be Dispatched for Whitehorse Until the up River Fleet Arrives.

In anticipation of the early break-up of the river the steamers Robert Kerr, Flora and Nora, which have wintered along the water front, have been cut free from their icy embrace and were afloat yesterday for the first time. The Kerr was loosened by thawing the ice that surrounds her, steam being furnished from her own boilers. The boats in the slough opposite Klondike City are also being made ready for the season. Since the burning of the Mona and Glenora the only ones left there are the Rock Island, Lavelle Young and two barges. On the old C. D. ways below West Dawson are the Tyrrell and Lightning of the Sullivan line, the Barr of the N. A. T. & T. and the diminutive Quick, none of which, however, will take to the water until the river is clear of ice. The plan of sending either the Flora or Nora up the river at once upon the opening of navigation has been abandoned by Agent M. N. Miles who says neither will leave until after Mr. Calderhead arrives from Whitehorse, where he is building two new boats to add to his fleet. Such determination will mean that there will be probably a week of open water with neither arrivals or departures. Last year the first boat for up river points had left three days before the first one arrived from Le-barge. All the other steamers which have wintered in this vicinity are on the lower river run with the exception of the Quick, which has been engaged principally in the Stewart river traffic. The Lavelle Young it is intended will make a trip to the Koyukuk as soon as possible after the opening of navigation, and as there are none of the White Pass fleet in port, unless arrangements should be made with the Quick there can scarcely be any departure of mail for the next two weeks and possibly longer, everything depending upon how quickly the ice moves. As the first up river steamer will also pick up the mail which left here May 1 and which is now cached at Stewart it is safe to assume that fully 30 days will have elapsed since the arrival of the last mail at Skagway and the one following. All of which but emphasizes the imperative need of the overland road to Whitehorse it is proposed to build this summer.

Believed to be Mrs. Luetgert.
Chicago, April 17.—An apparently demented woman, believed by many who have seen her to be the wife of Adolph Luetgert, and supposed to have been murdered by her husband, is being cared for at Almo Mott

Home, 589 Austin avenue. For the supposed murder of his wife Luetgert was sentenced to the penitentiary to serve a life sentence, and died in prison. The woman, who gives her names as Mary Robbins, answers all the descriptions of the supposedly murdered Mrs. Luetgert.

Point of Interest.

Several thousand people, men, women and children, visited the neighborhood of the new toll bridge over the Klondike river yesterday evening from which Frank LaBlanc had the misfortune to fall, losing his life yesterday shortly after midday. The Klondike was well worth seeing yesterday evening as never did it appear more fierce and powerful. Huge cakes of ice, blackened with grime and mud were carried rapidly down to the Yukon to join thousands of tons that had preceded them.

The bridge was guarded by a police officer yesterday evening and boards to the height of ten feet were nailed across its entrance at the South Dawson end so that none might venture across.

Workmen were busy on the bridge yesterday and today repairing the pier that was disabled by the pressure of the ice, but not until the water goes down can permanent repairs be made.

Do Not Fear Death.

Manila, April 17.—Gen. Chaffee has returned here from Malabang, island of Mindanao. He said the Dattos have not responded to his invitation to take part in a conference, but the Datto grande came to the American camp, and through him Gen. Chaffee sent a message to the other Dattos, assuring them of the friendly intentions of the United States, but warning them that they must deliver up the assassins of the American soldiers.

A force of 1,200 soldiers under Col. Baldwin will start April 24 from Malabang for Liana, Mindanao, leaving behind a reserve of 600 men.

Gen. Chaffee is sending the transport Hancock to Mindanao in case the Dattos resist, which seems probable, as they muster a total of 20,000 men, of whom 600 are armed with rifles. The remainder are spearmen and bolomen. These natives are a different breed of fighters from the Filipinos. They are religious fanatics, to whom death while fighting is regarded as being a passport to heaven.

The American officials, hope, however, to avoid a crisis.

Will Obey Malvar.

Manila, April 17.—Gonzales, the insurgent leader, has agreed to obey Malvar's order, and will surrender.

Gen. Bell wires that no insurgents are left in Batangas or Laguna provinces. The surrender of the insurgents of the Island of Samar has been postponed until April 20, on account of the weather making their movement difficult.

Acting Governor Wright has returned here. He is enthusiastic over his reception by the friendly natives of Lucena, province of Tayabas.

Capt. Pitcher has telegraphed to Gen. Wheaton that the insurrection in the island of Mindoro is over.

Disastrous Fire

Special to the Daily Nugget.
New Milford, May 6.—A half million is the latest estimate of the loss by fire which destroyed the business section of this city.

OFFICERS ELECTED

New Set of Officers for the A. B.'s

Installation to Occur at the Next Meeting—Camp in Flourishing Condition.

The semi-annual election of officers of the Arctic Brotherhood which took place last night was responsible for the largest attendance of members that has taken place for many months, nearly 150 being present when the balloting began. For arctic chief, vice arctic chief, keeper of nuggets, and a board of five trustees there was considerable good-natured rivalry, but in every instance, with the exception of the case of the trustees, one or other of the defeated candidates would move the election of his more successful rival be made unanimous. There was the utmost good feeling displayed and the greatest satisfaction shown at the officials selected. For the office of arctic recorder there was but one candidate, Dr. A. F. Edwards, and his election was made unanimous.

For chaplain all the candidates with the exception of F. N. Atwood withdrew and his election was also made unanimous. The same action was taken with the office of camp alchemist. The complete list chosen, who will be installed at the next meeting, is as follows:

Arctic Chief—John Gilson.
Vice Arctic Chief—J. S. Cowan.
Arctic Recorder—Dr. A. F. Edwards.

Keeper of Nuggets—Dr. T. B. Cooke.

Chaplain—Fred N. Atwood.
Alchemist—Dr. Willis Everett.

Trustees—L. L. James, Richard Cowan, J. L. Sale, R. A. Kalenborn, and J. A. Greene.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed tenders for new church will be received by the Rev. J. R. H. Warren, at corner of Harper street and Fourth avenue, up to one o'clock p.m. on Monday, May 12, 1902.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Guildroom next to St. Paul's church any day between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. I. CLEGG,
Secretary Building Committee.

Laughed Himself Frolic.

Seattle, April 17.—Miss Ida Galt, a young woman residing at Rainier station, almost laughed herself to death last night at a card party in the neighborhood. Only prompt work on the part of her friends in summoning a physician saved her life.

As was the failure of the telephone to work properly almost prevented a doctor being summoned.

The girl attended the card party and during the evening got into a laughing fit. At first no one thought

anything of it, but when she did not stop after several minutes of laughing the others thought it very funny and laughed themselves. When they could laugh no more they were surprised to hear Miss Galt still keeping it up. Between peals of laughter she told them that she could not stop, although she was getting very weak.

By that time the other merry makers were thoroughly alarmed and an attempt was made to call a doctor.

The phones of over a dozen physicians were reported as "busy," but Dr. Carroll, the city physician, was finally reached and responded promptly. He found Miss Galt in a wildly hysterical state and it was some time before he could calm her. When she was at last brought to a normal state she collapsed completely and it is feared that she will be seriously ill for some time as a result of her laughing.

Hold Office for Life.

Havana, April 16.—Gov. Gen. Wood has issued an order providing that judges and prosecuting officers cannot be dismissed from office except for crime or for other serious cause, and never without a hearing. As under the Platt amendment the Cuban Republic must recognize all orders issued by the American military governor as law, this order of Gen. Wood virtually means a life tenure of office for the present judges and prosecuting attorneys.

A vigorous protest has already been made against the number of orders being issued by the military government in its closing days, which are characterized as tying the hands of the republic, and it is believed that this order especially will stir up bitter feeling. There is a general desire to raise the standard of the courts and leading lawyers here claim to have the promise of President-elect Palma to look into the allegations that certain men are holding judicial positions on the strength of their revolutionary records only.

Settlers Coming West.

Butte, Mont., April 16.—Major J. E. Dawson, of the Great Northern, was advised today by General Passenger Agent F. I. Whitney that Train No. 3 left St. Paul in two sections with 500 passengers for Montana and western points. On Tuesday night No. 3 left in two sections with 100 passengers for North Dakota, and today No. 3 left with 700 passengers for the northwest.

Supplies Bring Big Prices.

Lewiston, Idaho, April 16.—Frank D. Hobbs, a prominent mining expert arrived here tonight from Thunder Mountain. The Shiasler pack train, the first to reach the camp, arrived before he left and relieved the stringency in supplies. The flour cargo was sold at \$30 per sack, sugar and bacon at 75 cents per pound. These supplies will last until other pack trains now en route arrive.

Alaska Central Railway.

The exclusive publication in The Times last night of all the outlines and some of the details of the building of the proposed Alaska Central Railway demonstrates the confidence which leading men have in Uncle Sam's northern possession. When influential and well-known men will undertake the organization of a railway company having in con-

templation the construction of a railroad nearly 600 miles in length, requiring a capitalization of thirty million dollars—and never suggest "government aid by land grants," there can be no question of the confidence which those gentlemen feel in the success of their undertaking.

From the map which was published in connection with this proposition it is apparent at a single glance that this proposed railroad, commencing in waters always free from ice and cutting the north end of Cook Inlet, and bearing straight up to Rampart in the Yukon valley, cuts the very richest portions of Alaska, both as to mineral product and agricultural results.

The story was told with so much particularity last night that we need not repeat in detail here, but the success of this undertaking will place another market for Seattle upon the list.

Alaska is fast demonstrating that an empire of wealth capable of sustaining twenty-five millions of people but now having but 60,000, lies just to the north of this great commonwealth, and from which, with Seattle at the gateway, enormous living and operating supplies must be drawn.—Seattle Times, April 17.

Gen. Bell is Thanked.

Washington, April 17.—Adj. Gen. Corbin has sent the following cable message to Gen. Chaffee at Manila:

"The acting secretary of war directs me to inform you that the president wishes, through you, to express his gratification, and the gratification of the American people, at the results of the campaign of Brig. Gen. J. Franklin Bell and the officers and men of his command, in Batangas and Laguna provinces, which culminated in the surrender of the insurgent forces under Malvar, and which will further extend the territory in which civil government is exercised."

Fitz is Willing.

New York, April 17.—Bob Fitzsimmons has sent a telegram today to J. J. Jeffries, saying he was convinced that the only state where a glove contest between them could be held without interference was California. Fitzsimmons further said that he would meet Jeffries anywhere in California and at any time to box for the championship of the world, and that he would leave the making of arrangements to Jeffries, he to do the best possible for all concerned.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between William M. McKay and William E. Buritt under the firm name of Buritt & McKay, advocates, Dawson, was dissolved on the 1st day of October, 1901. W. M. McKay will pay all outstanding debts due by the firm. All debts due to the firm must be paid to him at the Monte Carlo building.

BURITT & MCKAY.

To Renovate White House.

Washington, April 17.—For the first time since President Arthur's administration, the old White House is to have a thorough renovation on artistic lines. Mrs. Roosevelt has had her attention called to the building and to the need of new furnish-

ings and adornments to make the place suitable for the entertainment of large parties.

Cholera in Manila

Manila, April 17.—The total development of cases of cholera reported in Manila up to noon today was 366, and the total number of deaths from the disease in this city was 235. In the provinces totals of 621 cases and 423 deaths have been reported.

Pay Your Bills.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to The Alaska Commercial Company that accounts remaining unpaid May 15th next will be placed in the hands of the company's solicitor for collection.

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