

SEVERAL STEAMERS ARRIVE.

Victorian and Clifford Sifton From Whitehorse.

Hamilton Arrives From St. Michael—A Very Sad Death Aboard on the Trip.

The steamer Victorian with 28 sacks of mail and the following passengers arrived at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon: J. Dickman, Mrs. Dickman, Miss F. Flormann, F. Florman, L. E. Alerson, T. Bradbury, Mrs. Bradbury, Mrs. J. T. Smith, W. B. Rodman, William Heffron, Mrs. A. G. Mosier, D. Lennette, Wm. Yetto, John Kenetto, Kast Millette, Chas. Milne, Mrs. Milne, Mrs. E. J. Mirde, Jas. Apperdol, J. E. Olsen, Fred Johnson, J. P. Anderson, J. R. Loane, J. Lunette, E. G. Sharrock, Mrs. J. T. McGinnett, J. T. McGinnett, Mrs. A. Perry, Mr. McKeon, L. F. Schultz, Sam J. Newland, C. Jones, J. Bout, J. E. Woods, J. O'Connell, Jas. O'Connell, Gertie Duval.

The Clifford Sifton arrived from Whitehorse this morning. She brought down river 54 tons of freight and 16 head of horses. She will sail up river tomorrow night. The following passengers arrived on her:

Mrs. F. Hunter, Gus. Hunter, Frank Walls, A. H. Chute, E. B. Smith, Mrs. M. A. Watson, Mrs. M. Haglestead, Nina Kalgad, J. J. Gallager, S. W. Poole, J. H. McKnight, Dennis Howard, Frank Cullon, J. A. Cooper, J. F. McCarty, Wm. Butler, F. Flynn, Mrs. F. Flynn, Peter Frisell, W. B. Jamieson, Frek Ekman, P. E. Braberg, Jno. F. Bernard, Marcus Payne, Roy Payne, T. D. MacFarlane.

The N. A. T. & T. Co.'s boat, James H. Hamilton, W. H. Simms master, J. T. Zook purser, arrived at 8 o'clock this morning, 21 days from St. Michael. She brought two barges from the mouth of the river, dropping one at Eagle City with stores for U. S. quartermaster at that point. The other barge was towed on to Dawson. The tonnage of both barge and boat amounts to 500 tons general merchandise. As the Hamilton left the mouth of the river a few days earlier than several of the down river boats which have arrived here recently, she brings no late news.

On the way up the river a Norwegian named Otto Smee died of pneumonia and was buried at the mission, four miles above Weare. His death occurred on the 9th instant. The deceased was ill at the time of taking passage on the boat and Capt. Simms refused at first taking him as a passenger, but upon his securing a certificate of health from a physician at St. Michael he was allowed to go aboard. His illness developed rapidly and at different points on the river, as the boat came up stream, he was examined by the local physician, but nothing could be done for the unfortunate passenger. He died with all his faculties unimpaired and directed the disposal of his money and interests; the same to go to his father in the old country. He was a young man 25 years of age. The following passengers were booked on the trip: V. H. Reed, C. A. Shippey, J. B. Brown, G. D. Dumex, D. McGregor, F. Hyland, F. O. Mundahl, B. F. Thompson, C. Bergeman, F. Souise, J. D. Landale, John S. Anderson, Harry Willwater, P. Buckley, J. D. Ruan, Wm. Girdwood, Fred Barthold, E. C. Stromen, F. Schaufier, Ed Geck, F. Cartwright, H. Mosserau, F. A. Etzee, W. B. Ash, N. Lulga, C. H. Ward, W. P. Phillips, Miss Davis, W. Davis, J. J. Steer, C. R. Maynard, T. M. Ellinger, Jno. O'Brien, H. Wood, D. T. McMartin, A. C. Wahlen, P. Andrews, P. Barry, T. Greenwood, J. Randolph, J. Chappel, A. Hill, J. P. Darrow, J. P. McFarland, A. M. Niles, O. Tweedie, M. V. Nevin, C. Lund, T. Cinnamon, E. Wilson, F. Frost, J. H. Mountain, Jas. Wardell, G. Koski.

The Flora is expected from Stewart river Sunday. She only went as far as the McQuesten on this trip and has now carried up all the freight which will be consigned to the T. E. Co.'s post this year. Upon her arrival she will be dispatched to Whitehorse.

The following was received by wire this morning: Steamers Yukoner and Tyrrell arrived at Whitehorse last night. The Sybil left that point early this morning.

Lower Lebarge reports the passing down of the J. P. Light yesterday afternoon.

The Canadian passed Big Salmon going up at 6:30 this morning.

Selkirk reports the Columbian passing down at 7 p. m. yesterday.

The Lightning passed Stewart going up at 9:40 this morning.

U. S. Postage Stamps.

Probably Postmaster Hartman receives more letters of inquiry from the outside

world than any one person in Dawson, and in nearly all the letters to him are enclosed U. S. postage for reply. But as U. S. postage won't carry letters out of the Yukon, the result was that, until recently, the postmaster had on hand a large stock of American stamps. But as Dawson is rapidly filling up with housewives and as that class of humanity has a weakness for enclosing stamps for everything from a patent washing machine down to crochet needles, the postmaster's stock of American stamps has been drawn on until exhausted; but as every incoming mail serves to replenish his stock, the present famine is not apt to be of long duration.

Public Notice.

Pursuant to a petition presented to me by a number of the electors of the Yukon territory, a public meeting is hereby called at McDonald hall, in Dawson, on Tuesday, the 28th day of August, A. D. 1900, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., to take steps for the calling of a convention from all parts of the Yukon territory, to select two candidates for the coming election to the Yukon council. Those attending are expected to be in sympathy with the reform movement as presented to the governor general by the citizens' committee, and with a complete representative local government administration generally.

Dated at Dawson, Y. T., this 22d day of August, A. D. 1900.

DONALD MACGREGOR,
Covener.

Jas. I. Tozier Wanted.

A pathetic letter has reached the Nugget office from Mrs. Jas. I. Doizier, of Turner, Oregon. The letter states that Mrs. Doizier has been sick for four months during which time she has not heard of or from her husband. Anyone knowing anything of Doizier's whereabouts is requested to send information to the Nugget.

Casey Gets Two Years.

The man Casey, who was convicted of snatching sundry bank notes from a man named Graham early last month, was sentenced by Judge Craig, Monday, to two years' imprisonment at hard labor.

Casey conducted his own defense in a manner which hints at past experience and some knowledge of criminal procedure. It is said that he was at one time connected with the choice circle known in Skagway's earlier history as the "Soapy Smith gang," and that he was one of the artists who manipulated the shell and pea species of entertainment. When he received his sentence he thanked the judge politely.

From Circle City.

Circle City, Alaska, Aug. 18, 1900
To the Dawson Daily Nugget:

The steamer Arnold arrived here today loaded with commissary supplies for this camp and for Fort Egbert. After unloading those billed for here she proceeded on her way to Eagle. The steamer Hamilton arrived here this evening.

The military camp at this place is to be removed and at present it is not expected that any military force will remain here this winter.

Judge Post and Clerk of Courts Heitig have been spending the last few days at this place. They will now proceed to Rampart to attend the district term of court which begins in a few days. Quite a number of persons have returned to this place from Nome, and this winter will pack a large amount of provisions to the Tanana so as to be prepared for the summer season for mining. New finds are reported at the Tanana from time to time. Deep creek is coming to the front and some valuable property in that vicinity is changing hands.

Measles have made their appearance, especially among the Indian population, who always seem ready to get everything that is going in the shape of disease.

We are glad to hear of Dawson's prospect of a removal of the 10 per cent royalty on gold dust and a better representation at Ottawa.

H. V. TWREDDIE.

Opening of New Studio.

Messrs. Lars & Duclos are now open for business on Front street, Webb block, over the Palace barber shop, opposite the Yukon Dock. They have now the best appointed studio in Dawson for the production of portrait work of which they make a specialty. Also views from the rush of '98, all along the Yukon river from Skagway to Dawson and in fact everything from that time up to date. Mr. Lars has just returned from the outside, with a complete stock of fresh material for the production of fine platinum portraits; try them. Don't forget the place, opposite the Yukon Dock.

LARS & DUCLOS,
Photographers.

Anyone knowing the address of Oliver R. Elliott will confer a favor by sending same to this office.

Private dining rooms at The Holborn.
Stetson hats, latest styles. Oak Hall.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

In Magistrate Scarth's court this morning it came out in evidence that Chas. Read had, after becoming very drunk, deported himself in a manner unbecoming a gentleman and scholar in that he had insisted on entering the Hotel McDonald after having once been ejected. He was fined \$10 and costs and innocently asked the arresting officer: "Did I have any money when you found me?"

When a twister twisting would twist him a twist, to twist him a twist he three twines doth entwine, etc. One of the three twines was Geo. Twine, who had entwined his legs last night by an over-indulgence in the cup that inebriates, and while drunk he had become a disturbing element on Fourth avenue. He was fined \$10 and costs or ten days manipulation of a crown saw. A friend present, at whom the new stove in the court room actually appeared to frown, paid Twine's assessment.

In the person of Geo. Bartlett, alias Geo. Doyle, who was arrested yesterday while wandering around in a maudlin condition with a ladies' coat on his arm, the police think they have the perpetrator of a number of late petty thefts, principally of wearing apparel. Of late merchants around town have missed articles which were hung near their doors, and later these same articles have been known to have been sold to women on Fourth avenue. The fine cloak found in Bartlett's possession yesterday was later found to be the property of Mrs. Thompson who conducts a ladies' furnishing store on Second street. Bartlett will be given an opportunity this afternoon to explain how the cloak came in his possession.

American Bonded Goods.

Ely B. Weare, of the N. A. T. & T. Co., who left on the Al-Ki for the Sound, says there is nothing to prevent the Skagway merchants from shipping goods in bond to the lower Yukon. Their company, he says, is a Canadian bonded carrier, and bonded goods can be transferred at Dawson to their steamer and taken to any of the American suburbs on the Yukon.

"Our company," said Mr. Weare, "will be only too glad to quote rates from Dawson down the river. We are in the carrying trade as well as the mercantile business, and our boats have been made bonded carriers by the Canadian government."

"Our boats are making regular trips down the Yukon, and will take freight in bond from the upper river bonded carriers whenever offered for delivery at Eagle, Circle or any other point between the boundary and Nome."—Alaskan.

Must Be Money in It.

Within the past two or three weeks nearly a dozen new grocery stores, most of them very small ones, have been opened to the public in Dawson and are candidates for patronage. Many of them are the result of a scow load of groceries for which ready wholesale market was not found, hence the starting of a store where the goods will be retained.

Blamed the Government.

"See here, young fellow," shouted an angry visaged business man with his head up close to the stamp window in the postoffice. "You are a pretty lot of incompetents that the government hires to transact the nation's mail business."

"What's the matter, sir?" asked the clerk, calm by long familiarity with such outbursts.

"Why, I mailed a letter to Cleveland last week that was of the utmost importance, and it has not reached its destination yet. I have come here to kick, and to kick right hard."

"You're in the wrong pew, my dear sir. Go the superintendent of mails, and he will fix you up."

The indignant "business man" was passed on from department to department until he finally ran up against the authority competent to handle the matter.

"Such things do sometimes happen," he was informed in the conciliatory words of the superintendent. "We'll send our tracer after your letter. To whom was it addressed? Tell us where and when you mailed it."

"It was a plain envelope," explained the still angry customer. "I usually use a 'return' envelope, but had reasons for using a plain one in this instance. Here is one (fumbling in his pocket) like it. By George, let me look at that again. I'll be hanged if that isn't the very letter. I haven't even addressed it yet."

As he vanished down the corridor there was no suggestion of apology left behind.

At the Soldier Shrine.

For the last 50 years Highland Tommy has been the idol of the female Londoner's heart. Always when he stood guard before one of her majesty's town palaces there was an unfeeling petticoat worshiper somewhere in the offing, but since Sandy has suffered so desperately in the South African war this female devotion has reached the proportion of a grand passion. Rosy cheeked nurse maids, tall aristocratic shop girls, badly dressed middle-class maidens; great ladies in silk attire, all linger lovingly about the spot where the Scotch soldier is on duty. He

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When the Clifford Sifton plied Lake Bennett she had the reputation of being the swiftest and most comfortable boat on those waters. Her reputation there is continued here. She sails tomorrow night for Whitehorse and way points.

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