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KLONDIKE NUGGET.

IMPOSSIBLE TO UNDERSTAND.

It is a difficult matter to conceive by what course of reasoning the would-be assassin of President McKinley brought himself to undertake the dastardly crime.

McKinley by birth, education and association, is distinctly a man of the people. He has been brought to his present position as chief executive of one of the great powers of the earth through sheer force of merit. His entire career has been an open book. His progress has been watched from the time he entered the ranks of the Union army until as the one man chosen to preside over the destinies of a great nation, he was sent to the White House at Washington. In all this time McKinley has never forgotten the fact that his duty is the execution of their will. His kindly disposition, affable manner and the beauty of his domestic life have endeared him to the people not only as a statesman but as a man. Less than a year ago McKinley was returned to the presidential chair by a greater majority than ever before was given to any candidate.

After four years of service in that exalted position the verdict, "Well done, good and faithful servant," was pronounced and McKinley went back to the White House with the certification from his people that he had kept faith with them in every particular.

Now in the height of his glory and while engaged in receiving the applause and congratulations of the people whom he has served so well, he is made the victim of the assassin's bullet—shot down by a cowardly villain to whom he had extended his right hand in friendly greeting. The would-be murderer alleges that he does not like the government—he is a disciple of a woman anarchist—and believed it his duty to dispose of the president.

What a statement and what a plea for justifying so enormous an offense. The normal mind refuses to accept it. The man is a monster, incapable of human feeling. He has no more right to like than a rattlesnake or a man-eating tiger. And yet under the laws of the land he is entitled to a trial by a jury of his peers. Shrewd lawyers will be allowed to introduce all manner of technicalities into his defense or if he has no money, the law itself will provide him counsel. And it is such a government that the assassin would destroy.

It makes one almost regret that the rack and stake are no longer countenanced.

Exception has been taken by some few Hebrews in Dawson to a statement which appeared in the Nugget's first extra concerning the matter of the attempted assassination of President McKinley. In the first bulletin received at this office it was distinctly stated that the assassin was a "Polish Jew," and it was so published. Subsequent reports have stated that the would-be murderer is of German extraction. Whichever report may prove to be correct we are unable to see that any reflection is cast upon anyone else thereby. There is no nation that has not had its murderers, but we never yet heard of a race of people being con-

demned by reason of the conduct of individual men. We are of the opinion that our Jewish friends are rather super-sensitive.

Commissioner Ross has placed himself on record as being favorable to the imposition of an export duty. This declaration on the part of the commissioner means, in all probability, that the royalty tax will not be collected after the present year. Ottawa has a way of listening to Gov. Ross when he has any recommendations to make, and it is safe to say that he has been heard in the matter in question before giving utterance to his views through the public press.

The fact that President McKinley is slowly improving has brought more genuine joy to Dawson than any single item of news that has been received in a long, long time. His ultimate recovery seems now quite probable, although it will undoubtedly be many months before he is able to give attention to his official duties.

ONLY ONE LONESOME

Was Before the Police Court This Morning.

But one lone victim occupied the "jag" bench when Magistrate McCaulley opened the police court this morning and he was kept busy turning over his chestnut colored taster. Frank Campbell was his name and that he had been up against the real thing was evidenced from a map on his forehead that looked as though it had been stamped by the bumper of a freight car. On entering the prisoner's box he insisted that it was his first offence. (Right here it is in order to state that "first offence" drunks have been very numerous this week.) The arresting officer stated that Frank had essayed to seek repose on the sidewalk last night and had objected to having his slumbers disturbed. A fine of \$5 and costs or ten days at hard labor within the prescribed metes and bounds of the fuel factory was imposed. There were no funds in sight and the indications when court adjourned were that he will saw.

Fourteen late employees of the steamer Gold Star were in court this morning, one of whom, John Smith, chief engineer, has suit pending for salary alleged to be due for labor performed. Col. William Rourke being named in the information as defendant. Attorney De Journal appeared for the plaintiff, but as the service on the defendant was irregular he was not in court. The case was enlarged until Monday morning.

Was Properly Equipped.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6.—There is every probability that the Islander investigation will be concluded at once. Capt. Gandy adjourned court today, adding that it would resume Tuesday, when, if no further evidence was volunteered, a verdict would be given.

The most important evidence was that of Captain Collier, inspector of hulls, who stated that he had inspected the ship on the 5th of May. He had opened and closed the bulkheads and had found them to work satisfactorily. There were six boats, four steel and two wooden ones, and with their equipment, met his approval. A short time before the inspection he had the boats all put out on the trip to Vancouver, and the work was accomplished by an officer and five men in 12 minutes. He also inspected and tested the life buoys and found that they came up to the requirements of law, all being in a satisfactory condition. They were made of cork and tulle, a sort of California grass. These kind of life preservers have been in use since 1894, when they were adopted by the department of marine and fisheries.

Correspondence which passed between the local inspector at that time and the department, in reference to their use was then read to the court by Thomson. Life buoys, witness said, had been all properly distributed about the ship, every room and other compartment having its regulation number.

New Furs

We are just opening our fall stock of Coats, Caps, Mitts, Gloves, Ruga, Etc. This is not last year's left overs packed away, but

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Electric Lights to Be on Continuously After Oct. 1.

There is probably no commercial enterprise in Dawson which has made greater strides nor added more improvements to its plant within the past three years than the Dawson Electric Light and Power Company, and today the company is the possessor of an as completely equipped electrical plant as will be found anywhere in Canada in any city of three times the population of Dawson. During the present season an enormous quantity of new machinery has been added which was once installed and has been in working order for a month or so. A great difficulty, however, has been experienced in securing a foundation of sufficient solidity to withstand the constant motion of the heavy engines and ponderous generators. To overcome the trouble it is now proposed to excavate beneath the machinery to a depth of eight feet, down to solid gravel, and then build up a foundation of concrete composed of Portland cement and sand. Next season will see still further improvements made in the system and should the demand occasion it the company will be in a position to transmit power for mining purposes to every creek in the Klondike district. At present power is furnished only as far as the Forks, though it is possible to transmit it as great a distance as 75 miles. Owing to the lateness of the season, but two pumps are now being operated by electric power, one of them being on Adams hill and the other on King Solomon hill, both of 50 horse power capacity and of sufficient power to raise water from Bonanza creek to a height of 300 or 400 feet. The efficiency of their work is all that could be desired and next season will doubtless see a far greater number employed. Mr. W. A. Speake, the present manager of the company, is comparatively a recent arrival in the city, having been here but little over a month. He is heavily interested in the Northwest Fixture Company of Seattle and is known along the coast as being an eminently successful manager of electrical enterprises. In speaking of the lighting service which will be given Dawson this winter Mr. Speake said:

"Mr. J. A. Williams and I have concluded to give Dawson a 24-hour service throughout the winter beginning October 1. Heretofore the lights have been turned off from half past 9 or to 10 o'clock in the morning to about 3 in the afternoon, but this winter they will run continuously and with no extra charge, the service being identical with cities on the outside. We are extending our circuits every day and the lighting of cabins and residences is becoming much more general than ever before. No matter what the growth of the city may be in the future we shall be in position to accommodate all who may desire our service. With our present equipment we could light every building in Dawson and still furnish power for double the number of motors now being used."

COMING AND GOING.

Messrs. R. and L. De Lobel were passengers for Skagway on the Sifton last night.

Mrs. Robert Lawrence (Lillian Grant) took her departure for the outside on the Victorian.

C. B. Zabriskie has returned from Skagway where he went as a delegate to the Grand Camp of the Arctic Brotherhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross, A. C. J. below, Bonanza, and Joe Vincent and wife of Gold Run, left for the outside last evening.

Mrs. J. G. Boyd and daughter, Mrs. John Hering, left on the Clifford Sifton last night for Seattle, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Charles Bossuyt and little daughter took their departure last night on an extensive trip. They will visit Germany before returning.

J. Sutherland McKay, the accumulating deputy clerk of the court, has returned from a visit of two months in Ottawa and Woodstock, Ontario.

All T. Layne, the actor, has sued Theodore Eggert upon a promissory note for \$285 dated April 22, 1901, due June 2. Chas. Meadows has been served with a garnishee summons in the case.

Send a copy of Goetzman's Souvenir to your outside friends. A complete pictorial history of the Klondike. For sale at all news stands. Price \$2.50.

Passing of Lacrosse.

The lacrosse clubs of Canada should disband until a new generation is in a position to play the game. The players of the present day seem to know too much about the art of injuring opponents without infringing the letter of the law. The referees have been appealed to, but they appear to be helpless. The experience of the West has been that of the East also. A loud protest has ascended and has had no effect. Accidents will happen in all kinds of sports, but when spectators have no choice but to watch the brutal work of players whose chief mission on the field appears to be to maim and to win games by intimidation or to stay away they will not be long in making a choice. In fact, they have chosen the better part already, and baseball is supplanting lacrosse in the popular esteem. We are sorry to be compelled to write in this strain, but drastic measures must be taken if the Canadian national game is to be preserved for the delight of a coming generation. When parents are obliged to appeal to their sons to drop their lacrosse sticks it is time for an inquiry. At the present stage of development a player incurs greater risk of permanent disfigurement and serious injury than a German university duelist. Chanceships are not now won by skill, adroitness and activity, but by physical might and brute power. Some say the players were rougher in the old days. It is not so. Then the injuries were merely superficial and the fouls were accidental. Now the fouls are deliberate, "scientific" and dangerous. The players have discovered vulnerable places and secret methods of reaching the spot. There are solar plexus and jugular jabbers in the lacrosse as well as in the prize ring, and they must be driven out or the game as a national pastime will pass away.

Every admirer of the game in British Columbia knows where the storm centre of rufianism in the province has for a long time

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FLANNERY.
J. H. Matheson, Dawson; William Mullien, Magnet gulch; P. Frank, Dominion; C. W. Bowey, Adams hill; L. Casey, 25 Bonanza; J. T. McKinley, Fortymile; F. McCandless, Bear; R. F. Curosietz, Gold Run; J. McDade, Selvin; P. Dawson, Selvan; J. H. McMillan, Forks; John Coster, Dawson; A. Ridley, Forks.

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SOCIETIES.

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