

LATEST STEAMBOAT NEWS.

This Year's Season Is Drawing to a Close.

The Rock Island, Seattle Nos. 1, 3 and 4 Arrive From St. Michael—The Florence S. Departs.

The present season of navigation is almost closed. It is only a matter of a few days when floating pieces of ice will occur in such sizes as to seriously interfere with returning of the steamboats. The river has raised considerably during the past week, and this has been of the utmost benefit to stranded boats and scows. The Reindeer succeeded in floating herself and arrived in Dawson on Friday. The Florence S. departed for Whitehorse on Monday. Among those who took passage on her for the outside were: Mr. and Mrs. Weinheim, Mrs. R. Crawford, H. I. Miller, Corporal D. N. Bennett, of the N. W. M. P., and G. P. Parker, an U. S. army officer. On Saturday the steamboats Seattle No. 1, Seattle No. 3, and Rock Island, and a large covered barge, the Seattle No. 4, arrived in port. All of these boats are owned by the S. Y. T. Co. The Seattles left St. Michaels on Sept. 1st, and experienced a difficult and tedious trip to Dawson. The Rock Island departed from St. Michaels on Sept. 13th. Her captain confirms the reports of the richness of the Cape Nome country. The lower river is clear of stranded boats. The Milwaukee, under charter to the S. Y. T. Co., left St. Michaels on Sept. 15, and her arrival is expected daily. The Seattle Nos. 1, 3, and 4, and Rock Island will leave immediately for Stewart river, at which place they will go into winter quarters. On Saturday, the Emma Nott, with two scows in tow, reached Dawson; after a trip of 20 days from Whitehorse. She brought down 75 tons of freight, among which were 100 barrels of Schlitz beer, ale, and porter for the new police canteen.

A Handsome Institution.

The Nugget scribe was invited to visit Dr. Bourke's private hospital one day this week and felt himself well repaid for the time so spent. In the first place it is capacious and besides having 30 airy and light rooms is the best built structure in town and is entirely upon plans furnished by the doctor, with provisions for ventilation, which are the result of many years of experience. Capacious halls with winding stair cases extending up three stories provide ample change of air, either winter or summer. Everything is spotlessly clean and prepossessing, from the convenient kitchen to the large operating room. Amongst the novelties introduced by the doctor, and one of which he is just a trifle vain, is one for the utilization of heat from the large stoves. Three times the six inch pipes traverse the entire length of the building before entering the flue which conveys the smoke above the roof of the building. By this means there is a condensation of not only creosote, which, by a small pipe is reconveyed to the stove and burned, but of water also, which is caught in a receptacle, and thrown away. It is well worth anyone's while to visit this hospital, which shows Dawson's advancement in the hygienic art as in everything else. Miss Hannah, a Red Cross nurse and Edwin C. Biggs are in charge of the nursing. We congratulate the attending physician, Dr. Bourke, upon his progressiveness.

Dawson's First Brick Building.

The completion of the Dawson Warehouse Company's new brick structure works a distinct turning point in the history of building in Dawson. Without doubt the Dawson of the future will be a city of brick structures. General public interest, however, is centered in this particular building, for it bears the unique distinction of being the first brick building and the only genuine fireproof structure ever erected in the Territory.

The promoters of the enterprise, Messrs. McMullen, Kirkpatrick and Hobbs, are among Dawson's most enterprising and influential citizens, each having been identified with the growth and development of our city from its infancy. In a remarkably short period of time they have completed the warehouse, which in every respect is a model for the purpose for which it is designed.

The company purposes to furnish the merchants and any other citizens of Dawson who may have perishable goods with the very best protection, both against cold and fire. The building is heated in such a manner as to preserve

at all times an even temperature and insure the preservation of all goods which may be left in charge of the company.

The building is 30x80, and has a capacity of about 400 tons. The gentlemen who are back of the warehouse are too well known to require an extended notice.

Mr. McMullen, as local manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has become known to every business man in the community, and is himself heavily interested in various financial enterprises in the city.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is an old "sour-dough," owning some splendid mining properties in addition to his interest in the townsite.

Mr. Hobbs is also an old-timer, and known as a hustler and able business man.

The company is an exceedingly strong one, and its personnel is the very best guarantee of its responsibility.

Another Sour Dough Gone.

Joe Cooper has gone, and this time for good. Being a progressive citizen, he kept pace with the march of civilization in this great North west and his saloon was second to none for artistic finish and expensive fittings. But he did not like it. The close competition of latter-day business was disagreeable to the first saloonkeeper in the Yukon territory. He deplored the tendency to cheap drinks with their consequent demoralization upon the community at large. The old family friendships of the inhabitants are a thing of the past and he grew tired of living where he had to be introduced every hour of the day to strange people. Strange faces greeted him at every turn. He cherishes the old Fortymile ideas of hospitality and found them impracticable with our present population. People took advantage of his open heart and gaping purse, while Fortymile experience was no guide in meeting people on latter day propositions, so he sold out to Tom O'Brien for \$45,000 and left the territory for good on the Florence S. He thinks that Nome will tempt him in the spring.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The new fire hall at the bridge is to be two stories and 28x55 feet in dimensions. Jeffries Davison is the government contractor doing the work.

An incipient fire broke out in the Northern cafe on Sunday. The floor, under the cooking range, caught from a live spark, which dropped out of the grate. The alarm was turned in, and the fire department had no difficulty in extinguishing the blaze.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Clark, on Gold hill, will this evening (Tuesday) celebrate the fifth anniversary of a happy marriage at their comfortable home on their claim. A gathering of friends will participate in the innocent festivities and join in wishing many returns of the auspicious occasion.

The Elby road house, 30 below on Bonanza, indulged on Friday night in the festive dance, interspersed with music, singing and refreshments, the approach of the breakfast hour alone bringing about a dispersal of the jolly fun makers. Ross and Carroll furnished the music and right well they pleased the crowd.

POLICE COURT ITEMS.

An appeal was taken from the judgment of \$107.50 given to plaintiff in the wage case of Hickey vs. Robinson.

E. S. Sayers was accused of discharging firearms within the city limits on last Sunday. He promised never to do it again, and was dismissed.

Albert Eckelman is accused of carrying concealed weapons. While drunk, he made a dangerous display of the same at the Monte Carlo, last Thursday.

Inspector Cartwright presided over the police court this week. He took Inspector Primrose's place, who had other official duties which required attention.

In the wage suit of Lever vs. McMullen, judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for \$148. The defendant gave notice of appeal to the territorial court.

Joseph Hutchings and Isaac Petersen violated the rules of public propriety by becoming drunk and disorderly. Each left \$10 and costs with the clerk of the court.

Forty members of the sporting fraternity were represented in the police court Tuesday morning by the proprietors of the different gambling houses. Each was touched for the "double limit," and the queen's coffers are richer to the amount of \$2,240.

Emily Lagrace accused her husband of committing an assault upon her with a deadly weapon with intent to do bodily harm. It seems that Mr. Lagrace called on his spouse on Monday morning at her rooms, over the Northern restaurant. His purpose was to lead

Grand Opening

BRAND'S

CLUB BATH AND GYMNASIUM....

Third Avenue, Bet. 3rd and 4th Streets

OCTOBER 12, 1899

4-Round Set-To Wrestling Match

Best 2 out of 3, catch-as-catch-can.

HIGH-POLE VAULTING

To be followed by a Social Hop

Music by Eggart's Band and Orchestra.

Thursday Evening, October 12, 1899

DR. BOURKE'S HOSPITAL.

Construction, equipment and staff equal to any hospital outside. Scientifically heated, especially to maintain an equable temperature. Trained nurses in attendance. Inspection invited. Terms from \$10 a day, including medical attendance. Cow's milk and other delicacies required by patients administered.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Large malamute dog, on bar about 30 miles up the river. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Nugget office.

FOUND—Pocket book belonging to Frank Thomas. Call and prove property. Nugget Express Office.

FOUND—Large black Newfoundland dog, white breast and white toe tips. Pay expense. C. Buckley, Adams' hill.

WANTED

BOY who has had experience in a printing office. Apply at Nugget office.

WANTED—Steam Thawer, about seven-horse power, fully equipped, stating price. Apply K. Nugget Office.

WANTED—Man who understands engraving. Apply Nugget office.

WANTED—I have a 33 h. p. boiler, hoisting engine, complete for steam thawer; will place same on Hunker, Bonanza or Eldorado for percentage or will take lay; only prospective ground will be considered. Apply A. D. Williams, 2d ave., below 6th st.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Tin-lined water tank; capacity about 300 gallons. Apply Nugget office.

ONE printing press, 100,000 cards, 100,000 circulars, 1000 sheets assorted Bristol, ink, pencils and stationery by wholesale. Hall next to postoffice.

LUNCH COUNTERS.

C. J. BOYD'S 25c Lunch Counter, Second ave., next P.O., entrance also on First ave.; big stack of hot and coffee, 25c; corned beef, tea, coffee or milk, 25c; sandwiches and coffee, 25c; ham and eggs, or steak and eggs and coffee, 75c. Bread, cakes and pies for sale. 9-23.

BLACKSMITHS.

OBER & HAWLEY, Third ave. south, near 5th st.; blacksmithing, machine, wagon and sleigh work done promptly at low prices; scientific horseshoeing a specialty.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

LAWYERS
WADE & AIKMAN—Advocates, Notaries, etc. Office, Bonfield Building, opposite A. C. Store, Dawson.

BURRITT & MCKAY—Advocates, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. Offices, A. C. Office Building. Safety deposit box in A. C. vaults.

TABOR & HULME—Barristers and Solicitors, Advocates; Notaries Public; Conveyancers. Offices, Green Tree Bldg.

CLEMENT, PATTULLO & RIDLEY—Advocates, Barristers, Notaries, Conveyancers, etc. Money to loan. Offices, First Avenue.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

J. H. KOONS, M. D.; A. C. Building.

MINING ENGINEERS.

TYRRELL & GREEN, Mining Engineers and Dominion Land Surveyors. Office, Harper st., Dawson.

OYSTER PARLORS.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! Every style. Eastern coast and oyster, prepared by scientific oyster chefs at "The Kozy," Second avenue, between Second and Third streets. Turkish dinner Sunday, \$1.50.

her back to the straight and narrow path, from which he claims she has strayed. He emphasized his remarks by flourishing an empty revolver. Emily screamed, and Constable Booth, attracted by her cries, arrived on the scene. Lagrace was arrested. At his hearing he explained to the court the conduct of his wife and expressed regret for drawing the empty revolver. Inspector Cartwright discharged him, but told him to have recourse to the law and not to firearms.

The court-martial of Kelly, Ensley and Lafevre, the three soldiers accused of stealing government rations and selling them to William Sykes, resulted in the acquittal of Kelly and the conviction of Ensley and Lafevre, who have been sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labor.

Death on Wade Creek.

News is brought from Fortymile concerning the death of Carleton Russell, who died on claim No. 10, above lower discovery, Jack Wade creek, on Sept. 27th. Russell came to Fortymile via the Copper river route, and had been afflicted with scurvy, from which he never fully recovered. A short time before his death he was taken with a sudden attack of inflammation of the bowels, from which death eventually resulted. Deceased came from Gilmore, Iowa, and leaves a wife and several children.

Mrs. A. W. Hall, wife of A. W. Hall, of the Crown grocery, next to the post-office, left for the outside last Sunday. She will spend the winter among her relatives in Texas. We all expect to see her back in the spring. She will be welcomed by her husband and numerous friends.

Lost or Strayed.

Back brown husky dog, about 8 years old, weight 102 pounds; owner can have same by calling and proving same at Hobbs' store, Klondike, City, and paying for this advertisement.

Private dining and wine rooms at the Cafe Royal.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

A. M. STEFFIN—Builder and contractor, Second and avenue, opposite B. N. A. Bank. All kinds of carpentering work done; plans drawn and estimates furnished on building contracts.

J. J. DONOVAN. M. CONNELLY.

Hotel McDonald

Cor. Second Ave. and Second St., Dawson, Y. T. Electric Lights, Electric Bells. Every Modern Convenience. Handsomely Furnished. Entirely New. Cate attached. First-class Bar.

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