

# THE KLONDIKE NUGGET.

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## GLEASON UPHOLDS HIS RECORD.

### Bests Tommy Forrest in Three Brisk, Busy Rounds.

#### His Adversary Was Not in It at Any Time—The Entertainment Was Not Lacking in Comedy—Two Preliminary Bouts.

One of the most satisfactory fistic entertainments given in Dawson took place Monday night at the Opera House arena before an audience that filled every seat. Whether it was intended or not, the programme included a burlesque of the broadest kind, and as there was sufficient of the soberer kind of work the audience took it good naturedly and enjoyed the fun immensely.

The first number was a preliminary four-round go between Frank Murphy of Boston and Billy Smith of San Francisco, both tightweights and clean boxers. It was not stuff from the word go, with Murphy leading throughout. He proved too much for his antagonist and was awarded the bout on points by the referee, Kid Williams, who was impelled on one or two occasions to withhold the impetuous youngster in check during his vicious assaults upon Smith.

The second preliminary furnished the comedy. It was between W. E. Rogers of San Francisco and the Black Prince of Dawson. Neither man exhibited a bit of science; not a hard blow was struck nor an effort made to strike one, but gentle love taps followed one upon another until the crowd gave up hope of seeing anything serious and took to enjoying the contest for the fun there was in it. Referee Williams' declaration that the bout was a draw was drowned in roars of laughter.

#### "A GO FOR YOUR MONEY."

The principal event of the evening, a twenty-round go between Tommy Forrest of Seattle and Charles Gleason of Boston, was then called, and everybody knew with the appearance of the gladiators that serious business was on again. Both men were in good condition, especially Forrest, who was taller than his adversary, but of about the same weight. The selection of James Donaldson as referee was received with applause. Dick Agnew was named as official timekeeper, Forrest was seconded by Smith, Moore and Barber, while Gleason was looked after by Carroll, Perkins and Malloy. The referee announced that Marquis of Queensberry rules had been selected and that the principals had decided on a clean breakaway. The gloves were of the largest kind—almost pillows.

Round 1—Gleason opened up viciously and floored Forrest with the first pass. The latter was up in a moment and blocked, another left lead from Gleason, Gleason again led and landed on the ear, but missed a vicious left swing. Forrest rushed and a mix-up followed. Gleason led after the breakaway, and there was an interchange of blows, with Gleason having the best of it as time was called. It was noticeable throughout that Gleason used only his left and that Forrest seemed to be watching for a chance to put in a knock-out blow.

Round 2—Forrest rushed, but was stopped, and missed a wild swing. Again he rushed, but was met by a stinging blow and went down. Eight seconds were counted before he got up, when he seemed none the worse for wear, and resumed hostilities. Forrest first missed a right swing, then a left, and got one on the jaw, followed by a straight on the face and another swing on the jaw. The last blow sent him down to the floor with a crash, but he was up in seven seconds and was able to hold out to the end of the round, though he got three straight blows on the jaw and was forced to clinch to avoid others. Gleason had the round all to himself, and was smiling with confidence throughout.

#### OUT IN THE THIRD.

Round 3—The third round proved the best and the last. Gleason led for the face, but Forrest ducked and got a glancing blow on the top of the head. He then rushed, but got a swift uppercut. Forrest retaliated with a left on the face. Gleason missed an uppercut, but reached the jaw twice in quick succession. Both blows were hard ones, and the second sent Forrest down with a thud, his head hitting heavily on the floor. After eight seconds had been called he got up, very groggy and in no condition to make a defense. Gleason went at him at once and with a swift blow on the jaw laid Forrest out again, this time until ten seconds had been counted and the match had been awarded to Gleason.

#### Fourth of July Arrangements.

The executive committee chosen to have in charge the arrangements for the celebration of the Fourth of July met on Saturday night and authorized Chairman Tozier and Captain Burdall to appoint the following sub-committees to look after the various details of the affair:

Finance Committee—Capt. J. E. Hansen, Capt. J. J. Healy, Andy Young, Joe Jourden, Thomas O'Brien, F. E. Manchester, L. B. Fulda, G. M. Pherrer, J. Dougherty, W. C. Gates, Music and Literary—J. F. Miles, Col. Davis, W. Williamson, Capt. J. Crawford, G. Noble, Henry Schloss, Col. Edwards and Ramps, Peterson.

Reception—G. Foster, Col. O. V. Davis, Capt. Hansen, Capt. J. J. Healy, Col. W. P. Ed-

wards, J. M. McQuestin, Capt. Frank Harper, E. C. Senkler, Alex. McDonald, Mr. Langley. Sports Committee—Joseph Boyle, Geo. Noble, Jas. Morrison, F. Fletcher, E. King, Tom Chisholm, Murray Eads, J. Stanley Hudson, P. C. Ritchie.

Printing Committee—B. H. Moran, H. E. Stummer, J. Gilson.

Parade Committee—Col. O. V. Davis, Col. Edwards, Capt. Jack Crawford, Capt. Frank Harper, Nat Lyons.

The appointment of a reception committee was made in deference to the expected presence of the congressional party and other distinguished visitors from the outside.

Secretary Moran announced the appointment of Henry Sloss as private secretary, and it was agreed to add 15 persons to the executive committee of 40.

The general committee will meet from time to time and receive reports from the various sub-committees.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

M. L. Foley, of Selkirk, is in town for a few days on business.

Col. Reichenbach arrived on Friday last on the Frank Waterhouse dispatch boat. The colonel reports a pleasant visit in California and other states.

Mrs. John Ryan, who kept an eating house at No. 15 Eldorado during the winter, left on the Monarch Saturday for her home at San Francisco. Her two sons will remain here for some time yet.

Ex-Timber Inspector McFarlane arrived in Dawson on the steamer Canadian, direct from the outside. Mr. McFarlane will devote his time to the interests of a company which he has organized on the outside.

D. Bruce, formerly superintendent of the Union Trunk line of street cars at Seattle, like arrived from Bennett by barge on Saturday. Like all other travelers, he reported March lake as all but impassable, owing to ice.

H. Maitland Kersey, of the Canadian Development Company, arrived down as far as White Horse rapidly last week, but returned to Bennett on business duties, and will come on to Dawson with the next trip of the Canadian.

Mr. A. F. George, city editor of the Nugget, left Dawson on Saturday last en route to his home at Lester, Washington. He expects to make as quick a trip as possible, and will return at an early date, bringing his family with him.

David Forbes, a former well-known Seattleite, arrived from the outside on Sunday. He reports that there will be a big rush to the Cape Nome country from the outside, and that the Adna district has proven such a disappointment that most of the miners are quitting it.

John Nelson, a widely known sourdough and one of the proprietors of the Klondike hotel, arrived in Dawson Monday from a visit to the outside world, accompanied by Mrs. Nelson. John said it would take too long to tell, as he had been nearly everywhere. Both he and Mrs. Nelson are looking well.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Finch, of 89 below on Bonanza, are the happy parents of a lusty heir, born last Sunday.

In reporting the first arrest made under the new capias ordinance the name of Patrick Murphy was given as that of the defendant, whereas it should have been R. C. Dodge, Mr. Murphy being the complainant.

Louis Smith, a well known and fortunate young miner of Hunker, was married on Saturday to Miss Minnie Smith. The pair left with the Monarch on a bridal trip embracing the states, and a large party of friends gave them a cordial send-off at the wharf.

A forfeit of \$100 has been posted at the Nugget office, together with a challenge, for a drilling contest, to be held on July 4. The money was posted by Thomas Henry, Dan Crowley, James Chatham and Frank Halpen, who constitute the challenging team.

A letter from Mr. E. C. Allen, manager of the Nugget Express, has been received at the Nugget office, having been written from White Horse. Mr. Allen speaks of the trip on the Canadian as having been a most pleasant one, and mentions the satisfaction felt by all the passengers at the excellent service and courteous treatment received from the officers on the boat.

## OUTSIDE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Carey Castle, the residence of British Columbia's governor, at Victoria, was destroyed by fire on May 19.

Striking street car men at Duluth blew up a car with dynamite, slightly injuring two passengers. Other cars were pelted with stones.

Three Chicago men, employees of the Alina Powder Company, Alina, were blown to atoms by the explosion of a tank of nitro-glycerine, May 19.

A terrible explosion occurred in the military laboratory at Copenhagen. Shells, which workmen were engaged in filling, exploded, and killed seven men and severely injured a non-commissioned officer and two workmen.

At Howard City, Mich., May 11, Joseph Harvey killed his wife and his uncle, Robert Peterson, and also fatally wounded his 3-months-old baby and his father-in-law, John Logenslayer, and finally shot himself, inflicting a wound which is expected to be fatal.

Chicago Indians objected to prospectors building a trail from Haines Mission to Kluckman, and constructed a barrier across it, besides turning back a number of miners at the point of rifles. U. S. Marshal Tanner went out with a force of soldiers and arrested eight of the Indians, all of whom were taken to Skaguay and sent to jail for 30 days on a charge of obstructing a highway.

## New Strikes Reported.

There is an old-time observation about "the better the day the better the deed" that often comes in "pat," and it was suggested on Sun-

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day last, when the miners employed at No. 1 on Forty-Nine gulch uncovered a paystreak of dazzling richness, according to the reports immediately sent to the several owners, who include Billy Bard and Attorney de Journal. Forty-Nine is a gulch of considerable dimensions, and Sunday's strike will furnish the incentive for renewed prospecting.

Passengers on late steamers from above report that a stampede to the vicinity of White Horse rapids has been occasioned by the discovery of a quartz ledge of considerable promise. The ore assays 35 per cent copper, 28 in silver and 25 in gold to the ton.

## Supposed Mad Dog.

A dog wearing a foaming mouth and a suggestion of anger created a deal of excitement in one section of the city the other day, and it required the soothing presence of Corporal Wilson to allay the fear that rabies had broken loose. The incident may have the result of putting the dog-muzzling ordinance into effect soon, and in this connection owners of animals will be interested in learning that the corporal has a number of important amendments to the pound ordinance, to propose to the council. One of them admits of the employment of but one dog-catcher, another insures the security of a dog while in his master's company, etc. All the amendments, if adopted, will prove popular.

## On a Stampede.

The sight of a full-blooded Yukon aboriginal without as much as the proverbial pig tail to shield him from the hot rays of the June sun and the inquisitive eyes of onlookers and remaining at full speed through the streets of Dawson, is something that is not met with every day even in this isolated neck of the woods. But that very thing occurred on Tuesday afternoon and furnished Dawson's fashionable promenaders with considerable excitement while it lasted.

The noble and swift-footed red man went up First Avenue at a gallop that would put the average stamper to shame, but his career was short lived for when he reached Bonfield's saloon he was promptly corralled by two stalwart policemen.

A piece of canvas was promptly secured, and, wrapped in this primitive garb, the Indian was taken to his quarters on one of the boats now on the water front. There were a few ladies on the street at the time, and among them there was a general scenter for cover. It is doubtful if more excitement would be created in Dawson should the announcement be made that the royalty had been declared off. It seemed to be the general opinion that the Indian had heard of a new strike, and was going to get a claim, clothes or no clothes.

## Dreyfus to Get Justice.

PARIS, June 3.—The court of cassation today rendered a verdict in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus case and ordering the court martial to sit at Rennes, sixty miles from Nantes, for the trial of the prisoner. The decision says the prisoner is to be retried on the following question:

"Is Dreyfus guilty of having, in 1894, practiced machinations or having communication with a foreign power or its agent, with the view of facilitating acts of hostility in case of war with France, or having furnished the means thereof by furnishing notes or documents retraced on the bordereau?"

The audience received the decision with cries of "Vive la justice!"

## No Friend of Cape Nome.

John Kennedy, chief engineer of the steamer T. C. Power, of the N. A. T. Co., doesn't put any stock in the reported rich discovery of gold at Cape Nome. He grumbled a man, with others, and had a claim staked for him there; but from all he could learn and hear of the country there was nothing to support the fabulous tales sent out about the place. He believes the stampede there will simply prove another disappointment like that of the Koyukuk and Kotzebue sound.

## Last of Earth.

The death of Bahiel Wyan took place on Thursday last, and the remains were buried Sunday afternoon from the Methodist church under the auspices of the Y. O. O. P. There was a large attendance of friends.

Late arrivals from the outside report the death of Fred Stevens, once a well-known resident of the Klondike.

## Masonic Banquet.

All Masons are reminded of the banquet to be held at the Regina hotel Saturday evening, June 24, '99, at 8 p. m., in observance of St. John's day.

A pleasing program has been arranged. Tickets can be had from E. H. Langley of the N. A. T. & T. Co., or McPherson & Johnson.

Grand drilling contest, Monte Carlo theatre, July 4.

## Notice.

Dawson, YUKON TERRITORY, June 21, 1899.—We, Frank C. Lory and M. T. Beaver, formerly the members of the firm of Beaver & Lory, carrying on a mining business and other general business, as set out in our articles of partnership, duly filed, at Dawson, in the Yukon territory, under the style of Beaver & Lory, do hereby certify that the said partnership was, on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1899, dissolved. Frank Lory will collect all monies due and pay all indebtedness. FRANK C. LORY, M. T. BEAVER.

Don't forget the date Thursday night, June 23, grand opening Opera House theatre.

Steamer Pilgrim leaves Yukon dock for St. Michael Thursday, June 23, 6 p. m. Frank J. Kinghorn, agent.

## ED. MCCONNELL PUT UNDER ARREST.

### He Is Held to Answer for a Charge at Circle City.

#### Arrested While En Route to Cape Nome—Defended in Court by His Talented Wife—May Be Taken to Sitka.

When Ed. McConnell left on the steamer Sovereign, nearly two weeks ago, for St. Michael and the new gold fields he little suspected that what promises to be a most disagreeable experience awaited his arrival at Circle City, where he purposed stopping for a few minutes. Had he reason to foresee it, there is the best of likelihood that the Sovereign would have had two passengers less when it swung loose from the wharf, for Mrs. McConnell accompanied her husband on the trip.

When the boat reached Circle City Mr. McConnell, accompanied by his wife, went ashore to conduct some business, but he had hardly put his foot upon American soil before a U. S. deputy marshal put him under arrest on a charge of inciting a riot and assisting in the release from jail of a United States prisoner. The arrest was made at the instance of United States Commissioner Crane.

The incident recalled by the arrest occurred during the winter of 1897, when Captain Ray, acting for his government, seized a lot of provisions and distributed it among such residents of the Yukon as were destitute or made affidavit to that effect. Among others who thus received aid was one Wybug, who was subsequently arrested and jailed on a charge of taking a false oath. McConnell, it is said, led a crowd of miners who unlocked the jail and liberated the prisoner, and it was for this that he was arrested last week upon arriving again at Circle City.

The day after his arrest Mr. McConnell was arraigned before the United States commissioner and subjected to a sort of a so-called examination, though witnesses of the affair say it was a howling burlesque. Only one witness was put on the stand by the prosecution, and he failed to incriminate the defendant in any degree. Crane was at once the judge, jury, prosecutor and witness, and in the end he held McConnell for trial before the United States court at Sitka in bonds of \$2,700.

Mrs. McConnell conducted the defense for her husband, and made a most pleasing impression. The fact that she turned over to all his gold dust and money is accepted as meaning that he had made his mind up to decline to furnish bail.

The burlesque examination is said to have disgusted the spectators, one of whom, to express his feelings, threw his hat at the commissioner and then taunted him when threatened with arrest.

## Murdock Wins.

The wrestling match between Wm. C. Murdock and Dick Butler, which occurred on Friday night after the Marsh-Trommes contest, was won by Murdock in 4 minutes and 10 seconds, the conditions of the match calling for one fall. Bartlett fires were Murdock's backers, the amount of money put up being \$500 a side.

The Seattle market, Hales & Vroom, proprietors, is now open with a full stock of fresh meats. New location, Second avenue.

Remember the grand wrestling match tonight at Opera House.

## Notice.

The fourth messenger of the Nugget Express will leave for Seattle on or about June 27. Ed. A. Hering, who has represented the Nugget on Hunker and Dominion creeks during the past winter, has been selected to make the coming trip. All parties entrusting business to the company can be assured that the same will be given prompt attention.

Important letter at this office for J. B. Bowman.

## Notice.

Members of the 4th of July executive committee are requested to meet at the Criterion, Wednesday evening, June 21, at 8:30 p. m., sharp, to transact business of importance. B. H. MORAN, Sec'y.

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The Opera house is being rebuilt, a fine stage, boxes and auditorium being put in for the grand opening Thursday, June 23, where the mammoth company secured by Mr. Simons in the States will hold the boards for the season.

Grand opening of the Opera House theatre Thursday night, June 23.

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## Opera House.

The Opera House will open on Thursday night, June 23, with the finest company of operatic, burlesque and vaudeville stars ever seen on the Yukon. Mr. Frank Simons has spent the entire winter in the States, selecting people and arrived last Sunday with his company, 22 in number, the pick of the best vaudeville houses from New York to Frisco. No expense has been spared to secure the best of the profession. The company includes Hastings and Hall, the Pyra sisters, Jennie Riggs, the Boardmans, the Pines, the Bessie Pines, Rosalie DeAlley, Annie Graham, Grace Seymour, Georgia Hill, Daisy O'Brien, G. L. Hillyard, Paul Boardman and several others. Do not miss this, the best show ever given in Dawson. The house is small, secure your seats early.

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### THE TELEGRAPH LINE.

At the present rate of construction it is probable that the government telegraph line will be completed to Dawson not later than the close of navigation. Latest advices report the line as having reached Tagish Post, and work is being pushed as rapidly as the circumstances will allow.

It is not difficult to foresee how manifold and important the advantages of wire communication with the outside will be to the Yukon Territory in its future development. The comparative isolation of the territory has been an effective barrier to capital on the outside, which under different circumstances would have sought the Klondike gold fields as a profitable place for investment. With months often intervening between the posting and arrival of letters, it has been most unsatisfactory to attempt to direct or even keep in touch with affairs in Dawson from the outside.

With the completion of the line this difficulty will be obviated to a considerable extent, although there is as yet no cable communication between Alaska and the sound ports.

We are also of the opinion that opportunities for cornering the market will be much more infrequent after the establishment of wire communication, which fact in itself means a great deal to the consumer of goods in Dawson; and, again, the wire will be an untold blessing to the man who has left his family on the outside to seek his fortune in the Yukon. Many a sleepless night and anxious period of waiting will be averted when the familiar elck is heard in Dawson announcing the fact that messages to loved ones can be sent with the speed of electricity.

The completion of the line should see a day set apart for general rejoicing and thanksgiving.

### SIFTON'S SPEECH.

Mr. Sifton's speech on the Yukon scandal was a play to the galleries purely and simply. It does not alter the conditions in the Yukon Territory one whit. Great stress was laid by the minister on the fact that considerable money had been spent by the Yukon Council in aid of hospitals and for other charitable purposes. Mr. Sifton neglected, however, to state that nearly all of that money was from local revenue and was in no wise connected with the returns paid into the Dominion treasury. In other words, it was something entirely unconnected with the government's attitude toward the Yukon, and should no more be credited to the generosity of the Interior department than should money expended in the city of Ottawa by city authorities for similar purposes. Mr. Sifton was in hard straits for argument, and was compelled to bank very strongly on the fact that most of his hearers knew very little about Dawson and the Yukon, in general. That he did not hesitate to take every advantage of this fact a perusal of his speech will clearly prove.

### A MISTAKE.

The Nugget believes that property-owners are making a serious mistake in the attitude which they have assumed toward tenants and prospective purchasers. There is at the present time an abnormal condition of affairs in Dawson brought about by several influences, each of which is bound to be only temporary in its duration. The recent fire and the compulsory removal of the water front occupants have created an unprecedented demand for business locations, while at the same time all lines of trade are receiving the stimulus due to the arrival of the clean-up season. It must be evident, however, to any one who spent the winter in Dawson that the present condition of affairs will not last indefinitely. When the summer season is over, business will again

settle down into more regular grooves, and the demand for business property must of necessity decrease, as was the case during the winter just-ended.

With these facts in mind we believe that holders of property will consult their own interests in giving their tenants the most favorable terms possible. It is to the interest of every owner that all ground suitable for business purposes should be occupied. Business itself creates business, and every legitimate enterprise that increases the volume of trade in the city should be fostered by our moneyed men who own property for which they wish desirable occupants.

Whatever value that portion of the townsite has that is suitable for mercantile locations comes from the energy and thrift of our business men. The great majority of these are renters or lessees. If terms are not made with them whereby they can do business and not have the profits entirely swallowed up by the landlords they will, as a matter of course, be forced to seek locations elsewhere or go out of business, with a consequent slump in real estate values. The extortion policy is a poor one viewed from any standpoint.

The issue of the NUGGET wherein the original account of the Cape Nome discoveries was published contained also a suggestion from this paper that no information was yet at hand warranting a stampede to the lower country. Such information cannot be expected until the arrival of boats from St. Michaels. Meanwhile the public will be kept informed of such news as can be secured, although we are still of the opinion that nothing will be lost by waiting for absolute verification of the reports now at hand. It can no longer be doubted that gold has been found in the Cape Nome country. The extent and value of the diggings remain yet to be proven.

The Fourth of July celebration has been taken hold of with earnestness, and undoubtedly will be pushed to a successful finish. The Fourth is the day when surplus American enthusiasm and patriotism finds vent, and every American is justly entitled to an over supply of both this year. Generous responses are already coming in to the requests of the finance committee, and abundant funds for a royal celebration will be secured.

The slightly buildings which are rapidly replacing the ash heaps left by the big fire are a credit to the enterprise of Dawson's business men. They have displayed an amount of faith in the city which, under the circumstances, is remarkable, but which we believe the future will amply justify. Viewed from the opposite side of the river, Dawson during the shipping season presents a scene of activity which rivals many an older and larger community.

Aguinaldo, like the shade of Bancho, refuses to down. Nearly a month ago the war was reported to be practically at an end, but latest advices are to the effect that the contest goes merrily on. We doubt if the American people as a whole will feel compensated for the losses the United States troops have sustained even if Aguinaldo and his entire crew should finally be completely exterminated.

The arrival in Dawson of a cargo of bright, bewitching fairies, who will tear in shreds the susceptible hearts of innocent Klondikers with all the captivating and seductive wiles known to the gaudily arrayed footlight terpsichorean artiste is an event worthy of notice. It may be expected that the campaign will soon be in full blast.

The police boys in the up-river posts should be enabled during the next few months to secure much needed rest from the arduous work which they performed during the past winter. Their services, however, are entitled to much more substantial remuneration.

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Will Leave for the Outside about the Last of August.

Back From the States.

A prominent passenger aboard the Canadian on her arrival from White Horse rapids on Friday was Mr. E. F. Botsford, managing director and treasurer of the Joseph Ladue Gold Mining and Development Company of the Yukon, who left here in September last. He is now back for a sojourn of a few months and will go out again in the fall. Asked about the affairs of his company, Mr. Botsford spoke very freely. Their ocean vessel Morgan City, after rounding Cape Horn and making one trip in the Alaskan trade, was impressed into service by the United States government and has been serving as a transport for the Filipino war for over a year. Her last trip before Mr. Botsford left the states was in May, when she departed for the Philippines with 700 soldiers.

This year, Mr. Botsford said, his company is shipping all its provisions down the river from Bennett; it is not cheaper than by the St. Michael route, but it insures freshness in the goods and a more prompt service. G. S. McConnell is in charge of their new stock of goods and was left at Log Cabin by his superior. Speaking of his trip down from Bennett, Mr. Botsford said he was forced to take three different boats, but his experience fell short of that of another passenger on the Canadian, who occupied five boats on the journey. Mr. Botsford also stated that their company has removed its central office from No. 20 Nassau street to No. 71 Broadway, New York city.

The Wrestling Match.

An audience numbering about 400 assembled at the Opera House amphitheatre on Friday night to witness the wrestling match between Ole Marsh and Ben Trenneman. The well known rivalry between the men had stimulated public interest in the affair, and both had their backers present in large numbers. Betting seemed somewhat in favor of Trenneman, due to the peculiar conditions of the contest, which were that Marsh agreed to throw Ben three times in one hour of actual wrestling or forfeit the contest.

Uncle Andy Young acted as master of ceremonies, and while the preliminaries were being arranged he invited the crowd to contribute toward the 4th of July celebration, and quite a sum was realized upon the spot.

At 11:50 the men took places in their corners, and after some delay time was called by Referee Lawrence. Jim Donaldson was selected as timekeeper, and Messrs. Agnew, Condon and acted as seconds for Trenneman and Marsh, respectively.

The men came to the center at the call of time, and each began cautiously seeking an opening. It was evident that Marsh was on the aggressive, and Trenneman seemed content if he avoid

ed the skillful efforts of Marsh to land him with a half or double Nelson. Trenneman was on the canvas for the most of the time during the first go, but managed to land right side up with care, despite Ole's desperate efforts to take him off his guard and place him on the canvas with two points down. Suddenly Marsh grasped his opponent and raised him, feet in the air and head square on the floor, and hurled him over backwards. But Trenneman evidently had been there before, for he spun around on his head like a top and landed face down amid the continued applause of the crowd. But the hard work was telling on Trenneman, and Ole's superior strength allowed him finally to secure and make good a double Nelson, and at the end of 16 minutes and 4 seconds of the prettiest sport ever witnessed in Dawson Trenneman was fairly on his back and both shoulders down.

At the end of 15 minutes the men were called to the center again. This round was short, sweet and decisive. Trenneman suddenly assumed the aggressive, and, catching Ole suddenly off his guard, threw him fairly and squarely on both shoulders, gaining the fall, and by so doing winning the match in less than two minutes.

Loud and continued applause attested the appreciation of the audience for one of the cleanest and spiciest contests yet pulled off in Dawson.

Frank Simon's Fairies.

Frank Simon's twenty-female extravaganza company, the coming of which had been heralded from day to day by each newcomer from the outside for a

fortnight, arrived in by scow on Sunday. The girls were all in the liveliest spirit as they saw their long and dangerous journey ended, and the scow came to a halt before the Klondike hotel with all of them singing "Just One Girl." The girls made a good appearance in their natty costumes, and were soon the objects of admiration on the part of Dawson's young men, who quickly gathered on the levee as the news of the arrival was spread down town.

The personnel of the party, which Mr. Simons gleaned from the best to be found between New York and Seattle, is as follows: Pyne Sisters, Hastings and Hall, Jennie Riggs, Bessie Pierce, Nellie Lee, Ida Rossiter, the Bordmans, Annie Graham, Grace Seymour, Rose King, Flossie De Atley, Georgie Hill, Daisy O'Brien, George L. Hillyer, scenic artist.

Mr. Simons is a theatrical manager of experience and ripe judgment, and is as popular in Dawson, where he has catered to the public, as he is outside.

With characteristic energy, Mr. Simons made a deal before the lapse of 24 hours for the lease of the Opera House amusement annex, and will open there Thursday evening.

OTHER THEATRICAL VENTURES.

Charles Meadows, popularly known as "Arizona Charlie," has begun the erection of an amusement palace, 100x40 feet in dimensions, adjoining the Melbourne. He has not yet decided whether to lease the establishment or conduct it himself.

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## BOUNDARY QUESTION ALL ABSORBING

### American and British Papers Print Special Articles.

#### A Proposal Is Made to Internationalize the Skaguay Wharf and the Road to the Canadian Frontier at the White Pass.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—A dispatch sent from here last night to a New York newspaper regarding the Alaska boundary made it appear that the matter has assumed a serious aspect. Great Britain was represented as entering strenuous objections to the war department sending troops to Alaska at this time.

Officials of both the war and state departments today pronounced the dispatch sensational and untrue. Negotiations respecting the boundary are proceeding in London. This government made a proposition which was rejected by England. A counter proposal was then made, which was rejected by this government. Negotiations are now in progress for what both parties hope will be a satisfactory compromise.

When it was seen that it might be some time before a modus vivendi could be agreed upon, the war department, at the suggestion of the state department, decided to send troops in order to prevent those serious disturbances which Gov. Brady and others had reported would be inevitable were not the over-awing strong arm of martial law plainly visible.

What the British government did was to very mildly suggest that it would be inadvisable for either government to largely increase its military force in the disputed territory, as it might create an impression that forcible occupation was intended. The state department has assured the British authorities that it has no intention of permanent military occupation, although distinctly declaring that it reserves to itself the right to take every necessary means to preserve order and uphold the law. This has been accepted as quite satisfactory by the British government, and that is all there is to the sensation.

LONDON, May 20.—The fate of the Anglo-American-Canadian commission is naturally regarded here as a matter of great importance, and the various rumors and reports on the subject attract much attention. A dispatch from Washington to the effect that the resumption of the commission's labor depends upon a settlement of the Alaskan boundary dispute has been published in this city

From an unimpeachable source the following statement is obtained:

"The thorny nature of the Alaskan question makes it probable that at the resumption of the sittings of the commission it will be withdrawn from discussion, to be taken up later should circumstances be favorable. The Alaskan question, in fact, has practically been dropped out of the discussions, and the statement that the discussion and settlement will be the sine qua non of the resumption of the sittings of the commission is inaccurate."

The Globe, commenting upon the dispatch of American troops to Alaska, says: "Pending the meeting of the conference, the first step to be taken after the preliminaries are settled will be to arrange a modus vivendi, and no time must be lost in doing this if the situation is not to be lamentably complicated by a conflict which will make the final settlement more difficult than ever."

The Times this morning publishes a special article explaining all aspects of the Alaskan dispute. It believes that England's case is "very strong" and that "she has every interest in going to arbitration, provided the terms of reference are satisfactory," adding that "those of Venezuelan precedent might fairly be accepted on both sides."

The article speaks favorably of the compromise plan for internationalizing the wharf at Skaguay and the White Pass road as far as the Canadian frontier.

### Spirit of Taxation Rampant.

The Yukon Council held a special meeting on Saturday for the purpose of considering and passing a number of new ordinances, three of which provided licenses for different forms of business. One of them imposes a license of \$1000 upon pawnbrokers, with a penalty for each day's violation of the provisions; a second fixes a yearly license of \$500 for theatres and music halls, and a third places a license of \$50 upon slaughter houses. A fourth ordinance was adopted providing that in cases where a person acts as agent or partner of a person, firm or corporation not having a place of business in the Yukon territory will be personally liable for all contracts and obligations which he may enter into in their behalf, unless he shall have disclosed the same and residence of such person, firm or corporation. This ordinance is supposed to have emanated from Judge Dugas, who has frequently been impelled, while on the bench, to score the operations of people who have cloaked their shady doings by claiming to represent persons or firms on the outside. The measure promises to prove a benign one in its operation.

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**Says the Gold So Far Exhibited Was Shoveled Out of the Waters of the Creeks—Charlie River Prospecting Very Finely.**

News of Cape Nome from the lips of one who has actually been there and staked is what has been eagerly sought by Dawson's thousands, and the Nugget has at last been able to equip itself with the information to satisfy it. For a newsgatherer has met and talked with the gentleman who probably occupies the unique position of being the only person in the city at present who participated in the new stampede. The gentleman is Charles Walker, the first mate of the steamer Yukoner, and who is touched for by his captain as a man of honor and trustworthiness. The two recently arrived in Dawson with the steamer Oil City as guests of Captain Basey, and it was on this boat that Mr. Walker was seen by the reporter and asked about his winter trip over the snow and ice to the new gold fields.

"I first heard of the discovery from Mr. Shellman, superintendent of the reindeer station at Eden," said Mr. Walker, in substance, "and was shown by him some of the gold taken from the Snake river country. I was satisfied at once that it came from a new field, as it is unlike any gold found elsewhere in Alaska or the northwest, and I have seen it all. There are three different shades of color—one very light, one quite dark and the third of a medium hue. Being interested in the strike and having plenty of time on my hands, I decided to investigate and possibly go over. Accordingly, on February 22, I left Russian mission and started on the 1400-mile tramp. I first went to St. Michael, which I found much excited, the news having reached that place long before.

"The discovery, I learned, was made last fall by three men, one of whom is named Engblom. They were obliged to go out for provisions, and while at St. Michael they tipped their secret off to a number of the big company people, and to Dr. A. W. Kittlesen. These tried to keep the information from getting out, and began to outfit men for the diggings, but one of the latter let the cat out of the bag while intoxicated and then everybody joined the rush. I at once hired a man to accompany me and went over to the diggings. I found everything in the neighborhood of the discovery staked, but was able to stake a claim on Dry creek and to buy another on Alpha creek.

"Although the discoverers had been able to reach bedrock at from four to ten feet before the winter set in, the gold they had taken out was all shoveled from the bed of the streams as the men stood in the water. No one was working while I was there, as there is no timber there with which to burn down. About twenty cabins had been built at the mouth of the Snake river and the place named Anvil city. There were, I estimated, about 250 people in the district at the time. I learned that all the gold found up to that time had come from three creeks, known as Boulder creek, Dry creek and Anvil creek; but it is a large district, and I am satisfied that gold will be found on some of the other creeks.

"Yes, a great deal of staking was done by power of attorney. I know one man who staked ninety claims. Judge Shepard, the U. S. commissioner at St. Michael, paid \$1000 for a half interest in a claim near discovery on Dry creek. How did the news reach the outside world? I presume it was through a couple of men sent out with mail by the discoverers and their friends in November last. They went to Kodiak island, which is located on the coast of southwest Alaska and where steamers touch. One of the men is named Larkstrom, and he is a brother of the A. C. Co.'s boss carpenter at St. Michael." Mr. Walker further expressed himself as having much confidence in the new gold fields and announced his intention of returning there.

From another source it is learned that in October last the miners of Snake river organized the new mining district. The name chosen was Cape Nome mining district. The outlines of the new gold fields were fixed as follows: Extending from Cape Nome in a north-westerly direction along the coast for twenty-five miles inland, making a district twenty-five miles square. It was decided that placer claims shall be located 1320 feet by 660 feet. Claims may be located by power of attorney, but this power of attorney must be recorded prior to the location notices. All claims must be recorded within forty days after the notice is posted. It was decided that water used for mining or otherwise taken from the natural water course must be turned back into the natural water course at the lower end of each claim. Dr. A. N. Kittlesen was elected district recorder for the term of two years, his fees to be \$2.50 for recording any kind of a document.

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that the country is one of the most promising on the Yukon district. Pay dirt has been located on Todd creek, thirty miles from the mouth of Charlie river, at a depth of three and one-half feet, and dumps were taken out of Nos. 10 and 11. Good pay was also found on Derwin creek, and prospects on Sam's creek, three miles below Charlie river, are also encouraging. Charlie river runs between Forty-mile river and Birch creek, with the latter and the right fork of the Charlie heading in the same general neighborhood. Mr. Johnson and his comrades will return to Charlie river soon to resume their prospecting.

**ECHO OF THE FEVER.**

A reminder of the gold fever which agitated, and all but crazed, certain portions of the States and Canada two years ago was discovered on one of the boats which recently arrived from below. On board were several people who came into the country by way of the McKenzie river, and with them were a lot of rakes which they had brought in with the expectation of raking in gold nuggets from the bed of the creeks.

A miner recently arrived from Tulare says there are no operations there at present and that the discoverer is now working on a wood contract.

**Distinguished Travelers.**

Messrs. Louis Sloss, general manager, and J. M. Wilson, a director, of the Alaska Commercial Company, were passengers to Dawson on the steamer Ora, as mentioned in the last issue of the Nugget. The gentlemen will remain in the Klondike about two months, and the time will be busily devoted to the furtherance of plans in the interest of their company, and this cannot fail to be of benefit to the country. Asked his opinion concerning the permanency of the Klondike, Mr. Sloss said the best answer would be found in the millions of dollars invested here and in the steamboat service by his company, which was accepted by the reporter as an instance where "money talks." Asked concerning their fleet of boats, Mr. Sloss said that there was nothing particularly new with the line of river boats, which will be about the same as last year, but that the ocean steamer Bertha had been thoroughly renovated and an extension of 40 feet completed. He also stated that the steamship St. Paul is to leave San Francisco on the 25th with soldiers and supplies for the Yukon. She has lately been in the service of the war department of the United States between California and Manila. The construction of the telegraph line to Dawson is progressing finely, and will be completed by November. Mr. Wilson says it will follow the water trail down to Selkirk, but from that point will probably be laid overland.

**Celebrated His Arrival.**

A small company of friends and acquaintances were handsomely entertained aboard the steamer Oil City on Saturday night by Captain D. C. Basey, its gallant skipper, in honor of his release from the embrace of an Arctic winter and the arrival of his craft at the metropolis of the Yukon. Assisting him were Captain Morine, of the steamer Yukoner, and wife, and Mrs. C. R. Plough of Rampart, who are his guests. It was 11 o'clock before the company had assembled and an hour before the banquet board had been prepared was pleasantly passed by the gathering guests with the genial captain in his state room. The supper was served in the saloon at midnight and was of a nature which did credit to the judgment of Captain Basey and the skill of his Chinese chef. Sparkling champagne followed each toast in the series offered, and reminiscences from the career of the gallant host assisted in making the hour one of the most enjoyable to all present. As the last pledge was drunk, Captain Basey imposed upon his guests the pleasant duty of commemorating a portion of next Thanksgiving day to remembrances of the occasion and agreeable thoughts of the friends present. The guests of the evening were: Capt. R. C. Morine and wife, Scott Lindsay, A. L. Stephens, Wm. M. Heron, Mrs. C. R. Plough, L. Cole, J. C. Beasley, E. S. Morine, Cole Burge, W. H. B. Lyon, Mrs. Janet Stephenson, E. F. Botsford, Geo. M. Allen, Wm. Eassie, W. D. Rainbow.

**Fires at Skookum.**

Fire destroyed two cabins on Big Skookum, together with their contents, on Thursday afternoon. It started in the cabin of James Downey and Archibald Baruch presumably from a spark, and communicated to that of Frank Brew, and as the men were away slumbering at the time the property was beyond rescue before they could reach the scene. Among the losses most felt by the gentlemen were a number of chickens, which they had been carefully nurturing.

**Among the Best.**

Captain James Lee, master of the steamer Bonanza King, is an old timer and one of the most successful navigators on the Columbian and Willamette rivers. His work on the upper rivers of the Yukon system has been especially marked by those who are acquainted therewith. The recent trip of the Bonanza King was remarkably successful, and the captain has been the recipient of many congratulations. The Flyer line is rapidly establishing itself in the confidence of the public.

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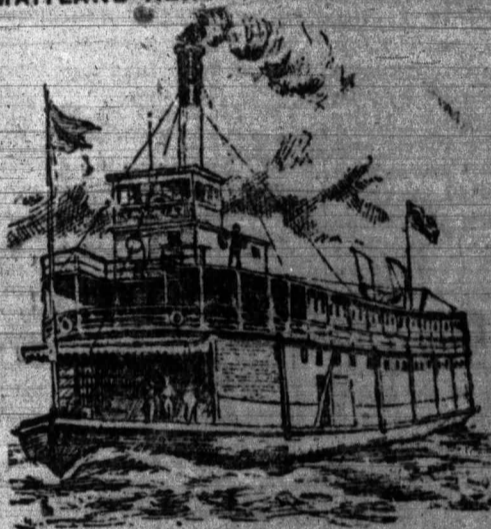
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IMPORTANT PERSONAGES ARRIVE.

The Vice-Consul From France Again at His Post.

Skookum Jim and Tagish Charlie Back for the Annual Wash-Up-Relatives of the Klondike King Also Among the Number.

The more important arrivals from the outside this spring were included in the large passenger list of the steamer Eldorado, which arrived from White Horse rapids on Monday evening. Among them were Louis Coste, a prominent civil engineer who is superintending the operations of a corps of 75 men engaged by direction of the government in blasting the dangerous rocks from Thirty-Mile river; Mr. J. De La Mare, editor and proprietor of the Klondike Review of Paris and special correspondent of two prominent periodicals; D. McDonald of London, and C. A. Chisholm of Washington, brother and brother-in-law, respectively, of Alex. McDonald, the "Klondike King;" Skookum Jim and his brother Tom and Tagish Charlie, veteran sour doughs; W. Bray and F. Kammler, representatives of 21 banks of northern Germany and other financial institutions, and who are making their second visit to Dawson; P. J. Kinnally, wife and brother and J. Gregor of Circle City; Mr. Kaake, a wealthy hardware merchant of Ottawa; Mr. Braid, a wholesale liquor merchant of British Columbia; Mrs. Jane McElrath, whose husband died in the Klondike some months ago, leaving a fortune behind; Mr. Goldstein, a Victoria merchant; H. Miller and brother, with 53 head of cattle; W. W. Mieser, a merchant; Dr. E. B. Northrup; E. Anstas Turenne, vice consul from France, and his secretary, A. Tarut, who were here last summer, and others. The passengers were all pleased with their trip, and adopted a testimonial expressing their appreciation of the courtesies extended them by the officers and crew of the Eldorado and of the great skill with which Captain Bailey handled the boat in the Thirty-Mile river and other dangerous waters. Purser W. A. Sharp was especially commended, as he was also by the passengers on the trip out. In addition to the cattle on board, the Eldorado carried 1,500 pounds of fine lake fish and a large line of miscellaneous freight. Except for having struck and laid up on one or two sandbars, the trip of the Eldorado was made without incident.

The Canadian Development Co.'s palatial steamer Canadian completed a round trip to White Horse rapids on Saturday, winning the distinction of being the first boat to accomplish the trip this season. She was met at the wharf by a swarm of people and given a cheery welcome, which became the more cordial as it became known that there were about 40 sacks of mail aboard. Among a large number of passengers the following were noted: Prof. T. S. Lippey, of 16 Eldorado, H. TeKoller, manager of the S. Y. T. Co., G. B. Swinehart, ex-editor of the Sun, Rev. D. M. Randall, a guest of Prof. Lippey, J. H. Hughes, a Seattle commission man, A. R. Ginnold, J. L. Winston and J. N. Munro, mail carriers for the C. D. Co., Byron Barlow and wife of Seattle, Sam Matthews, a well-known old timer, J. Bolton, father of ex-elder E. D. Bolton, A. A. Smart, general agent for Great Northern railroad, Frank B. Habbell, representing a line of eastern magazines.

The N. A. T. Co.'s handsome flyer, the Cudahy, Captain McCarthy, arrived from his winter quarters at Andreofsky, covering the distance in 11 days and 10 hours.

The steamer Monarch, which pulled out for St. Michael on Saturday night, was loaded to the guards, the limit of the boat's capacity having been sold. The number of passengers was nearly 300, many of whom are bound for Cape Nome. Agent Frank Kinghorn added fresh laurels to his fame as a hustler by securing so fine a list. The Robert Kerr of the same line left for below on Tuesday evening, also with a good passenger list.

The steamer Bonanza King of the Flyer line, departed for White Horse rapids on Saturday afternoon with a passenger list of nearly 100. The improved stage of water promised a speedy journey. Among the passengers on board were the following: Mrs. A. Lorensen, William Brodigan, L. Goodsell, J. Crawford, Mrs. J. J. Crawford, A. Dugas, Major D. G. Bliss, C. R. Gossett, C. B. Terrill, M. B. Hall, M. McKinnon, W. J. Van Houten, Wm. Green, H. Wilkenson, H. Havelin, Thomas Patton, Mrs. Belle Murphy, Joe Steinberg, A. L. Phyard, J. S. Kenyon, J. D. Carothers, G. B. Davis, W. R. Maple, Geo. Hixson, M. Connolly, J. A. McClennan, Archie Beaton, Angus McLeod, D. McKinnon, A. McKinnon, J. D. McLain, Dan McDonald, B. W. Haywood, Thomas Trotter, R. A. Calhoun, Mrs. E. Van Wart, M. Brundige, M. A. Probst, Oscar Boremi, Camille Henry, Ed Payment, Geo. Brong, Thos. Jacobson, C. E. Carpenter, John G. Holland, Thos. McCabe, E. Nelson, B. King, Wm. Melville, Fred McNeil, J. C. Young, Joe Gilchrist, D. Ting, Thos. Flaherty, L. Brown, T. N. Daniels, Joe Seiwens, Jim Reed, Frank Comstock, Dan Schofield, Andrew Rasmussen, Ed Warren, John Vaughn, John Harper, William McGee, John Stewart, Wm. Bates, Ole Johnson.

The steamer Herman of the Alaska Exploration Co., pulled in on Sunday from her winter quarters at White Fish Island.

The steamer Reindeer, Captain M. Fulon, arrived Sunday morning from her winter quarters at Seal river. She was built last season and started up river but failed to get through. The Willie Irving arrived from White Horse rapids Saturday evening with a fine load of miscellaneous freight and about 25 passengers. The little craft, like all the other boats on the upper waters, had an eventful trip owing to the

low stage of water, but the skill of Captain J. W. Abbott, the skipper, was equal to every emergency. The Irving left for the rapids again on Tuesday evening, and upon her return will be fitted with new boilers.

The little steambot Clara arrived from Bennett Sunday, after an eventful voyage. Like most of the other boats plying the upper waters before the rise, she was several times laid up on bars, and while fast in the Thirty-Mile river she was run into by the Gold Star and suffered considerable damage to her wheel. The Gold Star's captain explained the accident as being unavoidable; he found himself in a nest of rocks at the point where the Clara lay, half at cutting off the channel, and it was a case of either going on the rocks himself or bunting into the Clara. He chose the latter as being the lesser of the two evils. The Gold Star reached port Monday noon. She had a few sacks of mail on board.

Reports from above are to the effect that the John C. Barr was temporarily laid up last week near the Hootaitnqua, on account of several hoies which were punched into her.

The Canadian Development Company's handsome steamer Victorian arrived in port Tuesday morning on her return trip to the White Horse rapids, having on board a large list of passengers. Among these were Mrs. J. Atlin, wife of the well-known gardener, and baby daughter; Mrs. E. H. Woods, wife of the manager of the Yukon Gold Fields Company; Mrs. Calderhead; James McCaulay, of the firm of McCaulay Bros., and others. The Victorian had not pulled into the dock before the crowd ashore saw that one corner of the forward upper deck had been badly shattered and torn away, and inquiry developed the fact that while shooting the Five Finger rapids the current swung her sharply against the rocky shore. It was about 5 o'clock in the morning. The damage is not serious. Passengers reported that the Columbian should be down in a few days.

The passengers of the steamer Canadian, also of the Canadian Development Company, and which arrived in Saturday, presented the officers of the boat with a testimonial acknowledging their kindness during the trip down and the skill of the captain and pilots in the conduct of the boat, by which the vessel made the journey from the rapids without the slightest mishap. The testimonial is one of which the company may well feel proud.

The steamer Ora left for White Horse rapids Saturday with a representative of the Nugget express and the following partial list of passengers: L. De Polinier, G. W. McCormack, Mrs. McCormack, F. Winter, O. J. Shedlock, I. Colski, Wm. McKay, J. C. Elliott, J. M. Elliott, J. W. Case, W. B. Seaman, A. F. George, C. N. Johnson, J. D. Kennedy, C. Peterson, P. H. Kuyilo, F. VanBuren, Warren Nelson, D. Marshall, J. A. Dunn, R. Wolfe, J. R. Ward, J. M. Kosopsky, S. Blank and others.

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