

SLUCE BOXES

Are Being Robbed in a Way That Points to an Epidemic.

LEADER IS THE LATEST VICTIM

Amount Taken Has Not Yet Been Determined.

A WATCH WAS NOT KEPT

Carelessness of Claim Owners Is Given as the Principal Cause for the Numerous Robberies.

There seems to be an epidemic of sluice box thieving being perpetrated on the creeks. Within the past month several robberies have occurred at various points on the creeks, in each instance the thieves getting away with the "snag" and leaving no trace of their identity behind them. The gold from the days' sluicing is generally left in the boxes over night and taken out and cleaned before work begins on the claim the next day. Up to the present time there has not been any watch kept over the boxes at night and it leaves a good opportunity to those who are avily inclined to get away with the gold under cover of the darkness. The latest victim of the sluice box thief is Mr. Leeder of 60 below on Bonanza who reported to the police early this morning that his sluice box had been robbed during the night. No particulars as to the amount lost or the identity of the thief were given but the case is being looked into by the police.

The robberies are becoming so frequent that it might be a wise move on the part of the claim owners to keep a watch over their boxes at night in order to anticipate further occurrences of this kind.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. A BAD EXPLOSION

Sudden Jar Causes Dynamite to Explode—Much Damage.

Ashland, Oregon, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—A sudden jar resulting from the breaking of an air coupling on a freight train near Gelndale caused an explosion of dynamite aboard the train. An entire train of eleven cars was blown to atoms. The train crew escaped.

Trouble in South America.

Washington, Aug. 16, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—The latest phase in the South American trouble is the probability of an invasion of Ecuador by troops of Colombia. The battleship Iowa is ready to sail for Panama at a moments' notice.

SHOWING ITS EFFECT

Lord Kitchener's Proclamation Is Bringing Results.

London, Aug. 19, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—Lord Kitchener's proclamation has had a distinctly noticeable effect in South Africa. The commandos are breaking up rapidly and the Boers are losing ground rapidly. The concentration of Botha's forces at Hondeeni is said to foreshadow a surrender. French is driving the rebels back from the Cape.

CANADA'S POPULATION

Ottawa, Aug. 16, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—The first official bulletins of the Canadian census was issued today. The population of the Dominion is given at 5,338,883 an increase of 505,644 over the census of 1891.

The population by provinces as follows:
British Columbia 190,000, Manitoba 246,464, New Brunswick 31,093, Nova Scotia 459,116, Ontario 2,157,978, Prince Edwards Island 103,258, Quebec, 1,620,4974, Northwest territories 145,000, unorganized territories 75,000.

Special Power of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

MEDICOS WERE EASY

Local Blackstones Mop the Diamond With the Doctors

MARVELOUS PLAYING WAS WITNESSED

Walsh Makes a Record Slide for Third Base

JUDGE DUGAS TO THE BAT

Sent a Scorch to Pitcher But Failed to Make First—The Game by Innings.

The lawyers and doctors met on the field of battle again yesterday evening and in a game of baseball the Blackstone chaps wiped up the earth with the medicos. Many on either side had never before indulged in America's national game and the ludicrous situations and amusing plays were abundant in the extreme. A feature worthy of special mention was the coaching. Instead of a command, the coaches would entreat the base runners to "move up a bit." "I say, old chap, won't you come along now?" etc. The battery for the lawyers was a stem winder with Wilson in the box and Barrett behind the bat. The latter nailed out and inshoots and drops like an old stager, but being left handed was at a disadvantage in being compelled to take off his heavy glove whenever he threw the ball. Edwards and Barrett did the battery work for the medics. Norquay substituting for Barrett in the last inning when his arm gave out. Senkler hit his little finger split by a foul tip in the fourth inning, Arthur G. Smith finishing out the game and making a star catch of a high foul in the last inning. Walsh's slide to third was a wonder. The lawyers were first at the bat. Smith made a run followed by Ridley, Wilson and Senkler, each of whom also

scored. Justice Dugas was next up. Twice he fanned wind and then banged the ball to pitcher, but despite a mighty effort failed to reach first in time to save himself. Hulme scored. McCrea died reaching first, and Walsh and Robertson both piled up a tally, making seven runs. Looked bad for the medics. Smith died at first and the side retired.

In the latter half Barrett dropped a fly to Ridley and made first safely on the latter's muff. Thompson (Alfred) fanned wind and Richardson followed with safe hit, Barrett coming in. McCrea hit to first allowing Richardson to score. Bury hit lightly but could not travel fast enough to reach first in time. Norquay hit safe but died on second on McLennan's out at first. Three runs scored.

In the second inning Ridley fanned, but as Edwards' muffed he sprinted hard for first. Useless effort Wilson hit safe to second and Senkler went out on a grounder to pitcher. Judge Dugas came up again with a look of determination in his eye. Barrett in the box saw it and in fear and trembling let drive a corkscrew drop. It dropped and caught the batter on the shin bone and the judge not knowing the meaning of the umpire's cry of dead ball was at a loss whether to throw the bat at the pitcher or not. Walsh came to the rescue and with great dignity escorted his lordship to first. Hulme went out on a fly to Norquay leaving Wilson and Dugas on bases. The lawyers got a goose egg.

Edwards hit safe and sprinted to first at a ten second rate. Stevens went out on first on a grounder to pitcher and Edwards scored. Barrett drove a hot liner to Wilson which the latter nailed and put to first. Thompson fanned. One run scored.

McCrea took his base on balls. Walsh drove a hot liner down the center and three men effectually dodged it. Robertson hit to third and succeeded in making two bases on a bit of horse play indulged in by the fielders. Smith lined a hot one to Bury and on a throw to first Walsh scored; Robertson following a moment later. Ridley went out on a high fly to pitcher and Wilson was put out by striking at a dead ball. Senkler hit to short and Smith came in. Dugas went out on a grounder to pitcher. Four runs.

Richardson hit safe to left field, McCrea dropped one in the same place bringing the former in. Bury went out on first, Norquay fanned. McLennan hit safe and McArthur scored. Edwards drove a pretty fly near second but Ridley and Dugas could not decide which was entitled to it and neither

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RECEIVED BY WIRE. STEAMER COMBINE

Pacific Coast Steamship Company Absorbs Northern Pacific Boats.

SEATTLE NOW FLIES P. C. FLAG.

Created a Great Deal of Surprise in Skagway.

MAY BE TAKEN OFF RUN

Victorian Likely to Be Laid Up as There Are Too Many Boats on the Run.

Skagway, Aug. 24.—The most surprising news that has been given out recently in steamboat circles, came today in the form of an announcement that the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. has absorbed the Northern Pacific Steamship Co. No news of the absorption had been heard until the arrival of the steamer City of Seattle flying the Pacific Coast flag.

Great surprise has been expressed in local shipping circles. It is freely predicted that some of the fast boats including the Victoria will shortly be laid off as it is generally agreed that none of them have made any money for a year past.

Cable Complete.

Skagway, Aug. 23.—The cable to Juneau has been established and messages are now being received. The rate for sending commercial matter has been fixed at seven cents per word.

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RECEIVED BY WIRE. WILL BE NO CHANGE

Privy Council Will Remain as at Present Constitutes.

Ottawa, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—There will be no change in the status of the judicial committee of the privy council of England. This is well understood as the outcome of the proposal to form another body to embrace in its membership representatives from all self-governing colonies of the empire.

It is believed, however, that some changes may be recommended which will increase the dignity and representative character of this highest court of appeal in England but which will not detract from or abridge the principle of appeal to the foot of the throne.

MINERS ALONE

Are Entitled to Rebate on Gold in Vancouver.

Vancouver, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—An effort has been made to give the N. A. T. & T. Co. the advantage of the rebate offered to parties marketing their gold in this city. The British Columbia authorities have been in communication with Ottawa in regard to the matter and today a telegram was received from Minister Sifton stating that the rebate applies to miners only.

DID NOT PERISH

Three Men Alive Who Were Reported Missing.

Juneau, Aug. 24, via cable to Skagway.—Comford, Herbert and Dean who were placed at first among the missing from the Islander wreck are now definitely known to have been saved.

Treasurer Dead.

Skagway, Aug. 24.—A. A. Anderson, city treasurer died yesterday of appendicitis. His brother is a claim owner on Eldorado creek.

INDIANS IN JUNEAU

Claims That the Str. Islander Is Ashore Near Scene of Wreck.

Juneau, Aug. 24, via cable to Skagway.—Indians arriving here today claim that the wrecked Islander is lying beached a distance of eight miles from the wreck. The story is not believed but will be investigated. There is no hope of more bodies being recovered.

Will Reorganize.

Cards have been sent out announcing that the Monte Carlo Club will be reorganized. For that purpose a meeting will be held tonight at the club rooms which all the old members have been invited to attend.

RECEIVED BY WIRE. BIG BOND ISSUE

Six Millions Necessary to Purchase Big Companies' Property.

DID NOT ATTRACT ANY ATTENTION

As No Nojse Was Made About the Company's Intention.

TRUST DEEDS WERE GIVEN

To Union Trust Co. to Be Held for Benefit of the Bond Holders—Big Transaction.

San Francisco, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—Touching the absorption of the A. C. C. Co. and the A. E. Co., by the N. C. and N. N. Co the Chronicle says:

"A joint bond issue of \$5,000,000 has been authorized and partly placed but so quietly as to escape attention notwithstanding its unusual size. The money derived therefrom will be employed in part payment by the Northern Commercial and the Northern Navigation companies in the purchase of the A. C. Co., the Empire Transportation Co., and the A. E. Co. The authorized issue of the Northern Commercial Co. is \$4,500,000. Both issues are secured by trust deeds and mortgages given to the Union Trust Co., as trustee for the bondholders.

Parliament Prorogued.

London, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—Parliament was prorogued today.

Situation Delicate.

Pittsburg, Aug. 17, via Skagway, Aug. 24.—The strike situation is unchanged but is regarded as extremely delicate. The strikers are making strong endeavors to extend the strike to other trades and the operators are working just as hard to prevent that being accomplished.

The Line Down.

The Dominion telegraph line went down yesterday at 11 a. m. and up until noon today the break had not been repaired. As the line is in working order between Dawson and Ogilvie the break must have occurred somewhere between the latter point and Stewart. Locomotives were dispatched from both points and one or the other will probably find the break and make the necessary repairs today.

Painless Dentistry.

Dr. Brown the dentist has joined forces with his former partner, Dr. Wharton, and is now one of the proprietors of the Dawson Dental Parlors. The many friends of the gentlemen will be pleased to learn their present location which is over the bank building, corner of King street and First avenue.

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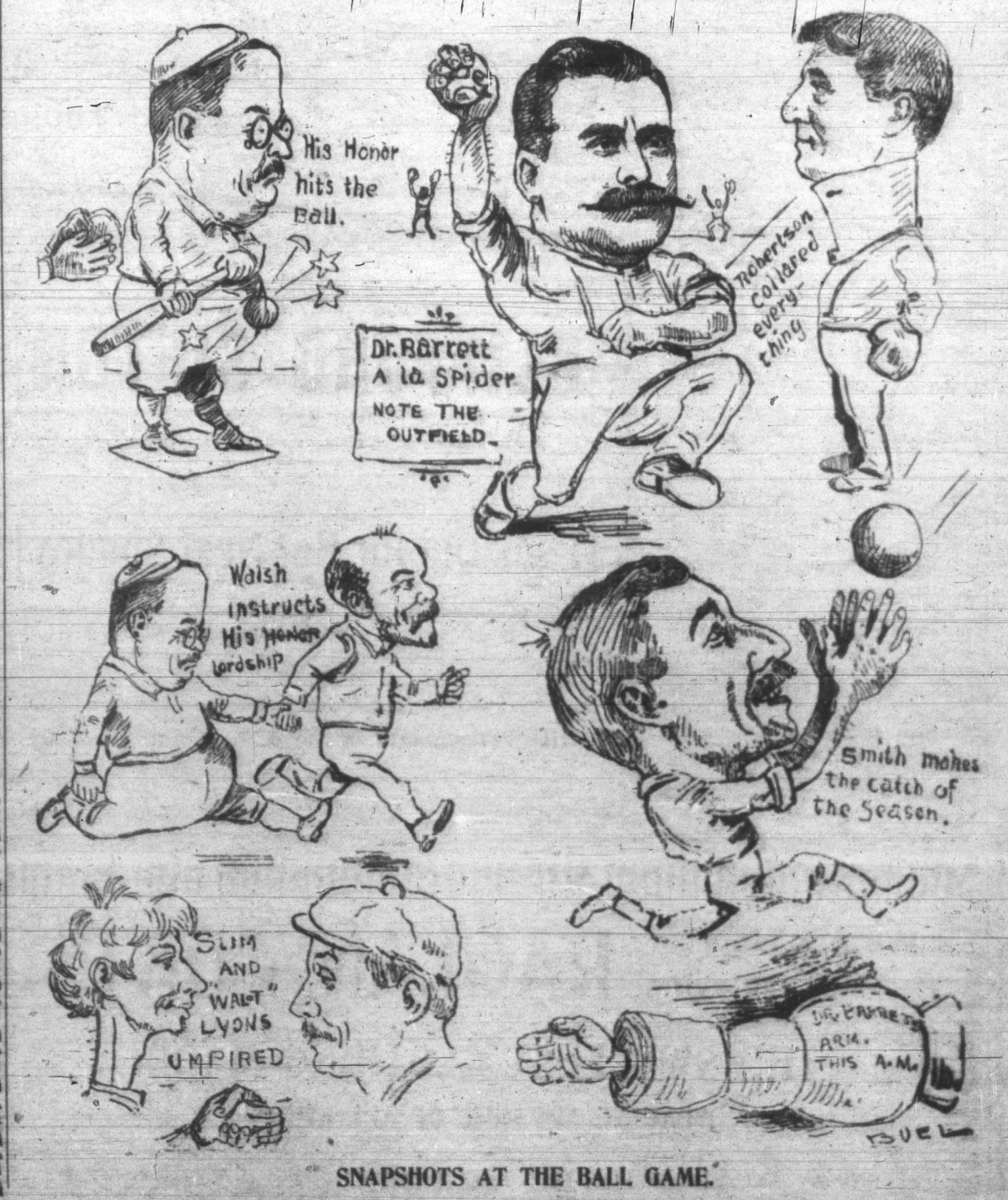
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LETTERS. And Small Packages can be sent to the Creeks by our carriers on the following days: Every Tuesday and Friday to Eldorado, Bonanza, Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run, Sulphur, Quartz and Canyon.

Our evening contemporary appears to have lost all interest in phrenology and kindred sciences.

A Citizen Objects. Dawson, Aug. 22. Editor Nugget.

Dear Sir—I think there was a city ordinance passed a short time ago prohibiting fast women staying in the city limits also from drinking in wine rooms and boxes in saloons.

Students of economic conditions predict that a repetition of the hard times of 1893-94 will be seen in the states within two more years.

Uncle Sam is now at the climax of a number of years of general prosperity. Production has never been so great nor has labor, generally, ever been better paid.

To resort to a somewhat slangy expression the laborer and capitalist both "feel their oats."

Thus it came about that at a time when labor and capital both are presented with the very best opportunities for exerting their productive energies, they are flying at each other's throats and doing their best to bring back the evil conditions which prevailed five years ago.

Unless some unlooked for influence is brought to bear upon the situation, we are of the opinion that "hard times" may be expected in the not distant future.

YANKEES IN CANADA. The English newspapers having started some months ago to "view with alarm" the ascendancy gained in the British Isles by Americans and American manufacturers and race horses and yachts and what not, the Canadian newspapers are now seriously discussing the advantages or the disadvantages of the large influx of American citizens into the Dominion.

Occasionally an American who has no conception of real patriotism sees some advantage in becoming a subject; and occasionally the Britisher becomes a citizen. Such changes are merely individual. Each man has a perfect right to elect to which nationality he will give his allegiance. To cling to the coun-

STROLLER'S COLUMN.

Harry Ash was in town a few days ago, from his claim on King Solomons hill, and was chatting with two men who knew him as the promoter of the Skagway tramroad and other projects of Southeastern Alaska.

"I've got a bigger scheme than he has, Harry, and you are just the man to handle it," Krenst Frederiks in an earnest manner.

"Millions in it?" asked Ash with a sly smile.

"You know the Yukon flats? Well, there's millions of acres there of the finest kind of gravel for a hydraulic proposition."

"What's that got to do with it?" said Krenst rather exasperated at the interruption.

"Well, we go up there first and dig a few holes. We are sure to find colors. Then see what a prospectus we could get out. A thousand square miles of gravel, worked gravel! The rich placer bed has been traced from Nome beach right across these flats, the richest gold producing streams of the north empty right on to these flats."

"Look here, Ash I never said it would. What I say is that here is a scheme big enough for those big capitalists out east to give consideration to, and we can easily show how it ought to be rich. It would take \$10,000 to test it and prove there is no gold there, so nobody could contradict us."

"Yes, and what then?" "Well, you go to your friend Drexel in Philadelphia and get him to interest his partner, Pierpont Morgan in it."

"Oh, I don't know. I guess Morgan's in it already. He's in everything."

"The hell he is?" "Yes, I believe he has some interests there."

"The Stroller could not help but titter at the unconscious humor of the last remark, and he started to think how this would read:

I entered a train and rode all day. On a regular coach and a right-of-way. With the forest of stars and an array of men, trolling at furnace and shovel and pen.

I went to heaven. The Jasper walls towered high and wide and the golden halls shone bright beyond. But a strange new mark was over the gate, viz: "Private Park."

The editor of the Whitehorse Tribune in a recent issue pokes a little fun at Dr. Lindsay, the White Pass railroad physician there in this fashion:

TOMMY ATKINS UP TO DATE.

For they take us from the barracks anyhow, and they teach us how to pack and lead a mule; They teach us how to navigate a snow and how to build a shack without a rule.

Oh, it's Tommy Tommy Atkins, Take that cinch strap in your hand, Straighten up your apparatus, Tighten up your belly band;

Oh, it's Tommy Tommy Atkins, How dy'er like the meat we canned? How dy'er like McNeil and Libby's? Pickled dog and monkey brand?

Oh, it's Tommy Tommy Atkins, Don't the serenos look grand? Hit her up along the channel, Keep her off the blooming sand!

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In connection with the many disputes which have occurred at the American boundary line between miners going into the Fortymile district and the U. S. custom collector the following letter now on file in the U. S. consul's office will prove interesting.

"Due notice of the terms of this document should be taken by all who intended taking goods into the lower country. The Honorable the Secretary of State. Sir—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, enclosing for my consideration and as expression of my views, a copy of a dispatch No. 288, and dated the 20th ultimo, from the consul of the United States at Dawson City, N. Y. T., in regard to the action of the deputy collector of customs at Fortymile in requiring miners to present certificates of exportation of American goods from the United States as a condition precedent to the free entry of such goods on reimportation at such port.

In reply, I have to state that the action of the deputy collector is based upon department's regulations of October 19, 1899, copy herewith, which provides for certificates of exportation for returned American goods. It will be observed that such circular empowers collectors to waive such certifications where the value of the goods does not exceed \$100 and the policy of this department is to deal liberally in the matter of evidence required for returned domestic goods, under the provisions of paragraph 384 of the act of July 24, 1897, such evidence of exportation is uniformly waived by the department on presentation of evidence showing that it is impractical to produce such certificates. The collector of customs at Sitka will be furnished with a copy of this letter and directed to instruct his deputies to allow free entry of American goods in the nature of utensils, miners' outfits, tools, etc., when satisfied as to the domestic origin of the goods irrespective of their value, and without requiring certificates of exportation, as the law provides for the free entry of articles of domestic origin returned to the United States upon proof of identity as such, but under the provisions of section 4 of the act of June 20, 1890, where the goods are valued over \$100 a consular declaration of the foreign exporter will be required.

Respectfully,
O. L. SPALDING,
Acting Secretary.

An Important Ruling.
Washington, Aug. 14.—Attorney General Knox, in an opinion rendered at the request of the secretary of the treasury, holds that a Chinaman may engage in the manufacture of goods for sale and still be considered a merchant in the sense in which that word is used in the treaty and laws relating to the exclusion of Chinese, where the mercantile part of the business is either wholly or in part, the selling of goods manufactured. The number of a firm at San Francisco engaged in the manufacture and sale of cigars and the question raised is whether this Chinaman

may be readmitted into the United States as a returning merchant. The attorney general holds that he is entitled to admission. In the course of his opinion the attorney general says that he does not think that a manufacturer as such is entitled to admission into the United States, nor is he disposed to think that a bona fide merchant is any less of merchant because he is also a manufacturer.

The attorney general has also held that all Chinese persons, who have a right to be in the United States as evidenced by valid certificates of residence or registration, are entitled to pass from the United States to the Hawaiian islands and to be protected while there by their registration certificates as they would be in any organized territory of the continental and integral domain of the United States. The attorney general, however, specially limits his opinion to this one question and does not pass upon their right to return to the United States. He also strictly limits his views of the liberty of passage of Chinese persons to the parts of the United States to this particular case, which submits the case as affecting this particular territory of Hawaii.

Will Assist Strikers.
New York, Aug. 9.—President Samuel Gompers has pledged the American Federation of Labor to the support of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers. After a conference with President Shaffer, lasting the greater part of two days Mr. Gompers issued a statement in Pittsburgh tonight upholding the position of the Amalgamated Association, and pledging the moral and financial support of the federation in the strike against the United States Steel Corporation. The steel corporation made an aggressive move by ordering the Dewes wood plant at McKeesport should be dismantled, and removed to Kiskiminnis valley on account, it is said, of the sympathy of the officials and citizens of McKeesport with the strikers. It was also said that the plant of the National Tube Company, at McKeesport, will be abandoned and the plan for a tube plant at Conneaut, Ohio, revived. President Shaffer's order for a general strike goes into effect tonight. Estimates of the number who will be idle vary, the strike leaders placing the figures as high as 175,000.

While the steel strike situation continued to interest men in the financial district of this city, less talk about it was heard there. Apparently Wall street was wanting to see what would be the effect of President Shaffer's order to the Amalgamated Association to extend the strike, and learn if the American Federation of Labor would take an aggressive attitude in support of the strike. Well-informed financial men said they did not believe the federation would do more than give financial aid to the steel strikers. As to President Shaffer's order, it was said its effect could not be foretold with certainty, and there was an evident disposition among the financiers to cease guessing until the order goes into effect tomorrow night. Steel stocks declined a fraction of a point, closing at 41½ for the common and 30-7-8 for the preferred. Brokers said the operations in steel stocks indicated suspense and nervousness, but not a loss of faith in the steel corporation's ability to handle the strike.

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Running Match.

J. T. Browning has issued a challenge to A. D. Frew to run one hundred yards for \$50 a side. The time and place are to be decided upon later. By the terms of the challenge \$100 is to be deposited immediately and the balance at least 24 hours before the race occurs. Browning, who issues the challenge, resides at Grand Forks.

Judge Craig Leaves.

Justice Craig left last night on his winter vacation. He goes first to his home in Renton county, and will afterwards visit New York and western cities and finish his holidays in Southern California. He is expected back in March.

From Koyukuk.

John Harris, of Emma creek, Koyukuk, came up last night in a canoe. He says the country is good, but that there is a dearth of provisions just now. He further says that it is foolish for any man to go into the country without a good supply.

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Photo supplies reduced at Goetzman's.

Peculiar Accident at Glendive.

A peculiar accident is reported in the Dawson County Review: The little girl of James Marshall was playing and had the end of a stove poker in her mouth, when she fell and the poker struck the ground with such force as to drive it through her neck, coming out just under the ear. Several stitches were required to sew up the terrible laceration.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Alfred Jarvis and Wm. Grant under the firm name of Jarvis & Grant, freighters and packers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Wm. Grant will continue the freighting business, all debts due the firm of Jarvis & Grant, to be paid to Alfred Jarvis who will pay all bills owing by the firm.

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HE ATTACKED THE PRIEST

A few of those who witnessed the execution of O'Brien yesterday noted the absence of a priest or other religious attendant usually accompanying a condemned man to the scaffold, but it is safe to say there were none other than the officials who knew the reason of such absence. The last visit paid to O'Brien by Father Gendreau was Thursday afternoon, the day preceding the execution, his stay at that time lasting but 13 minutes. That was the last opportunity he was so soon to go to his death ever had to unburden his sin-stained soul and receive the consolation accorded to all sinners, no matter how grievous the offense against God and man. To the entreaties of the reverend father to make a complete confession so he could receive absolution and the sacrament he persistently turned a deaf ear, unmindful of the fact that without such he could have no hope of the hereafter. Perceiving that his efforts to redeem the hardened wretch from among the lost were futile, the priest requested the return of the rosary which he had given him. This O'Brien refused to part with and it remained about his neck until the hangman removed it. Father Gendreau was assiduous in his devotion to O'Brien's spiritual welfare, but his tireless energy was wasted and the condemned man went to his doom

without the peace of mind which might have been his for the asking. It is not generally known, either, that upon one occasion O'Brien made a most vicious attack upon the reverend father, and had it not been for the close proximity of his guards he might have had one more crime to answer for. It happened shortly after O'Brien began his insanity play and the starvation act. He had expressed a desire to see the priest and Father Gendreau was sent for. He quickly responded, but soon saw after a moment's conversation that O'Brien was in no state either mentally or physically to receive religious consolation and in the gentlest manner the father begged him to partake of food, regain his lost strength and said that he would call again in a day or two. Like a caged tiger the inhuman beast pounced upon him whose only mission was to do him good, grasped him about the throat with his long, sinewy fingers and in a fit of savage like anger would have throttled him then and there had not the guards quickly come to the rescue. Such a man was he whose mission on earth was mainly to slay and kill, one who lacked even the respect due the cloth of the church, and as he sowed the seeds of violence during his life he reaped them in their fullness at his death.

THISTLE CREEK

Presents Favorable Opportunities for Ground Sluicing.

Jas. M. Bloom who has been working on Thistle creek for the past six weeks returned to Dawson yesterday. Bloom has been representing several claims on that creek and takes a sanguine view of the future.

He says that the creek is paying well in several places near discovery and good prospects have been found both above and below. The gold on Thistle resembles the Jack Wade gold in quality and value and in Mr. Bloom's opinion systematic work is all that is required to make Thistle turn out remarkably well.

Near the upper end of the creek the valley narrows and the pay streak is confined to about 30 feet in width.

The fall in the creek is about 200 feet to the mile which makes ground sluicing an easy matter.

Bloom believes that properly handled the creek can be ground sluiced to bedrock without difficulty.

At the present time all the work that is being done is by the old process of thawing which is naturally slow and unsatisfactory. There are no steam plants on the creek but every under existing circumstances a number of claims are paying an ounce or so the shovel a day.

Had it not been for the interference of water much more work would have been done on Thistle than has been accomplished thus far this summer.

Wireless Telegraphy.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Space or wireless telegraphic communication between Chicago and Milwaukee is promised in the near future by Joseph S. Schwab, president and general manager of the Northwestern Wireless Telegraphic company of this city and a former member of the board of education and the state legislature. The Chicago-Milwaukee "line" when established, will be the first in operation in the United States for commercial purposes.

The company of which Mr. Schwab is president was incorporated last May for \$5,000,000, and under arrangement with the American Wireless Telegraph and Telephone company of Philadelphia (the parent company) controls patent rights in Illinois, Wisconsin, northern Michigan, Iowa and Minnesota.

In addition to the Chicago-Milwaukee line Mr. Schwab's company is completing arrangements with the Pere Marquette steamers to use the system on their boats, and at their various marine stations on Lake Michigan.

COMING AND GOING.

Fire hall No. 2 is receiving a new flooring and the sides are being strengthened by a new coating of boards on the inside.

Messrs. Murphy and Friend of Eldorado are stopping at the Regina hotel preparatory to leaving Dawson in the near future for a trip outside.

Hunter W. B. Thomas starts for the Stewart river tonight to be in place when the hunting season opens to get a chance at the first game.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS

Snow Fell in August Last Year and May do so Again.

During the last week the weather has been changeable. On the 20th of this month when the ground was covered with a heavy coat of frost the prediction of an early winter was freely made. The thermometer on that date registered 28 degrees above and besides the frost on the ground a thin coat of ice had formed wherever there was a small amount of stationary water. Since that date the thermometer has been gradually going up again until yesterday was nearly as warm as any day this summer. The thermometer registered yesterday 75 degrees as the warmest and 53 degrees as the coldest.

The air was very sultry and complaints were heard registered on all sides. Last year the first snow of the season fell in the latter part of August and had the weather continued the balance of the month as it started on the 20th it is more than likely that the snow would have been flying ere this.

There has been snow reported from the Dome and other places on the creeks but it has not as yet reached Dawson.

Some of the steamboat men predict an early closing this year while others, arguing from the lateness in opening, say that the river will remain open much later than it did last year.

"Time will tell."

JUDGE DUGAS

Holding Session in Territorial Court Today.

Contrary to the usual custom, the territorial court is in session today with Mr. Justice Dugas occupying the lower court room and Police Magistrate Macaulay in the upper. In the former the case of Falconer vs. Jewell & Gibson is being heard. Last year the plaintiff brought in a quantity of potatoes under contract for the defendants, but upon his arrival they for no reason, so it is alleged, refused to accept them. Suit is brought for the cost of the shipment, freight and other expenses Falconer was put to. Before Judge Macaulay a small debt procedure entitled Daudrea vs. Faudazzi is being heard.

Church Services Tomorrow.

Episcopal—St. Paul's church, Mission street and First avenue. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Naylor, pastor.

Catholic—St. Mary's church, First avenue and Ninth street. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the evening Wiegand's beautiful mass in F which was sung during the visit of Archbishop Langevin will be repeated. The public are cordially invited to attend. Father Gendreau, pastor.

Services will be held tomorrow in the Presbyterian church, Mission street at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday school at 3 p. m. and Christian endeavor prayer meeting at 8:30. Rev. H. H. Turner, B. D., will conduct both the morning and evening services. In the evening Mrs. Boyes will sing "Come Unto Me," by Cowan. Every body is made welcome at all the services.

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BIG STRIKE IN FLORIDA

Leaders of Strike Are Smuggled Away by Operators

Kidnapping the Latest Means Employed to Settle Labor Difficulties—A Novel Plan.

Tampa, Fla., Aug. 14.—The strike situation tonight is one of bewilderment on the part of the strikers and immovable determination on the part of the manufacturers. No word has been received from or about the leaders who were deported last night, and the vigilantes are sworn to secrecy, but it is admitted that the men will never return to Tampa. The exact number of men deported is not yet known, but every prominent leader of the strikers is now missing. It is said that others are marked and that their deportation may take place at any moment. The kidnapping last night had been arranged to take place at a reception to which all the Resistencia leaders had been invited, the purpose being to catch them all in a bunch. They were all present. Music had been provided and the streets were lined with thousands of people.

Shortly before the posse of citizens reached the headquarters the news reached the strikers, and they quickly dispersed. The crowd was not daunted and commenced a man-search through the streets and snatched the men from the crowds. The captured leaders were at once driven to the county jail, where they remained on the outside under guard for a few minutes. Then they disappeared and have not been seen or heard of since.

Various rumors as to their disposition have been circulated in the city today, it being most generally reported that they were taken into the Gulf into an unknown and mysterious vessel. All of the deported strike leaders were Spaniards and Cubans. The boldness of the whole affair and the accomplishment of the deportation without bloodshed is one of the remarkable features.

It develops tonight that 12 men strikers who are among the sub-leaders were deported this afternoon and tonight. Some of the strikers have held a number of meetings during the day secretly, and have conferred with a number of lawyers with a view of taking some action. No one would take the case. They also appointed new committee to carry on the work and in the case of each committee, five different ones were appointed, so that when one is taken away, another will take its place. A proclamation was issued here this afternoon, signed "The People of Tampa." It says in part:

"To the Anarchists and Professional Labor Instigators: 'We say that your days in Tampa are at an end. We cannot and will not permit you to destroy this prosperous city. If you have regard for your safety you will shake it dust from your feet. In conclusion we notify the manufacturers that this movement of citizens is not in their interest, but in the interest of the entire community.'"

Died at Hospital.

J. Dingnaff a young man 21 years of age died this morning at the Good Samaritan hospital after a six weeks illness of tumor of the brain. Mr. Dingnaff was a miner from Upper Bonanza, an Irishman by birth but where he was residing before coming to this country is unknown. The body was embalmed at Brinshaw & Stewart's undertaking parlors and funeral will be held tomorrow at St. Mary's church.

Bates vs. Perkins.

Sports are looking forward to a go between Bates and Perkins which is scheduled to come off on September 6th. The contest will be for ten rounds for a decision and a spirited go is expected by those who are familiar with the records of the two men.

Cricket Game Postponed.

The cricket game between the Dawson and Forks teams which was to have been played this afternoon at the latter place has been indefinitely postponed as the Forks team is not in readiness to play.

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MEDICOS WERE EASY.

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look it in. Clendenan who just arrived and was substituted for Bury who had hurt his foot, pounded the air and Edwards died on second. Three runs.

Halmé and McCrea went out at first on grounders well fielded by pitcher and second.

Walsh took his base on balls, Robertson made a safe hit and Smith did the same, bringing Walsh in. Ridley went to first on balls, making the bases full. Wilson relieved matters by driving a hot one to second and Robertson and Smith both came in. Senkler hit safe, Ridley scored and later Wilson committed a burglary on the home plate, making an excellent steal.

Dugas fanned. Five runs.

With 16 runs against them to their seven the doctors came to the conclusion they were up against the real thing. Barrett pounded the air followed by Thompson who made first on a muff by Smith. Richardson sent a stem-winder to left field, McArthur fanned and Stevens put one down the center which was too hot for anyone to touch. Thompson scored and Norquay failed to find the leather after three attempts.

In the fifth inning Norquay took Barrett's place in the box and Clark substituted for Dugas. The lawyers piled up two more runs and considered themselves on easy street with a score of 18.

During the latter half of the fifth Senkler split his finger and was relieved by Smith, Zabriske going to first. The meds. made two more scores in the inning and then went down and out in ignominious defeat, with but ten runs to their credit. The score by innings was as follows:

Lawyers	1 2 3 4 5
Doctors	7 0 4 5 2-18
Doctors	3 1 3 1 2-10

MUSICIANS ON A FROLIC

Have Made Things Lively for Members of "Perfesh" Today.

The musicians of Dawson have been taking a holiday today and are making lots of sport for themselves as well as for every one else.

The josh was started about 8 o'clock this morning by Theo. Eggert the pianist at the Savoy and one by one the rest of the players joined the crowd until this afternoon not less than 15 were travelling together.

As the name of one of the "perfesh" who was not among the gang was mentioned, they made it a point to see that he became one of their number without delay and all kinds of inducements and threats were offered to make him leave his downy couch and join the gang.

One of the "joshes" perpetrated on the unsuspecting victim was the story of an excursion to be given on the river and that his company was requested, if that did not bring him forth then a little physical force was added to the invitation and he was unceremoniously pulled out of bed and compelled to come forth.

The boys are making things lively and having a royal good time.

Church Services.

Rev. Dr. Sparling, principal of Wesley college Winnipeg, will preach in the Methodist church tomorrow, August 27th, at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Subject for the evening sermon, "Lessons from the Wreck of the Islander."

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Before leaving, Lieut. Mitchell was asked his opinion of Dawson. He was greatly surprised at the substantial nature of the buildings in the town and expressed himself as being greatly pleased with the atmosphere of enterprise and progress which he had found about the city. Lieut. Mitchell has a hard task before him in the lower country but he has no doubt that with the help of the men under him his work will be successfully accomplished.

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