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THEIR ROYAL HIGHNESSES

Arrived at Quebec Amidst Booming of Cannon and Great Eclat and Witnessed by Largest Crowd Ever Seen in City—Rumor That Royal Visit May Not Extend West of Quebec.

Quebec, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—Amidst booming of cannon and whistling of hundreds of steam vessels the Duke and Duchess of York and Cornwall arrived today on schedule time, the arrival being witnessed by the largest crowd ever seen in this city. As the steamer Ophir bearing the royal party, and escort, steamed into the harbor a royal salute was fired from the fort, another from the French frigates lying in port and a third from the Citadel. Immediately after the salute the Ophir and other steamers half-masted the Stars and Stripes out of respect for the dead president of the United States. At 10:30 o'clock Lord Minto, governor general of Canada, and Premier Laurier boarded the Ophir and had a short interview with the duke and on their return to shore the royal salute was again fired. Their royal highnesses came ashore in a launch, the cannon booming again. A heavy squall made the landing quite difficult. The duke and duchess were driven to the parliament building in a four horse carriage. The duke was dressed in naval uniform and acknowledged the cheers that greeted them as they rode along by raising his hat. At 1:30 they left parliament building for the Citadel where they were the guests of Lord Minto at lunch, after which they went to the Naval University where degrees were conferred by the duke. Later the royal visitors attended an open air concert on King's Bastion, and in the evening there was an illuminated naval parade. It was rumored yesterday that the royal trip will not extend west of or beyond Quebec.

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DOLPHIN IN SKAGWAY

Brings Large Cargo and Forty Passengers.

Skagway, Sept. 21.—Steamer Dolphin arrived in port this morning bringing 40 passengers and a large cargo which includes shipments of perishables and cattle for Dawson. The boat is the principal shipper. The Dolphin called at Vancouver on her way up but Governor Ross, who was expected to come on her did not arrive. Special Power of Attorney forms for sale at the Nugget office.

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ARE COMING TO DAWSON

People Who Left Skagway Today for Interior.

Skagway, Sept. 21.—Dawson and lower Yukon passengers and leaving by the train this morning were Stockmen C. W. Thebo, Sidney Bell and U. Sutherland; Traders A. J. Coleman, L. D. Blom and J. Corroll; Miss Ada Maltby and U. S. Marshal Perry, wife and Deputies Crosgrove and Crouch.

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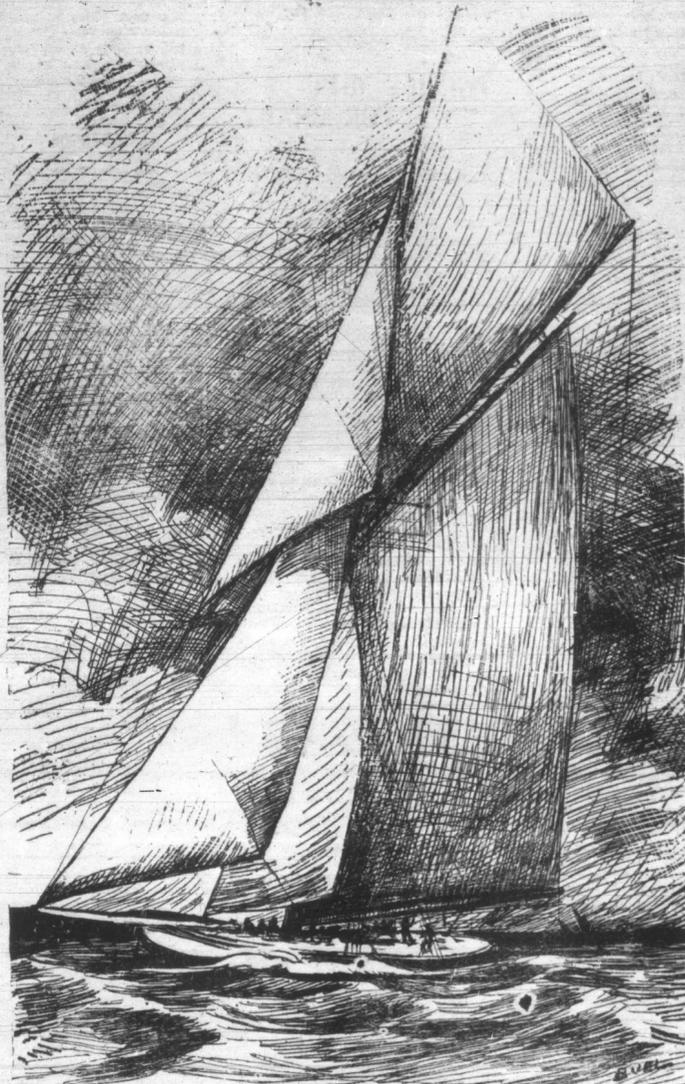
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CARKEEK CAPTURED

Adscending Debtor Is Overhauled at Fortymile.

Carkeek, the absconding debtor for whom a capias was issued night before last by the N. C. Co., was overhauled Thursday as he was passing Fortymile in a canoe. He left town Wednesday evening at 8:30, his absence not being discovered until 10 o'clock. At that hour the capias was sworn to before Sheriff Hillbeck and for fear that the government telegraph office was closed and that his man would succeed in making Fortymile before morning, the sheriff, himself an old telegrapher, went to the old office in the rear of the courthouse where there is still a connection and sent the message in person to Fortymile. The detachment of police at the latter station is deserving of much commendation for the vigilance shown in patrolling the river. Carkeek was brought back to Dawson in custody of a member of the Fortymile police detachment. He arrived on the steamer Sarah, and is now in jail.

A Disappointment. Caribou Sinclair and Ed Kelly met last night to a well-filled house in a ten-round go. The match was one of the most disappointing affairs ever witnessed in Dawson, and at different times in the progress of the tiresome rounds the house evidenced its impatience by groans and maledictive howls. Kelly did not make more than one effective punch during the contest and that seemed to discourage Caribou, for he kept away from his man with but few exceptions, and his man did likewise until the contest ended. Eddie O'Brien acted as referee and an unknown but loud-mouthed youth held the watch. The go ended in a draw.

NO BAIL GRANTED

To Drunks Run In After Respectable Retiring Hour.

If there is one thing upon which all humanity agrees it is on possessing an antipathy to being disturbed after donning the long, white, unstarched robe of night and lying down to gentle slumber. It is then that, unless the person is a doctor, a fireman or a country justice of the peace that is given to marrying runaway couples, it is not on his schedule to be disturbed until the advent of the following day. In police court this morning Magistrate McCauley good naturedly informed Sergeant Smith to pass the word down the line that in future he, the magistrate, is not to be aroused from his slumbers at 2 o'clock, as was the case this morning, or any other unseemly hour of the night for the purpose of accepting bail until 10 o'clock next morning for a common drunk, and hereafter the fellow who steams around town until that hour, when he might just as well as not hurry along his drunk and be arrested the previous evening, will remain in the languish house from the time of his arrest until court opens the following morning. The above is published for the benefit of those who are interested, and as each man probably understands himself and knows just about what time he can count on after taking the first drink until he is ready to go to the barracks, he will do well to regulate the time of the first drink accordingly. For example, the man who requires eight hours should begin to steam up not later than 2 o'clock in the afternoon; while others who drink more assiduously can begin after an early supper and still be able to cover the line and be granted bail before time for winding the clock, putting out the cat, and going to bed.

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SCOWMAN MIKE KING

Says the Demand for His Craft Is Very Heavy.

Mr. Mike King the well known scow builder of Whitehorse and Caribou arrived in Dawson Thursday. Mr. King says that the outlook promises as lively and active a season in the scow trade this year as it did last. He has a large number of contracts now on hand and is employing a large force of men. One of the largest scows built by him this season brought 120 head of cattle from Whitehorse to Dawson. There are at the present time 1500 sheep on the way to Dawson in scows. The scow trade at Bennett has also received an impetus and a number are now under construction at that place. Large herds of sheep and hogs which are driven over the summit from Skagway are to be shipped from Bennett. The heavy tariff of the railroad company makes the shipment of live stock over the road almost prohibitive and as a consequence the railroad loses that trade. Mr. Wilson Arrives. Among the passengers arriving last night on the Sarah was Mr. J. W. Wilson, accompanied by his wife and son. For several years Mr. Wilson has managed the Hotel Healy at St. Michael for the W. A. T. & T. Co. His mission here is for the purpose of taking charge of the Hotel Regna to which he will devote his abilities in the future. Fuel is Abundant. There is now more fuel piled up on the edge of the Yukon in the upper portion of the city than was there last year and it is said that thousands of cords will be rafted down the Yukon and Klondike rivers before winter closes in. There will be no scarcity of fuel in Dawson this winter.

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THE FUNERAL CEREMONIES

Body of Dead President Viewed by Eight Millions of People—Impressive Exercises Were Held at Buffalo and Also at Washington City—The Widow Bore Up Very Bravely.

Buffalo, Sept. 15, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—The city is in mourning today. A simple burial service was held at the Milburn residence this morning the family only being present. The body was removed to the city hall this afternoon. Thousands of people lined the streets, the rain coming down in sheets, but every head was bared. The body remained in state until midnight. Eighty thousand people viewed the remains. Washington, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—The funeral train bearing the remains of the dead president arrived at 8:40 today and the body now lies in the east room of the White House. The scenes along the route of the funeral train were most impressive and the devotion of the people was manifest. Mrs. McKinley bore up bravely. Funeral services will be held in the rotunda of the capitol on Tuesday. The body will be in state for the remainder of Tuesday and will be escorted to the railway station in the evening. The funeral train will arrive at Canton, Ohio, on Wednesday and the funeral services and interment will occur on Thursday. President Roosevelt and all state governors have asked the people to give general observance to the day.

Roosevelt Outlines His Policy

Buffalo, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—President Roosevelt has outlined the policy which will be pursued through his administration. He will continue in McKinley's footsteps, endeavoring to abolish commercial wars with other countries and to establish reciprocal treaties with all powers with which the United States deals. He will encourage the merchant marine and urge the construction of the Isthmus canal and Pacific cables. He favors the establishment of government savings banks for the protection of the people's savings. No indication of any changes in the cabinet has been made.

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MURDERER INDICTED

Czolgosz Will Be Tried on Next Monday.

Buffalo, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—Czolgosz the murderer of President McKinley has been indicted for murder in the first degree by the grand jury. He refused to answer any questions or even to talk to Messrs. Lewis and Titus former supreme justices who have been assigned as counsel for the prisoner. He was taken to and from the court under heavy escort. The crowd was easily held back. He will be arraigned tomorrow and will be brought to trial on Monday.

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STRIKERS NOT SATISFIED

Terms of Settlement Not Yet Made Known.

Pittsburg, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—The terms of the strike settlement have not yet been made known, but all the men are dissatisfied except at McKeesport where 5000 reported for work this morning. In other cities, notably Pittsburg, the strike is continued. The actions of President Shaffer are strongly condemned by those who formerly looked to him to guide them out of the trouble.

Find No Evidence.

Chicago, Sept. 16, via Skagway, Sept. 21.—The police have been unable to discover any evidence that President McKinley was the victim of an anarchist plot.

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Killed on Gold Run

Word reached here today that a man named Rebour was killed on Chute & Wills' claim, No. 30 Gold Run, last night, by being crushed by the caving in of a drift. Capt. Rutledge is now on his way to the scene of the accident and will hold an inquest tomorrow.

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RIDICULOUS ANTICS.

It is amusing to watch the antics of the News, which didn't know until last evening that congress has no jurisdiction over the affairs of this territory, in dealing with the matter of representation. The News has tackled the question as though it were something entirely new to the people of this territory. As a matter of fact the question has been threshed over a dozen times. It has been the subject of petitions and addresses to the government and has been discussed in parliament a half dozen times.

Every newspaper in Dawson and almost every man of standing in the community has been on record for a year or two in favor of representation.

A specific promise has been made by the premier of Canada that when the census returns are in and he has at hand data upon which he will be justified in acting, representation will be granted. There is no reason as yet to believe that this promise will be broken, for the census returns have not yet been received and parliament does not convene again until next spring.

In spite of this, we find the News grappling with the representation question as though it were a brand new toy, and clamoring to know what "congress" is going to do with the matter.

The thing is so ridiculous as scarcely to warrant attention. Everybody knows that the Yukon territory wants to be represented in parliament and everybody believes that such representation will be given when parliament convenes again.

Meanwhile if the News cannot secure results by appeals to congress, it had better address the reichstag of Germany or the chamber of deputies of France. Or perhaps Li Hung Chang would help out in the matter of the Akhord of Swat might be called on.

THE UNSPEAKABLE TURK.

The "stick man" of Europe has been a long time on his death bed. He has had ample time to consider his ways and gather wisdom, likewise to repent; but there is no noticeable improvement in his disposition nor in his manner of governing the country which Providence made the grievous mistake of giving into his hands. Now that the world has time to turn from the disturbances in other countries and bestow some attention upon Abdul the Damned and his doings, it appears that the Albanians are being put through their regular course of discipline. Apparently a Turkish governor would lose his hopes of the Mohammedan paradise and the company of many hours if he failed to annually murder a certain number of Christians. Of course there is a possibility that Russia is once more attempting to paint the devil and to work up an agitation for her own purposes. But that is doubtful. There is yet plenty to do in Asia without opening up another Eastern Question. The problem of what to do with the Turks is not ready for solution yet. The three great potentates of the world are personal friends as well as closely related by ties of blood and marriage.

THE LATE PRINCESS ROYAL

As Remembered by Mrs. De Touffe Lauder

They fully appreciate the responsibilities of their position and there will be no more war if the King of Great Britain, the emperor of Germany and the czar of Russia can prevent it. Of course their powers are limited and there arise crises in the affairs of nations when no power on earth can thwart the clamor of the people to be led against a hated enemy. Many a war has been entered upon in enthusiasm and withdrawn from in humiliation. When the time comes to finally deal with Turkish power in Europe there will be more anxiety than is now apparent in national councils. If Abdul was on his high horse, he dismounted very quickly. What the hopes of France were in deciding to enforce her claims at this time it is hard to say, but it is clear that if she aimed at precipitating a crisis when Britain's hands are thought to be pretty well occupied she is not going to succeed. The sublime porge will give its L. O. U. to the French government and the latter will press for a settlement of its claims, but not for long will they disturb the serenity of Abdul.

The report given exclusively in yesterday's Nugget concerning the quartz leads which have been located on lower Bonanza, gives promise of splendid things for the future. If the indications which have thus far been brought to light may be accepted as foretelling what the claims will ultimately be shown to contain, the future of the district as a quartz producer is assured. The faith which the Nugget has always held in the prospects of the Klondike from a quartz standpoint seems to have been well founded.

REDUCTION ASKED FOR

Commissioner J. H. Ross Informs Ottawa of Needed Changes.

Ottawa, Aug. 28.—James Ross, commissioner of the Yukon, has forwarded to the minister of the interior here a number of recommendations for changes in the existing mining regulations. The chief of these is his suggestion that the present system of collecting royalty of 5 per cent on the gold output of the Yukon be abolished. Mr. Ross would replace the royalty by an export duty to be collected at the boundaries of the several mining districts. He recommends that where gold is found upon which the export duty has not been paid it be confiscated. This, he thinks, would effectually check attempts to evade the duty and prevent the smuggling out of gold which is undoubtedly carried on at present under the royalty system.

In support of the suggestion for the establishment of an export duty the commissioner points out that while the duty would be collected in the first instance on all the gold produced, arrangements could be made to grant a rebate upon such proportion of the gold as might be marketed at Canadian points.

It is also the intention of the Yukon administration to throw open about 1000 acres of wood land on the banks of the Klondike, which was reserved for mining purposes.

This move is necessitated by the growing scarcity of wood for fuel. Indeed, in the opinion of the commissioner it will not be long before electricity and coal oil will of necessity supplant wood as fuel in the mining districts. Another proposal is to encourage the construction of reservoirs built to catch water after it has been used in the sluice boxes so it can be returned and re-used for gold washing. By this means it is hoped to avoid the necessity of closing down operations owing to scarcity of water such as was the experience during the drought this summer.

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Was a Most Loving and Affectionate Daughter, Wife and Mother, But Saw Much Sorrow.

Mrs. de Touffe Lauder writes in the Toronto Globe: Our own beloved Princess Royal Victoria of England, the widowed Empress Frederick of Germany, and mother of the present emperor, has passed to the unseen, and I ask a short space in your columns to give utterance to a few of many pleasant memories in connection with her remarkable history. A year or two after the Franco-German war I first saw the Crown Prince Frederick at the Castle of Heidelberg, a most truly regal and imposing personality. In stature over six feet, and with that majestic mien, noble head and radiant countenance, his was an imperial presence, and as consort of our princess we were deeply interested in him. "True, pure, a pearl upon a throne," the broken-hearted empress called him after his death. Victoria and Frederick were a model pair, and their deep love for each other, and their lofty plans for their coming reign, were well known. During later visits to Berlin it was my good fortune to see them, as also the venerable Kaiser Wilhelm of the great war, and his consort Augusta, frequently. I only mention one of these occasions. I was staying with German friends in Potsdam. One morning in June we were visiting some of the royal parks and palaces. I had secured the largest, loveliest rose, thinking we might meet the crown prince and princess. We had just left the palace Sans Souci, when I saw two carriages approaching, and begging my German friends to withdraw a little, that I, as English, might salute them, I stood alone close to the drive, holding up my beautiful rose. The Crown Princess Victoria was in the first carriage with Prince Wilhelm (now the emperor), Prince Henry and the eldest daughter, afterwards Princess of Meiningen, and one of her ladies. In the second carriage sat the Crown Prince Frederick with the rest of the royal children, Princess Victoria, Princess Sophia, now Crown princess of Greece. They recognized this as an English salutation. As I presented that rose the crown princess smiled and smiled and waved her hand—whoever saw her rare smile never forgot it, so full was it of many unspeakable things—and Frederick removed his hat, bowing and smiling so heartily two or three times. My German friends heard the English "Thank you!" they said, and they were so proud and delighted with the honor that I revealed later in a "special treat" in consequence. That is my most precious recollection of the unfortunate pair. When I recall this scene, and all their subsequent history, my heart is filled with a great sorrow. They had just returned from Italy, and were brilliant in perfect health and happiness. I hear the dying emperor of three months saying to an old and faithful servant, whom he had summoned to his presence—no, he wrote the words, for he could not speak: "We are both unfortunate, but I am more unfortunate than thou." The great heart of the Empress Frederick broke. Greatness, honors, hopes and plans burst like air bubbles in her grasp; nothing realized of all she had hoped! We leave her sleeping in the Friedens Kirche—Church of Peace—at Postdam, beside her beloved Frederick. Her violin is silent! She never went anywhere without it. Her chisel is laid down forever, for, like her royal sister, Princess Louise, she was a sculptress of no mean order. There is a wonderfully lifelike bust in white marble of the aged emperor in the Palace of Babelsberg, by her hand. He was ever kind and good to the English princess, and when he died she wept long and passionately. Her tragic history is a mystery we may not fathom. The Divine decrees are inscrutable. The world has not yet learned how great and truly royal a lady has left us all the poorer for her loss. Her biography by some loving hand shall reveal more of her later on. Widely read

THE ICY MITT FOR BRADY

Alaska's Governor Repudiated by Klukwan Indians.

Governor Brady has been turned down again, this time by the very Indians whom he claims he wants to protect and allow to vote. After all the missionary work he has done (and the money he has made) amongst their people, the Siwash of Klukwan, through their chief, publicly tell him that they are on to him, and they don't like his style.

When Governor Brady left Skagway on the revenue cutter Rush last week, after an Arctic expedition, he went up the Chitca river to Klukwan to visit the Indians, his chosen people, tell them the great man he was, and look around for another saw-mill site.

At the request of the governor about thirty Indians and their chief gathered to hear the big white chief talk. This was Governor Brady's first visit to Klukwan and the Indians, through courtesy, listened, thinking possibly he might belie his appearance and say something sensible.

With the eloquence with which he is famous when talking to Siwashes Governor Brady expatiated on his official position, the future of the Siwash race and incidentally let drop a remark that next winter Shelgame Jackson might drive in on the ice with a team of reindeer and start a school. This reference to schools raised the wrath of the chief, for ever since Brady has been governor of Alaska the chief has communicated with him in regard to school, but each time the matter was overlooked in the excitement of the governor's—the enfranchisement of the red men.

When the governor ceased speaking, the chief rose to answer his address. Through his interpreter he said: "This is the governor's first visit to Klukwan. We are glad to have him here and see what kind of a man he is. But his speech, especially in regard to schools and what he will do for us reminds me of a story I will now tell.

"A long time ago the Indians of Klukwan secured a large cannon and made arrangements to fire it off on a certain day. All the neighboring Indians were invited to hear the noise. When the time came and all were assembled the fuse was lighted, but the fuse simply spluttered and then went out. The powder was wet; it was a fizzle.

Amidst the wild cries of his tribe the chief of the Klukwan sat down and the governor and his party started to embark down the river for the Rush—Alaskan.

Columbia Led.
Newport, Sept. 3.—The second official trial race of Columbia and Constitution yesterday had practically no result. The yachts, for lack of wind, were unable to finish within the time limit of 5 1/2 hours. At 6:30 in the evening the contest came to an inglorious conclusion two miles to the eastward of Benton's reef lightship. At the time Columbia led by a quarter of a mile. The course was triangular, ten nautical miles to a leg, the first being a beat to windward. After crossing the line at exactly the same moment with Consti-

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And Could Not Think of Marrying a Yankee.

And He Gave Her His Overcoat and Stood in the Rain to Show That He Was All Right.

It was during an encampment of Confederate veterans that Howard Pearce first saw her. She wore a gray riding habit with a double row of small brass buttons leading up to two black stars to the collar. On her sunny locks a small gray slash had rested, tilted the least bit over one eye. She rode well. Pearce glanced so far from the window to catch a glimpse of the girl that he almost forgot to wear a warm day toward the end of July and he was not sorry that he had no business on hand that must be readily attended to.

Evidently the girl in gray had gone to the camp ground, and with Saunders, that Saunders was married—happily married Pearce hoped. Anyhow, he was glad that Saunders was married.

That evening he sat before Captain Saunders' tent, with the captain, his wife and Miss Moore—the girl in gray. To the east of the camp ground the ridge rose in gentle slope. To the southwest, seemingly towering just over them, was the mountain.

Pearce's heart beat faster as he came to him that go years before while white tents had marked the foot of the ridge as they did that day. But when they had stretched for miles north and south.

"Captain," he said, turning to Saunders, "it is easier to get up the ridge than it was once. There are no men in the ridge as they did that day. But when they had stretched for miles north and south."

"Because you do not love me?" She looked up quickly into his face; then down again, but she did not reply.

"Katherine, tell me," he said. "Why is it that you cannot marry me?" "Because"—she was very busy dislodging a half buried stone with the toe of her shoe—"because you are a Yankee!"

Another swift glance met his steady look. Then she moved a little farther away and stood half turned from him. His first impulse was to laugh. But flushed cheeks and bright eyes with which she had listened to "Dixie," flashed across his mental vision. The "Yankee" might be an obstacle not to be laughed away.

"But I am not a Yankee," he said with emphasis. "I am from Illinois." It seemed a long time to both that they stood in silence. Again she was the first to speak.

"This is an awful rain," she said. "Yes, a very wet rain," he replied. "Oh, you are going to jest about it?" "But I am not jesting," he answered walking rapidly to where she stood. "What I mean is that you will get wet. The water is beginning to drip from the leaves. Here," stripping off his coat, "let me put this around you."

"Oh, no," she said stepping back. "But you must. The air is chill and if you get wet you will catch cold." "But you—you—"

"It won't hurt me a bit. Come." He assumed a commanding tone, and that or something else accomplished his end, for she made no effort to free herself when he placed the coat about her shoulders. It took a long time to get it fixed just right, and his arm was still around her when he looked into her face and saw that she was looking up into his. Something in her eyes prompted him to draw her close to him and to say very tenderly:

"Sweetheart, I come from the north, but I love a southern girl. Don't you think that she can love a northern man just a little—if he is not a Yankee?" She studied the arrangement of his necktie closely, and then transferred her scrutiny to his watch chain. But she evidently was not thinking of either, for when she spoke she asked: "Illinois people are not Yankees?" "Certainly not," he replied with conviction. "They are a long way from Yankeeedom—more than 1000 miles."

She examined the necktie again, looked into his eyes for a moment, then over his shoulder, off into the rain. "Katherine," he said softly, "do you love me?" She turned her head slowly until their eyes met. A wave of color rushed into her cheeks and she murmured faintly, "Yes."

"And you will be my wife?" With perhaps a sudden thought of her surroundings and of a stormy day 40 years before, she replied, "I surrender."

The rain, as if to hide the scene from any possible observer, fell more heavily for a moment. Then it ceased altogether and soon the sun shone through from a blue sky where the gray clouds had parted.

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MYSTERIOUS STAMPEDE

Left Yesterday Afternoon, Whither No Man Knows.

"A man came into my store yesterday," said a prominent business man to a Nugget reporter this morning, "walking on his toes and casting furtive side glances about him to see if there was any one in hearing distance. 'Sch,' said he, putting his hand up to his mouth to enjoin silence and walking to where I stood in bewilderment at his actions. 'Sch,' said he again as I was about to speak and then he whispered in subdued tones, 'Do you want to get some exercise? Exercise! Exercise! What do you mean by exercise?' I exclaimed, 'Sch,' not so loud, some one might hear," said he, at the same time looking around with an expression of fear marked on his features and trembling slightly at the very thought.

"Kindly explain yourself, sir," said I. "What kind of exercise do you think I need most; feet exercise, hand exercise or mouth exercise?" "O, you misunderstand," he said; "I mean feet exercise. You see I am on to a good thing and I know where there are some good claims to be staked and as a friend of yours I want you to get in on the ground floor; only please don't talk so loud," he again begged as I was about to speak.

"Where is the claim you want me to stake?" I asked. "I can't tell you the locations, but it is within two days' travel of Dawson," he said.

"Can you get to it with a horse?" "No." "Can you get to it by a boat?" "Leave that to me." "Have you a boat?" "Leave that also to me. You will have to pack your grub and blankets; but as you don't seem to be very enthusiastic over the proposition, I guess I had better get some one in your place. There will be about in the party and we leave this afternoon. If you have a wish to join us, there is a berth open to you."

"As the prospect didn't look encouraging to me," said the merchant, "going off for two days without any knowledge of where I was going and packing grub and blankets on my back, I did not give him much encouragement and he finally left, clothed in the same mantle of mysteriousness with which he entered and again admonishing me to keep the matter a profound secret."

"The party," continued the merchant, "left yesterday afternoon but was not one of its members."

TO IMPROVE THE YUKON

Much Money and Labor Will Be Expended.

Extensive improvements in the matter of dredging and damming are about to be undertaken on the Upper Yukon, according to reports received yesterday from interior points from passengers of the steamer City of Seattle. They are to be made under the direction of Superintendent Tache, of the public works department.

The chief work contemplated is the completion of the 4000 feet of dams to confine the water at the head of Lake Lebarge in one deep channel, the removal of one of the fingers at Five Fingers and three boulders from the Thirty-mile river that are a great menace to navigation.

The work of dredging the channel at Upper Lebarge is now in progress and will possibly be finished this fall. The three boulders in Thirty-mile river will be taken out some time in September. All told there have been nearly two hundred boulders taken out of Thirty-mile.

Some little work has already been done at Five Fingers, and it will be concluded after the river freezes. Nothing is to be done to Hell Gate until next season, when the department can expend its entire energy at that point.—P. I.

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My purpose for the coming year, under my concession, to issue a directory for the City of Dawson and the Yukon territory, devoted exclusively to the interests of the Yukon territory and this will be the only directory for said territory brought out for the coming year.

I ask the public to aid me in my undertaking, and I beg, by permission, to refer to Messrs. Biecker & De Jours, advocates, at Dawson; the First National bank of Seattle, Washington, and the First National bank of Los Angeles, California, U. S. A.

My agents with proper credentials will be on the ground soliciting your favors in due time. Respectfully yours, C20 MARIA L. FERGUSON.

Notice. Take notice that an action has been commenced in the gold commissioner's court at Dawson, by Eugene C. Stahl against Carrie S. Hiltz, in which the said Eugene C. Stahl claims the interest which Carrie S. Hiltz now has in all and singular that certain placer mining claim in the Yukon territory described as the lower half of creek claim No. 22 above the mouth on Gold Bottom creek, she, said Carrie S. Hiltz, having allowed her free miner's certificate to expire.

And take notice that an appointment for the hearing of the said action, has been fixed for Thursday the 17th day of October, A. D., 1901, at the office of the gold commissioner, Dawson, Y. T., at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place you, the said Carrie S. Hiltz, are required to attend, otherwise the action will be tried in your absence.

Dated this 13th day of September, A. D. 1901. R. C. SENKLER, Gold Commissioner. To Carrie S. Hiltz. C23

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SARAH FROM ST. MICHAEL

Which Place She Left September Fourth

With 50 Passengers and 450 Tons of Freight—Will Tie Up for Winter After Discharging Her Cargo.

The N. N. Co. steamer Sarah arrived last night 16 days en route from St. Michael on her third and last trip of the season. According to Captain Looney the trip was devoid of any incident worth mentioning. They left St. Michael September 4 with 50 passengers and 450 tons of freight, steaming night and day until the flats were reached. On the lower river four days of extraordinary strong head winds were encountered which with continuous fogs delayed progress not a little. The Rock Island and Seattle No. 3 were billed to leave St. Michael the day following the Sarah, but as the Seattle is bringing a heavily laden barge they need not be expected for another week. The Rock Island will probably travel with her sister ship in order to render any needed assistance. The Leah will not be up again this year, neither will the Powers. The Sullivan boats, the J. P. Light and Tyrrell, were still lying at St. Michael waiting for their cargo. It had not arrived up to the 4th, but was expected at any time. The boats hoped to get away not later than the 15th. Among the passengers on the Sarah were A. Hendricks and party from the Koyukuk, who were picked up at Pickett's coal mine 12 miles below the mouth of the Koyukuk. They all speak of that camp in the most flattering terms. One of the party is exhibiting a flat shaped nugget nearly as large as the palm of ones hand, probably the largest which the Koyukuk has yet produced. After putting his boat in winter quarters in steamboat along Captain Looney will proceed to the outside for the winter. T. L. Rutherford, who is finishing his second season as purser on the Sarah, will also return to his former home in Oakland, California.

STEAMER CAMPBELL

Reached Dawson Last Night From St. Michael.

The steamer D. R. Campbell, of the N. N. Co. fleet, Captain C. V. Malmquist, master, and W. M. Dutton, purser, arrived last night, 28 days out of St. Michael. The Campbell prior to the amalgamation of the big companies was one of the S.-Y. T. fleet and the present is only her second trip to Dawson. Her first was last year about this time, her load, time of voyage and other circumstances being quite similar. St. Michael was left August 23 with a cargo of 281 tons of the steamer and the barge Seattle No. 1 in tow containing 270 tons additional. The barge was loaded with goods for the company stores at Fortymile and was left there to be discharged. The Campbell arrived in port with but nine passengers, those who shipped at St. Michael transferring to the Susie and Louise when those faster boats overtook and passed the slower steamer. The trip up, though lengthy, was nevertheless pleasant and was almost without incident. When about 40 miles below Fort Yukon one of the shafts cracked and a day was lost in making needed repairs. The Will H. Isom was passed and repassed several times about the Tanana, the last seen of her being September 10 near Fort Yukon. At that time the Isom was double tripping through the flats. She had already arrived at Circle with one barge and was returning after the others. A peculiarity of the Isom is that she possesses but one rudder, but it is 25 feet long. It was rumored that this extraordinary steering apparatus had been broken, but whether it is true or not could not be ascertained. As an instance of the remarkable work the Susie has done this year, it is noted that she passed the Campbell, going down, at Andreaski and on September 9 when 40 miles below Fort Yukon she again passed the same boat going up, having made the trip to St. Michael, procured her cargo and was returning to Dawson. Going down, the P. B. Wca was passed September 3 above Tanana and a day later the T. C. Power was met above Rampart. The last boat for Dawson this year has left St. Michael and with the departure of the Campbell either this evening or tomorrow morning the last one will have left down river points. In addition to the Isom there are yet to arrive the Seattle No. 3, Rock Island and possibly the Leah. But little additional mining news of the lower country is brought. The strike at Glenn gulch, above Rampart, continues to excite wonder in the Minook district. Though limited in extent there can be no doubt of the richness of the ground so far opened up. Since the discovery a few months

ago between \$20,000 and \$30,000 have been taken out, principally with rockers. Several miners from the Koyukuk were picked up by the Campbell at Nulato. Among them was D. E. Durie, who after a continuous struggle since '98 has at last struck something good. The particulars of his find could not be learned, but it is known he had a poke containing nearly \$1000 which he rocked out the last week he was on the creek prior to leaving for the outside. Mrs. Durie, who has been in the Koyukuk with her husband the past three years, is remaining there to look after their property while he has gone outside in search of health. Concerning Nome, a returning passenger says: "Nome is but little different from what it was early in the season. Every one is broke and three-fourths of the entire population would return up the river if they could. I venture to say that no where in the world can be seen such a wanton waste of money as has been witnessed along the beach at Nome. For seven miles one can walk along the shore and at intervals of every few rods see all kinds of machinery abandoned and lying partially buried in the sand. Through something like three quarters of a million dollars were taken out of the Nome beach, yet I believe the discovery of gold there proved a positive curse to ten times the number of people it benefited."

TOO MUCH APPLAUSE

New Brand of "Oil of Joy" on Tap in Dawson.

If an analytical chemist was to "dissect" the various brands of hooch to be obtained in Dawson his report would probably be about as follows: Slumber brand—Rainwater, venetian red, strychnine and six cockroaches to the quart. Fighting brand—Yukon river water, Spanish fly, turpentine and sufficient carbolic acid to give it a good, fiery color. Applauding brand—All the ingredients of the former two with a dash of Hoyt's German cologne and a pansy blossom as a floater. It was probably the latter brand that caused Mike Bartlett to be persistent in vociferous applause at one of the local theater last night. The fact that the applause was complained of is evidence of both its quantity and quality for applause is part of the actor's salary.

It was not stated whether the applause was intended for the low browed villain who hisses and says "Ah, ha! I will reduce you to hamburger steak," or for the leading lady who wrings her hands, turns her eye-balls inside out and says "With all my wealth (\$15 per week and dance after the show) I am the most miserable woman south of Moosehide," then with her beautiful dress doing the spiral act like a balloon falling from the ethereal regions, falls on the stage with a loud kerplunk. At any rate the applause was given and it is no matter whether it was intended for one of the above men or for the "supper" who sweeps the jig dancer's sand off the stage and boards for his clothes and gets his washing for his mending. In Magistrate McCauley's court this morning Bartlett pleaded guilty and was given an option on paying \$10 and costs in the legal exchange of the realm or of manipulating a crown saw for 20 days. An officer went with him out on the street and the money was pulled up.

Decided Tonight.
The big wrestlers meet tonight at the New Savoy theatre in their three-cornered tournament. Tickets for the go are on sale at the theatre and without doubt the house will be packed from one end to the other. All the men are in tip-top condition with the exception of Kennedy who is suffering from a severe cold contracted while training. Other than that the young heroes are in fine shape and fit to go for his life. Col. McLaughlin has not trained severely for the bout as he has not had time to take a thorough course, but he says he will show up all right. Marsh is in his usual condition. The contest starts promptly at 9 o'clock.

No More Fakes Wanted.
Editor Nugget:
If any clean, legitimate sport is to be enjoyed in Dawson this winter in the line of scientific boxing contests, the sooner such fiascos as that witnessed last night are taboed the better. The season is just opening and if the people become disgusted at its start it will ruin the sport for the entire winter. Fellows who get up a match between themselves for mutual benefit at the expense of people who are deluded into the belief that both men will do their best, should be allowed to gain future benefits at a windlass up the creeks. There are too many puns in Dawson for all to live at their calling unless they give their patrons value received for ticket money. Another such a hippodrome as that of last night will kill all such sport in Dawson for the winter. ADMIRER OF MANLY ART.

PEOPLE WE MEET.



ASSISTANT GOLD COMMISSIONER T. DUFFERIN PATTULLO.

YOUNG MAN OF ABILITY ABSCONDING DEBTORS

Is Assistant Gold Commissioner T. Dufferin Pattullo.

The sketch published in today's Nugget will be readily recognized by everyone as being the genial face of Mr. T. Dufferin Pattullo, whose appointment as assistant gold commissioner, vice Mr. J. Langlois Bell, suspended, has just been received. Mr. Pattullo, familiarly known as "Duff," came into the country in the winter of '97 as private secretary to Major Walsh, then commissioner of the territory. He remained here until the summer of '98 accompanying his superior to the outside. In the fall of the same year he returned to the interior and during the following winter was the mining recorder stationed at Selkirk. The next summer Mr. Pattullo was transferred to Dawson where he received the appointment of chief of the staff in the gold commissioner's office, a position which he has creditably filled ever since. His promotion to that of assistant gold commissioner is extremely gratifying to his friends, an advance that is merited in more ways than one.

Religious Services Tomorrow.

Services will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow as usual at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Dr. Grant will resume his pastoral duties after his summer's vacation and will preach both morning and evening. The morning service will be in the nature of a memorial service on the death of Wm. McKinley, president of the United States. Special music has been prepared for this service and Dr. Grant will in his sermon speak of that sad event.

Farewell to Miss Hughes.

One of the most pleasant informal affairs given in some time was the dancing party in McDonald hall yesterday evening in honor of Miss Hughes, who will shortly leave for the outside for the winter. Though gotten up on short notice and without any intent of being dressy in the least, many of the ladies were in full evening costume, as were also the majority of the gentlemen. A program of 20 numbers including several extras were danced. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Tukey, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stahl, Mrs. Ron Crawford, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. West, Mrs. Markus, Miss Markus, Miss Butz, Miss Williams, Miss Long, the Misses Beede, Miss Hughes, Miss McDonald, Miss Kern, Miss De Succa, Miss Kernell, Miss Lewis, Miss Mitchell, and Messrs. S. W. Taggart, Wm. Thornburn, A. Watson, J. Hess, George Cantwell, P. Yachon, B. F. Lomax, H. Ewart, R. Kalenborn, Dr. Carsells, Dr. Edwards, Captain Olson, P. H. Hebb, J. Marks, Brenner and others.

Farewell Concert.

The farewell send off to be given Ed. O'Brien and family, the talented trio who have so often delighted the Dawson public with their clever performances, tomorrow night promises to be an entertainment of excellence such as is seldom seen. The entertainment will be held in the Standard theater and will commence at 8:30 sharp.

SHROEDER'S HARD LUCK

Loses His Cabin and \$190 in Cash by Fire.

Last evening about 10 o'clock a cabin on the hill back of St. Mary's hospital was discovered to be on fire and although quite a large crowd gathered it was impossible to do anything towards saving it as there was no water in the vicinity and it was out of the reach of the fire department. The cabin was owned by Mr. Shroeder foreman of the work on the new administration building and is the farthest building on the north side, situated almost at the foot of the big slide on the hill.

The cabin was occupied by Len Cousins, a young man who is working on the administration building. He went home about 8 o'clock and built a small fire in the stove and went to bed. There is no flooring on the cabin but a layer of sawdust and shavings makes a covering for the bare ground. Mr. Cousins thinks that a live coal must have fallen from the stove and caught fire to the shavings on the floor, for when he was awakened by the smoke which filled the cabin he could see the fire smouldering all around the edge of the room.

The walls are covered with wrapping paper and is loose at the bottom. He opened the window to get out and in a second the flames sprang up and filled the room and just barely had time to get out with his life. As it was one of his arms was painfully burned. He attempted to re-enter the cabin for his clothing but found it impossible. He reached his hand in the window and got his watch which was hanging by the side of it and he also saved his overcoat which was on the bed. These were all the articles he saved. Besides he lost his clothing and personal effects he lost \$190 in currency. He estimates his loss at \$250. He was intending to leave for a trip to the outside next week but the fire has upset his plans and he says he will have to remain here another winter. The cabin was burned completely to the ground.

Gold Commissioner's Court.

Gold Commissioner Senkler rendered a decision yesterday in the case of Walter A. Boulbee vs. Denois Benoit concerning the upper half of 56 above on Bonanza. The findings are that the evidence of the plaintiff is not sufficient to prove that the defendant did not stake the ground in dispute and his case is dismissed with costs.

His Leg Broken.

Henry Riger, head sawyer at the Yukon sawmill, met with a painful accident this morning which will confine him to his room for a week or two. While at work a board which was being run through the edger flew back striking Riger's right ankle with sufficient force to break it. The injured man was removed to St. Mary's hospital.

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