

# THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET.

DAWSON, Y. T., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1903.

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## WITHOUT WARNING

### Golden Metal Pours Over Three Men

### Opened Without Any Warning—Were Cooked Alive.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Dawson, June 3.—Three men were killed alive at the Colorado Fuel & Iron steel works at Pueblo. The big furnace opened without warning, and molten metal poured over them before they could be rescued.

## FURIOUS TORNADO

### Works Death and Destruction

### Hundred Persons Killed and One Hundred and Fifty Injured.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Gainesville, Ga., June 3.—A terrible storm killed 100 persons and wounded 150, levelled 100 cottages and blew two stories off a cotton factory. It was the most destructive storm that has visited the state in years.

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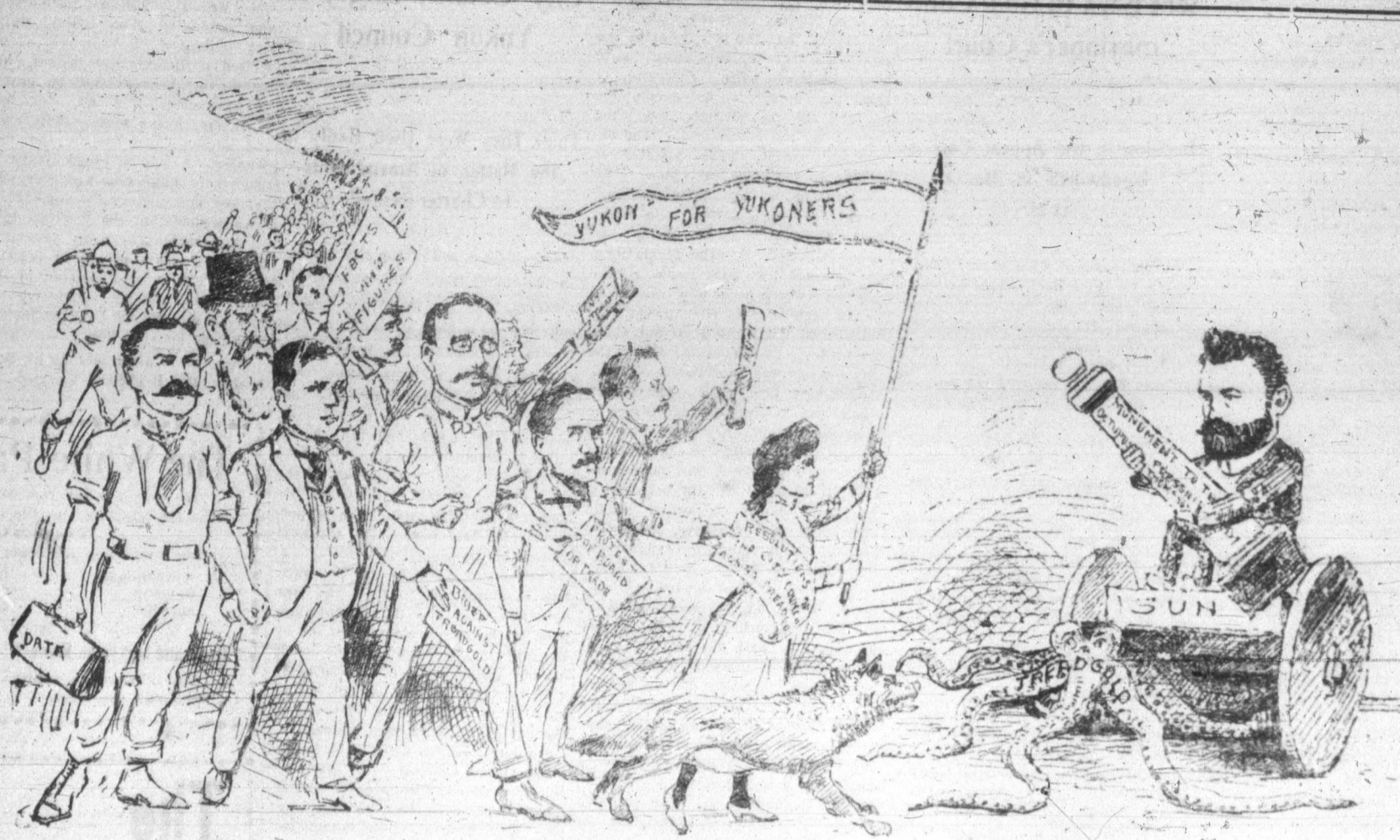
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## LA FRANCE-THISTLE

### Former Going to Stewart, Latter to Whitehorse

The steamer La France returned at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, having made a very successful trip. On the way down she went near the mouth of Thistle and took aboard the freight of the late W. B. Coppinger. The steamer brought down six passengers from Duncan and one from Yukon Crossing. The La France will again sail for Stewart river points Friday night at 8 o'clock.

### Will Play Saturday

On the barracks diamond Saturday evening at 7 o'clock the two big companies, Northern Commercial and North American Transportation and Trading, will pit teams one against the other for all kinds of money and possible blood.

### Off for Tanana

Tanna stock has taken a decided rise since yesterday when only 25 passengers were booked for the N. C. dock at 8 o'clock tonight. At 2 this afternoon 50 passengers were booked and application for passage was still being made. The majority of those going are late arrivals from the outside. Although a number of Dawsonites will be among them, the Rock Island will carry a full cargo of freight.

### Lost a Finger.

Stanilas Valtee, employed as pump man on No. 243 lower Dominion had his left hand caught in the machinery yesterday and lost his little finger.

### Clondike Souvenirs.

Goetzman's, 200 photos, \$1.00. 123 Second ave.

## NORTH BOUND TRAVEL

### Of White Pass Company Arrives

Special to the Daily Nugget. Vancouver, June 3.—The Princess May has the following passengers: Saloon—M. P. Ogilvie, Mr. McLaren, Mrs. Wardell, M. P. Wardell, J. Young, F. Matheson, F. B. Ford, W. W. Lowery, Mr. Marshall, Miss Williams, Mrs. Debraque, Capt. Robson, Mr. Davison, Capt. J. Irving, J. T. Waters, E. Stinnel, G. E. Albert, Mrs. Congdon, Miss Whytall, O. Switzer, A. Denniston, Miss Congdon, G. Congdon, Mrs. Locke, A. C. Hirschfeld, Mr. Phillip, Dr. Troughton, H. R. Prubbe, A. Schroeder, Mrs. A. Schroeder, Mrs. Rexton, Miss Johnston, A. K. Morris, Mr. Edwards, G. A. Carlton, H. H. Welsh, T. AMICE, Mrs. B. Campbell, B. Campbell, H. McLennan, A. Smith, B. McLeod, D. McKenzie, A. W. Cameron, W. McKee, Mrs. Clewes, C. E. Clewes, C. E. Staples, Mr. Lemars, R. J. McMillan, C. T. Suter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nash, Mr. Taylor. Second class—N. Olsen, P. Thompson, T. F. Moran, J. E. Earlson, O. C. Peck, J. J. T. Peseau.

## LOCAL BRITEVITIES.

A 4000 ounce consignment of dust from one customer was received this morning by the Bank of Commerce.

### Tomorrow morning Mr. Justice Craig will deliver judgment on an application for a writ made by the defendant in the case of the Bank of British North America vs La France.

John Leonard, the aeronaut, is again on his way to Dawson and will make his usual journey to the clouds before completing the circuit to Nome and other cities of importance on the lower river.

### On one of the next boats leaving for down river Mrs. John Rapp expects to join her husband at Fairbanks.

The territorial courts will sit all summer, the annual vacation now occurring in midwinter.

### Five years from now Dawson will be a city of lawns and gardens. There is scarcely a lot occupied by a resident of any degree of permanence that has not a portion of it devoted either to vegetables or flowers.

The Amaranths and Gandolfs, play a match game Friday evening. The wearers of the purple and yellow consider they have a lead pipe cinch, but it is said that Tommy Thomlinson has a surprise package up his sleeve that will make the hair of the Amaranths turn green.

"Tell me what people read and I will tell you what they are," said the self-confessed philosopher.

"Well, there's my wife," rejoined the dyspeptic party. "She's forever reading cook books. Now, what is she?"

"Why, a cook, of course," replied the philosophy dispenser.

"That's where the spokes rattle in your wheels," said the other. "She only thinks she is."—Chicago Daily News.

## TICKET AGENT

### J. W. YOUNG

### Describes Hardships of Getting Mail Around Lake Lebarge.

Mr. J. Wesley Young arrived in the mail canoe from Whitehorse this forenoon to resume his position as ticket agent for the White Pass Company.

He reports a hard trip as the mail had to be carried around Lake Lebarge by a pack train of eight horses and as the trail used last season is now much blocked by windfalls the trip was anything but a pleasant one. In fact, Mr. Young says that during the two days required in getting around the lake he never in his life worked harder or encountered more difficulties.

### STREET GRADING

### Work is Being Done by the City Government

The city government now has a gang of men and several teams busy at street grading in various portions of the city. Yesterday some work was being done at the south end near the road around the Klondike bluff.

### Mail Arrives

At 11:40 o'clock today a canoe arrived from up river with 710 pounds of first-class mail. The arrival of the mail dispelled all fears due to the fact that it had been reported as not having reached Stewart 24 hours after passing Selwyn. It reached and passed Stewart yesterday at 4:40 p. m. but the fact was not known to the telegraph operator whose office is on the opposite side of the river from the landing. The mail came from Ogilvie after 5 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Luther Scholing has disposed of her pretty cottage on Sixth avenue in anticipation of early joining her husband in the Tanana. The purchaser was Wm. McInyre, of the News.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Apply this office.

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## EXODUS TO NOME HAS BEGUN

### Special to the Daily Nugget.

Seattle, June 3.—The 1903 exodus for Nome set in yesterday. One thousand people took passage on the steamships Senator, Oregon and Jeanie. The Empire Transportation Co.'s steamship Ohio and the Northwestern Commercial Co.'s Centennial will sail today.

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## HOT TIME

### Game of Craps Ends in a General Riot

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## A POINTER FOR JOSEPH

### Namesake Resigns B.C. Leadership

In Order to Secure Harmony in the Rank of Provincial Liberals.

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however, and Saturday last was able to go home to Bracebridge.

DON'T LIKE IT AT ALL

City Council Angry at Yukon Council

Several members of the city council Monday night took a fall, figuratively speaking...

NEW TRIAL IS ORDERED

Sent Back to Gold Commissioner's Court

Decision in the Appeal Case of Woodworth vs. Backe et al.

there are no offices in sight and nothing to be gained by fierce animosities...

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SHOULD STUDY THE CONCESSION

It is quite apparent that the Sun is not familiar with the provisions of the amended order in council of April 21, 1902.

Freight Blockade

Some idea of the magnitude of the congestion which has interfered with the freight traffic of the leading railroads can be gathered from the information given in the dispatches from Pittsburgh...

Defense of the Onion

The onion is one of those strenuous vegetables about which one cannot be indifferent. One either yearns for it with a passionate longing or else utterly repudiates it...

BRIDGLAND DEAD

Toronto, May 7. — Dr. Samuel Bridglan, one of the most popular members of the Ontario legislature, died yesterday evening at his home in Bracebridge of Bright's disease...

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A daughter of Mr. of Barrie, and leaves widow, three daughters, are residing at home. Living relatives are his mother, Mrs. Aubrey White, who resided with him, and was a member of the island, and a prominent member of the Musical Society. He was known also as the Bridgland cup has been an annual prize for the north.

Simpson, of Hoboken, major Morton, an Engineer, has saved so many drowning, it is said, 'got tired of keeping'.

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## WITH THE SWATTERS

### Best Game of Baseball This Season

### Idyle Hour Team Win Their First Game and Civil Service Lose Their First.

One of the largest crowds ever assembled on the barracks ground was that which witnessed the ball game last night between the Civil Service and Idyle Hour teams. It was their first game this season and speculation was rife as to which would be the winner, both teams having numerous friends and partisans. Many players were on the Idyle Hour team, at least two being imported from the creeks for this special game while with one exception the Service chaps played their own game. Dowd alone substituting on the Idyle base. Another thing the Civil Service claim is that their organization is more purely amateur, that with the exception of Delfel their team is composed wholly of civil service employees as the name implies, while of the Idyle Hour club there is not one member of the nine who is a member of the club of the same name. A professional spirit, it is claimed, has entered the latter organization, they seeming to be determined to win even though it may be necessary to import men from other sections.

Both teams played excellent ball last night and it is no discredit to the Idylers to say that the Service had no business to lose. They outplayed their opponents right along, but a couple of errors lost them the game, their first defeat since the beginning of the season. The batteries on both sides were there with the goods and there were more than one who played almost an errorless game. Harrison at center field for the Service played the game of his life, retiring four men on flies in two innings and having but one error scored against him during the entire game. Until the latter half of the seventh inning they had the game won, then Harrison made his one error by allowing Coffey to score, Brazier muffing the ball at home thrown by the Idylers and Kennedy scored, and Shannon muffed a fly in right field, three bad errors that caused the Service to lose the title of the undefeated.

Two new men the Idylers had were B. Smith on first and Coffey on third, two good players though the latter did allow a sizzler to get by him. W. W. Smith and Paul Forrest were the battery for the Idylers and Brazier and Bennett for the Service. The latter made a sensational catch of a high foul by jumping over the Idylers' bench in order to reach it. They all played ball for old times' sake and it was a pleasure to witness it after so many abortive attempts have been made in that line this season.

It was 7:30 when the game was called by Umpire Tozier and Harrison for the Service picked up the yellow. He drove a single to center field, stole second and third and scored on Brazier's three-bagger to his field which should have been out. The Idyle judged badly and missed the fly by something less than a mile. Bennett sacrificed, and first base home tried for a double play to get out the runner on third, but first overthrew and Brazier scored. Delfel hit light to pitcher and went out at first as did also Dowd. In their half of the first the Idylers scored but once. Forrest took his base on a dead ball and expired at third on a forced run. Kennedy drove a single over third, was helped along by Carson's hit and came in on a

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## SURVEYS CONFLICT

### Troubles of Miners on Dominion

### Court of Appeal Gives Judgment in Case Where Claims on Sulphur Interfere.

A peculiar case appealed to the court of appeal from a decision rendered by the gold commissioner, was Monday decided and a judgment rendered in accordance with the facts brought out at the hearing and argument of the case. It was in the action of A. Brunning and J. P. Bell against Hugh Day, Albert Day and Victor Moquin and concerned claims located at or near the junction of Sulphur and Dominion creeks where the boundaries of one conflict with those of another. At the trial heard in the lower court the gold commissioner gave judgment in favor of the appellants, the plaintiffs being the defendants, the plaintiffs being the appellants in the present action. The judgment of the court of appeal is unanimous in upholding the findings of the gold commissioner, the appeal being dismissed with costs and a counsel fee of \$250 allowed. The judgment was handed down by Mr. Justice Dugas, the chairman of the court, and was concurred in by both Mr. Justice Craig and Mr. Justice Macaulay. The former while concurring with the opinion of the chairman as to the dismissal of the appeal has some very decided views of his own which he does not hesitate to express. His lordship points out so many absurdities in the condition of affairs which have been brought out by the trial of the action, that one is appalled at the looseness with which surveys and base lines were run in an early day. Dominion land surveyors are scored, some of them for their lack of ordinary horse sense, as by their acts it is sometimes rendered a physical impossibility to comply with the regulation pertaining to staking. His lordship's opinion is well worth reading as it is expressed without any fear of whose toes may be trodden upon. It is given herewith in full:

"The claim of the appellants is what is known as 'Old Claim 13 below Discovery on Sulphur'. It was staked in December, 1897, lapsed July 1st, 1900, and re-staked in two halves on May 15th, 1901. The claim of the respondents was in existence at the time of the re-staking and was a claim which was staked upon Dominion creek. A plan of survey was made of the respondents' claim by Jepson, D. L. S., on the 7th April, 1902, and it is that plan and the survey based upon it which is now being contested by the appellants. The base line run by Cautley comes into question in the action also, on which I will remark later on. Under the view which is taken of the matter it will not be necessary to consider whether the appellants actually respected the ground lapsed, known as 'Old Claim 13'. When this claim was re-staked in May, 1901, section 10 of the regulations then in force required that 'claim he measured along the base line of the creek or gulch established or to be established by government survey and when such base line was not established the staking to be along the general direction of the creek or gulch but it must conform to the boundaries which base line when established should define.' Section 46 of the same regulations respecting base line surveys provides for the survey of a base line of a creek or gulch by authority of the commissioner under instructions to be given by an official appointed by the commissioner. Mr. Chattaway proves that Cautley, D. L. S., had instructions in October of 1899 to run a base line on Sulphur, but not one word of evidence is given as to what those instructions were, how he was to run the base line and whether the base line as run was approved of by the official having authority in that regard. We have no evidence that the base line, as shown on the plan produced, was actually the base line run by Cautley, except inferentially as shown on the plan. Mr. Cautley is not called to prove that base line, nor is Mr. Chattaway asked as to whether that is the base line run by Cautley, Jepson and Barwell; both, I presume from surveys on file, take it to be the base line of Cautley, and it is accepted as such. While I may concur in the general finding of the learned chairman that the appeal must be dismissed as regards these appellants, I do not think that the plaintiffs have any right to interfere with the claim 273 of the respondents except in so far as that claim was reduced in measurement by the judgment of the learned gold commissioner. We are here faced with conditions which seem to me not capable of any reasonable solution under the regulations. A strict reading of the regulations requires stakers to stake along the base line. When they staked in May, 1901, the base line ran parallel or almost parallel with and through the claim of the respondents. The base line throughout its whole course, so far as it affects the staking of the plaintiffs, was entirely within the boundaries of claim 273 of the defendants. How these parties could have gone on to the base line and staked under these conditions passes my comprehension, how any regulations could have anticipated any such staking is also beyond my comprehension. Stakers of creek claims were required (and I think are required) to stake on the

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creek; that is, their claim is related to the creek, and the object in surveying base lines must be to aid and to effectuate the regulations affecting claims staked under them. For all practical purposes, so far as affects this creek, Sulphur, the base line of Cautley might have been a mile away from the creek; as a matter of fact it is 1700 feet away. These base lines by the regulations limit and regulate the measurement and boundaries of the creek claims. Now, how a base line 1700 feet away from the creek is to be of any use to the staker of a creek claim who is limited to 1000 feet I cannot understand. These base lines are not run as air lines without object and purpose; their object and purpose must be learned from the regulations and from the spirit of the regulations. We find that by these regulations if no base line is in existence when the creek claim is staked, after the base line is established, his claim must be tied on to it and must be regulated by that base line. Take the case before us: If no base line had been established at all when these men staked as they staked, as all stakers are required to do, along the general direction of the creek, then a strict reading of the regulations would require the court to lift the claim from the creek and carry it 1700 feet and make a new claim on the base line; that is, that a man would have no choice in saying where his claim should be and whether it should be a creek claim or a claim of some other denomination. The mere statement of the ease seems to me to show its absurdity. If the base line of the creek is, as I said before, to be of any service in carrying out the regulations and limiting claims staked under them then it should conform more nearly to the spirit of them and should follow not the general direction of the valley when that would create an absurdity, as in the present case, but should follow the general direction of the creek, and I think that the base line in question does not conform to the intention of the legislature when they provided for such surveys. I think further that in proving these cases and these base lines, evidence should be given of what the instructions were by the proper officer, and he should be held responsible for his instructions. Some other questions arise which I need not discuss. This is a most peculiar condition of affairs which exists in this case, two creeks, Dominion and Sulphur, running into a broad, level valley, and there being little, if any, watershed between them, but there being ample ground in some places to stake creek claims on both of them without interfering with the others. It is claimed that one of them must be the main creek and therefore a line should be drawn across the mouth of the other. In staking some of these claims many manifest absurdities would arise such as a creek claim staked on Sulphur running miles up the valley of Dominion without interfering with creek claims

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staked on Dominion. I do not think—but I would not wish to be bound by this dictum—that where creeks run through a large marsh of great extent, that a line should be drawn across the mouth of one of them, where there is ample ground on both sides of the creeks to stake creek claims. However, this question, so far as this case is concerned, is a purely academic one and I need not discuss it further. I think the appeal should be dismissed with costs.

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**Has Companion Who Sees**  
The person who is blind loses much of the beautiful—in life through affliction. There is one woman, however, whose home is in New York, and who, having means, finds a way to satisfy her taste for a knowledge of all that is going on. This she accomplishes with the help of a companion of the same sex, but much younger (the woman is herself 77 years old), who takes her from place to place, explaining everything, says the New York Mail and Express.

## GOLD BOTTOM.

### Home Bjeeremark Family Invaded by Their Friends

Yesterday being the fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. August Bjeeremark, Mrs. W. H. Perry planned a surprise on them last night at their home on Fourth avenue north. They were the recipients of many wondrous presents embracing nearly everything from mustard spoons to sawhorses. Dancing and cards were indulged in until 12:30 when an excellent lunch was served. Good music was provided by Violinist J. C. Shaffer of Last Chance accompanied on the guitar by Mr. James Moore.

## GOLD BOTTOM.

### Home Bjeeremark Family Invaded by Their Friends

These present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mangold, Mr. and Mrs. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Semple, Mr. and Mrs. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Foster, Miss Robinson, Messrs. Fosha, Strange, Moore and Shaffer.

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"Well, sir, you charged me five shillings the other day for telling me there wasn't anything the matter with me."—Tit-Bits.

ALL DOUBTS REMOVED

Peterson's Death by His Own Hand

Finding of Corners Jury Empannelled to Investigate Hunker Road Mystery.

"We, the jury, find that Henry Peterson, known as 'Danish Pete,' met his death as a result of a gun-shot wound in his head, and we find further that the said wound was self-inflicted."

(Signed), W. A. Beddoe, foreman; George White-Fraser, J. D. McMurray, George D. Travis, T. R. Moulton and R. H. S. Cresswell.

The foregoing is the report of the jury empannelled by Magistrate Wroughton, acting as coroner, for the purpose of investigating the death of the man whose partially burned body was found near the Hunker Road four miles east of Dawson last Friday evening.

The coroner's jury was empannelled on Saturday but after being sworn and viewing the body adjournment was taken until yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock when it again went into session. Many witnesses were examined and it was late in the afternoon before the jury had completed its labors. However, the evidence introduced all served to prove the previously published theories of suicide.

The deceased had for some time been in poor health and about a year ago suffered intensely from rheumatism during which period of suffering he became addicted to the use of opiates. It came out in evidence before the jury that only a few days previous to the discovery of his dead body in the brush he had been heard to say: "I am going to buy a revolver and end all."

Lilly, who sold Peterson the revolver, found by his body, testified that in making the purchase he remarked that he cared nothing about the make or style of weapon so long as it would do the work. Similar evidence all tended to show that death was self-inflicted and in accordance with the trend of the evidence was the verdict returned.

Peterson's body is still at Green's morgue but will probably be buried in a day or two. The money found on the body, \$174, was ordered by the coroner to be turned over to the public administrator. Nothing is known of the existence or whereabouts of any of the dead man's relatives.

VIOLATING HOURS

Scavengers Complained of by a Number of Citizens

A matter came up in the meeting of the city council on Monday evening, for which Alderman Macdonald is responsible, that will cause the greatest gratitude to be extended to that gentleman by the people living in the resident portion of the city. Some of the city scavengers are very considerate of the sensibilities of their patrons and neighbors and perform their work only during the hours which have been prescribed by the council for such, between 10 o'clock in the evening and 8 o'clock in the morning, when the removal of garbage and refuse is the least objectionable of any time during the day. But on the other hand there are others, one in particular, whose olfactory nerves have become so seared that he thinks what does not affect him should not affect anyone else. He runs a one horse cart and as it is often handiest to remove garbage via the front of the lot than in the rear he often backs up his odorous vehicle directly at your front door and it is as liable to be at your dinner hour as at any other.

Macdonald stated he had had numerous complaints in regard to the abuse of the privileges given them by a few of the scavengers, the majority of whom do not confine their operations to the hours allotted to them. Murphy also stated complaints had been brought to him and both desired such things to cease instantly. The

chairman of the health committee was instructed to notify the chief of police to have the scavengers warned to not trespass again the closed hours.

DIED ON GOLD RUN

Cook at Barracks Found Dead in Bed

Geo. A. Flack, a cook employed at the N. W. M. P. barracks on Gold Run creek died yesterday morning between 10 and 11 o'clock.

Flack had complained of not feeling well for several days and on Tuesday night left the barracks and went over to the Central hotel on No. 30, where he remained for the night.

As he did not appear for breakfast in the morning the room he occupied was entered and Flack was found dead in bed.

It is presumed that the cause of his demise was heart-disease, to which he is said to have been subject.

Deceased was an Englishman about 50 years of age and as far as is known had no family connections in the territory. He was buried by the police today.

New Dominion hotel now open. Cliff Bollong, proprietor.

Klondike Souvenirs. Goetzman's, 200 photos, \$1.00. 125 Second ave.

LICENSE REVENUE

City is Doing Quite a Business

Medical Health Officer Reports the City to be in Healthy Condition.

Alderman La Lande, chairman of the standing committee on license, police and health of the city council, at the last meeting of the council presented a very comprehensive report showing the number of licenses issued this year, for what purpose and the revenue the city has derived therefrom.

While the report covers the time from January 1 yet the receipts date only from about March 20 when the taking out of the various licenses was begun and extend to May 31 inclusive. The total receipts aggregate over \$8000 and it is estimated there will be probably \$500 more collected before the end of the present month. The number of city licenses issued amounts to 128 and there were also 199 dog licenses purchased. The following is a detailed statement of the character of the licenses and the number under each head:

Table listing license types and counts: 2 second-hand dealers, 4 water carts, 3 auctioneers, 28 tobacco and cigars, 26 restaurants, 12 double drays, 13 single drays, 3 milk vendors, 2 pawnbrokers, 7 scavengers, 1 hawkier with wagon, 1 shooting gallery, 5 boothblack stands, 2 livery stables, 10 billiard and pool tables, 1 transient trader, 186 dog licenses (male), 13 dog licenses (female).

Total \$8,998.00. The chairman also reported that from statements made to him by the medical health officer he was in position to inform the council that the state of health of the city was at present decidedly good.

A Nine Pound Boy

A nine pound boy arrived at 6.30 this morning to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Potter at 509 Seventh avenue. Dr. Edwards, who officiated, reports mother and son as both doing well, and the father, who only got home from Duncun two days ago, as very glad he did not delay his visit until the next boat.

The first day a man is a guest, the second a burden, the third a pest. - Laboulaye.

NO EVIDENCE OF TRESPASS

Could be Shown as to Open Bridge

Prosecution Would Not Seek Conviction on Charges Laid by Tollbridge Owners.

The dismissal of the case of the Klondike Bridge Company against Harvey for trespass in the territorial court yesterday owing to lack of prosecution will result in the charges in the police court against four others for the same offense being withdrawn and the cases dropped.

One of the attorneys for the prosecution stated that after carefully looking into the law applying to trespass of this nature it was decided that convictions could not be asked for. The legal gentleman stated that in order to prove trespass it would be necessary to prove that some gate or fence was opened or broken down and that in the bridge case no gate or fence had been in existence; that the placing of a bar across the bridge as was done later by the owners would not constitute a legal barrier as it could be passed under without being removed or even touched and that such action on the part of pedestrians would not constitute forcible entry.

SIT AGAIN NEXT WEEK

Two More Decisions by Court of Appeal

SAWED OFF HIS HOTEL

Dr. Isadore MacWilliam Bourke

Contracts Building Until it Covers Only Real Estate Owned by Himself.

Dr. Isadore MacWilliam Bourke's Hotel Metropole now stands wholly and exclusively on real estate owned by the aforesaid Dr. Isadore MacWilliam.

Within the past few days the Hotel Metropole has been sawed, reduced and contracted to the extent of seven inches in front and nine inches in the rear; the pruned portion of the building facing the southern end.

The lot lying immediately south of the hotel, which is situated on the west side of Third avenue between Queen and Princess streets, is owned by Mrs. M. A. Borg who has ever and anon been of the opinion that the doctor had not strictly confined himself to his own property in constructing his building but had extended the same onto her ground. In this belief Mrs. Borg upwards of a year ago employed Dominion Land Surveyor Rinfret to make a survey of the property which he did with the result that a portion of her property was found to be excluded from the sunlight of heaven by the doctor's building.

Mrs. Borg then submitted three propositions to the medicine man. She offered to sell him her property entire but he would not buy; then she offered the long, lean, flank strip 7 inches at one end and 9 inches at the other; still the doctor could not see why he should buy land he already occupied. The third offer and ultimatum was for the doctor to move his property from her land and pay damages for the period of its occupancy. Still there was nothing doing in real estate circles of that immediate locality.

In April of 1902 Mrs. Borg entered suit in the territorial court to compel Dr. Bourke to either move off, buy the land or recompense her for its occupancy. Thirteen months were

laid away in the pigeonhole of eternity before the case was set for trial, the date then being fixed for the 19th of the last month.

On the day before the case was to have been called in court Dr. Bourke called on Mrs. Borg with the result that an amicable settlement was reached, the former agreeing to saw the entire end of his three-story building, remove the trespassing portion of it and pay a fair price for the occupancy of it for a period of nearly four years.

A few days ago a force of carpenters was set to work sawing the end of the big house. (Just here it may be parenthetically remarked that merchants and saloon men usually advertise their openings but Dr. Bourke did not advertise his, although it was the largest spring opening ever seen in Dawson.)

The work of enclosing the pruned portion of the building is almost completed, its slight contraction will not materially lessen its capacity for entertaining guests. Dr. Bourke may now lean on his Alpine staff with the full assurance that he is wholly on his own domain. Mrs. Borg's view of that thoroughfare immortalized by a former city administration, is now unobstructed, the white-winged dove of peace hovers over that section of the city and everything is lovely in the good old summer time.

SIT AGAIN NEXT WEEK

Two More Decisions by Court of Appeal

To be Delivered and Then the Work of Past Session Will be Caught Up.

There are but two more judgments to deliver by the court of appeal and the work of the last session will have been finished. There is yet to come the decision in the case of Ackerman vs Lamar and also that of Bradley vs Bowcher et al argued yesterday and for the delivery of such the court will again convene next week an adjournment to which time was taken yesterday afternoon. During the present short sitting the court has so far delivered five judgments and it is a pleasure to note that in each instance the bench is unanimous in its decision, there being not a dissension from the opinion given by one or the other members of the bench.

The last case in which a decision was handed down is that of Chance vs Lusk in which Mr. Justice Macaulay prepared the judgment of the court dismissing the appeal with costs and allowing an attorney fee of \$150. Other members of the bench concurred. The following is a portion of the opinion delivered by Mr. Justice Craig:

"I think it is an appeal from the judgment of the learned gold commissioner, who gave judgment for the plaintiff, it appearing during the trial that the defendant had allowed his claim to lapse and had no other interest in the result of the action. From this judgment the defendant appealed upon the ground that evidence should have been taken to show that the interest in the ground had lapsed.

"I think it is a good law that when the interests of the litigants cease to be adverse or when one of the parties' title to the property in question entirely lapses there is no question for the court to decide; and it only requires a suggestion of the fact and an admission of it to entitle the court to give judgment accordingly. There will be no use in going on with the case where a decision will be ineffective and have no value. I think this fact of the lapsing was properly brought to the attention of the court and not denied. There is no reason then for proceeding to establish a survey upon a claim in which the parties treating the survey had no interest."

Visited Gold Run Major and Mrs. Z. T. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McDougall returned yesterday evening from a short visit to Gold Run.

IN ROLE OF PROFESSIONAL

Miss Jessie Jones Makes Her Debut

Highly Successful Presentation of "Article Fifth" Given at the Auditorium.

Miss Jessie Jones made her debut last night in a professional role. To a crowded and somewhat critical house she played the star part in "Article Fifth" as adapted from the French by Fernand de Journal. The part would be a difficult one under any circumstances and Mr. de Journal certainly had confidence in his pupil's ability to risk her initial appearance in Article Fifth.

The young Duc de Richelieu is certainly a captivating scapegrace and his little graces, humors and foibles of temperament suffered not one whit in the hands of Miss Jones. The spirit of bravado and fierce determination which the Duc assumes upon occasion as also the more frequent pleadings for recognition of his rights are both portrayed in a charming and unexceptionable manner.

Miss Jones has a naturalness of action which with a smooth well modulated voice and studied attention to the details of the character left little to be desired.

At the conclusion of the first act it was evident that the piece was a success and the applause accorded the actress' efforts was almost in the nature of a demonstration.

The play is essentially a star piece and is designed to give the lead the utmost advantage. Therefore, it is impossible to say a great deal of the support.

Edith Montrose as the upstart Baroness, Madam Patin, appeared to unusual advantage, her voice and carriage being well adapted to the part. Mr. Bittner as master of the hounds was excellent as was also Frank Montgomery in the character of the Chevalier de Matignon. Some of the cast were not up in their lines, a defect which will probably be remedied by this evening.

The play will be repeated tonight and tomorrow night and the advance sale of seats assures big houses on both occasions.

The full cast is as follows: The Duc de Richelieu, a Young Scapegrace Miss Jessie Jones The Chevalier de Matignon, a faithless friend, Mr. Frank Montgomery The Baron de Bellechasse, the master of the hounds, W. W. Bittner Diane de Noailles, an unwilling bride, Mrs. Bittner Duchesse de Noailles, the Royal governess, Miss K. Krieg Madam Patin, an upstart baroness, Edith Montrose Mademoiselle de Noce, a maid-of-honor, Miss Walton Jean, the Duke's servant, J. Lee Morris Adolphe, the tailor, Chris Moran Henri, the barber, Billy Mullen Footman, F. C. Lewis

Received Commissions Saskatoon, April 22.—The Barr settlers formulated charges against their leader at a largely attended meeting tonight. Mr. Barr admitted receiving certain commissions on steamship tickets and on the larger purchases for the colony, but denied that he had solicited commissions from the merchants of Saskatoon. He made an address defining his financial position in connection with the colony, and said that his books were open for inspection by any body of responsible men. It was announced that Immigration Agent Speers would take charge of all the settlers who are without funds. Thirty of these started railway work this morning. The start of the trek to the location of the colony was again delayed.

"Yes, our society's new president certainly is a busy woman, but they say she is neglecting her duties as a wife and mother."

"That is not true. I know for a fact that she manages to see her family almost every day."—Brooklyn Life.

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LOST HIS TEETH

Peculiar Find in Square of Police Barracks.

Extension of Privileges to Pedestrians Much Needed

Sergeant-Major Tucker now has in his keeping a gold mouth plate in which are several artificial teeth, the set having probably not cost less than \$100. This product of dental skill was picked up in the barracks square a few days ago. How a person could lose so large a mouthpiece without knowing it, unless it was carried in his, or her, as the case might be, pocket is a mystery. They may possibly have been lost by some lusty baseball roofer.

The sergeant-major has a gold sack containing a few nuggets which was picked up on the hall grounds, also a small pocketbook which was likewise picked up on the hall grounds. The pocketbook contained checks for \$200. It was claimed by the owner today who reported his loss by telephone but who had not called for his property up to noon today.

When Willie came home last night he was more convinced of the uselessness of schools than he ever was before, says the Buffalo Express. Asked the nature of his latest trouble, he explained that "postpone" had been one of the words in the spelling lesson of the day. The teacher had directed the pupils to write a sentence in which the special word should appear.

Along with others, Willie announced that he did not know the meaning of the word, and so could not use it in a sentence. The teacher explained that it meant "delay" or "put off," and, encouraged the youngsters to try. Willie's thoughts were on pleasant things than school, and his made-to-order sentence was: "Boys postpone their clothes when they go in swimming."

Job Printing at Nugget office.

NEW BIKE LAW

Extension of Privileges to Pedestrians Much Needed

People with wheels other than those in their heads will do well to remember the provisions of the new amendment to the city bylaw which prohibits the riding of bikes on certain sidewalks in the city. First, Second and a portion of Third avenues have already been under the ban as far as their use by the whippersnappers is concerned; and now the whole of Third avenue is included. The sidewalk on both sides of First, Second and Third avenues between Duke street on the north and Church street on the south must not be used by the bikers. King street and Queen street are also withdrawn from their use between First avenue and Third avenue. In the south end the north side of Craig street between Fifth avenue and Seventh avenue is also reserved for pedestrians alone. The amendment to the bylaw was presented to the council by Murphy Monday evening and by a suspension of the rules of procedure after the introduction of the bill it was given its second and third readings and passed the same evening so that it became operative at once. The penalty for an infraction is a fine with imprisonment if not paid.

Returned to Fortymile Constables Houston and Manahy returned to their post at Fortymile yesterday on the steamer Tyrrell. The former had been in Dawson several weeks while the latter came up only a few days ago, having in the meantime Jasper Havgard who was captured on his way down the river at the instigation of the N. A. T. & C. Co.

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