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FRASER RIVER

Will Probably Be the Scene of Serious Trouble Between Whites and Japs.

LATTER ARE ARMED WITH RIFLES

And Will Make the Fight a Deadly One.

LEWIS BOOM A RARE EXOTIC.

A Walla Walla Convict Doing Time for Murder Tires of His Life and Commits Suicide.

Vancouver, B. C., July 3.—It is feared that there will be serious trouble among the fishermen on the Fraser river. The season is now just starting for salmon fishing, but as there are few fish running, the difficulty has not come to a head. It is mostly over the question of the price of salmon for the season. The situation is that altogether there will be about 2000 boats, or say 4000 men fishing on the river. Of course there are two Japanese to every white fisherman, so great has the recent influx been, and there are very few Indians all told. The white men have demanded 25 cents a fish for the season from the cannerymen, and the latter are equally of the opinion that they won't pay more than 20 cents. The Japanese, with their system of cheap labor, are satisfied with 20 cents, and will not support the white men in their demand for 25. There are so many more Japanese than white men, and they hold the balance of power to such an extent that the cannerymen care very little what the white men do.

A strike on the part of the white men, which is now freely talked of,

would do little more than establish the Japanese firmly, and induce the employment of a large number of the Orientals. The cannerymen say that they might as well close up their establishments for the season as attempt to pay more than 20 cents.

In order to force the Japanese to support the white men in the proposed strike, the latter are said to have made threats on the Japanese colony. To such a serious extent has this been carried out that hundreds of the Japanese have purchased rifles in Vancouver. On Sunday several of the important Japanese contractors interviewed the cannerymen, asking what they were to do in case the white men interfered with them. The cannerymen replied that so far as they were concerned Japanese and white men had equal rights to the river as fishermen, and that therefore the Japs had no right to take any back water from anybody. There are very few fish running so far, so that nothing serious is expected to happen immediately.

"Jim Ham's" Boomlet.

Kansas City, July 3.—The boom that James Hamilton Lewis brought here from Washington was a rare exotic. When he unpacked it from its wrappings of oiled apers and moist cotton it began to wilt, and in 24 hours it was hopelessly faded, and today his Washington supporters deserted to Towne. He, however, bears up good naturedly and thinks the advertising he has received will help him on the road to the United States senate. Lewis showed his hand plainly last night, as far as Washington politics are concerned. He said that the free coinage of silver, 16 to 1, in Washington and the Pacific coast was purely a matter of politics, not of principle.

Suicide of a Convict.

Walla Walla, July 3.—William Freundt a convict in the penitentiary, hung himself in his cell last night. He was found dead with a bit of small cord about his neck, attached to the bars of his cage. He was sent from Spokane for manslaughter, getting 20 years, last April. He pleaded guilty to shooting his neighbor with a rifle and burying his body.

River News.

No boats are expected to arrive today from up river points and none are billed to depart.

The Canadian and Flora are looked for tomorrow.

The steamer Bailey left Whitehorse this morning at 2 o'clock. The Victorian will leave today.

The average temperature at up-river points is 62 degrees this morning.

The Cudahy is billed to sail today at 4 p. m. for St. Michael.

The Florence S will go down river on her arrival in Dawson.

The Holborn Cafe for delicacies.

Fresh eggs just arrived. Mohr & Wilkens.

AWFUL SUFFERING

Of Frank Brackett and Irvie Meads on the Koyukuk Trail.

EAT MALAMUTE AND HOOT OWL.

They Lose Trail and Are Nearly Starved When Found.

TRAVELED A HUNDRED MILES.

Their Horses Die in the Seventy-five Mile Swamp, and They Travel for Days Lost in the Wilderness.

Hoot owl fricassee and malamute steak. That is the body of the bill of fare which Frank Brackett and Irvie Meads have been recently discussing on their way into the Koyukuk country from Fort Yukon. Besides the viands mentioned they had ozone and good rich water from the swamps, while the mosquitoes furnished appropriate music and kept them from getting the scurvy for lack of exercise.

Bert Dickey who was associated with Frank Brackett in the roadhouse business at Upper and Lower Lebarge last winter has just heard from the party, and furnishes information concerning the hardships and semi-starvation experiences undergone on what is now conceded to be one of the hardest trails in the Northwest.

Brackett and Meads left here early this spring, traveling in a Peterboro canoe as far as Fort Yukon. Here they bought two horses and took the trail across the 75-mile swamp for the then much talked of diggings of Koyukuk. The horses were heavily packed and notwithstanding the fact that they lightened the packs from day to day, throwing away everything that could be dispensed with, the horses grew thin and weak and finally succumbed to the hardships imposed upon them and died one after the other. Up to this time the trip had not been one continual round of bliss, and with the death of the horses their lot became a hard one. Owing to the fact that they had yet a long way to travel, they could not lighten their loads materially without being almost sure of starvation, so they struggled along as best they could till they lost the trail, not too plainly marked at best.

After being forced to admit to themselves that they were completely at sea concerning their position, they threw away everything and struck out, followed by the day, trusting to their sense of direction and a firm faith in their luck, to lead them out of their perilous situation. Then began the sufferings and horrors which so nearly ended, as many such journeys have, in death by starvation and exposure. Some days passed in travel which brought them apparently only deeper into the wilderness and no closer to any human habitation, and then they killed and ate the dog, and when this source of refreshment was exhausted an unfortunate hoot owl was bagged and also brought to table. After the owl had been eaten and nothing more found to satisfy the cravings of the inner man, they met a man named Stewart, who was prospecting, and who had a small amount of grub with him. He fed them, and then led them to his camp which was some 60 miles distant from where he met them. In all the wanderings and miles of weary heartbreaking travel, the boys had only got about 100 miles from Fort Yukon, though they must have traveled a much greater distance. They are now in the Koyukuk country prospecting.

No More Duty.

Consul McCook has received a letter from the department of state in Washington, D. C., which will gladden the

heart of the lone argonaut who travels down the river in a small boat and carries his own grub with him. It may also tend to bring sorrow to those who collect duty for Uncle Sam and any old thing for themselves at the boundary on Fortymile.

The letter says, in substance that hereafter deputy collectors of duty will not require a certificate of exportation from those importing goods to the value of \$100 or less. The goods, however, must be of American production or manufacture, and there must be a reasonable amount of evidence to show this.

This ruling will, in many instances facilitate travel, as, under the old order of things a man being detained while a certificate of exportation from the last customs house the goods had passed was being obtained, or even a consular certificate from here, would eat up fully \$100 worth of provisions, and if the mail was a little slow in getting through, his board bill would come to much more.

Never Made an Arrest.

Patrolman Stephen Rowan is the most notable member of the Chicago police force and in one respect probably he is unique. He has been a member of the force for 26 years and in that time he has never made an arrest. He is 61 years old, and Mayor Harrison has recently made him a member of his own personal bodyguard, which is composed of the biggest men in the service.

BRIEF MENTION.

Henry Berry and wife of No. 6, Eldorado, are registered at the Metropole.

Steve O'Brien, of the new theatrical firm of O'Brien and Jackson, is stopping at the Fairview.

Sheriff Ellbeck has sent for his son to join him in Dawson. The young man is now in Buffalo, N. Y.

J. T. Trode, U. S. marshal and land agent for Nome, arrived from that place by the Cudahy this morning.

The aspect of First avenue is changed almost past recognition by the extensive warehouses being built on the river side.

T. G. Wilson has received a consignment of goods from the lower river which he says arrived here weeks ahead of goods sent at the same time via the up river route.

Mr. Jackson, of the O'Brien & Jackson theatrical company, left last night on the Columbian for Victoria and Vancouver. He goes to bring in his company, and expects to be back about the 4th of next month.

Mrs. Flora Holden and Miss Holden, wife and sister of Ed Holden, respectively, arrived in Dawson Wednesday from San Francisco, for a short outing amid the scenes of this camp and surrounding country. They intend returning in the course of three weeks. Friends of the former will be pleased to note the incorrectness of her reported demise.

Dr. Dora Tugard, matron of the Good Samaritan hospital, will leave on one of the first boats for the outside. Dr. Tugard will be missed by many, especially the patients of the hospital, and those who come in daily contact with her in her official capacity, when she is always pleasant and patient, many times under trying circumstances.

Last evening the Frank Simons company gave its last Dawson performance at the close of which Mr. Cassidy made a very appropriate speech to the audience in which he took occasion to thank the public and newspapers for their considerate treatment of the company during its stay here. The company leaves on the Cudahy tonight. Eddie O'Brien and family have concluded to go.

Few Scows Arriving.

There has been a noticeable falling off in the number of scows arriving from up the river, the early rush being over. The arrivals now will not average one per day, while a month ago from 15 to 20 was the daily record. Later in the season the scow business will likely be more brisk. Travel from the upper country is also very scant at present.

Mr. Senkler Will Go East.

Gold Commissioner E. C. Senkler expects to leave on a brief visit to Ottawa the latter part of next week, or as soon as Assistant Gold Commissioner Bell returns from Vancouver to which point he went to meet his family on the way to Dawson. Mr. Senkler will probably be absent about six weeks.

Private dining rooms at the Holborn.

IN BAD SHAPE.

The Battle Ship Oregon May Never Be Removed From the Rock

ON WHICH IT IS STUCK FAST.

Pinnacle Rock Not Marked in Official Hydrographic Chart.

FINEST SHIP EVER BUILT.

Cost Over Six Million Dollars—Was Launched at San Francisco July 15, 1896.

Washington, July 3.—The navy department entertains the gravest fears that the famous battleship Oregon, which is aground off How Ke island, will be lost to the navy. Secretary Long, however, hopes that the condition of the vessel is not as bad as the reports indicate.

The navy department is doing everything to send relief to the great battleship. Admiral Remy acted promptly.

He ordered the Zafiro, which was at Chefoo, to proceed at once to the Oregon and the Iris has also been ordered to the rescue. The construction experts say that as the hull has been penetrated by a rock, many plates will be torn away if the vessel be dragged from her present position.

Although the place where the Oregon is aground is described as Pinnacle Rock, the official chart at the hydrographic office does not show any such rock in the Chang Shan channel, which is south of How Ke island. According to the hydrographers the Oregon was standing on about the usual course and no blame is yet apparently chargeable to Capt. Wilde.

According to Capt. Wilde the main injury is very serious. The naval constructors believe the rock on which the vessel struck near frame 19 has actually gone through the double bottom of the ship and projects above it. In case the vessel is floated she will be taken to Port Arthur or Nagasaki to be placed in dry dock. She cost the government \$6,575,032.75. She was put in commission at San Francisco July 15, 1896.

A Grub Stake.

The New Denver, B. C., Ledge perpetrated the following in a recent issue: "Backward, turn backward, O! time in your flight; make us all young again just for tonight. Let us forget that we ever were old; lived when old milk cows were butchered and sold; passed over the counter for A No. 1, bring me my gun, sir, bring me my gun. Take us once more to the days of our youth; do it before I have lost every tooth. Chewing up leather has shortened my years, darkened my pathway, bedewed it with tears. Shoot the old heifer and cut her in halves, mother of fifteen or twenty-five calves. Pitch the vile stuff in the deep burning lake. Give us some steak, O! give us some steak."

The Weather.

The weather report from up the river stated that from Bennett to Whitehorse it was cloudy and cool, and from Whitehorse to Dawson it was clear and warm.

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PROTECT THE PROSPECTOR.

Equally important with the royalty question is the matter of protecting and encouraging the prospector. Upon the efforts of the latter depends the extension of the gold fields of the territory after the creeks now being worked begin to exhibit signs of reaching their limit of productiveness.

The legislation of the past three years has been directed against the prospector to such an extent that it may be said the industry of prospecting has practically been brought to a standstill throughout the territory.

During the stampede of 1897-98 a vast amount of territory, notably in the Stewart, McQueen and upper Klondike country was staked and recorded. Under the laws now existing, this territory, by reason of non representation, has reverted to the crown and is closed against further prospecting. The same thing is equally true of the important creeks in the immediate vicinity of Dawson, so that the man who contemplates entering upon the business of prospecting in this territory finds his efforts balked at every turn. He may proceed several hundred miles into the interior, as to our knowledge has occurred on several occasions, and spend an entire season in prospecting, only to be told when he finally applies for a record of his discovery in Dawson that he has been working on reserved ground and cannot record.

In every mining country where equitable laws prevail, the rights of the prospector are regarded above everything else. Upon him devolves the work of determining the worth of a new country and establishing whether it possesses resources sufficient to maintain a population. He runs all the risks and very seldom are his efforts rewarded by returns in any degree commensurate with his labors. To have the natural disadvantages against which he is forced to contend so increased by legislative mistakes that he is compelled to cease from his work entirely, as has been the case in the Yukon territory, is absolutely wrong and indefensible.

There is no more important work that can engage the attention of the community than a properly directed effort to secure recognition from the government of the rights of the prospector. He is the backbone of the country and should be protected at all hazards.

The citizens' committee has telegraphed his excellency the governor general of Canada, requesting information respecting the date upon which the election is to be called for selecting two members of the Yukon council. The premier announced more than three weeks that the election would be ordered about the first of July. Thus far no information has been received that the preliminary steps authorizing the election have as yet been taken. The committee has acted wisely in communicating with the governor general. No satisfactory results have ever accrued from petitions or resolutions sent to the interior department or even to the premier himself. Had the resolutions passed at the mass meeting held in March last not have been forwarded to the governor general the probabilities are that the matter never would have been brought before the attention of parliament. According to the Hansard report, the resolutions of the mass

meeting were presented before parliament "by command of his excellency, the governor general," and if such command had not been given there is every reason for believing that parliament never would have heard of the resolutions.

At the present rate of construction the White Pass & Yukon railway should reach Dawson within the lapse of another two years. The area of low grade ground which it will be possible to work when the road is completed, and cheap freight rates insured, is so large as almost to be beyond calculation. The freight rates are so heavy at the present time that development must be confined to ground of exceptional richness. The Yukon territory will witness its best days when it becomes possible to profitably develop our immense stretches of low grade ground. The extension of the railroad to Dawson will prove a most important factor in bringing about this most desirable condition of affairs.

Our contemporary, the News, which moved heaven and earth—or at least tried to—last winter in an endeavor to exterminate the Board of Trade, has suddenly experienced a change of heart. The News has at length discovered that the Board is a valuable institution in Dawson and as such should be carefully nurtured. In all probability our contemporary feels called upon to change its mind occasionally in order to convince itself that it possesses one. It may be said in passing, however, that no one else has ever been thus convinced, although the News has blown both hot and cold upon nearly every question of public interest that has ever arisen in Dawson.

The membership fee to the Board of Trade will probably be reduced to \$10. This action is timely, as it insures a largely increased membership to the organization. What is most needed now is a body of such numerical and financial strength that its actions must be received with respect. A movement to double the present membership ought now to be made, and with the reduction in the fee we have no doubt that this could be successfully carried out.

Before the close of navigation again it is altogether probable that through telegraphic communication will be established with Vancouver and thence with the whole of Canada and the United States.

Where is Jacob Eul?
Mrs. Jacob Eul, of Chicago, has written to U. S. Consul McCook asking for information which will lead to the whereabouts of her husband, Jacob Eul. She states that it has been nine weeks since she heard from him, and that she is anxious. Mr. Eul was seen at Grand Forks a short time since.

Yukon's Financial Standing.
The following balance sheet, prepared and certified to by Comptroller J. T. Lithgow, shows the financial status of the Yukon district on June 30th, 1900; also the moneys collected and expended during the year ending on that date:

| TO CASH. | |
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| Liquor permit account | \$105,588.00 |
| Fines account | 70,650.10 |
| Barristers' fees | 650.00 |
| Peddlers' licenses | 1,050.00 |
| Franchise account | 400.00 |
| Marriage licenses | 220.00 |
| Billiard table licenses | 350.00 |
| Transient trader licenses | 450.00 |
| Incorporation fees | 1,000.00 |
| Auctioneers' fees | 400.00 |
| Slughter house licenses | 150.00 |
| Dog pound | 3.00 |
| Liquor licenses | 109,729.48 |
| Balance June 30, 1899 | 1,977.28 |
| Overdrawn Canadian Bank of Commerce, balance | 27,014.65 |
| | \$319,632.41 |
| BY CASH. | |
| Contingencies | \$ 2,299.70 |
| Burial of indigents | 2,684.00 |
| Printing and stationery | 4,592.45 |
| Salaries account | 5,903.37 |
| Law library | 99.07 |
| Passage of indigents | 6,018.55 |
| Medical Board of Health | 2,457.02 |
| Bridge account | 2,298.00 |
| Streets account | 27,267.91 |
| Drains and ditches | 6,094.69 |
| Engineers' expenses | 2,980.00 |
| Traveling expenses | 462.50 |
| Living allowance | 890.00 |
| Trails, Y. T. | 105,609.72 |
| Hospital donation account | 53,226.46 |
| Dawson Fire Department | 86,484.37 |
| Lighting streets | 5,161.70 |
| School appropriation | 3,890.10 |
| Census appropriation | 1,382.80 |
| | \$319,632.41 |

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STROLLER'S COLUMN

Yesterday as the Stroller was walking slowly along First avenue he met a tall individual wearing a corduroy suit and melancholy air, whose whole attention seemed to be centered on a very poor specimen of Siwash dog. The look of settled grief on the tall man's face attracted the Stroller's attention and led him to pause in his walk and look after him. At the corner stood the dog catcher, rope in hand, waiting for the dogs to come and surrender themselves into the hands of justice. As the Siwash dog approached the canine group surrounding the autocrat of the pound, that individual smiled benignly as he made ready the rope of detention. The melancholy man who had not taken his eye off the dog hastened forward and said: "Sir, I have just come from the pound with that dog and would like to have a chance to take him home and tie him up before you take him again."

The dog catcher looked suspiciously at the stranger and finally allowed the request.

An hour later the melancholy man was sitting on a box on the same street, when the dog catcher came up the street with a dog at the end of each of the six ropes he carried. This Siwash dog was one of them.

"Hi!" called the owner, as he recognized his dog, "where'd you get him this time?"

"O, down there near where you tied him up," was the reply.

"Well, here's your 50 cents, gimme my dog."

"Fifty cents nithin'. I've been around there seven times since you tied him up, and waited pretty near a half hour the last time for him to finish chewin' that rope off. Cost you \$3.50. The unfortunate man looked at the dog in a speculative way, and was about to offer a remonstrance, when the dog catcher came close to him and looked at his face attentively. Then he said: "Take the dog and pay for him without kicking or I'll report you."

"Report me? For what? Surely you're not going to impound people who own dogs, as well as the animals."

"No, sir, but you have three pimples and a scar on your face which makes you suspected of having smallpox. If you had the fourth pimple nothing could save you from being quarantined."

Silently the man paid the \$3.50, took the Siwash dog and departed towards Moosehide.

"Many people say Chicago is a wicked city, but there is one thing that can be said to her credit," said Dr. Wilcoxon yesterday evening as the dog catcher passed up the street with a herd of six dogs in tow which he was taking to the pound.

When asked in what particular Chicago was distinguished for her goodness, the doctor said:

"There is not a man in Chicago who has not too much self-respect to fill the position of dog catcher. Every time they want a dog catcher in Chicago they have to send to St. Louis for him, and even then they can't get a white man. It is always some nigger man takes the job. Back there when a man has served a term as dog catcher he never expects to associate with respectable people afterwards."

There is one man in the A. C. Co.'s store who will never hear sauerkraut mentioned without experiencing a sensation similar to that of having a long icicle dropped down the back of his neck. A few days ago a very raw German entered the store for the purpose of getting some information relative to the cost of bringing his wife from Germany to Dawson. The young man to whom application was made for the information, could not understand what the man wanted owing to his butchery of the Queen's English.

"Dond yu not hafe some mans vot can talk Shermans?" said the man.

"Here, there," said the clerk, turning to some of his fellow employees in the store, "do any of you fellows talk sauerkraut?"

"You..." roared the subject of Emperor William. "Shust you valk out from dot counter behind unt I vill tramp you tru von grack der floor in. I talks some sauerkraut, do Ich, you..."

I not brings mipe trou to such country as dis where men was so unshentlemannies. But shust valk dot counter out behind; I show you vat ish vat!"

But the young man, not having on his fighting clothes, shrunk further back into the corner, and with a withering look and violent shaking of a big, horny fist, the emperor's subject departed with large imprecations falling from his lips.

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THE BOARD OF TRADE.

Suggested by Trustees That Membership Fee Be Reduced.

Matters Pertaining to Existing Mining Laws Will Be Given Careful Consideration—Meeting Tonight.

A meeting of the trustees of the Board of Trade was held last night at the secretary's rooms, Messrs. Fulda, McMullen, Reichenbach and Clayton, the trustees, and other members of the full board being present.

But little business was transacted other than the informal discussion of ways and means for the advancement of the influence of the organization and the betterment of existing conditions of the country. Six names of local business men were reported as having expressed a desire to become members of the board.

The matter of reducing the membership fee to the original charter price was discussed at length and it was the unanimous sentiment of the trustees that the interests of the board can be best served by reducing the membership price to \$10 instead of demanding the present figure, \$40. It was agreed, therefore, to make such suggestion to the board at the next meeting.

President Fulda, of the full board, announced that he has not yet formulated his various committees, as he is desirous of exercising care and discretion in the matter, thereby securing for the different committees such members of the board as are best fitted for the particular work required of each committee. Mr. Fulda thought he would be able to announce the committee at a meeting of the trustees to be held tonight.

The question of securing more equitable and liberal mining laws was discussed at length, several who were not members of the board of trustees participating in the discussion. As little, if any, benefit has yet been brought about by past efforts along this line, it seemed to be the sense of the meeting that great care must be exercised in memorializing the powers that be on the subject of granting more liberal and equitable laws. It is desired to bring forcibly to the attention of the government the great need of reopening the country to prospectors, the throwing open of all reverted and reserved property and the doing away with the injurious and detrimental practice of granting concessions. These are questions which will receive considerable attention from the board until the desired results are accomplished.

The trustees will meet again tonight at 8 o'clock.

The Nugget in New York.

The New York Telegraph under date of April 22 has the following:

"Mr. Joseph Lizotte of this city who was in the Klondike last year, has recently received a letter from his partner, Mr. Wm. P. Roland, who is still in that country taking care of the claims that he and Mr. Lizotte own in common.

"Accompanying the letter from Mr. Roland was a newspaper, the Semi-Weekly Nugget, printed March 18th at Dawson. It is a six page, small sized sheet. It contains some news from the outside world, but the gist of the news is, of course, local. There is not a line of plate in it, and the appearance of the little Nugget is that of a wide-awake paper. It is published daily as well as semi-weekly. The Klondike Nugget asks a good price for its advertising space, and in justification thereof guarantees to its advertisers a paid circulation of five times that of any other paper published between Juneau and the North Pole.

"Those who believe Dawson to be a second Dodge City for wickedness would do well to ponder over the following police court item: 'For the first time in a number of weeks there were no causes up for hearing in the police court this morning. A number of cases are pending the arrival of clients and witnesses from up the creeks. Mike Conlin, the man whom Charles J. K. Nourse accuses of selling an over-ripe turkey, is out on the creeks and that case is pending trial.'

"Think of it! Dawson City, a place that many people have supposed to be a den of iniquity, awaiting the trial of a man who is wanted for the crime of selling an 'over-ripe' turkey."

Here follows the reproduction of the Shovelers Column, which deals with a spirit beefsteak and some phantom eggs at a time when these things were scarce and came correspondingly high. The article closes with the account of

the buck and wing dancing contest between Annie O'Brien and Frank Kelly.

History Repeats Itself.

In the small hours of the morning when the eastern light had commenced to brighten and the electric lights had been turned out, a man was seen to come forth from the Aurora and stand musing on the sidewalk. He did this because he had nothing else to do and musing don't cost anything even in Dawson.

"I feel," he said to another man who was also indulging in a little open air musing, "as if I had been condemned and executed in the old Roman way."

The second musier looked at him suspiciously.

"Yes," said the man who had nothing to do, running his hand deeply in his pockets, "I have been broken on the wheel."

The man who had said nothing felt that the authorities should take steps to secure the public safety against the wretch who perpetrated such a thing, at once reported to the health office another case of smallpox.

Lo's "Buffalo" Horns.

The Montana Indian is something of a schemer himself. He comes to town and sometimes walks all over the place without saying a word to any one. Sometimes he brings in a few sets of polished mounted cows' horns, which he sells for a dollar or two a set. He never frequents saloons. He looks into clothing store windows, but never bucks the slot machines in cigar stores. He frowns as he passes a restaurant, but smiles while walking through the sweet scented alleys back of cheap boarding houses.

In a horse trade he takes the prize, if there's one to be taken, for he was never known to get the worst of such a bargain. The reason of this, however, may lie in the fact that he begins the negotiations with nothing to lose and everything to win. However, he has the reputation of a schemer.

Where his schemes shines brightest is in the sale of polished "buffalo" horns. He lives out near one of the slaughter houses on the south side, and there he secures his "buffalo" horns, all sizes, curves and consistencies. He picks out a set of ox horns of symmetrical proportions, scrapes the scales off and boils the horns in a solution of glycerine, wood ashes and water. This treatment softens the horns, so that a case knife will easily remove all the exterior accumulation. Then fine sandpaper is used to give the first polish, followed by a thorough rubbing with a flannel cloth slightly saturated with oil. A varnish or shellac is then applied, and the horns are in condition for mounting. Then the work is turned over to the squaw, who does the really artistic work. Red flannel and braid, beads sometimes and strip here and there of buckskin, a few brass headed tacks, and the mounted "buffalo" horns are ready for the market.

Mr. Buck comes to town, and the tenderfoot asks him where he "ketches buffalo horns."

"In Yellowstone Park," grunts the big buck.

"How much?" asks the intending purchaser.

"Three dolls."

"Too muchee."

"No, no; chip; three dolls. Ugh!"

The tenderfoot inspects the work and satisfies himself that they are really the horns of an almost extinct species of the majestic western animal, and he hands over the coin and walks away proudly with the prize.

The Indian moves off down the street, turns the first corner and disappears up an alley. —Anaconda (Mon.) Standard.

Skagway Sarcastic.

Juneau has found out that it does not pay to tell a lie when the truth will do as well. When that enterprising burg applied to Judge Brown for authority to incorporate their petition stated that Juneau was a town of 1500 inhabitants. It was only necessary to affirm that the city contained 300 souls, but Juneau wished a little advertising as well, so she pressed the limit, so to speak. The saloonkeepers who are paying license on a basis of 1500 inhabitants are now seeking and no doubt will be able to prove that there are not 1500 people in Juneau, counting the Siwash. The result is plain, for it will be necessary for the liquor dealers to pay a higher license or the incorporators to claim a "typographical error." —Skagway News.

Valdes an Ideal Townsite.

The townsite of Valdes is an ideal one, sloping gradually back from the bay and better building sites cannot be found anywhere. There are, however, some drawbacks which may operate against the building of a city at that point. In front of the townsite there is a tide flat made by the glacial deposits, which extends out about seven

hundred feet from the high tide line, then there is a sheer drop off into deep water. Over this tide flat there runs a number of small glacial streams the water from which freezes in winter and makes a layer of thick ice over the flat. It is claimed that this freezing of fresh water on the flats makes wharf building impracticable for the reason that in winter the ice lifts the piles out of the ground. Unless some means be found to obviate this difficulty it is thought the town will be moved to some point where wharf building will be practicable. This is unfortunate, for a finer townsite than Valdes is hard to find on the Alaskan coast.

Across the bay from Valdes at what is known as Swanport the A. C. Company purchased from the Indians several years ago a tract of land whereupon it was intended to erect a wharf, stores and warehouses. The government has taken over this land and is now building a wharf and making other improvements there. There is little available building ground at Swanport and a precipitous mountain rises back of it for thousands of feet. This point can be reached on foot from Valdes at low tide by a walk of about six miles. The building of a road above the tide between the two places, it is thought, would be very expensive.

There are now about 250 U. S. soldiers and government employes at Swanport. This force will be employed in the building of the government trail from Valdes to Eagle, on the Yukon. About seventy miles of this road are now completed with the exception of some rock cuts and a few bridges over small streams. The work will be pushed with vigor. —Alaska Truth.

Another Newspaper.

The Northern Star is the name of the weekly paper which makes its appearance at Whitehorse this week.

P. F. Scharschmidt is the editor and proprietor and A. M. Rosseau will conduct the paper's business affairs. Mr. Scharschmidt is well known as a customs broker in Bennett, and Mr. Rosseau is known far and near as a newspaper man of enterprise and ability. He is a brother-in-law of E. J. White of the Nugget staff.

The Northern Star will be run in connection with the Bennett Sun.

Now Will You Be Good.

There is a certain railway employe in Bennett who imagines he is the grand Poo-Bah in this neck of the woods. Perhaps he is, but in the opinion of a good many of our citizens he would serve his employers better if he were to show a little more courtesy to patrons of the road who have business to transact and occasionally want information in regard to transportation of goods, etc. We may be mistaken in our surmise, but are under the impression that this is the "service he" draws his salary to perform. —Bennett Sun.

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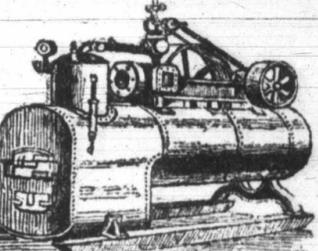
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Every Business Site in Town Taken and Property Held at Exorbitant Prices.

The following letter received by a lady of this city is only one of hundreds which tell the same story of overdone conditions of Nome:

Nome City, June 25th 1900.
I promised to write you and so will do it.

The outside boats got in here about May 21st, and a good many of them, too. Goods and machinery of all kinds are scattered on the beach for miles. Thousands of excited people are running up and down the streets not knowing what to do or where to go. It is the greatest excitement I ever saw. Property holders are taking advantage of this rush and trying to hold their grounds for big prices. All business locations are taken up; you could not rent a place for any money. If you want to go in business you have to buy the lot at their own prices. Buildings are being put up as soon as the lumber is landed. Saloons, restaurants and lodging houses are making the business now. I can't see my way through yet. Very hard to get into any business at present.

Work just commenced on the creeks and can't tell much about it yet. Very little is taken out on the beach. No doubt there will be some business this summer, but never will be like Dawson. Hardly any law here yet. Three men were killed the first two days I arrived here and unless some stronger power takes hold of the affairs here there will be lots of bloodshed. Vegetables, fruits, eggs and potatoes are very cheap and everything else about Dawson prices.
S. K. SHONCAN.

Dr. Good Buys a Claim.

Probably the most unique transaction ever put upon record here was the transfer of a fraction listed as 30a below discovery on Sulphur creek, from the sheriff to Dr. Good at the recent public auction held here.

Dr. Good bought the fraction, which measures three feet two inches, for the munificent sum of three dollars. Later, finding that there was hardly ground space sufficient to carry on the extensive operations he had figured on, he sold the claim for \$3.50, and this morning was heard complaining bitterly about the small profits accruing from the investment.

Who Can Explain?

Editor Daily Nugget:
I see many favorable reports from the Tanana country from people who have been there, the general expression being that it is a good place for summer work. Now, I am anxious to know why it is none of these fellows stay there, or if they have to come out for provisions, why they don't get what they need and go back and develop their claims? It looks to me to be somewhat significant that those who have been there and secured locations do not appear anxious to return. If some one can explain a reason for such general action on the part of these men, he will greatly accommodate
OLD MINER.

Cardinal Breaks Some Records.

The 25-mile foot race is off, so are all bets so far as Stakeholder O'Brien is concerned at least, as the money which was placed in his hands as forfeit money has been drawn down by the backers of Taylor and Cardinal. This seems to be a new departure in such matters, provided, of course, that the arrangements made for the race at the time the money was placed in the stakeholder's hands were bona fide. The whole sum of such money should have gone to the backer who was still willing to abide by the articles of agreement, when the other wanted to declare the race off. The cause of the back down, or which side it came from is not known, but those who were about the corner of First avenue and Third street the other evening will have little difficulty in arriving at what seems to be a very plausible explanation of the matter.

On the evening referred to Cardinal adopted not a new method of training, but one too common among pugilists and athletes generally. He began paying ardent attention to the bottled nourishment of the Bank bar, and in the course of a short time had been so successful in his efforts as to lead him to then and there defeat everything in the matter of speed, that ever struck the Northwest, and Taylor became too slow to mention in the same class. He could outrun him on crutches, for any distance from 200 yards to an excursion

to Kamchatka and back. While this was going on Sam Hourli looked anxious and tried to get the man who was so fast (in the same old way), to see how fast he could get home, but Cardinal had a few more records to break while the barkeeper had time to act as judge, and wouldn't go. Taylor stood outside looking in at the window, laughing, and now the forfeit money has been drawn, and unless new articles have been signed the race is off.

He Is Somewhat Bewildered.

A gentleman who recently arrived from the effete east, may be excused for being still in a state of some little bewilderment. As he related some of the surprising incidents of his long journey last evening, it is no wonder that he is constantly wondering what new adventure awaits him in the immediate beyond.

When he left his happy home in the quiet east, he was accompanied by two others who will never reach here. When they reached the Sound, one of his companions decided that life was a hollow mockery, and so shuffled off the mortal coil with the aid of a revolver. Then the remaining pair of travelers journeyed on in a quiet, subdued sort of way till they arrived at Juneau, where the survivor's companion was met by a minion of the law who served a warrant on him charging him with forgery. After that the gentleman who has survived all this, and more, resumed his pilgrimage alone. He got as far as a sand bar on the steamer Pingree, where he waited a number of days to find out when the steamer would be likely to continue her way to Dawson. Failing to elicit the desired information in anything like a satisfactory way her procurer a small boat and came on down the river, but not alone. There was a lady who prevailed upon him to give her passage in the small boat.

"'Tis love that makes the world go round," and so, as this lady is, one of those who recently united her fortunes to those of a modest sour dough, and may reasonably be supposed to have been in love at the time, it is small wonder she got boat room.

The gentleman witnessed the mating of the nappy pair, and is now waiting, like Micawber, for something to turn up.

Judge Wickersham's Impressions.

Judge Wickersham who recently arrived here en route for his new field of labors, departs today on the Cudahy for Eagle City. Accompanied by several members of his party the judge has devoted the greater part of his stay here to looking into the mining operations now in progress on Bonanza and Eldorado creeks. He reports himself as much pleased and greatly interested in what he saw and says he was much impressed with the methods he saw in use in the mines, which he believes are greatest in the world.

Regarding the city the judge said: "We were all of us most agreeably surprised to find a city, only in its infancy, so far advanced—so up-to-date. The people outside think, as we did, that everything here is rough and crude, when, on the contrary, it is, considering all things, very modern."

A Foolish Act.

As the steamer Amur was nearing the Moore wharf, and when 200 yards away, yesterday morning Harry L. Langlier, a commercial man, jumped from the vessel into the bay and started to swim ashore.

Langlier did the strange act deliberately and merely with the intention of being first ashore. He was standing beside some friends when he declared, "I will be the first ashore."
"A moment later," says Capt. Le Blanc, master of the Amur, "Langlier had leisurely taken off his coat. His friends did not suspect his purpose. In another moment Langlier was shooting downward over the side, and in another was beneath the water. He came up and started for shore. He got to the wharf and clung to a pile, but was too chilled to go farther."
"A boat was immediately lowered with the second officer and several men, who picked Langlier up and took him on the ship. He was put to bed and given brandy and other hot drinks, and thus revived."

Langlier did not allow for the coldness of the water of this northern latitude, and I think he was extremely foolish."
It is said by some that Langlier had been drinking considerable on the trip north.—Alaskan.

Whitehorse Stable Changes Hands.

Mine Host Fiannery, of the hotel of that name, has decided to blossom out in this glad summer time and will operate the Whitehorse Stable in future. He has purchased the same recently and has made extensive arrangements for running a first-class livery stable with fine turnouts, rapid roadsters and all the accessories to make the fellow with the best girl part with his gold dust. A 40-foot extension is now in course of erection and when completed will make the stable an imposing structure.

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POLICE COURT NEWS.

The preliminary hearing of O'Brien was resumed in the police court yesterday with Mrs. Jennie C. Prather on the witness stand. The witness was cross-examined by the attorney for the defense, after which her evidence, as reduced to writing by the clerk, was read to her. The case was then continued.

Only a few cases were up for hearing in Capt. Scarth's court this morning.

The first case was one in which Fred Bernard was charged with having been drunk and using profane and abusive language. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and costs.

Louie Alger, charged with having obstructed traffic by lying drunk and asleep on the sidewalk, admitted being drunk, but denied having obstructed traffic by lying across the sidewalk. He said he was on the edge of the sidewalk and in no way interfered with or stemmed the tide of traffic. As the arresting officer was not in court the case was continued until this afternoon. In the interim he occupies a cell in the guardhouse, where he can commune with nature and meditate on the evils of too frequent contact with what an eminent writer once designated "The old familiar juice."

H. Hamburg, a First avenue merchant, is a humanitarian in that he does not like to stand aloof and see even a dog suffer pain. He was in court this morning on the charge of having interfered with an officer in the discharge of his duty. It was a case of officer in disguise, as the man with whom Hamburg interfered was none other than Dogcatcher H. W. Ballery, who wore citizens' clothing and no badge, and, according to Hamburg, his gentle instincts would not permit him to stand agape and see a dog abused. Hamburg testified that when he told the man to cease abusing the dog that the man who later proved to be Dogcatcher Ballery, told him to go to hell. As Hamburg in the flesh was present in court this morning, it is evident that he didn't go. In view of the fact that Hamburg was not aware when he interfered with a beater of dogs that he was interfering with a tack in the governmental boot heel, he was warned to be careful in the future, and dismissed. The court instructed Sergeant Wilson to see that all dogcatchers wear badges in the future.

J. H. Weiter, who was yesterday up on the charge of not cleaning an alley adjacent to his property, which case was continued for further investigation, was this morning dismissed, it appearing that Weiter was not responsible for the condition of the alley in question.

William Pelly, the Indian spoken of yesterday who has attained to such an advanced stage of civilization as to wear golf pants and get drunk, pointed out a man named Ernest St. John as the individual from whom he had obtained the compound fluid extract of nobody-knows-what, which caused him (Lo) to wear "lurid." St. John was taken before the court and fined \$50 and costs.

Through Telegraphic Service.

C. R. Crean, superintendent of the Bennett and Dawson telegraph line is in town for a few days, attending to business connected with his office.

Mr. Crean is authority for the statement that the through line, which will give Dawson through telegraphic connection with Vancouver will be completed Nov. 1st. The though rates will be the same as those now in effect between here and Skagway.

The Market.

Owing to recent and numerous importations of almost every conceivable commodity, the market for speculative operations is badly demoralized.

Hams are selling in job lots, old stock, at 24c, new stock at 30c eggs at \$7 to \$18, and St. Charles cream at \$12 to \$13 per case.

Don't Make a Sale.

"What we're after is your tobacco order," announced the big man at the door. "We're bucking the trust and are bound to win out if the people'll only stand by us. Don't make any difference whether you smoke, chew, dip, swab or snuff it. We can fit you out, fit you right and guarantee every package."

"I'm glad you didn't mention cigarettes," smiled the little old lady at the other side of the sill. "I have no mercy on cigarettes. Not a bit! Not a bit! I say. I abominate snuff, I think chewing a most uncleanly practice, I will not allow a pipe in the house, and I can just tolerate a cigar. Won't you come in?"

He accepted and for 15 minutes dilated on the merits of his goods and the iniquities of the trust. She was a sympathetic listener and made an occasional inquiry.

"Now," he reached in his peroration, "if you will have your men folks try our goods, I'll call later, sell them a trial lot cheap and then put them on our list of customers, for I know they'll be pleased."

"Men folks? Dear me! Sister and I have lived here for 30 years alone. Goodness! Did you think I was married?" And she looked pleased. "But you're mistaken. Not that I didn't have chances enough, and sister, too, but"

"Madam, I'm selling on commission. You should have told me half an hour ago." And he made long strides toward the door.

"But if you could send me up an ounce or so of some cheap snuff to keep the moths out of the furs— Why, the rude man!" For he was half a block away.—Detroit Free Press.

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No. 13 ELDOURADO.—Creek claim No. 13, situated on Eldorado creek, in the Trondike mining division of the Dawson mining district, Y. T. Plans of which are deposited in the office of the Gold Commissioner, at Dawson, Y. T. Surveyed by C. W. S. Barwell, Dominion Land Surveyor. First published July 14, 1900.

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