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CLARK OUSTED

The Senator From Montana Is Refused a Seat in the U. S. Senate.

ELECTION WAS OBTAINED BY FRAUD

Investigating Committee Submit an Unanimous Report.

REPORTED ENGLISH DEFEATS

Are Not Credited By the War Office in London—The Losses Are Exaggerated.

Washington, April 12, via Skagway, April 18.—William A. Clark, who was elected United States senator at the last session of the Montana legislature, will not be permitted to take his seat in the senate chamber. The senatorial committee, after a careful and thorough investigation, have unanimously agreed that Clark's election was accomplished by fraudulent methods. The testimony, which was submitted to the committee, proves conclusively that many of Montana's legislators were the recipients of bribes from the representatives of Clark. The report of the committee concludes by recommending that the seat of Montana's senator be vacated.

The governor of Montana has declared that he will not call an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of enabling the state to be represented in the senate.

(The result of the investigation respecting the election of Clark, may be attributed to the persistent efforts of Marcus Daly. For many years these two wealthy men have antagonized each other's interests. Heretofore, Daly has successfully opposed the efforts of Clark to secure election to the upper and lower

house of congress. On the other hand, Clark defeated Daly's purpose of changing the capital of the state from Helena to Anaconda. At the last session of the legislature, despite the influence of Daly, Mr. Clark succeeded in being elected to the U. S. senate. Daly immediately contested the election, and with the assistance of Congressman Campbell the matter was brought to the attention of the senatorial committee on privileges. Their report signalizes a victory for Daly. Without doubt, the unanimous recommendation of the committee will be accepted by the senate.—E.D.

Exaggerated Reports.
London, April 12, via Skagway, April 18.—Since the disastrous defeat which overtook Gen. Gatacre at Reddersburg on the 4th inst., several reports of Boer victories have been received which the war office does not credit.

The London Daily News and the Daily Mail publish accounts of British defeats near Brandfort and at Meerkatsfontein.

In the first engagement the British are said to have lost 600 in killed and wounded and in the second the loss is stated to have reached an equal number. Both of these reports are believed

to be exaggerated accounts of the Reddersburg defeat.

At Rest.
The sad intelligence has reached the city that Mrs. Flora Holden, wife of Ed. Holden, a large mine owner and operator on Dominion, had suddenly passed away at her mother's home in San Francisco. Mrs. Holden spent the winter of '98 in Dawson with her husband, leaving in the spring for her home in California. During her stay in this city she made many friends who respect and esteem her memory and will be greatly shocked at the untimely demise.

Townsite Patents.
Mr. Raoul Reufret, the Dominion land surveyor who recently arrived from Ottawa, is preparing to issue government patents for town lots, which are situated in the Harper and Ladue addition. During the present week accurate surveys of the property will be made and then the grants will issue.

Activity on Bonanza.
C. M. Van Cleave, of 44 below on Bonanza, is in the city on business today. He confirms previous reports to the effect that extensive preparations for the cleanup are being made, and that already a number of rockers have been started. The work of washing out will be in full blast on every claim on the creek within a short time. Mr. Cleave will return to the creek tomorrow.

Signs Down.
The police have served notice on all merchants on Front avenue, to haul down their signs which project across the sidewalk. All along the line today there is visible activity resulting from the notice. Most of the signs will be placed on the fronts of the various stores.

Mr. H. Schwarzer has purchased the block at Grand Forks lately occupied by T. H. Brooks & Co., in the general merchandise business. The new owner will shortly open again in the same line with a new stock.

MR. MILLS SAID NO

When Asked If He Knew Yukon Council Sits With Closed Doors.

THE PEOPLE ARE VERY ANGRY

Surprised That Council Has No Local Representative.

WHISKY AND DANCE GIRLS.

Hon. Mr. Kirchoffer Has Some Ideas of His Own Regarding Yukon Government.

It is encouraging to all friends of good government in the Yukon district to learn that their cause is not without able championship at Ottawa, as the following attests:

Ottawa, March 20.—The matter of Yukon representation was considered in the house today. Hon. Donald Ferguson asked if the government intended this season to introduce legislation to give the Yukon district representation in parliament. In doing so, he dwelt on the immense importance of the Yukon district. He would like the spring wash-up would reach \$20,000,000. Considering all this, he thought the time had come when the district should have representation. Mr. Mills was not able to say whether a bill would be introduced this session or not.

Sir Mackenzie-Bowell suggested waiting till after the next census, which would be the proper time for redistributing seats and giving representation to the Yukon. He was surprised to find that the Yukon council sat with closed doors, and the electoral members had not been elected. The people were very angry at this, but he did not know if Mr. Mills' attention had been called to it.

Hon. David Mills—No. Sir Mackenzie-Bowell urged immediate action to allow of the election of the people's representatives and the presence of the public at the deliberations of the council. He asked Mr. Ferguson not to press the matter until after the census.

Hon. Mr. Longbeed was surprised to find the machinery for the election of the people's representatives to council had not been put in motion. He pressed very strongly for an early representation of the district.

Mr. Mills said the administration of last session's law rested with the department of the interior. Communications were sent to the Yukon on the matter, what, or even whether any, answer had been received, he did not know.

Hon. Mr. Kirchoffer was surprised at Mr. Mills' rosy views of the Yukon, and was satisfied that his correspondence was merely with his friends, who were given the inside track of the officials up there. His own correspondence convinced him that not one-tenth of the rascality going on there had been made known. Had Sir Hibbert Tupper's commission been granted, such rascality would have been disclosed that not only the minister of the interior, but the government, could not have faced it. It was the men who had liquor permits who were contented. He knew one firm who took liquor and 20 dance girls, and opened a house. When they came out they were contented, though some very prominent people shared in the profits. He knew a man who had a hint when the liquor permits were to stop. Two days before he started with a cargo, and got into Dawson under an assumed name. He did very well, and was building a block in Brandon called Whisky block. Of course he had to divide up. The subject dropped.

Dance on Sulphur.
Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rockwell gave a very enjoyable dance in their new store at No. 3 below

discovery on Sulphur creek. About 40 persons were present, and all experienced an exceedingly pleasant time. Vocal selections were rendered by Mr. George Noble and other guests; and the affair terminated with the service of a delicious lunch.

Where Are the Neilsons?

Some time ago Rasmus Neilson and Mrs. Jessie Neilson, as plaintiffs, recovered a judgment for wages in the police magistrate's court. The defendant has appealed the issue to the territorial district court and has been required to deposit a certified check to secure the payment of the judgment, should it be confirmed by Justice Dugas. The sheriff is anxious to ascertain the whereabouts of the plaintiffs in order to notify them that the trial of the appeal case has been fixed for Thursday, June 29th, 1900.

Yesterday's Fire Alarms.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon two alarms of fire were occasioned by the burning of soot in a stovepipe on the Victoria building. Though considerable excitement was created, no damage resulted; and the blazes were extinguished without difficulty.

Scow Market Active.

The demand for scows is becoming quite active in Dawson and by the first of June few will remain that have not been picked up by intending Nomads. The demand of small boats of from two to three tons carrying capacity is also large, as many small parties contemplate floating down the river to Kaltag and there deserting their craft for the overland cutoff.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

In Capt. Starnes' court this morning the business was of such nature as to be quickly disposed of.

The first case was one against W. Maratt, who was charged with having imbibed too much of joy, the effect of which was to make him loud, boisterous and offensive to people who reside adjacent to the Hotel Northern on Second avenue, Maratt having selected the restaurant portion of the hostelry in which to effervesce. The neighbors complained, and in court this morning the offender against law and order paid \$20 and trimmings.

The Japanese proprietor of the Hotel Northern, whose name is something like "Kowekame," was up on the charge of conducting a disorderly house, but pending the arrival of witnesses, the case was continued until this afternoon.

Evans and Thomas, the two young men who are said to be short on loyalty to Uncle Sam, in that they left Col. Ray's command at Fort Egbert and journeyed Dawsonwards, and who are jointly accused of having brought stolen goods into the Dominion of Canada, were remanded back to jail until April 25th, pending the arrival of testimony from Fort Egbert.

A Tramless Tram.

Many of the late arrivals over the river trail have a grievance in that they were charged to the amount of one cent per pound for hauling their freight over the route of the Whitehorse tramway. The Skagway Alaskan contains the following account of how the graft was made effective.

"Several days ago the Whitehorse tramway people attempted to collect toll of those drawing freight over the roadbed of the tramway. They offered no service whatever; but asked a toll of a cent per pound. The teams began to break a trail over the old Hepburn trambed. The Whitehorse people, it was contended, had no right to make the charge demanded unless they operated the trams, which they were not doing. To obviate this they began running one of the cars back and forth but carried no freight."

Watch our prices on high-class clothing. See our announcement on 4th page.—Star Clothing House.

STERN DEATH

In Most Horrible Form, Claims Oscar Paulson on Dominion.

HIS BODY FRIGHTFULLY MUTILATED

While Hauling Wood He Falls, and Is Dragged Some Distance.

FACE IS TORN BY A DOG.

Remains Cared For and Buried By the Police—Little Known of the Victim.

The crushed and mutilated body of Oscar Paulson was found last Friday afternoon on claim 74 below lower discovery on Dominion. Paulson was working alone with a team at hauling wood, and as he failed to appear at the messhouse at the dinner hour, search was made with the result that he was found dead by the base of a tree, against which he was crushed by the sled, his neck broken and his body a crushed and bleeding mass.

Paulson had in some way become entangled in the lines and his body had evidently been dragged for a considerable distance before finally bringing up against the tree where it was found. As there were no witnesses to the accident, it is impossible to give its cause; but it is supposed that Paulson fell from his load in such a way as to render him unconscious, otherwise he would have been able to have stopped the team with his voice. There were no indications of there having been a runaway.

When the body was found a most revolting sight met the eyes of the party, as in being dragged over the rough ground one side of Paulson's face had become lacerated, causing blood to flow therefrom; and a young malamute dog which accompanied him had not only licked off the blood but had eaten away a portion of the dead man's face. The body was turned over to the police, who took entire charge of the case, and after proper investigation as to the cause of death, it was buried on Dominion.

But little was learned relative to the case other than regarding the death. Where Paulson came from and when, or whether he has any relatives or friends in the Yukon country is not known.

At the office of the Daily Nugget are three letters addressed to Oscar Paulson which were returned by the letter carrier on Dominion on learning of the death of the party to whom addressed. One of these letters bears the Seattle postmark, another that of Chicago, while the third is from Pelly, on the Yukon. None of the three letters bears return directions.

Paulson is the second man who has met a violent death while hauling wood on Dominion this season, the former accident occurring in February. Both men were Norwegians. It is supposed that Paulson was between 25 and 30 years of age.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1900.

CLARKE NOT SEATED

The charge is often heard of late years that both houses of the American congress are dominated by capitalists and politicians to such an extent that neither is entitled to be considered as representative of the wishes of the great masses of the people.

Recent events have furnished a clear refutation of this charge. Only a short time ago, the people of Utah—which state was admitted to the Union upon a clear and definite agreement that the practice of polygamy should forever cease within its borders—elected to the lower house of congress a man who was an avowed polygamist, and who openly announced his intention of taking up his residence at the national capital with his three wives.

The national sense of propriety and decency was shocked. Political considerations were lost sight of, and a determination was made manifest that such a gross insult to the American home should not be permitted. The matter was made the subject of heated debate in congress and of animated newspaper discussion throughout the country. The result was a triumph of right, and a refusal upon the part of congress to become a party to a violation of law so flagrant and scandalous.

The report of the senate committee on privileges respecting the case of multi-millionaire Clarke again demonstrates the fact that the national American legislative assemblies are still entitled to the confidence of the people. Clarke is considered by many people to be the wealthiest man in America. However that may be, he was able and willing to throw hundreds of thousands of dollars into an effort to have himself elected United States senator from the state of Montana, which state he and his hated rival, Daly, practically own.

By means of wholesale bribery, single votes costing him as high as \$20,000, he gained his point, and received sufficient votes from the Montana legislature to elect him. But election did not procure him the coveted seat. For several months the senate committee on privileges has been investigating the case, and, as announced in the dispatches today, have reached the unanimous conclusion that Clarke is not entitled to a place in the United States senate.

This decision, which undoubtedly will be confirmed by the senate as a whole, will stand as a warning to ambitious rich men that money alone will not procure political preferment in Uncle Sam's domain.

It has probably cost Clarke in the neighborhood of a half million dollars to ascertain the fact that seats in the United States senate are not for sale. The lesson he has learned, how-

ever, should prove a salutary one. Clarke is a representative of a class of men—happily, small in number—who are a standing menace to popular liberty. He made little or no effort to conceal the fact that he intended to corrupt an entire legislature, and, apparently, looked upon the matter as a perfectly legitimate transaction. The rebuke which he has received at the hands of the senate committee will revive the confidence of the American people in the integrity of their governing bodies.

Legal action has been taken in New York against the collection of duty on imports from Porto Rico. It is claimed that the island, which has been referred to by President McKinley in his official papers as a part of the new possessions of the United States, is not a "foreign country" within the meaning of the customs laws, and that the collector ought to refund the \$500,000 which he has collected in duties on the \$2,000,000 of Porto Rican goods brought to the port of New York since December 10, 1898, the major part of which was shipped since April 11, 1899. Pending the trial and decision, a temporary injunction is asked restraining the customs officials from levying further duties on Porto Rican goods. —Toronto Globe.

As has before been noticed in these columns, the capias ordinance is capable of being grossly abused. An instance of this kind was brought out in Judge Dugas' court yesterday in the case of a man who was placed under arrest because a creditor had the impression that the man was contemplating leaving town. Too frequent recourse is had to criminal law in actions which properly belong to the civil courts. It is no crime for a man to be in debt, unless criminal motive can be shown. When men rush to the criminal courts for the sake of gratifying petty spite, the process should be made as costly to them as possible.

Valuables sent through the mails from now on until the opening of navigation will necessarily be subjected to the risk of being lost. One mail sack became closely acquainted with the waters of the Yukon while the last mail was en route to Dawson, and only a fortunate combination of circumstances prevented it from disappearing forever. Fortunately, the telegraph line is available for the transmission of money, and doubtless the wire will be liberally patronized for that purpose during the next few weeks.

Will Come by Scows.

Judge R. T. Irwin, an extensive Klondike mining property owner and operator, arrived yesterday on the Dirigo, bringing with him a part of one of the largest and most important stocks of merchandise that will go down the river with the opening of navigation. He has two knocked-down scows and 25 tons of general merchandise and several horses.

It is the intention of the judge to go only as far as Bennett with the scows and outfit and there await the opening of the lake. He is one of the first, if not the first man, to this season bring north any considerable stock which will be shipped from Bennett. Nearly all others now coming north will push on over the ice to Lebarge before stopping to build their craft.

The judge also brought 36 quarters of beef with the intention of taking them down the river, but finds that the river is too soft to hazard the trip, and he will dispose of the meat elsewhere. He says he will soon return to the Sound to get a small band of cattle to take to Dawson on scows at the opening of the lakes. —Alaska.

Same old price, 25 cents, for drinks at the Regina.
Two bits for joy at Rochester Bar.

STROLLER'S COLUMN

A few weeks ago there was talk of several articles of merchandise being cornered. There is one man in Dawson who never hears the word "corner" without having a shiver run through his timbers similar to that experienced by a steamer when she runs against an iceberg as big as Mount Rainier.

It was in the year 1897 when Dawson was first given a position on the map, and when there were millions of mosquitoes here, all as big as humming birds, and when there was not a yard of mosquito netting in the entire country. In those days it was not uncommon for people to wake up in the morning 15 pounds lighter than when they retired the night previous, the missing parts having been eaten away by mosquitoes during the night.

The following spring all the big stores placed orders for and received a large amount of wire netting.

"Here," said O. W. Hobbs, "is where I will make a fortune to last me the remainder of my life, and still leave a handsome legacy for my posterity. I will make a corner on mosquito netting and in six weeks there will be a big demand for it at many times the cost price to me."

No sooner said than done. Hobbs bought all the wire netting in the city. His corner was made and all he had to do was to wait for mosquitoes.

He is waiting yet, as there has not been a mosquito in Dawson since the fall of '97; and the popular mill man has on hand a large lot of as pretty wire netting as was ever seen. He has had it nearly two years and is quite likely to continue to have it. One warm evening recently he was seen standing in the twilight with both hands behind his ears listening for the buzz of the advance guard of a large crop of mosquitoes. But he heard nothing save the ticking of the night watch in his mill.

Yesterday Hobbs offered the Stroller \$50 to start a mad dog scare in town, thinking perhaps that it would create a demand for wire netting for dog muzzles.

"See that fellow dancing over there in the gum boots?"

The Stroller saw him.

"Well, I have known that fellow since the knee-breeches days of his childhood. He has a wife and four children outside; they live not far from my folks, and a tetter I got from home lately said his wife and kids have had tough times getting along this winter. The kids have had the measles and his wife has worn herself out caring for them.

"Now, watch him promenade to the bar. See that? By Jove, he pouts hootch down just the same as if he had never posed as a pillar in the church. Well, I'll be — if he isn't going to dance that waltz! Say, let's get out of this before I get mad and break up the dance by going over there and mauling the floor with him."

The regular meeting of the Hogan order was held on last Sunday afternoon. The members convened in the large cave which is situated on the west side of the Yukon river. Though the entrance to the lodge is unattractive, the interior is conveniently arranged and most handsomely furnished. Immediately after the transaction of routine business, the assembly resolved itself into a social session. Vocal and instrumental musical selections were rendered by capable members of the order. All the Molly Hogans were attired in Easter costumes, and their \$60 bonnets and expensive silks added an effect of brilliancy to this representative body of individuals. Just before adjournment, Gussie Lamore created considerable excitement by falling in the punch bowl. She was rescued by the heroic efforts of Cecil Marion and Martin Anderson. Aside from this unhappy incident, the meeting was pleasant and instructive.

In the ante-room of the district court, a prominent member of the local bar told to a coterie of his professional colleagues the following story, which seems quite apropos:

"The notoriety which the assistant gold commissioner has incurred on account of his refusal to give information to press representatives, reminds me of an incident that was once experienced by a gentleman who essayed the role of the blind goddess in India. You know," continued the barrister, "that the introduction into that portion of the Orient of British ideas of jurisprudence was received with great disfavor by the native population. For many years, England's judicial appointees were subjected to such bitter criticisms that they were successively recalled after brief terms of service. Men, eminent in the profession, were tried; but none could give satisfaction. Finally a resident of

Ireland was selected to fill the unenviable position. He was not well versed in law, but legal attainments were not considered as necessary requisites in India. He assumed his official duties; and, to the surprise of the home office, his efforts were rewarded with great success. For 20 years he administered justice without incurring complaints from litigants. Then all at once his official acts were harshly criticised. Bad reports were so general and so frequent that he was recalled. Upon his return to England he was asked what had occasioned the sudden change of public sentiment. 'Well,' he replied, when I arrived in India I had no knowledge of the law, and made no pretence to legal learning. I decided all cases in an off hand manner; I gave no reasons for my judgment; and everybody was satisfied. A little while ago I began to think I had acquired some judicial attainments; and, conforming to the English customs, I considered legal actions carefully, and I endeavored to explain my final determinations. The result was disastrous, and the government was obliged to request my resignation. Perhaps," continued the speaker, "the assistant gold commissioner would have been wiser had he refrained from attempting to justify his recent order."

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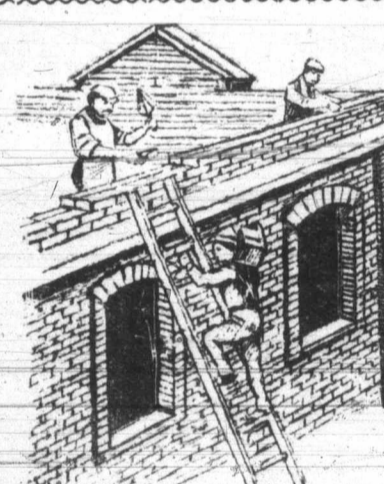
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ATHENS OF SOUTH AFRICA.

Is Bloemfontein, Capital of the Orange Free State.

Which Is Located in the Center of a Plain, Surrounded By Picturesque Hills.

Bloemfontein, the capital of the Orange Free State, which has been figuring so conspicuously in the South African news of late, is one of the most charming cities in the southern end of the dark continent. To the Boer it is known as "the City of the Flower Garden," but the English-speaking folks call it "The Athens of South Africa."

The Boer appellation is due to historical legend. When the great trek of 1836 occurred, a party of Boers came upon a little plain north of the Orange river. It was covered with a profusion of wild flowers. One of the Boer women exclaimed, "It is a bloemfontein." She meant that it was a flower garden. "Here we shall camp," said the leader. And there they did camp. Their descendants are there yet.

But the English speaking Afrikaners, not knowing the legend and wondering only at the many educational institutions which flourish in the Free State capital, have called it "the Athens of South Africa."

Bloemfontein sits in the center of a little plain. On all sides are hills. These hills are the ones which the Boers have been busy fortifying since the beginning of the war. The British built the first fort in Bloemfontein. It was in 1848, when they took possession of the country. The original fort is a quaint little stone structure which would be utterly useless in resisting modern artillery had not the Boers strengthened it by elaborate earthworks. In the adjoining hills they threw up many similar earthworks. Thus, although the defenses of Bloemfontein have never equalled those of Pretoria or Johannesburg, they were made quite formidable.

From the top of one of these hills Bloemfontein presents a pretty appearance. The town is regularly laid out, with a large market square in the center, and the houses, for the most part painted white, with red roofs, are surrounded by large and luxuriant gardens and shaded by willow, gum and other trees.

The new raadzaal, or capitol, is a large and handsome building of mixed architecture. It is built of red brick, trimmed with a peculiar close grained white stone, quarried in the neighborhood, and is surrounded by a row of doric columns, some 50 feet high and about 3 feet thick at the base. An almost perfect dome 90 feet high surmounts the structure. The doors of the main entrance are of bronze, handsomely sculptured, and the interior is beautiful. It is finished with marble, and many of the rooms are beautifully decorated.

The president has an office in the raadzaal, and quarters are also provided for his council and a few other government officers. The old raadzaal is a plain brick structure, two stories high, surmounted by a small tower. It is surrounded by a large, well-kept garden. A splendid view of Bloemfontein may be obtained from the top of the tower. The building is now given over to the various courts and government offices, all of which are located here, with the exception of the few in the capitol.

The slope above these two buildings is used by the aristocracy of the town, the government officers, English and Scotch residents, as a residence section and contains some very handsome villas.

Around the big market square, which is a veritable beehive of industry on market days, are situated a number of large buildings. The town hall is an immense structure, but of a not very striking appearance. Here are located the various municipal offices. The building also contains a large hall, where concerts and theatricals are held.

Adjoining the town hall is a library building of pretentious appearance. It has a fine reading room and contains about 15,000 volumes. Among the other handsome buildings in the town are the official residence of the president, a handsome stone building, which is said to have cost nearly \$80,000; the Dutch Reformed church, which has two beautiful spires, and the Anglican Cathedral, having a most magnificent interior.

The town has many educational institutions. The largest of these is Grey college, which was founded by Sir George Grey, at one time Governor of Cape Colony. It provides a complete college course and as an educational

institution has a high rank. There are also St. Andrew's college, the Ladies' Government Institute and an academy for girls, St. Michael's Home. There are also many private schools in the city and an excellent public school system.

Skagway's Grievance.

A letter received yesterday by a member of the Nugget staff from a Skagway merchant is strong in its denunciation of the treatment which the writer alleges is being accorded his city at the hands of the White Pass & Yukon Ry. Co., in that he says preference is being given by that transportation company to through consignments from lower points over local shipments, much to the detriment of Skagway merchants, many of whom have already purchased large stocks of goods with the view of wholesaling to interior points.

The Skagway letter writer expresses a fear that by the time the season's business regularly begins the consignments from below for Dawson and other inside points will be so extensive as to preclude entirely the handling of local business at Skagway, which state of affairs will work an irreparable injury to the merchants, especially the wholesalers, of that enterprising young city.

In reference to the above Jack Wiley, acting local representative of the W. P. & Y. Ry. Co., says that the Skagway author is certainly mistaken, as it can not possibly be the intention of the company to discriminate against its own town, the headquarters of its business and the home of many of its officials. Mr. Wiley thinks the letter is probably the result of a deranged liver, and that its statements should not be taken seriously.

EAGLE WHISPER NOTES.

The worthy treasurer made a bet a few days ago with a six-foot gentleman; the one losing was to wheel the other in a wheelbarrow from the Palace Grand to the postoffice. The worthy treasurer lost, a wheelbarrow was procured; the treasurer drew himself up to his full height—4 feet 2 inches—and started on his difficult feat. He managed to go about a block, after resting about a dozen times; finally the other gentleman got tired, as it looked like a day's work for the treasurer. The worthy brother says that when he undertakes anything of the kind again, he will have at least a month's training. He admits that if there had been a pair of wings on the barrow that everything would have been all O. K.

That Professor S. surprised the boys last Sunday evening by his clever performances in mesmerism.

That the worthy secretary only held the position of doorkeeper for one week, and now swears vengeance on Old Baldie for letting his friends know about it.

Kruger Interviewed

"This war was forced upon us by Rhodes and the mining millionaires who want the country," says President Kruger in a recent interview. "The Boers yielded as far as possible, until they saw that nothing but complete surrender of their independence would satisfy England. Having been forced into the war the Boers will conquer or die."

"I expect no aid from other nations, but we are glad of sympathy and friendship. But we want no more conventions. Only absolute independence is possible. We do not want more territory but are content with our present frontier if we are permitted to live peacefully. This is all we ask."

"There is no truth in the story of a conspiracy among South African Dutch. This is not their quarrel. Mr. Schreiner repeatedly urged us to yield. The Boers are in God's hands and he will not let us perish."

"Our total fighting strength is forty thousand, but with God's aid we can prevail. I have two hundred blood relations fighting and would rather see them all perish than yield. It is liberty or death."

A Fast Steamer.

The Alaska Steamship Company has advised Frank E. Burns, general agent at this port, says the Alaskan, that it has purchased the fleet and elegant Long Island steamer Dolphin, and will put her on the Seattle-Skagway route. Capt. O'Brien, master of the steamer Rosalie, has gone to New York to bring the Dolphin to the coast. It is expected to have the ship here about July 1st.

The Dolphin has a speed of 18 knots, 220 feet long, 40-foot beam, and is propelled by triple screws driven by triple expansion engines. She will be by all odds the fastest ship in Alaskan waters, and the Alaska Steamship Company hope to gain a big share of travel with the greynound. She has a freight capacity of 700 tons.

The liquors are the best to be had, at the Regina.

Half interest in tundra placer mining claim two miles from Nome for sale. Inquire Norton D. Walling, Grand Forks.

Happy days at the Rochester Bar.

The Star Clothing House can fit you out. See ad for safe days.

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS

Of Dawson Held an Important Meeting Recently.

Grand Master Prince of Wales Congratulated on Escaping the Assassin's Bullet.

A smoking concert was held by the Masons of Dawson on Saturday evening, the 14th inst., at the Fraternity hall, Mission street. A very enjoyable evening was spent. The following made short and happy speeches: The chairman, W. E. Burritt; H. P. Hanson, of the Parson Produce Co.; A. B. Guptill, N. A. Fuller and Dr. Thompson, of the Good Samaritan hospital, J. Turner.

The following resolution was moved by A. B. Guptill, seconded by S. C. Shepard:

Whereas, The Masonic Fraternity of Dawson in the Yukon territory, Dominion of Canada, has learned with deep regret of the dastardly attempt upon the life of His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, Grand Master of Masons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and

Whereas, The intelligence that our brother and his Royal Princess Consort escaped unharmed the bullets of the assassin is the occasion of great joy to us, as it doubtless is to the civilized world:

Resolved, That we recognize in their preservation the protecting hand of the Grand Master of the Universe, and be it further

Resolved, That, as Masons assembled in social gathering this 14th day of April, A. D. 1900, in Dawson, we extend our distinguished fraternal and hearty congratulations upon his safety, and beg to express the hope that the world may never again be shocked by an occurrence such as give rise to these resolutions.

H. A. HANSON, Belmont Lodge, Marden, Man.
JOHN BOSLAND, Benvolent Lodge, No. 145, Mason City, Iowa.
ALFRED B. GUPTILL, 331, Dakota Consistory, Fargo, N. D. Committee.

This was unanimously carried and will be engrossed and sent to the Prince of Wales.

The chairman extended a vote of thanks to the following on behalf of the committee for so willingly contributing towards making the evening a success: H. P. Hanson, J. M. Wilson, A. L. Stephens, W. F. Matlock and Wm. Somerville.

The following contributed to the musical program: Recitation, G. L. Cowen; banjo solo, L. Simanson; recitation, Hospital Sergeant McIntosh; laughing song, Mr. Bligh. All of which received encores.

Special praise is due and a vote of thanks was passed to the committee, Messrs. Cutch, Hospital Sergeant McIntosh, secretary; J. Borland and J. Carroll, for the success of the evening. About 75 members were present and at midnight the meeting broke up after the national was duly honored.

Special meetings will be held hereafter at the same place every Saturday evening at 8 p. m.

W. E. BURRITT, Ionic Lodge, No. 25, Chairman.
A. M'INTOSH, Cataroquy Lodge, No. 92, Secretary.

A Suggestion.

In all friendliness and good feeling this suggestion is made to the police court orderly, namely: That he address men as men and not as mules or dogs.

To yell "stand up there" at a gentleman who may have business before the court, and yell it in a tone that a blacksmith would use towards a fractions mule is, to say the least, very rude and wholly uncalled for.

To many persons who may appear before the police court either in the capacity of client or witness, the rules to be followed are wholly different from those to which they have been accustomed. For instance: In nearly all courts neither the witness nor attorney is required to stand while answering or putting questions.

In view, therefore, of the ignorance of the majority of people of the customs in vogue here, the above suggestion to the police court orderly is made. The fact that a man may, in one capacity or another, have business in the police court is no reason why he should be addressed as though he were a felon or a brute.

Cold Comfort.

The following appeared in a late Victoria paper as a telegram from Montreal: The Herald's correspondent with the first contingent, in a letter to that paper, describing the battle of Paardeberg, here nineteen Canadians were killed, says the lives were lost in a needless charge, that the commander of the Cornwall regiment, which was with

the Canadians when the assault was made, ordered the charge because he thought too much time had been occupied in firing on the Boer position, and that the brigadier, after expressing regret that the charge had taken place, which he said was not intended, expressed sympathy at the loss of so many Canadians, but congratulated them on their fine fighting qualities.

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The Nugget.

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CLARKE VS. THE YUKON SUN

That is Title of a Law Suit Instituted Yesterday.

Criminal Action Commenced This Morning—Other Territorial Court Items.

Yesterday in the office of the territorial district court, Joseph A. Clarke, as plaintiff, filed a complaint against Thomas O'Brien and Henry J. Woodside, defendants, owner and editor, respectively, of the Yukon Sun. The plaintiff alleges that he has been libeled by the defendants; and the specific words on which the plaintiff rests his case were published in the issues of the Yukon Sun on the 9th and 10th instant. The following are the important allegations of the complaint:

That the defendants falsely and maliciously published:
A. "Under the editorial heading 'Will Take Up Challenge,' and in the second paragraph, 'If we had a record like Joseph Clarke, we would want to keep very quiet indeed; with any faults that we may have we can say at least that we never were discharged from a position for taking bribes, and we never swindled Brockville friends out of two thousand dollars.'"

"Thereby leading the public to believe that the plaintiff was a criminal and had been guilty of swindling and that he was unfit to be trusted, having accepted bribes, and therefore insinuating that he betrayed his employers once, and so could not be trusted to transact business for anyone. The plaintiff is also called a 'Cheeky young rascal,' greatly to his hurt and damage.
B. "Under the heading 'Not the Best Company,' the following words appear, 'He (Mr. Joseph Clarke) is the 'Shady character.'"

"Which said words impute a bad character to the plaintiff and render him an object of distrust to the business public.
C. "Under the heading 'Should Be Goaded,' the following words appear, 'Joseph Clarke, the blatherskite. If anything will goad to desperation Mr. Joseph Clarke himself to lead an honest straightforward, truthful life, we would welcome it, even in the nature of a small cyclone. We would welcome another cyclone if it would goad Mr. Clarke into acting like a sane person.'"

"Thereby making it appear that the plaintiff is dishonest and not of sound mind and therefore an unsafe and dangerous person to do business with.
D. "Under paragraph headed 'To Be Or Not To Be,' appear these words: 'Certainly something should be done to gratify such representative (?) citizens as Joseph Clarke, Col. MacGregor, and C. M. Woodworth, providing, of course, it can be ascertained after diligent inquiry what interests these three gentlemen hold in the territory,' which said statement is intended maliciously to injure the business credit of the plaintiff.
"Also in the said paragraph appears the following words: 'Than Joseph Clarke, even if he does have water on the brain,' thus again implying that the plaintiff is of unsound mind."

The plaintiff prays for the recovery of \$25,000 as damages resulting to his credit, business and reputation by reason of the publication of the matter set forth in the complaint.

The papers were served by the sheriff upon the defendant, Henry J. Woodside, yesterday afternoon.

This morning a case of criminal libel was instituted by Joseph A. Clarke against Mr. Woodside in the police magistrate's court. The criminal action is founded upon the same statement of facts as appear in the civil suit.

Today the trial of the case of McKenzie and Miles vs. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, was resumed before Justice Dugas. The testimony of defendant J.H. Davidson will probably be concluded tomorrow.

Yesterday afternoon, a number of motions were made in the territorial court.

In Hawkins vs. Wright, the two arbitrators who have been appointed in the action reported to the court that they are unable to agree upon the selection of a third arbitrator. The two arbitrators were instructed to submit their report in writing.

An application for the issuance of a writ of injunction has been made in the action of Werbun vs. Vincent. The matter was taken under consideration.

The motion in Paterson vs. Spell has been continued to April 21st.

The hearing of the application to set aside the writ of attachment, issued in McKay Brothers vs. the V.-Y. T. Co., was postponed till this afternoon.

A motion for the redelivery of certain

goods taken under a writ of replevin in the case of Barrett vs. Ames, was argued and submitted to the consideration of Justice Dugas.

In Ross vs. Kane et al, an order was entered authorizing the appointment of a receiver upon plaintiff Ross executing an undertaking for damages, and the receiver to furnish bonds, the amount of which to be fixed by the Judge.

Odd Water Wagons.

There is an abundance of water in and around Dawson, and water for domestic purposes has to be purchased and paid for at the rate of 25 cents per five gallons—just a trifle less than the price of beer in Cincinnati. The matter of supplying the demand for water is furnishing employment to a number of men, and to some of the most odd contrived vehicles ever seen in modern times. Anything that will revolve can be used for a wheel, and with such appliances are many of the water wagons now used in Dawson fitted.

Samaritan Hospital Meeting.

It has been decided to combine the annual public meeting of the Good Samaritan hospital with a reopening celebration next Friday evening, at the hospital building. Four new members are to be elected to the board of governors. Voting papers will be supplied by the secretary. On the program will be music, vocal and instrumental, refreshments, etc.

Sidewalks Growing.

Property-owners are hustling to comply with the ordinance governing the width of sidewalks. On First avenue the walks are being increased to a uniform width of 12 feet. There are so many people in town at the present time that the necessity of wider sidewalks has been apparent for some time.

No Council Meeting.

The meeting of the Yukon council which was to have occurred last night was adjourned till Thursday. There was not a quorum of members present.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. A. Cruttender is in town on business.
O. W. Jackson is among the guests at the Regina.

F. A. Munson is spending a few days in town.
J. C. Hayden, is registered at the Fairview.

J. Edgren is making a brief visit to the city.
R. S. Green came to the city from the creeks yesterday.

J. C. Shafter, of Gold Bottom, is in the city on business.
Ed. Garner is shaking hands with his Dawson acquaintances.

Nevill Armstrong, of Adams Hill, is stopping at the Fairview.
George W. Zylar is an inmate of the Good Samaritan hospital.

N. D. Walling, of Grand Forks, is visiting friends in the city.
S. B. Gillvin is enjoying a short vacation among his friends in the city.

William Methews was admitted yesterday to the Good Samaritan hospital.
Mr. A. V. Buel, the well-known artist, is confined to his room with la grippe.

John Dodds, who has been quite ill for some time past, is now convalescent.
Joe Cook, a well-known Dawson freighter, returned recently from a trip to the outside.

David Ripstein has arrived over the ice from Manitoba. He brought with him 31 head of fat cattle.
Jack Cavender, deputy U. S. marshal of Eagle City is in Dawson on business. Mr. Cavender will be in the city some days.

George Noble has been visiting during the past week, with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rockwell at No. 3 below on Sulphur.

T. B. Davis, of the Canadian Development Company, will start on a trip up the river tomorrow. He will inspect several of the company's stations, and will then return to Dawson.

George Butler, proprietor of the Pioneer, was quite unexpectedly stricken with a severe attack of typhoid pneumonia yesterday morning. He is now confined in the Good Samaritan hospital.

Ike Schwartz, of 41a below on Hunter, is in the city for the purpose of having a smashed finger repaired. The accident was sustained in the manufacture of sluice boxes, and has been very painful, but is now rapidly recovering.

Weather Report.

The maximum temperature for the 24 hours preceding 9 o'clock this morning was 55 degrees above zero.
The minimum temperature during the same period of time was 24 degrees above.

Notice.

The stockholders of the Yukon Telephone Syndicate are requested to meet at the office of N. A. Fuller May 1st, 1900, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may come before them.
Signed,
N. A. FULLER, Sec.

The Camel and the Sled.

On the frozen bosom of the Yukon we are duplicating the famous caravans of Arabia which brought to the western world the products of the far east. The exact antithesis in climatic conditions obtains here, however, and consequently the methods employed in transportation conforms to the nature of the country. The same spirit of enterprise is the incentive and the harvest of golden coins the reward for the successful issue of the undertaking in either case. Somewhere between here and Selwyn a train of 34 horses is bringing to the Dawson market a cargo of merchandise consigned to the Star Clothing House,

and upon its arrival one can witness as interesting and as picturesque a sight as ever was seen in the marts of the far east. Merchandise will be displayed which has traveled thousands of miles to its destination, case after case of clothing, shirts, hats, neckwear, etc., will be unpacked and great preparations are now in progress under the direction of A. S. Levine, the proprietor of the concern to receive the goods.

In a conversation with this gentleman he said:
"This consignment was selected for me by Jim Adair, who is probably one of the best posted men in this line in the country. These goods were all purchased direct from the factory or made specially for us, and are the best obtainable."
"In this country particularly nothing but the very best of any article should be brought in and we have followed that principle in the selection of our goods. It costs no more to carry a first class article than it does to carry cheap goods. We have not made this mistake, and you can tell your readers that we will have two special sale days, one on Saturday the other on Monday. We will continue this for the next six months."

After showing the scribe some elegant samples, Mr. Levine hurried away to complete an order for one of the company stores.—F18

Heel and Toe.

Bert Ford and Fred Thoenner are to contest in a heel and toe walking match on May 1st. The match will take place in front of the postoffice, the distance being one mile. Tom Chisholm has been chosen stakeholder and the amount to be contested for is \$250.
Ford says he is willing to raise this to \$500, as he is confident of success, he having made a record in this branch of athletics. In 1896 he won a handicap over the champion of the state of Oregon, at Ione, California, distance one-quarter of a mile; Ford allowing his man 27 1/2 yards advantage.

Thoenner is a celebrated walker and has won many matches on the continent of the old world, beating all who came before him in Germany, France and Italy. The event will be of great interest and in all probability one that will attract the attention of thousands.

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Monte Carlo Opens.

Last night witnessed a scene which could hardly be duplicated in America when the doors of Lion & Moe's Monte Carlo were thrown open to the public. The place was immediately thronged with people, who took the occasion to congratulate the proprietors on the handsome appearance of the house; crowds drinking to their health and heartily wishing them a long and prosperous career.

Ladies' belt purses. Pioneer drug store.
Can This Be True?

The Hogans have by common consent made the Pioneer their rendezvous for the discussion of questions which requires an arbitrator. George Butler has been acting in that capacity until recently, but it was discovered he had joined their enemy, the Eagles. Now they have brought charges of smuggling against Butler, they claiming it is impossible to sell liquor at 25 cents a glass at his house, and do it legitimately, as the quality of the goods precludes the possibility of doing a lucrative trade at that price, if purchased in the usual mart of commerce. It is not known whether or not they have brought the matter to the attention of the authorities.

Best Canadian rye at the Regina.
Choice Cudahy hams 45 cents per pound. Royal Grocery, Second ave.

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ALEX HOWDEN—Barrister, Solicitor, Advocate, etc. Criminal & Mining Law, Room 21 A. C. Co's office Block.

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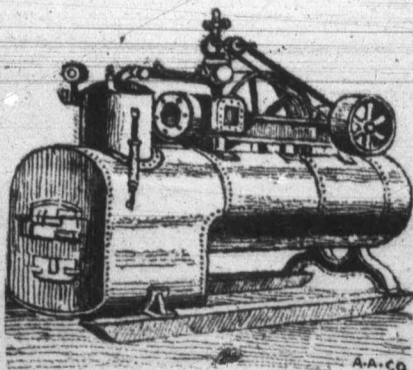
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