## THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET.

## NOTHING AT NOME

Writes Jules Soyen, Who Left Dawson for There Last February.

IIT FOUR PMINIG CHIMS XXXS

In the Entire District, of Whic
Two Are on Snow Gulch
and TWO ON anvil creek.

Oaly Business Men Booming Coun try-Advises Miners to Stay in the Klondike

The following letter was received i resterday's mall by F. Renaud, of Gay
gulch and Dominion. It was written gulch and Dominion. It was writ
by Jules Soyen, who left Dawson the 1 nth of Februray bound for Nome, ar-
riving at that place the last of March. riving at that place the last of March.
It is published at the request of Mr.
Soyen, who desires that a true statesoyen, who desires that a true state
ment of the conditons of that camp may be learned, as many of his frienss
bave evidenced their intention of proceeding down the river rived here on the 31st of March an are very much disappointed to find Nome is not what it has been represent-
ed. We have seen Jim Lemay ed. We have seen Jim Lemay and Vic
Lord, you ought to know them, they

Caduc eo.

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.Steam Filtings..
A full line has been
brought in over the ice. Special prices in quan. Bar Glassware 1 Chous stactan mammemmem Ladue Co. ARCTIC SAWMILL

 Che mutual Life Insurance Co."."m

## Renest mancial instimuon in the worlo.

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COME ON, BOYS! Soods Afe Going fast


Entire Stock Must be Sold by July 5 th.


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## New Goods

BOYS' CLOTHING.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.
 SHOES, CLOTHING
...GENTS' FURNISHINGS 2nd Street, Opp. Bank of B.N.A.
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## THE GOUHELSS PUBILC BUW.

Thany Communications Are Re ceived and Acted Upon.

GONDOLFO'S FRUIT PETITION you they have diseouraged us; they
us there is but four paying claims
all this country, two on Snow gu
and two more on Anvil creek.
The best of the beach is all wor
 S5 day. but it will all be worked out
before the artival of the frist stamboat.
 work going on as it is too dificillt to
prospect
 There is nothing whatever at cape
York, although people have been tam.

 much sorrow that we think
staked us tor this enterpie
 son, as we firmly believe there is nol
ing hee
Show this letter to all the borss on




 of the discourgingg prospects at Nome Constable Booth Fread.
For conduat unbeommy

 ten this morning not only dismised
 Nisch the constable was dismised hin Then the frrst, by it was not, hence

## Tumely Rains.

Reports trobm the various creeks are to the effect that considerable rain has
Oillen
within the past weth mat
 At particular. Agtorney Robertson was present dur measure and asked permission to ad-
meas dress the council on the subject, but Comminsioner Ogilvie objected, and
Judge Dugas said he did not think it se to encourage the habit.
Numerous communications were re
ceived and considered. Judge Dugas asked if any steps had been taken to
secure the transportationn of the insane patients to the outside, and Councilman
Ogilvie stated that he had arranged Ogilvie stated that he had arranged
with the field force and the N. W. M. with the field force and the N. W. M
P. to attend to the matter. The fiel P. to attend to the matter. The fel
force will take the insane patients ou with them, and a member of the police force who is accustomed to the care o the patients will he sent to assist i their care. Communications from two
women had been received, tendering women had been received, tendering
their services to the council as attendants upon the female insane on thenr outward journey. One of these tender
was for $\$ 10$ per day and expenses, both was for $\$ 10$ per day and expenses,
going and coming, and the other askect
$\pm==$ SOGGS ates of the meeting as officially pre-
A petition was received from H. L.
Douglas calling attention to some needDouglas calling attention to some need-
ed sidewalk construction between First and Second streets and an obstruction at the crossing of First street and Third
avenue. Referred to the public works avenue. Refe
committee.
Commurication were presented behalf of two indigent patients who ask for assistance to get out of the
country. Country.

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& \text { A communication was presented trom } \\
& \text { J. D. McGregor, chief license inspector, } \\
& \text { asking for instructions in respect to }
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asking for instructions in respect to
license fee in West Dawson. No action. A communication was presented to
Mr. Justice Dugas in respect to the payment for the construction of a fenc near the courthouse. Referred to the
finance committee to consider as finance committee to consider as to
whether such accounts should be met by the locul or federal tunds. A communication was presented from
the rector of St. Paul's chutch contain ing a resolution of the congregation that church respecting the widening of
Mission street, and the proposition Mission street, and the propositio
the council had made to the tishop re specting a change in the site for the a reply from the rector to a communica -
tion of the commissioner in answer to this communication containing the reso
lution. A communication was submitted from
the manager of the Dawson City Water \& Power Company, Ltd., offering to
place the hydrants at prominent places through the city and to negotiate with
the councit for the supply of water for the council for the supply of water for
fire protection purposes for the city. Referred
sioners.

## sioners.

A comprimication was presented from
the cl man of the board of assessor asking for an amendment to the assessan extension of the time for the cons an extension of the time for the com-
pletion of the assessment roll
Mr. Justice Dugas asked what arrange ments had been made in respect to th transportation of the insane prisoner
The commissioner reported that arrang the commissioner reported to send thes
ments had beer made to
prisoners out under prisoners out under guard of the Yukon
Garrisoon, a policemana familiar with
the mamagement of the patients to be
in charge of them during transporta-
ABOUT THE NEW DISCOVERY


Everswhere men are trying to un-
cover new gold deposis. They go to
Nome, the Koyukuk, to the far of head-
waters of Noate, of the Tanana and other remo
watars, of tha in so doing walk right ove
place best of unstaked ground at home.
the best
In Dawson one can find as good paystreak if one lan hoks in as the rood
directon as anywhere on earth.
The easiest and quickest way to The easiest and quickest way to win
gold is to save it and you can to this
by buying your clothing, furnishing by buying your clothing, furnishing
goods hats and shoe fom Wart,
Hough \& Co., 111 Front street. They are yoing out of this line of business
and have arranged to elear their entire
stock by July 5 th. Meantime goods are sock ${ }^{\text {quickly because they gre being }}$
going at vuery low figures Ward, Hough
oil Co t ure selling off their goods at so \& Co, are selling off their goods at so
much of a reduction in price that any.
one who has been about in town at all one who has been about in town at all
looking at goods will at once recognize
a chance to save money. Once the fave poge of this paper, left
hand column, see our display advertise-
ten hand column, see our display advertise.
ment, giving jou the prices of some
few of the barguins we offer. It doe few of the barguins we offer. It does
not signiiy to quote figures unless you
can see the quality of the goods you are
gettinu for getting for your money. goods you are
We assure We assure you our goods are all new
and our entirestock came from the out-
side this spring. We have no old chest-
nuts or
nuts or rubbish to offer and positively
assert that we can save you money if
you will but give us a chance. Remember the number, 111
Look for the large red sign.

TAMALES, Kapp \& Street's Original, Just keceived, 4 tins for One Dollar

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y recent. Victoria and Vncouver papers we note the fact that the compassed resolutions calling upon the federal government to substantially modify its position with reference the government ot this territor.
Chief among the points covered b ernment assay office to be established in Dawsen. The collection of the royalty tax is condemned in no uncer tain lauguage and the government is Hish lish all goid -as it is talen from the ground may be converted into currency with the least possible cost to the producer
We are glad to see that the merchants We are glad to see that the merchant and other business men of British Cu fambia are beginning to awaken to something fact that some:hing must be done save the trade which the cities of tha this territory. That trade should a hio. thate should next year should be greater still.
But the indications are that such will not be the case. Our population ha Jecreased, and bence the consumptio of commodities in the territory has diminished proportionately.
Victoria and Vancouver are begin ing to realize the fact that somethin is wrong. They see a gradual decrease established and permanent. They have begun to look for the source of th rouble and have discovered the ke note without any difficulty
Their motive in taking the matter up pe entitled to our thanks. The more hese questions are discussed and agi hese questions are discussed and agi redress be granted.
The two points covered by the reso utions of the Victoria and Vancouve Boards of Trade are both of the utmos mportance. There are othere equal 0, to which the attention of these com nercial bodies should be directed at later period. If we can succeed in in-
teresting such organizations generally throughout Canade, sufficiently to bring their influence to bearoupon the government, beneifial resuits are certain accrue, Some means should be take of publicly acknowledging this action on the part of our sister cities.
We are informed that the treight blockade between Bennett and Whiteborse is being rapidly broken and shipments will soon be arriving down the river in rapid succession. There are, according to reliable sources of informa tion, several thousand tons of goods now awaiting transportation and the break in the blockade has coma none woo soon. Much treight of a perishable nature has been delayed, and conse guent loss to shippers is certain to re suit. In this instance there seems to ramore the reason that the delay has been due entirely to the unusually long continuance of lov water. As soon as the boats are able to tun regularly, without being subject to delays on send bars in the river, the freight blockade will rapidly become thing of the past.
Frienda of Capt. Jack Crawford, an
enesf for him to take plape on Sunday outside. Capt. Jack bas been a familiar gure in Dawson for the past two year and has generously contributed services toward entertaining the publi f this eity upon innumerable occasio when he has been called upon. No iven without the presence of Cap Jack to enliven the proceedings and no ax upon his powers as an entertaine has been so heavy that he did not $r$ e spond heartily thereto, It is fitting, therefore, that before he leaves Dawso ome public recognition of his generous services should be taken, and we know entertainment such as is prepared for Sunday night. The Nugget bespeaks a earty send-off for Capt. Jack.

If you will look yourself over and look your household over you will, fin that the things that you and your famils wear, and eat, and drink, and use fo all other purposes are adrertised araw them advertised. You saw them advertised in your newspaper. more you think of it the more you will be surprised at the few exceptions to this rule. If you buy articles because
you saw them advertised, it is fair you saw them advertised, it is fair you buy them because you see them advertised in your newspaper, it is fair to assume that other people make their purchases for the same reason. In the tace of these facts can there be any need or argument to prove that if you have anything to sell you must advertise it,
and the place to advertise it is in your newspaper. - Skagway News.
The long, looked for rain has come hast and with it, many dumps which are still lying on the various creeks will be sluiced out and the gold containe dition of the creeks for the past 60 days, numerous instances have occurre to wash their dumps. On the hillsides and benches many men have been un able to secure sufficient water even to rocking purposes, the result being that they have been unable to pay thei labor and meet other obligations. The rains of the past few days will substan tially merease the amount of available water in the different creeks, with the result that much gold will be washed main until next season.

The discoverers of the reef of con lomerate which is clained to be gol bearing, are extremely confident that they have uncovered something whic will ultimately prove to be of great alue. It sto be sincerely hoped that heir confidence in the new find will e. warranted by results. The existence
of such a reef as bas been describe would bring a marvelous degree of life and activity to Dawson which would ncrease from year to year. The tow would be asoured a permanence of which it never can be absolutely certain long as it is dependent wholly upon the development of placer ground.
Men's cambric shirts at 75 c ; as cheap
as washing the old one. McLennan's.

## Nates.

We, the undersigned, have purchased
ouis Golden's building, The Exchange, and business. Anyone baving ny debts due please present the same
to
EDWARDS \& DFLONE, shoff, the Daa
neer Drug Store.
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Fur the latest in clothing, hats,
hoes, underwear, etc., Star Clothing
Table de hote dinners. The Holborn
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ar restaurant, situated on Second street, pposite Aurora, doing a fine business
roprietur unable to altend to the busi ness, wing to sickness; will sel
cheap. Apply on the premises.
R. J. HILTS, Proprietor. The Holborn Cafe for delicacies Potatoes, only the best. Mohr
Wilkene. Linen coats straw and Ting
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 "Ridiculous! We are siving away
these goods at haff price." "The other
ide ") cried Mr Ver





A. B. Meeting Tónight Tonight will be beld a regular meet ing of the Arctie Brotherthood, and
 ent it is hopea every member
on hand promply y at 9 oclock:
Bet Canadian rye at the Regina.
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Chloride of lime. Pioneer drug store Rest imported wines and liquors an

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kens.
We fit glasses. Pioneer drug store. The wamest and most comtor Sthort oriers served right. The Ho

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| Louise |



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The Victorian Sails Tomorrow After-

First Through Shipment of Freight
Now on the Way-River RisingRains General Up River.
The steamer Columbian sailed from Whitehorse tisis afternoon with the first
through freight ot the season. This is practically the opening of navigation as
far as the shipment of goods is confar as the shipment of goods is con-
cerned, as no other freight, cargo has cerned, as no other freight cargo has
been sent down the river by the steamers this season,
The Canadian will probably follow the Columbian in a day or so as the
river is rising rapidly at up river points.
A general rain storm is reported al
along the river with the ther getting warmer at up river points. highest point reached by the mercury
today was at Big Salmon, 52 degrees At Bennett the therometer shows 45 bu gradually rising. A wire has been re
cerved from Hootalinqua stating th cerved from hootalinqua stating tha Cue inver is raising rapidly at that point.
Owing to the rains the trees along the telegraph line are causing a great deal of trouble as the branches are bodwires in many places, grounding th circuitions Linemen are uow out from al the wire from the overhanging trees. The Tyrrell is rapidly making all im provements necesoary for the S. Michael voyage and when she pulls ou from the dock Monday will be in ex cellent shape. She
No news is good news, particularl in steamboats, consequently the steam ers Ora aud Flora are probably,
usual, crowding on to their destinatio and their welcome, whistles will be soon heard again in Dawson. sogas aUILTY

## (Continued from page 1. )

 from one foot to the other constantly, and his hands were never quiet for an instaut.Among briefly questioned concerning the geherat character of Soggs, a very large, aark complected gentleman - Mr.
Sullivan - was called by the defense and asked if he cunsidered. Mr. Rogers a dangerous man. Witness said he didn't
know. He and Mr. Rogers had once know. He and Mr. Rogers had once
had a little dfficulty but both had been jooking on the "wine when it was
red" and-well the trouble was soon over any way.
Is it not a fact, Mr., Sullivan," occasion jou refer to, you gave Mr Rogers a sound thrashing?" child-like and bland," and satd that at the time he had spoken of he had had no flail with him.
Mr. Noel then asked for an arjournment, which, ufter some little consideration, Judge Dugas granted, and the
case went over till 10 o'clock this morn-

Attorney Noel addressed the juri in behalf of Soggs this morning, going
over the evidence of the case in review. The pith and marrow of his argument was that Soggo had been harried, bullied
and terrorized for a long period of time and terrorized for a long period of time
by Rogers, who sought to drive him from claim 34. That in this effor Roges had been seconded by Cahill. Mr. Noel sald that although all th witnesses for the crown examined had been cognizant of Rogers' intent to ad
mintster a bath to Sokgs by violencemy throwing him in the creek-none had attempted to prevent its culmination or to save Soggs.
All the way through the argument the attorney stiove to convince the jury that
there was no intent to commit murder on the part of Sogga, and that the prison the part of Soggs, and that the pris-
oner bad been justified in the means he had adopted to protect himself; was ustified in view of the fact of the manitween Mr. Rogers and the defendant. Mr. Noel made a very able plea in bebalf of his client.
filled than at any other more completely trial which one or both of the attorneys in the case might take in the light of a compliment as it was generally understood when court adjourned yester-
day afternoon that the murning session day alternoon that the murning session
would be devoted to the arguments of the attorneys. Crown Proseentor Wade made his ar-
gument on the ground that the claim owners, Rogers, and the that clain oen justified in their evidenced desires,
for a lougltime to get rid of Soggs.
arked by more
margume
important points nimportant points, concise and filled with the sparkling
ense of gems of sarcasm for which be is justly
noted. POLICE COURT NEWS. In Magistrate Scarth's court this
morning the first case was one against morning the first case was one against
Ike R. Jobinson wo. after indulging
freely in Yukon river water, strychnine freely in Yukon river water, strychnine
and venitian red, had hied himself to
Fourth Fourth avenue where he failed to dis-
criminate between respectable intoxic-
tion and beastl Cion and beastly drunkeness. As Ike
tion before his honor this morning his
stood ber
mind appeared to be jn Hepsydar or
 charge had been read over to him twice
he simply replied "Umphu." He paid
85 and trimmings. \$5 and trimmings.
For following Ike's smoke, so far as
libations are concerned, Jolin Rogers also paid 85 and costs.
According to Fred Satler's story he was the most valuable man from Bennett
on his scow on the trip from Ben
to Dawson. Satler submitted that he worked hard all the way down; that h
was on deck day and night, that he he
frequently hopped into the chilly water frequently hopped into the chilly water
to shuve the scow off bars; that for 48
bours he never bobbed an eye and that hours he never bobbed an eye and that
the grub Nichols provided was simply the grab Nichols. provanted remuner-
awful. He, thereore, want
ation at the rate of $\$ 2.50$ for the trip. As a Fiorida summer differs from a
Klondike winter, so did the testmony
of Nichol differ from that of Satler. According to the formers's evidence Sat
ier had come down more as ballast that as a helper on the scow : he slept almos
continuously and was the most no.ac
count man the witness had ever see
in al count man the witness had ever seen
in all his life: that when Satter got his
board he got several times more than he earned. In cross-questioning the wit-
ness Satier, had he worn a lung meter,
would have ran the register up to high point. He insisted on Nichole
hiening the word "truth, and in other
denying
ways made dark insinuations. As it

not so readily rushed to police court
with his grievances. In the case of Mack C. Thompson rs.
Clark for $\$ 40$ due on wage, settlement was.fixed upon.
$\qquad$ The Fourth of
will meet at the
tomorrow night.
A cricket game, to which all are in-
vited will be played on the barracks ground this evening.
H. E. Ashelby, of Cnechako Hill one of the three owners and treasurer ot
he Bonanza Water Co., is in town on business to tay,
Herbert Williams, one of the pioneers
of the district, is preparing to leave of the district, is preparing to leave
or Nome in a few days. He will go down the river in a smail boat.
There is a meeting of, the committee on Hourth of july matters
called for tonight at which every mem-
her is expected to be presel ber is expected to be present.
C. C. Runner, for a long time manaC. C. Runner, for a loug time manag
ger of the Fifth Avenue hotel in Skag-
way, is here on his way to Nome to why, is here on his way on the next
which place he will leave on ther. Sam Bonnifield is enjoying a prosper-
ous business at his new place, the Junea. He reports entire satisfaction
with the change which he has made with the change
froum the Dominion.
Mrs, Roberts, wife of O. V. Roberts,
foreman of the Yukon Iron Works, was foreman of the Yukon Iron works, was
among the pasengers to arrive on the
steamer Victorian, and "Bob" is all ameng Vict
steamer
smile today.
A fight took place Sunday night beween E. . No. 2 Eldorado claim, and
Phiscator's No.
an Irishman who was employed by Mil ler. The layman is said to have re
ceived a most severe beating. Miss Annie Clayson, sister of the late
Fred H. Clayson, was an arrival from Skagway on the steamer Victorian.
Skee is here to ooo after several mining
interets interest
brother
$\qquad$ that point.
steamer will not leave this port for
way points for seeral weeks, , he docto
will ill go down the river in a small boat,
Mr . A. Bouillon of Bouillon \& St, Laurent, coo-wners of claim Nu, 19 be
ow discovery on Dominion creek , has
oeen in town for several days on bus cen in town for several days on busi
ness.
He returns today to join $h$ partner and continue
heir immense dump.
Attorney
 ion. Mr. De Journel is associated
with Mr. Henry Bleecker, a lawyer of wide experience and the new inm
certain to forge to the front in Dav
son'shegal circles Their offices will in the Joslyn block on Second street.

> A Descriptive Curio.

One of Orr \& Tukey's passengers
he Forks wanted his valise called fo t a hotel and gave them the following written description: "Vaise painted black, 30 inches long, at Klondike hotel bound with three

## Death of Mirs. Telford.

Mrs, Telford, whose husband is manlast night at the family home on Fourth streets. A three daya' old babe sur-

Potatoen egre lemone Mohr Notice to the Puble.


 We arr selling lemons. Mohr

Moir $\&$ wilkens for freen goods. The ligiors are the best to be had, at
he Regina. PRofessional cards Lawvers










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