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MAY COME TO DAWSON

Hon. Geo. R. Maxwell, M. P., Says Province of British Columbia Has No Right to Deal in Gold.

Vancouver, July 16, via Skagway, July 20.—George R. Maxwell, M. P., said last night: "I see that Hon. Mr. McBride has been over from Victoria for the purpose of making arrangements here for the operation of the provincial government assay office. Now that is just a matter of politics. If the Province of British Columbia keeps on handling gold it will have the immediate effect of driving the Dominion government office out of Vancouver and establish at Dawson the office now being placed in Vancouver. It cannot have any other effect than that. As a matter of law I do not think this province has any right to buy gold and deal with it in any such way. The Legislature, any way, has not given the government any power and I do not see how it can be legal. But if the provincial office is kept up, the Dominion office, which is very much more advantageous, will be withdrawn."

If you like fine candies, cool drinks or delicious ice cream try rs. West's new store on Second avenue.
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THE ONLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL IN DAWSON.
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BANQUET TONIGHT

In Honor of Mr. F. F. Burns, Pres. Vancouver Board of Trade.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Burns, of Vancouver, have been visitors in Dawson for the past week. Mr. Burns, besides being a prominent business man of his home city, is also president of her board of trade, one of the most active and influential organizations of the kind on the Pacific coast. He is also president of the St. Andrew's Society of Vancouver.

In honor of Mr. Burns' visit to Dawson a complimentary banquet will be given him at the Hotel McDonald to night at 9 o'clock, when Mr. H. T. Wills will preside. The committee having the affair in charge are Messrs. R. P. McLennan, P. R. Ritchie, Chas. Milne and D. A. Matheson. The following toasts are on the program for the occasion:

The King, the Empire, Our Guest, Mines, Transportation, Trade and Commerce, Professions, Ladies, Press.
This is Mr. and Mrs. Burns' first visit to Dawson and to say that they are delighted with the city, the climate and what they saw on a visit to the creeks is evidenced by their expressions of pleasure. They will leave for home on the steamer Whitehorse to-morrow night.

The Pacific Cold Storage Co. offers every facility for keeping frozen products.
Latest photo buttons at Goetzman's.

Killed on Gold Run

Dan Maynard, who was employed by Barnes and Shork on 22 Gold Run, was killed at 12:30 today by the caving in of a tunnel. No particulars of the sad accident were learned. The police are investigating the matter.

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NEW MAIL CONTRACTS

Provide for Better Service Between Seattle and Circle City.

Washington, July 15, via Skagway, July 20.—The postoffice department has contracted for an increase in the postal service and to quicken the time between Seattle and Circle City and intermediate points. The new contract also calls for an additional round trip every month by way of Valdes.

STEAMBOAT NEWS.

The steamer Flora arrived last evening from Whitehorse with the following passengers: G. F. B. James, Miss B. Robinson, Miss S. Robinson, H. G. Evans, P. Evans, Miss K. Lyons, Alec Guinot, Mrs. Goynes and son, H. Goynes, G. H. Barnes, H. Engleseth, Mrs. Bourries. The Flora will leave on her return trip this evening at 7 o'clock.
The steamer Columbian passed Selwyn on her way down at 12 today.
The steamer Crimmins passed Hootalingna at 8 o'clock this morning on her way down.

The Aurora dock is receiving a coat of fire proof asbestos paper and will be entirely covered with galvanized iron.
A Lady of Travel.
Miss Gearon, who hails from London, England, is a recent arrival in the city and will remain until the departure of the first boat down the river. Miss Gearon is the possessor of the first globe trotter's ticket that ever was issued bearing Dawson in its itinerary. It was purchased at Seattle and entitles the holder to passage to Skagway, Whitehorse, Dawson, St. Michael, Nome, and thence to San Francisco.

Send a copy of Goetzman's Souvenir to your outside friends. A complete pictorial history of the Klondike. For sale at all news stands.
A delicious meal, quickly and daintily served, at the Yukon Hotel for 75c.
Fresh Lowmey's candies. Kelly & Co., druggists.
Latest stamp photos at Goetzman's.

WITH THE PEOPLE

Rests the Question Whether or not Gold Dust Shall be Retired

FROM CIRCULATING AS EXCHANGE

Says Governor Ross Whom Com- mittee Waited on Yesterday

GOLD DUST IS NOT MONEY

But Personal Property and No Law Can Prevent its use in Ex- change and Barter.

"The matter of retiring gold dust from general circulation rests wholly and entirely with the merchants themselves." So said Commissioner Ross yesterday afternoon to a Nugget man when questioned as to what had resulted or would result from the conference had at noon with the delegation of business men who had called upon him to see if some means could not be devised by which the gold dust problem could be solved.

"Gold dust," said the commissioner, "is as much personal property as wheat, coal or anything else, and I do not believe any local council or government could pass an ordinance or a law to prohibit the use of such dust in barter and trade so long as the parties concerned are agreeable. Gold dust is not money nor can it be considered or made so except by the action of the government. As it is used here it is simply a product of the country which those who mine it, as the farmer who grows wheat, exchange for food, clothing, etc. It would be as impossible for the government to say to a miner 'you will be no longer allowed to trade your dust for a supply of groceries,' and trading is all it amounts to, as it would be for it to tell a gardener that he could not exchange the product of his little farm for a team of horses or a fisherman his fish for a bill of hardware. Whenever the merchants and others by a concerted action refuse to accept gold dust for their goods then the dust will be retired from circulation, and not before. The banks assure us, and it is doubtless true, that there is sufficient currency here for every use and if a shortage should ever occur the matter of putting more into circulation is only a question of the bank officials signing and issuing more at once. The merchants must settle the gold dust problem themselves."

Members of the committee who waited upon the commissioner were seen this morning and they all had more or less to say about the matter.

"The fact of the matter is," said Percy Palmer, of Palmer Bros., "the merchants are allowing more for dust by a dollar an ounce than it is worth and that shrinkage means an absolute loss to us unless it is made up in some manner or other. Goods are being sold on a closer margin every day and the time will soon come when if the dust is taken at all it must be accepted at something more near its actual value. We never see any of the higher grades of dust; if we did it would help equalize matters to some little extent, but we don't get it. Every day we are paid bills by Gold Run miners who take the dust from their claims and sell it for \$17 or more an ounce then buy commercial dust at \$15 and pay their accounts with it at the rate of \$16. If the circulation of dust can not be legislated out of existence I hope some other means will be found to retire it."

R. P. McLennan, the hardware magnate, said: "The question is in just the same position it was a year ago. We are still taking dust at \$16 that is worth but \$15 and I am sure I don't know where the remedy will be unless the government should establish an assay office here and buy all the gold, paying for the same its actual assay value, less a very small commission. The merchants had matters arranged on a somewhat more equitable basis last summer when it was agreed dust should be accepted at only \$15, but you remember how that agreement ter-

minated." I trust that upon the arrival of Mr. Sifton every possible pressure will be brought to bear upon him which will result in the establishment of an assay office here.

H. Te Roller, manager of the N. A. T. & T. Co., expresses himself about as follows: "There is no doubt but the gold dust question is a perplexing one, all sides considered. It hardly seems probable that the government, at least the local government, can see its way clear to pass an ordinance at present prohibiting the barter of the product. Everyone must agree that the present system works a hardship upon the public in general and a large proportion of miners in particular. If concerted action could be taken which would protect the interest of all dealers and miners equitably, it would be a happy consummation of the difficulty. I would not like to suggest just now what would be a proper and satisfactory solution of the matter."

H. C. Macaulay had nothing to say for publication. He was in favor of keeping it until the desired effect had been secured, but considered more harm often times resulted from the press handling a subject prematurely, and for that reason declined to be quoted.

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY

Was One of Two Charges That Stuck This Morning.

Edward Davis was before Magistrate McDonnell in the police court this morning on two charges preferred by Constable Timmins. The first charge



"IT IS UNDERSTOOD THE CAPTAIN'S TELEGRAM WILL READ:" . . . NEWS, JULY 18.

brought against him was that of allowing his dog to run at large without being properly muzzled according to the ordinance which provides that muzzles shall be so constructed as to cover the mouth of the dog in such a way as to prevent any possibility of the dog biting. The dog which was following Davis and which was the cause of the charge being laid had a muzzle on but it was a strap over the nose instead of inclosing the mouth. Davis disclaimed all ownership to the dog and said it was simply following him upon which the magistrate dismissed the case. The second charge was that of being drunk and trying to force his way into Butler's saloon after being once put out. To this charge Davis pleaded guilty of being drunk, but said that he was not creating a disturbance and further stated that after he had spent all of his money at Butler's place he had been thrown out and considered himself a very misused person. George Butler, proprietor of the place, was sent for and stated that Davis had not become intoxicated at this place, but had come there drunk and was creating a disturbance for which he had been ejected twice and was making a third attempt to enter when he was arrested. The magistrate gave Davis the option of paying \$50

STRIKE SPREADING

Nearly 100,000 Men Walk Out of Coal Mines in Scranton and Wilkes- barre Districts on Sym- pathetic Strike.

Pittsburg, July 15, via Skagway, July 20.—Reports indicate that the strike ordered by the Amalgamated Association of Steel Workers was generally obeyed, as 74,000 men have quit work. Thousands of others are ready to walk out, but the association on the great showing of its strength already made papers to effect a compromise.

Pittsburg, July 16.—There is little change in the strike situation since yesterday except that men are quitting work by the thousands. The strike of the stationary engineers in the Scranton district alone has caused 43,000 men to quit work and only five collieries in the Wilkesbarre district are working today.

and costs or serving 30 days at hard labor.

John North and James Fisher were having what they were pleased to term a friendly wrestling bout in the alley between First and Second avenues at 3 a. m. and had attracted quite a crowd. They admitted being somewhat under the influence of liquor, but said there was no anger between them. The magistrate said that they nevertheless were disturbers of the peace and fined each \$5 and costs or two days at hard labor.

Canned spring chicken. Selman & Myers.
"In Mizouri."

Inspectors of Customs.

Mr. S. W. McMichael, chief inspector of the Dominion customs, accompanied by Mr. E. A. Bettoff assistant inspector, is a recent arrival in the city, being on his regular annual tour of inspection. Mr. McMichael was in Dawson two years ago and in speaking of the changes he now witnesses says the transformation is but little short of marvelous. The gentlemen will remain in the city a week or ten days.

Kodak tripods: \$3.50 Goetzman's.
Fruit juices at Selman & Myers.
"In Mizouri."

SHIPPERS, ATTENTION!

The report circulated by a venal press that Black Sullivan's Barges are wrecked is a canard and was manufactured for the purpose of scaring possible shippers this fall via the mouth of the river. Read the ridiculous telegram (?) published in the news:

*** It is understood that the Captain's telegram will read:—Send no more this season to mouth of the Yukon as storms are unprecedented.

Wouldn't that make a horse laugh? The intent is so apparent, the design so absurd that the intended evil will only react on the silly fabricators. Interested shippers may rest easy—your goods will arrive safely.

P. S.—The "wrecked" barges did not contain freight.

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LETTERS
And Small Packages can be sent to the Creeks by our carriers on the following days: Every Tuesday and Friday in Eldorado, Bonanza, Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run, Sulphur, Quartz and Omineca.

SATURDAY, JULY 20, 1901.

THE PEOPLE NOT FOOLS.

It looks significant that the weird reports of storms, wrecks and disasters on the west coast should be published in our contemporary just at the time of the visit of the officials of the White Pass & Yukon Route. Two and two make four and the News greatly underestimates the intelligence of the people of Dawson when it attempts such rank perpetration. In a way the News attempted to justify itself in its position yesterday evening but it failed to give any reason for having used a four-column heading over news of the alleged loss of three wood-laden scows. One column to the scow would have been sufficient. As a sensationist in behalf of the W. P. & Y. R. and at the expense of the people of Dawson the News got off on the wrong foot. Its work is too coarse for other than the natives.

SLIGHTLY OVERDRAWN.

"The creeks are all scenes of the utmost activity, and everywhere there is a good demand for labor. In fact, there are not enough men in the country to supply the demand. Men are being paid at the rate of 80 cents an hour with board, and every man in the country who will work is employed at that rate."

The foregoing appeared in the Seattle P. I. of July 12th as the statement of Mr. A. S. Dautrick, agent of the Washington-Alaska Steamship Co., who recently visited Dawson and also made a hurried trip up Bonanza and Eldorado. Just on what claims he found men working at 80 cents per hour and board Mr. Dautrick did not state, neither did he say anything about B. Y. N. longshoremen working for 75 cents an hour and boarding themselves.

Mr. Dautrick is an awfully good fellow but he should smoke up a little before submitting to an interview for publication in Seattle. Such overdrawn reports of the Klondike are apt to cause outside longshoremen who get 40 and 50 cents an hour to become dissatisfied with their jobs.

VALE, BRYAN.

Times are changed, indeed, when a banner bearing the picture of the "matchless leader" is trampled under foot in a wild demonstration of displeasure in a Democratic convention. The Bryanites, says the Post-Intelligencer, are learning something about the way that history repeats itself. The period of their supremacy was one of such intolerance as even the Democratic party had never exhibited before. They were not satisfied with beating the Cleveland faction, they determined to drive it out of the party altogether.

There were no bounds to their hate and no restraint upon their insults. The bitterest invectives uttered against the Cleveland administration came from Democratic lips. There was scarcely a Democratic convention of note, held after the Chicago meeting, where some speaker did not occupy himself with insults to Mr. Cleveland personally. There is no crime in the calendar of which he was not accused, and the files of the Congressional Record will

show that in both senate and house he has been cursed by Democratic lips. It was a policy as unwise as it was unjust. Hate begets hate, and the turn of the other gentlemen has come.

It is not in human nature that they should use their power generously. They have the memory of all these insults to appease; and in addition there is hot resentment against the man whom all hold responsible for party disruption and defeat. No matter who shall be the leader of the reorganized Democracy, it will have just as few good words for Bryan as the Bryan Democracy had for Cleveland. The complaint of injustice will not lie against these men. They have suffered party and personal ignominy at the hands of this man who was relentless in his hates and in his party management. No greater tyrant ever held a party subservient to his whims. No leader was ever more destitute of political magnanimity. Now that he is down, the majority will ride over him without a glance of pity.

We had not expected to see this demonstration, quite so soon or in form quite so aggravated, but the Ohio Democrats were driven wild by their sudden and easy victory. The states are few in number, indeed, where Democracy after this will be so poor as to do Mr. Bryan reverence even in a formal and perfunctory way. He will have to fall back on the Commoner and the new seven-ple party of socialism that was made especially to his measure.

Journalists Home.

Philadelphia, July 13.—After ten years of unremitting efforts by the international league of press clubs there is soon to be established in New Orange, N. J., the Home of Journalists. The last legal step preparatory to the active advance of the enterprise was taken yesterday, when articles of incorporation—under the laws of New Jersey were granted to the Journalists Home Association.

For the erection and maintenance of the building the sum of \$250,000 will be necessary. The larger part of this, it is expected, will be raised from the sale of a colossal magazine entitled "Bohemia," which is to be issued next year. Its contributors will be the greatest novelists, artists and literateurs of the world. Plans for the building are now in the hands of the architects.

Suspicious of Skagway.

Several miners who arrived today from Dawson with pokes of gold learned today upon checking up their riches that at some point on their way down they had been robbed of considerable amounts. None of them are at all positive where the leakage occurred, but some of them are suspicious that it was at a Skagway hotel at which all of the losers stopped. The heaviest losers are A. Wanger of No. 13 Eldorado, who found his shortage to amount to \$125 ounces, August Bay of No. 2 Eldorado is short 5 ounces and at least three other recent arrivals have suffered similar losses. The men declare unanimously that the only place where their pokes were out of their hands was at the hotel in question.—Times, July 13.

The above is probably the cause of the river and harbor committee hurrying out of Skagway without going up town.

Burned Down.

Silver City, N. M., July 13.—The Bremen mill and smelter, just below town, has been totally destroyed by fire. The loss is not known. The fire was detected issuing through the roof of the wooden buildings and before the department could reach the ground the entire plant was a mass of roaring flames, utterly beyond control.

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Straw, Leather or Cloth.

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ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS

Piano playing is not music; it is a bad habit.

Sawing wood is the better exercise, but golf is more popular.

People revise their list of heroes every three or four years.

Some men cannot even tack up advertising signs, and do it well.

There's one thing about a liar; it is difficult to deceive him with a lie.

Unless she intends to split kindling, a woman has no use for a hatchet.

When a man quotes "prominent citizens," he is really expressing his own opinion.

Down in every woman's heart is a longing to be loved like they love on the stage.

If it comes easy for some people to do a thing well, it is the result of constant trying.

An ornery person receives a lot of appreciations when he does do anything commendable.

One of the funniest things in the world is the man who speaks of his "spiritual adviser."

Many men who can tell you exactly where to go to catch fish, cannot catch any fish themselves.

We imagine that some women must be as hard to fit as it would be to fit a garment on a rocking chair.

After a girl has prepared refreshments for a party, her next step is to hide them from her brother.

It is some people's notion of a joke to talk about the worms in apples when the hostess passes the cider.

A man never knows until after he marries how much of her time a woman spends with hair in her mouth.

Would Release Him.

Cripple Creek, July 13.—Through the action of an Ohio sheriff, it is said the governors of Colorado and Ohio will be appealed to secure the liberty of a man now said to be on his way east under arrest.

Sheriff J. M. Downs of Mechanicsville, Ohio, arrived here a week ago with requisition papers for Albert M. Weir, charged with deserting his infant child, which, in Ohio, is a criminal offense. Weir was arrested, but was subsequently discharged upon habeas corpus proceedings instituted before Judge Conningham of the district court.

Some time last night, it is said, Sheriff Downs appeared at Weir's house and compelled him to accompany him aboard a train on which they left the city. Sheriff Stewart of this city, when he learned of the affair, wired Governor Orman the facts and will ask him to appeal to the Ohio executive to have Weir released.

Cannery Combine.

Portland, July 10.—A number of representatives of Northwest salmon canneries returned today from New York where negotiations for a combination of the canning interests on Puget Sound and in Alaska have been under way.

It is learned that the new company will be incorporated in New Jersey within a day or two with a capital of \$32,000,000. Sixteen million of stock will be issued at once and the remaining \$16,000,000 held for future operations.

Number your houses and get your mail. Standard letters approved by Commissioner Ross are now being placed on all stores and residences. cri

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Cantwell, photographer, has moved down town. Third street, opposite A. C. Co.

Pine candies, delicious ice cream at Mrs. West's new store, Second ave.

Outside draught beer at Standard theatre bar 25 cents.

Best mixed drinks in town—Sideboard.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

FAIRVIEW.
Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Curry, Gold Run; John Mullen, Magnet Hill; H. J. Seideman, Chicago; A. H. Jones, Chicago; G. H. Hartley, Quartz.

FLANNERY.
J. E. White, W. S. Davison, J. Conway, J. Griffith, Chas. W. Allen, Gold Run; John Salt, Gold Run; F. H. Maynard, Forks; J. Lewis, Bonanza; J. Hawley, Wm. Cliffin, Hunker; D. A. Cunningham, Last Chance; M. Christie, Sulphur; G. P. Sgrovi, Sulphur; Chas. de Linde, T. Cole, Hunker; James R. McKinnell, E. Geneelle, Tom Dillon, Dominion; J. P. Hubrick, Seattle.

YUKON.
Joseph David, Last Chance; R. P. Robinson, Dr. Austin, Minneapolis; E. A. Williams, W. O. Robinson, J. Barker, Warren Shea, Last Chance; V. Olson, Last Chance.

In New Quarters.
Geo. G. Cantwell, the popular photographer and dealer in Yukon and Klondike views, has moved from his old place on Third avenue to one of the new rooms in the Bank building opposite the dry goods department of the N. C. Co., one of the best locations in Dawson. George invites all his friends to visit him; in his new quarters and unless too busy, he will entertain them with a song, story, mandolin solo or cake walk.

National Editorial Association.
At the recent meeting of the national editorial association held in Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. Albert Tozier, owner and editor of the Pacific Farmer of Portland, Oregon, and a brother of Mr. Leroy Tozier of Dawson, had the distinguished honor of being elected president of the association for the ensuing year, the first time in its history that its first officer has been chosen from so near the Pacific coast. Editor Tozier is an old newspaper man, his first experience being as editor of a college journal more than 25 years ago.

The Free Library.
The members of the board of control of the Free Library are soliciting subscriptions towards securing a large number of new books, magazines and papers for that institution before the close of navigation, and also to secure increased and better accommodation. Following is the list of subscribers thus far: Mrs. F. C. Wade, \$50; N. A. T. & T. Co., \$50; N. C. C., \$100; Ames Mercantile Co., \$25; Ladue Co., \$25; Palmer Bros., \$10; B. Levine, \$10; Jas. Adair, \$10.

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Best Prices for Gold Dust

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OLD OOM K. ADVISES PIRACY

Would Attempt to Cripple England on High Seas

By Sending out Armed Vessels to Capture and Loot Merchantmen—Had Better Pass.

Oom Paul and his followers have been seized with another spasm of unreason. They proposed to send forth vessels armed with powers from the ex-president of the Transvaal to prey upon British shipping. Apart altogether from the question of the validity of so-called letters of marque signed by the ex-president of a state without sovereign authority and that never possessed seaports, the days of piracy are over and the powers even of desperadoes such as advise Kruger are limited. There is an understanding between the nations that the old barbarous practices will never again be resorted to. The records of pirates-men are a sufficient justification for this, even if there be reason for a suspicion that Great Britain's command of the sea has something to do with the quantity of condemnation. The Dutch of old were most intrepid mariners, but we doubt very much if there are many of their successors eager to take command of a vessel with the object of preying upon British commerce and attempting to dodge the swift cruisers of the royal navy, from the destroyers up. Violent hatred of Britain is chiefly confined to ignorant landmen. Seamen travel, and travel broadens the understanding and removes prejudice. Sailors of all nations have been placed under obligations to the British at various times. There will therefore be no great rush from abroad after lucrative posts on Kruger's pirate ships. It is safe to set the privateer yarn down as a brilliant work of the imagination of a versatile newspaper man, probably under inspiration from Dr. Leyds.

Whatever view we may take of the conduct of Kruger and his counselors before the war commenced and since it has been in operation, we cannot but admire their pertinacity of purpose. They have been rebuffed repeatedly by their friends, but have always been ready to renew their efforts when they thought the time opportune. They have no regard whatever for the men who are bearing the consequences of the conflict which they provoked, nor for the welfare of the women and children dependent upon them. They persist in urging that the fight shall be maintained and they guarantee intervention and the preservation of lost independence. They have their agents traveling in the United States and some of the states of Europe which do not look so much with favor on their cause as they hate Britain. Looking back over the events of the last few years, we can see now that the Boer states were not so foolhardy as they appeared when they ordered their men to advance upon British territory. But for the rising of the empire en masse to the work of defense, there might have been a melancholy story to tell. The slightest exhibition of indifference on the part of Great Britain and the nations might have advanced the mailed fist instead of the hand of friendship. —Victoria Colonist.

Verdict of the Editor.

The first city editor I ever worked under, says a well known editor, was generally admitted to be a fine newspaper man, but unpopular with the staff on account of his early manners. I think the whole trouble was attributable to the fact that he had a slight impediment in his speech, which made it necessary for him to limit his conversation as much as possible. When he gave an order, it exasperated him to have to repeat it, and his bearing naturally became curt and abrupt. But to come to the point, one night a week or so after I joined the staff I got hold of a little story about a runaway country girl who had been found by the police. She was a gawky young person of 18 or thereabout, homely as a mud fence and as uninteresting as an old shoe, but I saw a chance to distinguish myself and made the episode the basis of a charming romance a column and a half long and when I handed in the manuscript watched furtively to see the city editor go into spasms of delight.

But he didn't do anything of the kind. He read two pages with an expression that grew more and more fatigued and then beckoned me to his desk. "Y-y-young man," he said sternly, "b-b-boil this in f-ernal, g ghastly r-r-rot down to the b-b-bones!" He hurled the words bones at me in such a terrible voice that I nearly fell over. Of course I was deeply chagrined and also a little resentful, and when I carried the story back to my table I confess that I went out of my way to obey his order to the letter.

In a short time I returned with a single page of "copy," containing a cold, colorless statement of fact, from which every particle of human interest

had been carefully compressed. He read it, and his eyes twinkled slightly. "My b-b-boy," he said, "your f-f first story was too g-g-good to be t-t-true; this too t-t-true to be g-g-good. G-g-go see w-w-whether you can't s-s-split the d-d-d-difference." —Ex.

Editorial Exasperation.

The people of Canada own enough spruce to supply the entire world's demand for paper, and to realize sufficient profit to the business to maintain the whole body of the Canadian people in comfort, affluence and ease. But they give their spruce away! A short pause is here necessary whilst this great journal cases itself by making some remarks that are not suitable to put in print. Yes, the Canadian people who own the spruce instead of using it themselves give it away to others. We are the Canadian people. We've got the spruce. We've got the water power. And, by Jingo, we've got the money, too. Nevertheless we don't use spruce or water power, but hand both over to Yankee capitalists of the Rockefeller, Goght, Vanderbilt, Morgan, Carnegie description. Oh, Great Scott! Oh, Holy O'Margarine! Nor is that all. The government, to keep up the prices of paper so that the holders of the spruce may make a greater profit, put an importation tax on foreign paper and want let it come into Canada until it has paid duty! Here. Carry this journal out into the cool air, it is completely overcome by its reflections on the hopeless stupidity of the Canadian people. Pulp, Pulp. Why, the Canadian brains are pulp. —Bobbygeon Independent.

Dynamite Explosion.

Denver, July 11. —A magazine of dynamite located near the Grant smelter exploded this morning, killing two men and injuring several others. The dead are: Domencio Muto, Tony West. These two men were in the magazine getting a supply of dynamite to use for blasting when the explosion occurred. They were blown to pieces and the fragments of the bodies strewn over the prairie for hundreds of yards. Other men working in the vicinity were thrown to the ground and stunned. The shock was felt a mile away. All the windows in the neighborhood were smashed and the windows in the Union stock yards bank fully a quarter of a mile away were shattered. The damage is estimated at \$5000.

The killed and injured were employed in preparing slag from the smelter, to be used for ballasting on the Burlington & Missouri River.

The explosion is believed to have been caused by the terrific heat.

In Manila.

Manila, July 11. —The trial of Lieut. Boown of the Second infantry, charged with murdering, near Binangonan, Infanta province, a native who was suspected of responsibility in the death of a soldier, began today. The soldier referred to was drowned while a detachment of the Second infantry was swimming a river under fire. The lieutenant, at the time of the occurrence, questioned the native and the latter boited, whereupon Brown shot him dead.

Capt. Francis H. Fremont, also of the Second infantry, is being tried for striking a soldier. The court has requested that Capt. Wright, now in Washington, be ordered here to testify. As an outgrowth of the ill feeling existing in some quarters, it developed recently that H. Phelps Whitmarsh, the governor of Bengulit (who has been ordered here to have charges against him investigated) had a physical encounter with Secretary Otto Schierer of that province who disapproves of the governor's administration.

Dutch Harbor News.

San Francisco, July 13. —The steamer Høner has arrived direct from Dutch Harbor, Alaska. The vessel sailed from here last spring with supplies for the sealing stations at Dutch Harbor and on St. Paul and St. George's islands in the Pribilof group.

Thirty deaths from measles have occurred at St. Paul's and seventeen at St. George's during the past winter. On the day of her departure for this port, July 3, the only vessel at Dutch Harbor was the United States gunboat Concord from Manila, which had been in port about two weeks and was to sail July 3 for Point Barrow with supplies to assist the revenue fleet. The Concord may take a herd of reindeer from Siberia to various points on the Alaska coast. All steamers bound for Nome had left Dutch Harbor, including the transport Warren, which left the harbor about the middle of June.

(It will be noted that the above says nothing about "severe storms sweeping the coast" or having swept the coast. It does say, however, that all Nome bound steamers have passed on and "Nome bound steamers" include steamers for St. Michael.)

Notice. A special general meeting of the members of the Zero Club will be held at the club rooms at Dawson Saturday 9 p.m., July 20th, to hear and consider the report of the trustees on an agreement to be entered into for a change of club rooms.

Outside draught beer at Standard theater bar 25-cents.

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LOST—A 3-carat diamond earring Wednesday evening in the dressing room or about the stage of the Standard theatre. A reward of \$100 will be paid for the return of the earring and no questions asked. Eddie O'Brien, care Standard theatre.

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N. F. HAGEL, Q. C. Barrister, Notary, etc., over McLennan, McFesty & Co., hardware store, First Avenue.
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MINING ENGINEERS.
J. B. TYRRELL—Mining Engineer—Mineralogist and assayer. Properties valued, Mission St., next door to public school, and at below discovery, Yukon river.

SOCIETIES.
THE REGULAR COMMUNICATION of Yukon Lodge, (U. D.) A. F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic hall, Mission street, monthly, Thursday or before full moon at 8:00 p. m. C. H. Wells, W. M. J. A. Donald, Secy.

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AN 8-PAGE ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY NEWSPAPER WITH COLORED SUPPLEMENT.
This advertisement is simply an announcement. We cannot sell papers on the street on Sunday, nor can we derive any financial returns from this ad. We use the space to inform you that we have "kept the faith," and tomorrow morning the paper will appear as advertised.
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It is to be hoped that nature will reassert her supremacy over the elements and that the mountainous seas now crashing with appalling might all along the Coast of Alaska (not including Lynn Canal) will subside, otherwise it will be impossible for us to continue in Business as all boats now coming up river will go to the everlasting how-wows. But fortunately for us we are just now riding on the crest of the wave and are still doing business at prices which have caused the awful uproar.

SEE HOW THE STORM AFFECTS OUR NEXT WEEK'S PRICE BULLETIN!

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COMMISSIONER'S RESIDENCE

Brief Description of the New Home of Governor Ross.

When Completed it Will be the Most Elaborate of Any in the Territory—Costing \$25,000.

With this issue of the Nugget is presented a view of the front elevation of the new official residence of the commissioner of the territory now under construction on First avenue between the residence of Collector of Customs Davis and the gold commissioner's office. When finished it will be the handsomest and most costly place of residence in the territory and one more suitable for the habitation of the chief executive than the log cabin which housed ex-Commissioner Ogilvie a few years ago.

The interior arrangements are excellently made, the dining room and drawing room both being sufficiently large to admit of receptions being held. As one enters from the street a flight of low broad steps leads one into a vestibule at the inner end of which four additional steps takes one through the inner doors and into the main hall. This hall is quite large, in fact, might almost be called a room, being 13x31 in size. At the farther end of the hall stairs lead to the upper floors.

To the left of the hall as one enters is a small reception room, 13x14, connecting with the drawing room in the rear, 14x34. On the right of the hall is an office or study, 13x14; the dining room being immediately back of it 14x24 in size. Still further to the rear are a butler's pantry, serving room, kitchen, etc.

On the second floor are six chambers, 14x15, some with baths attached and a possessing that luxury which has heretofore been unknown in Klondike architecture—a closet. In the attic are servants' quarters, while in the cellar are storage bins for fuel and a huge hot air furnace.

The interior as well as all the door and window casings will be finished in imported fir. The roof will be of galvanized iron and brick chimneys will be used exclusively. The outside of the building will be of rustic, heretofore being scroll work in the gables and the main entrance will be ornamented by four pilasters surmounted by a hand-

some balcony. The estimated cost of the residence is \$25,000, and it is expected to be completed and ready for occupancy before the beginning of winter. It is being built under the direction of local Superintendent of Public Works Fallier who also drew plans for the building.

A Fish Story.
In a late issue of the News the public was informed that salmon were now being caught at the mouth of the Klondike. This will be news to the fishermen who have for the past two weeks been anxiously awaiting their coming, particularly as they have cast their nets hundreds of times in a vain effort to ensnare the king of fish. The salmon which are now in market came from the coast and were shipped in cold storage to this point. The fish editor of the News might also be informed that king salmon are not desporting in the clear waters at the mouth of the Klondike. If any should be found there in the future they will be too intent on business to "desport" any length of time.

COMING AND GOING.

Mrs. Robert Hutcheson has returned to the states.
Uly. Geinford, a four dough of '97, has gone outside on a visit.

A special meeting of the Yukon council is being held this afternoon.
Clerk of the Court McDonald will accompany Justice Dugas to Whitehorse tomorrow.

H. A. Bliss, chief license inspector, and J. D. McGregor have gone outside on a vacation.

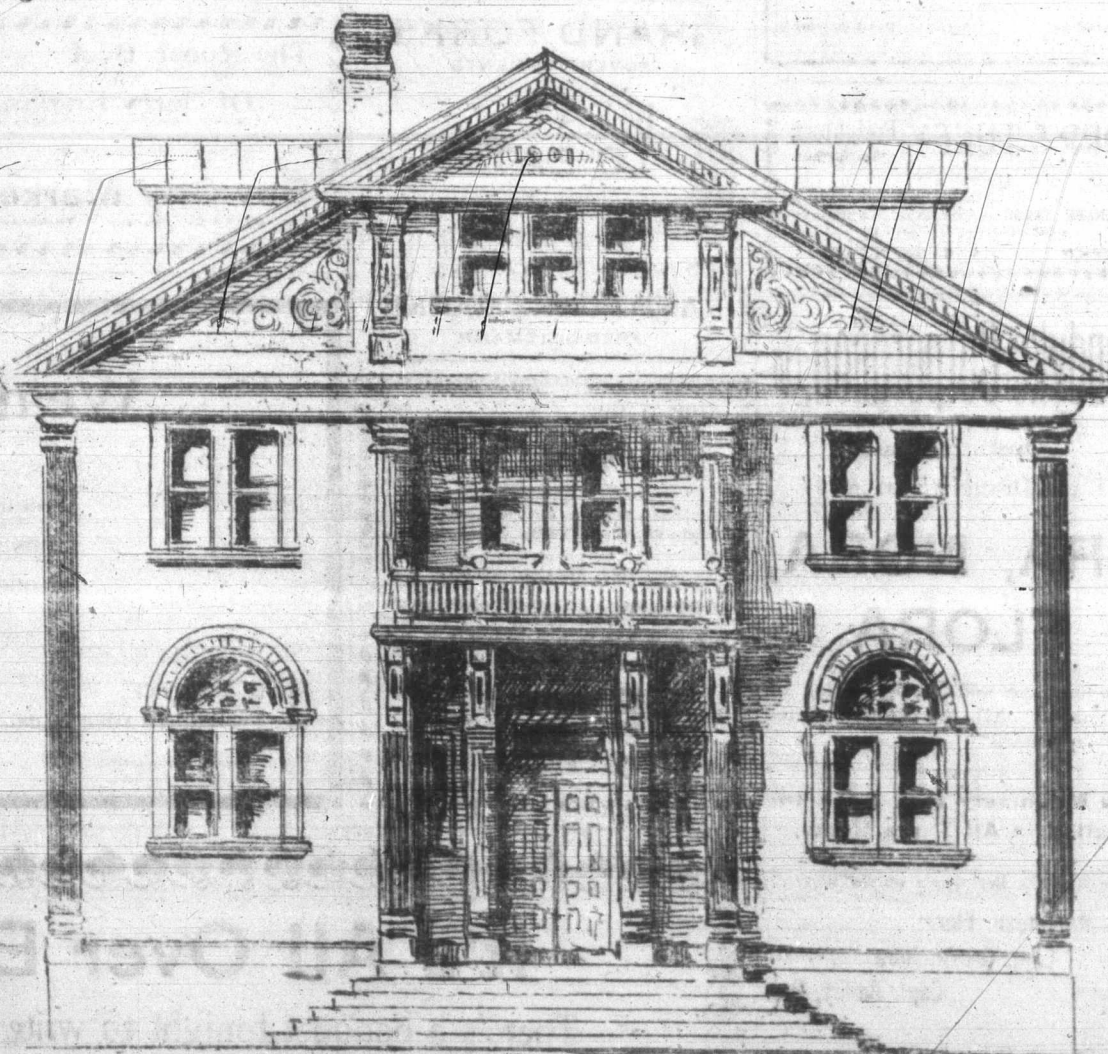
Mrs. Ralph Boyker left for the outside on the Victorian. She will remain all winter.

H. J. McPeely, of the hardware firm of McLennan & McPeely, will leave for Vancouver tomorrow night on the Whitehorse.

Myrtle Drummond, one of the particularly bright stars of the theatrical firmament, was a passenger for the outside on the Victorian.

Just Like Home.
The steamer Clifford Sifton left for Whitehorse yesterday morning with 50 passengers and a small consignment of freight for way points. The Sifton is proving one of the most popular boats of the up river fleet this season, due to the excellent accommodations furnished and the never failing courtesy of the crew. She will be in port again on Wednesday.

Public Auction.
Geo. Vernon has been instructed by Jas. Flannery, esq., to sell at public auction on Saturday, the 27th of July, at 2 p. m., at the Flannery hotel, 6 young, sound, heavy working horses; 2 fast saddle horses; 3 new heavy wagons.
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WILL BUILD STAMP MILL

To Demonstrate Value of Victoria Gulch Ledge.

A practical test and one which will fully demonstrate the value of the quartz ledge at the head of Victoria gulch is to be made by the establishment of a stamp mill on the property. The owners Messrs. Carthy and Goodman have been in town several days negotiating for one of the stamp mills of which there are two in Dawson.

The discovery of this ledge was made over a year ago by the gentlemen above named and claims were staked by them.

They informed Messrs. Chas. Myers and Egan Harnish of their discovery and claims were staked by the latter gentlemen also. The gentlemen pooled their stakes and started prospecting with the result that after a year's work several holes have been sunk 20, 30 and 40 feet and the ledge has been crossed in several places from 45 to 60 feet. The ledge is located on the mountain between the head of Victoria gulch, a tributary of Upper Bonanza, and the head of Gay gulch, a tributary of Eldorado creek, and has been traced for a distance of three miles. Wherever the ledge has been opened it shows fine samples of free milling coarse gold, nuggets form some of which goes from \$2 to \$5.

The chief trouble experienced in opening the ledge has been caused by the water which in the coldest weather is said to never freeze and has always caused considerable interference in the work. The footwall of the ledge is clearly defined, but the hanging wall has not yet been found it, appearing to run into and frozen to the country formation. The quartz seam is over four feet wide and the rest of the gold is carried in mica shist and quartz intermingled.

Numerous offers have been made for

the property but the owners have refused to listen to any kind of a proposition and are said to have refused a cash offer of \$40,000. They believe they have enough ore in sight from which they can take out enough money in a very short time to pay for a stamp mill when they once get into operation.

On the claim adjoining the one belonging to Messrs. Carthy and Goodman, the owners are working a Mexican Eraste which has only recently been put into operation. A cleanup was made yesterday from it, but the results have not yet become known.

Gold Commissioners Court.

The gold commissioner's court yesterday and today was occupied in hearing the cases of Patton vs. Peterson, Hepfinger vs. Hill and Gould vs. Thuber. All the cases are concerning the Lovett gulch. According to one of the plaintiffs he staked some months ago and upon applying for record he was informed the ground was not open for location. Several weeks later it was learned the same claim had been taken up by another, and a protest was accordingly filed by the original staker.

Bonnie Wee Laddie.

A young warbler of Scotch song arrived yesterday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McPherson. Their many friends are extending the usual felicitations upon the arrival of a son and heir.

Miners Attention.

A complete modern hydraulic plant has arrived in Dawson from Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co. and is for sale at a very reasonable figure. If you are interested see their agent E. M. Kalberg at Empire hotel or W. Kleinsch at Townsend & Rose cigar store Dawson.

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