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Short Orders Cooked Right!

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Flour and a Lot of Groceries Were Stolen From James Mitchell.

GEOORGE NICHOLS STANDS ACCUSED

Of Breaking Into Mitchell's Cabin and Stealing.

THE GRUB NOW IN QUESTION.

Scow No. 592 Must Pay Salvage to the Men Who Tied It Up at Moosehide Last Summer.

This morning in the territorial court before Justice Dugas the case of the crown against James George Nichols was heard, the accused having elected to be tried before a jury.

The charge, as summarized by Crown Prosecutor Wade to the jury, was that between the 1st of September and the 30th of October he broke into the house of James G. W. Mitchell, back of Dawson on the hill, and stole groceries to the amount of \$20.

Mr. Mitchell was the first witness called and testified as to the security of the lock and fastenings of the door. He said he was a claim owner on Eureka creek where he spent most of his time. A short time since he returned from his claim and found that a pickaxe had been used on his door with evident intent to break it open, and that augur holes had been bored about the bolt and staple which held the yale lock in such a way as to allow them to be pulled out and the door opened. He detailed a long list of groceries which had been taken, and in the newly fallen snow were foot prints which he thought showed which way the goods gone. The next day he swore out a search warrant and found in the cabin Merom's crew had narrow escapes. of the accused, some 20 or 30 feet distant, a number of the missing pack-

These things were produced and were identified by Mr. Mitchell.

Just before the calling of this case,

the case of Regina vs. Riddle was called, but as there was some doubt as to the condition of the accused the hearing of the case was postponed.

In the court above this morning by Justice Craig was rendered the first de-cision ever handed down in Dawson arm. Well Lighted by an admiralty court. The decision referred to was in the claim for salvage

against scow No. 592, the property of a number of orders already taken have

the breaking away of several scows and rafts from their moorings before the town last summer, when scow No. 592 town last summer, when scow No. 592 broke away and started with its cargo of hay and groceries for some point down stream. The three plaintiffs went after the runaway scow and tied her up at the historic and romantic city of Moosehide, thereby preventing of Moosehide, thereby preventing of the holiday issue of the Nugget now in course of preparation.

A typical Klondike winter scene is presented, which will form a most attractive feature of the publication.

Cher illustrations are being prepared to the holiday issue which promises to her up at the historic and romantic city of Moosehide, thereby preventing its further progress down the river and probable loss. The amount of the salprobable loss. The amount of the salvage is small, but the case has attracted considerable attention and given rise to more or less speculation because the question of salvage on the river has long been one of doubt and controversy.

be throughout a handsome production. Designs for any style of illustration will be made and cuts made therefrom at very reasonable rates. Advertisers are invited to call at the Nugget office and inspect the class of work which the powerly installed engraving department.

Police Court News.

Chief Stewart of the fire department, has very properly opened a campaign against the very prevalent evil of blockading the streets of the city with sleds, wood and a dozen other things with which many of the most public thor-oughfares are lined several feet deep on either side. The chief says that in case it is necessary to make a run to a fire, the crowded condition of the streets and avenues at many points makes it dangerous to the lives of the drivers and renders the apparatus liable to total

For allowing a sleigh to repose for the night almost in the middle of the street F. A. Hadley was before Magis-trate Scarth this morning. Hadley admitted the error of his way and was dismissed with a warning.

Vessel Wrecked

"During the northeast gale which blew with almost hurricane force through the afternoon of October 6th, the Alaska Packer's Association bark Merom, Capt. Peterson, was driven on the rocks of Kadiak island, near Karluk, and totally wrecked," says the Post-Intelligencer of October 18.

"A sailor known as 'Dutch Bill' refused to leave the ship and went down ried down. A minute later the dog appeared among the wreckage and finally follow his advice. swam ashore. News of the disaster came on the Alasak Packers' Association steam tender Kadika, Capt. Haven, which arrived from Karluk.

"The 15 surviving members of the More than half of them, including Capt. Peterson, a man 76 years of age, swam to the beach. Several were more or less cut and bruised by being thrown against the jagged rocks. The others clung to and were hauled in on a life line thrown out between the ship and the shore. 'Dutch Bill' had this privilege, but, despite the entreaties of his comrades, he refused to leave the vessel, as some believe, because of the temporary loss of his sober senses during the excitement consequent upon the disaster. The wreck of the bark carried with it the loss of her cargo of 12,000 cases of salmon, a portion of the pack of the company's Karluk canneries; also more or less damage to the rigging, fore and topsail yards of the shrip Santa Clara, with which the ill-fated vessel got afoul before she piled up on the Karluk rocks.

"The blow began about noon of October 6th. It increased in force until the Merom's anchors dragged, the chains finally parting at 4 p. m. Once adrift, nothing could save her. She swung over against the Santa Clara, which was at anchor, and further which was at anchor, and further weighted down with 50,000 cases of salmon. After pounding the ship for a few minutes the bark freed herself, the gale carrying her hard upon the reef. In less than two hours she was a total wreck. Indeed, the Kadiak's officers report that by nightfall there was not a piece of the bark six feet long to be

"Three of the Merom's crew, Steward Simmons, Seaman Frank Linderberg and the vessels's colored boy, returned on the Kadiak.

"The Merom was a 1024-ton vessel, built at Bath, Me., in 1870. She is owned in San Francisco. Her dimensions were 179 feet and 37 feet beam. She sailed from San Francisco for Karluk, August 28th, with a cargo of 600 tons of coal for the company's can-

An Engraving Department.

The Nugget has added to its already complete printing and binding plant an engraving department capable of turning out work of a similar order as that used for newspaper illustration on the outside. The cuts are made by the zinc etching process and the results of

proven most satisfactory. The decision was verbally given and in effect gives judgment in favor of the plaintiffs, Willig, King and Lindsay, for 10 per cent of the value of the scow and cargo, which amounts to \$301.

The case is one which resulted from the behing energy of experie scows and the behing energy of experies to be well patronized. This is the only engraving plant in

Nugget's engraving department promises to be well patronized.

The most ambitious effort yet made in this line is a full page engraving which will constitute the title page of

for the holiday issue which promises to be throughout a handsome production. Designs for any style of illustration and inspect the class of work which the newly installed engraving department is prepared to turn out.

Bearing Fruit.

A few days ago the Nugget called attention to the fact that the matter of cleaning the glaciers from the various sidewalks would greatly improve their appearance. A few property owners acted on the suggestion and were given due credit for so doing. By yesterday morning the sidewalk cleaning spirit had become contagious and on First and Second avenues many men were at work and by evening there was good walk-ing where formerly life was endan-gered by attempts to pass over the cor-duroyed thoroughfare. Today the good work is being further prosecuted and by the middle of the week the sidewalks of the busiest streets will be as free from ice as they were in midsum-

Mum Is the Word

Vernon consulted an attorney who said this morning that she would probably floated down the river in small boats. cease talking about the recent murder trial in which she has been such a prominent figure.

with her to his death. A faithful dog gether silent and non-committal on the stood by him on the deck and was car- subject of her evidence in the trial referred to and he supposed she would

A call at her room door failed to get any response from within.

ed Ogilvie in the morning, was delivered to the postoffice in this of city. The consignment consisted in the neighborhood of 500 pounds, prin-

that the mercury sank to 30.5 degrees below zero last night. At 8 o'clock this morning it stood at 30, but rose several degrees during the day.

Plenty of Fuel.

The increased demand for fuel at the barracks has been met by increased steam saw having been added to the royal reduction works. These mills are operated to hours every day, the work being performed by closely guarded prisoners. It is not, however, believed the guards have any great snap, as their duties are almost as arduous as are those of the men who perform the work.

Watch, jewelry and diamond work too difficult for ordinary mechanics, successfully handled at J.L. Sale & Co.

The Holborn Cafe for delicacies.

Lindemann the jeweler has removed to Monte Carlo building.

Guns and bikes repaired, skates sharpened, keys fitted and saws filed at Shindler's, "the hardware man." crt

AND LAST

Year Ago.

BUT WITH MORE GASH PER HEAD.

Stock of General Supplies Greater Than Ever Before.

FREIGHTING ONLY IS CHEAPER

No Reduction in Price of Staple Commondities-City Advanced in Every Respect.

If the number of meh now hanging around the numerous resorts of Dawson is to be taken as a basis on which to estimate the population of the city, there are not so many people here as at this time last year. It will be remem-bered that a year ago every club room in the city, and there were fully as Yesterday afternoon after her interview with press representatives, Susie
Vernon consulted an attorney who said time on the creeks after which they

While the city is by no means free from loafers at present, the proprietors of the resorts assert that the number is much less than that of a year ago, Her adviser in the matter is the attorney who said this morning that his advice to her had been to remain altoregether silent and non-committal on the authority for the statement that playing is better now than it was a year ago, although there is not so much plunging by the would-be bloods as there was

A call at her room door failed to get my response from within.

The Clail Arrives.

At a late hour last night the mail which passed Ogilvie in the morning. any winter in the previous history of the country.

It is a fact, however, that there is

little apparent reduction in the cost of cipally letters, very few papers being brought. Another mail is expected the latter part of the week. An outgoing consignment left here at an early hour this morning. The Weather.

The official weather report showed of work to be done shows no appreciable increase. As regards the price of ordinary living, it will not average 5 per cent less than it was one year ago, if indeed, it is as cheap.

Election Expenses.

Last evening when the 700 and odd pounds of mail matter arrived there was among it one of the several belated facilities for producing it, a second ballot boxes of the recent election. This particular box comes from Cari-bou, which is 564 miles from here, and therefore costs the government \$141 to transport to Dawson, as 25 cents mile is allowed by ordinance for bringing in the boxes.

The box was delivered to the sheriff

and later sent to join its companions which are locked up in one of the cells of the penitentiary for safe keeping.

Nellie Cashman has removed from the corner of Second avenue and Second street to her new store next to the Donovan hotel.

Best imported wines and liquors at the Regina.

d at Try Cascade Laundry for high-class crt work at reduced prices.

WHOLESALE

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Handsome Silk Lined Tuxedo

Prince Albert and Cutaway Dress Suits

The Proper Dress for St. Andrew's Ball.

Men's High Grade Purnishings, Full Dress Linen Neckwear and Shoes A SPECIALTY.

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ALL NEW, FRESH GOODS

MINERS_On your way in to town get our prices on an outfit. Everything guaranteed this season's pack and manufacture. 2nd Ave. & 2nd St. South

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.... WILL RUN A.. DOUBLE LINE OF STAGES TO AND FROM GRAND FORKS

Leave Dawson, Office A. C. Co's. Building _____9:00 a. m.

From Forks, Office Opp. Gold Hill Hotel 9:00 a. m. Returning, Leave Dawson, Office Returning, Leave Forks, Office A. C. Co's, Bldg ---- 3:00 p. m.

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Whilst we have an unexcelled line of CROCKERY that would be a credit to any city, we wish particularly to call your attention to a nice lot of CHINA

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1900.

"BOILERPLATE" SCOOPS.

Last night the News took heart again and proceeded to read a short sermon to the Nugget about "scoops." As an absolute clincher to the argument it said: "If you don't look out we will take to drawing public attention to the six or seven or eight good, substantial, exclusive stories that we print every night."

Now, just for the fun of the thing and for the sake of accuracy, which is as dear to the Nugget as it is distasteful to the News, we have picked up the two papers of last night and looked over them. The statistics which we gleaned therefrom are decidedly interesting-that is, they are interesting to the Nugget, though we doubt very much if they will prove equally so to

The actual live reading matter which appeared in the News-that is excluding all "boiler plate" and "scissors matter," two particularly strong leads with our contemporary, amounted to

The Nugget published 1671/2 inches of absolutely live matter and in fact had little room for anything but such matter. On this reckoning, therefore, which anyone may verify who will take the pains to measure the two papers, the Nugget has a clear majority of 421/2 inches. Both papers published the fact of the murder at Hootalinqua, which came by wire and the balance of the matter in each was of a strictly that hour will be subject to delay until local nature. The News handled altogether nine separate local "head" articles-that is, articles covered by

many as the News, with one to spare.

"boiler plate" we were scooped.

Since the local and telegraphic service of the News is unable to accomplish desired results the "boiler plate" editor has come to the rescue. Among other things he gave us the startling female doctors, and that Japan possses a large standing army. A short time ago he told us the best time to set hens, and 'the proper period to wean suckling pigs. In another issue he gravely informed us of the approaching marriage of the Duke of Marlborough and Miss Vanderbilt, quite unmindful of the fact that the wedding had taken place nearly two years before and that a little duke had long ago come to bless the Marlborough fireside.

Yes, we were "scooped" on all these great matters. We will have to acknowledge that the News has an exclusive franchise on "boiler plate."
But still, we will try and get along the still try and get a best we can. We think the News is entitled to something exclusive, and knowing our contemporary's leaning toward the aforesaid "boiler plate," we will give them as clear a field as possible in that particular line of jour-

THE PRIZE CONTEST.

Much interest has already been

in vesterday's issue of the Nugget respecting the purpose of this paper to give a prize of \$50 for the best Klondike story contributed for publication in our holiday issue. Several parties have already expressed an intention of entering the contest and we anticipate that competition for the prize will be quite keen.

The conditions are simple. The length of the story must not exceed 4000 words. Manuscripts are to be signed with nom de plume only, and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing both nom de plume and real name. The contest will close on December 5, upon which date all contributions must be in the Nugget office.

There is no discrimination as to who may compete, the contest being open to everyone who desires to enter. The Nugget hopes in this way to stimulate interest in matters literary, and indications already point to the fact that the move will be a popular one. There is no lacking of talent in the Klondike, the only thing necessary being a plan for bringing it to light. We believe that we have hit on the right idea and fully anticipate the result will in every way bear out our expectations.

A SOCIETY COLUMN.

On Saturday of this week the Nugget will begin the publication of a column devoted to social doings. The scope of manager, the place is bound to be a this department will include not only events which take place in Dawson but special pains will be taken to secure reports of all important social happenings on the creeks.

The work of editing this column will be in charge of Mrs. Belle Dormer, a lady who has had wide experience in similar undertakings, and under whose direction we expect the society column to become a most interesting feature of our Saturday issue.

Dawson has progressed along social lines in a manner well in keeping with its growth in a commercial way, and it is in recognition of this fact that the Nugget begins this new departure.

Communications addressed to the "Society Editor" respecting social events which have occurred or are to take place in the immediate future are invited and the same will be given proper attention.

In order to insure publication in the current week's issue all contributions for the society column should reach the Nugget office not later than Friday at noon. Anything received later than the following week.

Prices of staple commodities have made comparatively little advance in The Nugget treated exactly nineteen Dawson since the close of navigation, of the same class of articles-twice as Last year within a few weeks after the steamers ceased running all classes of To be absolutely fair, however, it goods underwent a material advance must be admitted that with respect to over the prices which had previously been asked. It appears, therefore, that the market must be in better condition than ever before as respects supply. The lapse of the next few months is certain to effect prices to an extent, but it does not appear probable that information last night that China has there will be any particular shortage or that extraordinary high prices will prevail at any time.

Needed Soap and Water.

At one of their joint discussions, which took place in Kentucky some years ago, Tom Stuart, then editor of the Winchester Democrat, gave his opponent, I. N. Boone, a descendant of the great Daniel, a blow that fairly knocked him out of the race for th blow that fairly legislature. Boone was making his regular speech, and at the proper place in it he referred to the matter of his relation to the toiling masses. "My friends," said he, holding up a pair of hands that looked as if they had not been washed in a week, "to let you see for yourself that I am a horny-handed

Stuart was on his feet in a minute.
"I do not desire to embarrass my distinguished opponent, ladies and gentlemen," he said with a bow, "but I would say that I think that they need soap and water." It was such an apparent case that the crowd took hold at once with a shout, and Boone was completely floored, and later Stuart was elected.—Ex. Stuart was on his feet in a minute.

Goetzman makes the crack photos of Strait's

Short orders erved right. The Hol-

Of course you are. It will be the swellest event of the season. You will see elegently dressed ladies and gentlemen "tripping the light fantastic" to the strains of rymthic music. Should you be a close observer you will notice not a few of the best dressed men who are our patrons. You can tell them by the way their clothes embrace their figure.

Our Clothing is all Tailor Made.

The Reliable Seattle Glothiers Opp. C. D. Co.'s Dock.

CREEK NOTES.

Hugh Cox, of 9 Victoria, is in town on business today.

Mr. Terrell is getting down a lot of rood for the N. A. T. at 21 Eldorado. Mr. T. H. Potter has sold his interest in 34 above Bonanza roadhouse to Mrs. Butler.

Mr. C. A. McGaw, of the well-known firm of McGaw & Coew, was in town several days last week.

Mr. Chas. King opened the 76 below onanza roadhouse last Sunday, and

Roy King, H. Herron and A. Jones, of Chechako Hill, were discharged from the Ridge road pesthouse last Thursday, and were enthusiastically greeted by their numerous friends on the hill.

Mr. Bud Fitmaurice is getting out oo cords of wood for No. 10 Eldorado. Mr. Fitzmaurice was in town Saturday and says thousands of cords are being cut on the various gulches this winter.

Mrs. T. L. McGrath, of 40 Eldorado, was taken ill a few days ago, and on Monday morning Drs. Cassels, of Daw-son, and McLeod, of Grand Forks, were called in consultation and pronounced the malady typhoid fever. Mr. Mc-Grath brought his wife to Dawson the same day for medical treatment.

The warmest and most comfortable hotel in Dawson is at the Regina.

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Wan't The Place PAPERED 1

See N. G. COX About It. First St., Bet. 2nd & 3rd Ave.

A FULL LINE OF WALL PAPER IN STOCK

One Hundred Dollars Reward!

For information leading to the arrest of the party or parties who feloniously broke into the waterhouse situated on the corner of Third Avenue and Harper Street, and maliciously flooded the premises. The event occurred Monday last the street of the premise of the party or parties who feloniously broken to the premise of the party or parties who feloniously broken to the party or parties who feloniously flooded the premises.

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CONCERNING WINTER MAIL

When the Letter Supply is Small, Papers May Come.

But Little Encouragement is Exended to Dawson in the New Departmental Order.

inder the terms of a circular issued o postmasters, dated the 8th instant, it was intended that letters and from the Yukon territory and the Atlin district of British Columbia during the coming winter, but the postoffice inspector has since been advised that this circular has been cancelled, office department having decided to continue the conveyance of newspapers by mail to postoffices in the Yu-kon territory and Atlin districts for the season. Arrangements have ac gly been made for the conveygrant of a limited quantity of news-need a limited quantity of news-needs to Dawson, Pelly, Fort Cudahy, nother postoffices in the Yukon terri-, as well as to Atlin, Discovery and Spruce Creek in British Columbia. To Dawson and postoffices in the Yukon territory the quantity is limited to 500 pounds per week, and to Atlin it is limited to 300 pounds semi-week-

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In the event of the quantity tendered for carriage exceeding this limit, priority will be given to newspapers sent to subscribers or to separate addresses. Under this arrangement all merchandise and articles coming under the head of fourth-class matter will be excluded from the mails, as well pricels of books and samples. This phibition does not extend to Whiterse, Lake Bennet or Log Cabin. All es as regular railway communicain is in operation from Skagway.

In the early days of the Yukon there

have been some cause for comlaints about irregularity of mail serv-That was unavoidable. Now the pernment has everything in excellent pe and the service is all that can be pected.—Victoria Times, Oct. 20.

Story of a Bashful Boy.

Robert, a bashful lad, recently sumned up enough courage to escort a well, my son, did you go home with my of the girls last night?" "Yes," and Bob. "Who was she?" Robert witated, but finally blurted out: "I tanght it was Annie Warren, but when sot to the turn of the road she went with a string was she?" "But I was Annie Warren, but when so to the turn of the road she went was a she was a she went was a she was Ella Ham's house." "But I and think you might have told by sound of her voice," said his fater, "Neither of us said a word,"
and Bob, blushing and stammering.

Gambling in Mexico.

Every few months a sensational story nes from the Cits of Mexico to the ffect that wealthy visitors have been seced by Mexican gamblers. The isitors are generally Americans and these are full of hints of mysterious wonderful devices for controlling two money to have \$25,'' mused wonderful devices for controlling hewheel or the run of the cards, as the case may be, and there are always be, and cherted are always asked and cloaked confederates of the this deal."

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"Then you give it to him," said Mr.

"Then you give it to him," said Mr.

Clews. "That will leave \$775 for the upon the approach of the officers of the law. The stories are of the yellowbacked variety and the visitor always

Passes as a "victim."

These cases do not call for the waste of much sympathy for the individuals who are fleeced. The visitor is in the City of Mexico for a good time. He has money to burn and endeavors to ininerate it in the most exciting way ossible. There are many seductive ways of pursuing this divertisement in mer place. the City of Mexico-in fact, such a reputation has that place that it is called the "Paris of

Every hotel in this "Paris of Ameri-"is infested with leeches who live upon the credulity and liberality of Ex. others, and when the willing guide can onduct his still more willing "vichim" through half a mile of dimly lit ne passages before arriving at the ice! place where the wheel goes round the atter is quite ready to take a stake on such romantic surroundings. The American is sure of his ground, for he comes from the sharpest nation in the in a hollow voice. world, where bunko steerers and gold wick men are a feature of every day life. The roulette wheel, he has seen many times, the poker game is familiar to his native soil, and he argues that it cannot be possible for a foreigner to beat him at his own game. In brief, be is easy, and his confidence costs him

There are no closer figurers or more ory financiers in the world than those Mexico. When they gamble they bring to bear the experience of generalons to ontwit their victim. They are diplomats, they are plausible and ininuating. The brusque American is putty in their hands and his money is

theirs when he still has it in the bank. There is nothing in Mexico to be had except by legitimate investment and close attention to business. This is who want to get rich quick, when they lose their money, will put up a sorrowful story and demand the punishment of their partners in the cheat. -Kansas City Star.

Huntington, Horse Seller.

Anecdotes regarding C. P. Huntingof horses to Henry Clews, the banker, only should be carried in the mails to illustrated the magnate's method of doing business. Mr. Clews said to a friend that he wanted a pair of cobs.

"Mr. Huntington has a pair that will just suit you. I'll tell him to see you," said the friend.

The Huntington and Clews offices are ground. Mr. Huntington stopped in

"I understand you want a pair of ponies I have for sale," he said,

don't care where I get it. I'll take

all right."
"Oh, that's all right. These ponies
are too small, and it's not right to make them haul me and my wife about

we are both big and heavy."

"What's your price?"

"What's your idea of what you want

to give?"
"Eight hundred dollars."

"Well, my price is \$1500-not a cent

Mr. Clews told him there was no

possibility of getting together, and they parted.

Mr. Huntington called again next morning.

"Ready to give \$1500 for those

onies?'' he asked.
''No; I'll give \$800,'' was the re-

"Never," exclaimed Mr. Huntington, as he went out.

He called at the Clews office every morning for two weeks to ask about the

horses. On the eighth day he said: "Well, I'll take \$1300, but I won't leave the option long at that.'

"You can close it right now if you like," was the retort, "for I'll pay \$800. Not a cent more."

On the tenth day he exclaimed:
"Now, I'll tell you. Take the
ponies at \$1200 and we'll call it square."
"Eight hundred," said Mr. Clews.

The same was offered on the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth days, relates the New York Mail and Express. On the fourteenth day Mr. Huntington said: "What is your price for the ponies

today?"
"Eight hundred."

"Well, you are the hardest man I ever dealt with," said he, "and I'm going to let you have them on one condition. You must give \$25 to my coachman.

Mr. Huntington.

With that he gave in, and thus, after 14 days of haggling the horses were sold for \$700 less than he started out to get for them. Mr. Clews smiled as he

2 years.

Corrected.

City Editor-Evidently you didn't get a very close view of Nookash's sum-

Reporter-Not very close. Why? City Editor-You refer to it as "a magnificent marble pile," whereas it's frame house.

Reporter - Is it? Just cross out "marble" then, and insert "wood."-

An Idyl of the Late Heated Term. "My heart," moaned Mildred Glen-

dowe, wringing her hands, "is like

Van Alstyne Van Brugh stared precisely as if stung. "Then, of course, I cannot ask you

to give me your heart!" he exclaimed the Regina. . For even love is not blind to the

great price of ice in summer. -Ex. Fresh vaccine at Pioneer Drug Store.

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When in town, stop at the Regina. Films of all kinds at Goetzman's.

A new and large jewelry store now ecupied by Lindeman; Monte Carlo building.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor, Pio-neer Drug Store. Best Canadian rye at the Regina.

"I have just telegraphed my grandreally truer of Mexico than of the father in Oregon!" said a clerk in one United States, though it is a trite of the big company stores to the Strolaxiom here. But what is the use, for ler last Saturday night, "but I am so long as the world lasts the people afraid I was too late in sending it; I do not think he will receive it in time for me to benefit by it!"

"Is the old man dying, and did you hope that by telegraphing to him he will remember you in his will?" asked

"Oh, no; not at all," replied the clerk. "While my grandfather is in his 87th year he is as frisky and active ton were freely circulated in Wall as I am myself. He can 'skin the cat' street after the first shock of the news saw, and can dance a double-back-acof his death had passed away. A sale tion break-down with all the fervor of a Tom Rooney. I merely telegraphed him to express to me at once the broadcloth suit he was married in 62 years ago. I want it to wear to the St. Andrew's ball."

There is one thing in which the Klondike probably leads all other countries, and that is in the matter of both in the Mills building, the former short wood measurement. In the on the seventh floor, the latter on the halcyon days of the Stroller's youth the statement of Ray's third part arithmetic the next morning on his way to his to the effect that it required 128 cubic feet to make a cord was generally accepted and was adhered to in trade onies I have for sale," he said.

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"Not that I know," was the retort of the said. the banker. "I want a team, but I too old to learn; otherwise, he would not have lately acquired the knowledge that 84 cubic feet constitutes a cord. Of course, there is a way to get even with the wood dealer and that is to pay in gold dust of which the principal part is brass filings, or give him the pure stuff weighed on short scales. But to buy 84 feet of wood for 128 and pay in the "long green" is not in keeping with the rules of domestic economy. ing with the rules of domestic economy.

It may be, however, that the laws of nature have something to do with short measurements in this country, as there is more or less contraction in cold weather; but it is not possible that the mercury has yet gone so low as to cause a cord of wood to shrink 44 feet. If such is the case, people who buy wood at this season should not burn it before next summer, otherwise they will not get the worth of their money.

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It has just come to the ears of the Stroller that he has been chosen patron of a wienerwurst eating contest between two of Fred Giesman's customers at Grand Forks, thus having honor thrust upon him wholly without solicitation. The honorary office is accepted gracefully as well as gratefully, as it has long been a leading desire of the Stroller to be patron of something, but he feared he would be required to start at the foot and work up. However, the very first move has landed him on the

top round.
Gentlemen, your patron gives you permission to proceed with the contest!

The sentencing of a man to death is a trial that but few judges are equal to without having stirred within them great emotions. In fact, it is the most becomes accustomed. An old southern judge who had occupied the bench for 18 years in a circuit comprising five populous counties and who probably every year, once informed the writer that instead of becoming easier, the duty bore harder upon him with each succeeding case. The judge in question was, to all outward appearances, a cold and heartless man, but in passing sentence his large, boney frame was in-variably rocked with emotion and 'May God have mercy on your soul' was always said between sobs. During his last term the old judge had frequently to be half carried from the court house after imposing the death sentence. He would do his duty, "But a man's a man for a' that."

** There are three companion pictures in a down town saloon, the product of Harry Edwards, which attracts no little attention, as they are cartoons of no mean order of merit. They represent two gentlemen of the old sod engaged in an excited argument. The other day a son of Erin observing the caricatures became indignant and hurled the most fluent anathemas upon the author; who he said, had insulted every Irishman

he said, had insulted every Irishman living or dead.

"I painted those pictures," said Harry, who was standing near.

"Oh, ye did, did ye?" yelled the Irishman. "Answer me this! Did ye ever see an Irishman wid that physog?" "Who said they were Irish?" Harry answered gently.

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And Supplied the Nucleus Around Which Prosperity Clung Until the House Changed Hands.

Many curious stories have been told and written concerning the fluctuations of gamblers' wealth, but the one told a short time since by a well known dealer here seems, to use an apt sporting phrase, to have an edge over all of

It would be hard to see how any considerable store of riches could accrue to any one from a sunbeam, but that, according to the story, is precisely what happened to a gambler once upon a time in a western mining camp.

The sport in question was a plunger and had had several decided smiles and as many frowns from the goddess of fortune during a night's play against faro bank, and the last frown had been one of such severity that he had been brought the line to a small native vilreduced to the sad plight of playing lage tucked away in a jungle. As the single white chips at a bet. This sort men quit work after stringing the wire of thing lasted for some hours, matters going from bad to worse with the plunger, till at last, when the rising sun line in silence, but with evident disapraised his head above the eastern proval. mountain tops and looked down upon the double row of tents lying in the bottom of the canyon, the player had bet and lost his last white chip.

He remained standing by the table and presently was somewhat surprised to see the dealer toss a white chip upon the Jack. Being a gambler, however aches a man to think quick, draw pid conclusions and act at once, Therefore, he picked up the chip withont asking questions, and placed it upon another eard, which presently showed in the box, and from that time on for a couple of hours, the good fortune of the plunger never deserted him, and as there was no limit to the game it is not surprising that at the end of his play not only the bank roll had changed hands, but the house, or tent

shows upon what slight things fortunes are sometimes based.

The plunger had, throughout his play, made the jack a favorite, and had, towards the end of his play, placed time. The table sat on the west side of the tent, and in the roof on the east side was a small round hole, burned there by a falling spark from the stove pipe. The sun, rising from behind the mountain had glanced through this bale and the small round had glanced through this small in the beginning and for some reason or other the curtain did not rise till an hour after it should have. When it did go up, many of the audience had gone home. Mr. Montague Martin, whose appearance had been featured, was not in evidence being confined to bed in the Good Samaritan hospital. hole and the result was a round sun beam exactly on the jack. The dealer who had been at work all night under the smoking oil lamps, glanced as it when the jack won, and mistaking it for a white chip, paid the bet.

That is the explanation of how a gambler rose to wealth and affluence by the aid of a sun beam.

the front roo just called.

"Look her you goin' to night?"

"Why—er

A Little Bit Muddled.

and through the high price ruling now for Rent, charcoal, coal, soap, Rice, etc., its is never counterfeit. The committee of the Laundries guild are now to notify the general public which must be increase. If any gentleman or Lady are unbelief upward a few lines will can see the Daily news is written very distinctly and obliged many thanks. Yours faithfully servant, Shanghai, The Laundries' Guild."—Ex.

Calderhead at Lebarge.

A telegram received this afternoon from R. W. Calderhead who left here for the outside two weeks ago last Tuesday, indicates that he arrived safely at Lower Lebarge today. The trail from Dawson to Selkirk is in fine shape, but that the cutoff will be hard traveling until better broken. He met 2000 pounds of mail on the cutoff which was making slow progress this way.

Communication Interrupted.

The government telegraph wire which was broken or grounded yesterday had MACKINNON & NOEL, Advocates, Second st., not been repaired at a late hour this aternoon, but it is thought through communication will be established by to-morrow morning. The trouble is south of Caribou and between that place and

Too High.

Fred Brown, a well known New Zealander, tells a story of his experiences in the bush while engaged in the work of telegraph construction. They had just completed a day's work which on the last pole the chief of the village J. B. TYRRELL, mining engineer, has removed to Mission st., next door to public school. emerged from his hut and surveyed the

What do you think of it?" was asked him in his native tongue. "Ugh! White man crazy. Build em fence too high," replied the chief who retired in disgust to his hut.

COMING AND GOING.

The principal topic of conversation about town today is the question of whether James Slorah will be granted

The present number of jurors impan-nelled to hear cases is six. This is said to be under the old territorial law when the country was so sparsely in-habited that great difficulty was experi-enced in getting juries. Things have enced in getting juries. Things have changed now, and it is the opinion of many lawyers that the number of jurymen should be increased to 12.

J. R. McGovern will leave within a few days for the outside and expects to be gone from a month to six weeks. be gone from a month to six weeks. On his return he will bring in the pumps, engines, whistles, etc., which are in the scow stranded near Selkirk. It is Mr. McGovern's intention to get Mr. Clear's permission to place one of the white chip, which formed the nucleus of the plunger's fortune, is given in this way, which shows upon what slight things fortunes are sometimes based.

The concert at the Orpheum last evening was not the brilliant success, from a box office standpoint, which had been anticipated it would be. The attendance was small in the beginning and for some research or other the our

Our Little Friend Again.

Her little brother was entertaining in the front room the young man who had

"Look here," he said, suddenly, "are you goin' to propose to my sister to-

"Why-er-er-What do you mean?" asked the youth, with some agitation.

A curious instance of English "as she is spoke" occurs in a letter from the secretary of the Laundries' guild in Shanghai, warning customers, as far as can be made out, that the price or washing is to be raised:

"Gentlemen — With reference to notify to you for the employed in the various laundries in Shanghai. But any washermen is quite inability of disadvantage to washing any Public "Oh, nothin', only if you are, you aren't goin' to surprise her. At tea jus' now she bribed me an' my little brother to go to bed at half-past seven. She's hung four Cupid pictures on the drawing room wall, got pa and ma to promise to go callin' next door, shut the dog in the cellar, and 's been practicin' 'Because I Love You Dearly' on the planner all the afternoon! You'll get her all right, only if she starts talkin' 'bout its bein' sudden, tell her it don't work with you "—Ex. "Oh, nothin', only if you are, you

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