

**SEVERELY TESTED**

**Warship Will be Given Trial Run**

Ordered to Sail at Highest Speed From Portsmouth to Coast of Maine.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Portsmouth, England, July 14.—The U. S. warship Kearsage, flagship of the European squadron, is being put to a severe test. She has been ordered to start on Friday from Portsmouth and proceed at highest speed to Frebesans Bay Mine. This is the first occasion in time of peace that an American warship has been put to so stringent a trial.

**NATIONAL HOLIDAY**

**French Enjoy a Grand Potlatch**

**President Reviewed Paris Garrison and Dumont's Air Ship.**

Special to the Daily Nugget. Paris, July 14.—The French celebrated their national holiday yesterday. The main feature was a review of the garrison of Paris by President Loubet. Santos Dumont from an airship over Longchamps saluted the president with blasts from a whistle of his motor and a salvo of revolver shots.

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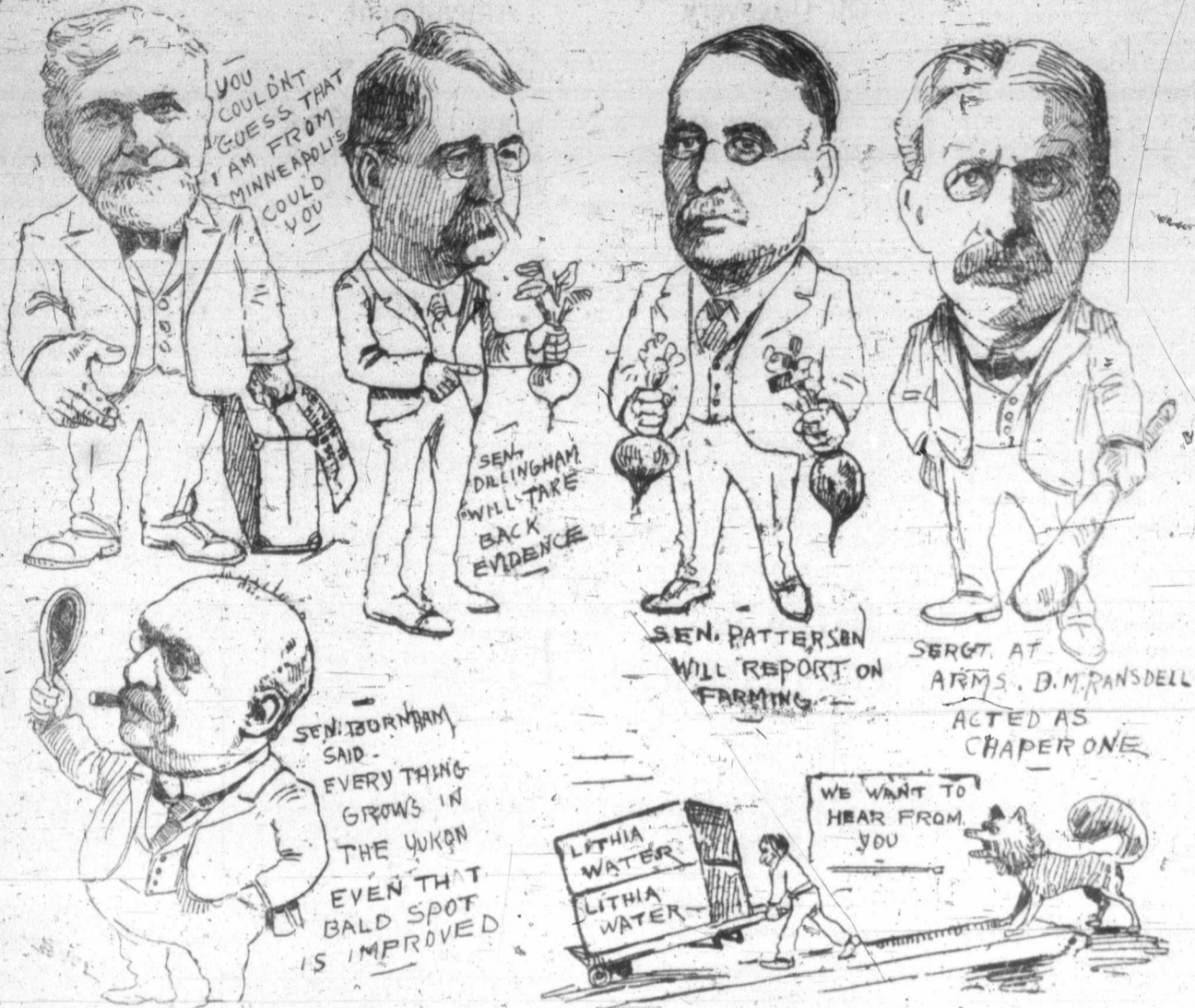
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SENATORIAL CONQUESTS IN THE YUKON.

**WHITE PASS COMPANY**

**Handling an Immense Volume of Traffic**

**Heavy Importation of Mining Machinery—Splendid Transportation Facilities.**

These are busy days around the offices and warehouses of the White Pass company. Every steamer arriving brings its quota of freight, heavy mining machinery constituting an important feature of every cargo. The company is now in splendid shape to handle all classes of business, both passenger and freight and is making

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**SHINDLER**

The Hardware Man

deliveries in Dawson with promptness and dispatch.

It is an uncommon thing for goods ordered by wire from Seattle and Vancouver to be landed in Dawson within 8 or 9 days. Perishables are brought through in splendid condition from the coast, arriving in Dawson as fresh as when they left.

The fame of the White Pass route has become known to tourists all over the country and for the accommodation of their patrons the company has instituted a service which will compare favorably with that offered by transportation concerns of the world over. The scenic splendors of the road from Skagway over the pass to Lake Bennett and on to Whitehorse are praised in highest terms by those who are accustomed to the glories of Switzerland and other equally famous mountain districts.

Engineering feats have been accomplished in laying the tracks of the White Pass route which to the inexperienced eye seem well nigh impossible. The slender thread of rails winds up the mountain side, clinging to the edge of precipitous cliffs, and still so strongly built and so well ballasted; the road bed that in all the four years of operation not a single serious accident has occurred.

At Whitehorse immense warehouses have been established capable of storing thousands of tons of freight and at the opening and toward the closing of navigation their capacity is invariably taxed to the utmost.

On the Yukon river plying between Dawson and Whitehorse the company operates a fleet of ten palatial steamers any of which will compare favorably with the steamers running on the Mississippi, Ohio and other streams. The crack steamers are the Whitehorse, Dawson, Selkirk and Yukoner, all of which are luxuriously furnished and fitted with every convenience, which taste could suggest and money procure.

For the accommodation of traffic between Dawson and Eagle city, the Bailey maintains a semi-weekly service, making stops at Fortymile and other way points.

The amount of business handled on the latter run is surprisingly large and serves to indicate a growing traffic between Dawson and lower river points.

Mr. J. H. Rogers, the local agent of the company, is an energetic and capable transportation man and in his methods of handling the business of his principals gives satisfaction both to them and to the public. The White Pass company has become a tremendous factor in Yukon commercial and industrial affairs and the immense volume of business annually handled with little friction between the road and its patrons attests the wisdom exercised in the selection of their representatives.

**MURDERER**

**Meets the Doom He Justly Deserved.**

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, July 14.—Samuel Herbert Dougal, perpetrator of the Most House murder, was hanged at Chelmsford jail this morning. He killed Miss Cecil H.iland, owner of the Most House, at Saffron Walden, Essex. Dougal is suspected of having made away with at least five wives, including one at Halifax, N. S.

**Good Circulation**

The champion circulation bar has been discovered. His lair is in Japan, where he is acting as editor-in-chief of the "Thundering Dawn," a Buddhist organ just started at Tokio. Here is his "greeting to the public."

"This paper has come from eternity. It stands its circulation with millions and millions of numbers. The rays of the sun, the beams of the stars, the leaves of the trees, the blades of grass, the grains of sand, the hearts of tigers, elephants, lions, ants, men, and women are its subscribers. This journal will beneficently flow in the universe as the rivers flow and the oceans surge."

Any liar who can beat that can get a small job with a big salary—in New York.—Detroit News.

**Many Killed.**

Barratoceras, Mex. June 28.—Twenty-four miners were killed and about fifty others seriously wounded in an explosion of gas on Thursday evening in the Las Esperanzas coal mine, the property of the Mexican Coal and Coke Company.

The disaster was caused by the ignition of gas by the flame from a defective lamp. The men were on the point of quitting work for the day. Probably 100 men were in the mine at the time of the explosion.

After the shock of the explosion those who were able to move rushed to the exits, but the falling earth and debris carried many down to death. Fully fifty miners escaped with broken limbs and scorched flesh. At last reports the dead bodies of twenty-four men had been brought to light. Others may die as a result of their injuries.

"We come," said the priest, "to bury Caesar, not to praise him." There was a movement in the rear as a large, fat gentleman pushed to the front. "One moment, Mark!" he exclaimed, "this funeral can't go on until undertaker Claudius Eronicus jumps the train!"

Kennedy—You call his wife Auto?  
Carlton—Yes; she's always running town people.

**BUSINESS MENACED**

**Harsh Order by Philippine Collector**

Tendency Will be to Drive Foreign Concerns From the Islands.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Manila, July 14.—All foreign business houses in the Philippines are menaced by a decision of the collector of customs at Manila that no foreigner under contract can be allowed in the islands. The banks, which are chiefly British, are much affected. British firms construe the decision into an attempt to drive them from the islands, in order that Americans may secure the trade.

**POSITION CRITICAL**

**Conditions in Far East Unsatisfactory**

**Report That the Russian Citizens Have Been Advised to Leave is Unfounded.**

Special to the Daily Nugget. St. Petersburg, July 14.—While the report that Russian citizens have been advised to leave New Chwang, Port Arthur and Korea by a certain date is declared to be unfounded, there is no doubt that the position in the far east is more than ever critical.

**END APPROACHES**

**Pope Lapses into Delirium After a Bad Night**

Special to the Daily Nugget. Rome, July 14.—After a restless and agitated night the Pope fell into delirium at eleven this morning after receiving the benediction.

END IN NEAR  
Rome, July 14, 6:30 p. m.—The Pope made another surprising rally at six o'clock this evening and insisted on getting out of bed. He had to go back immediately. He saw several of the cardinals. However, the end is very near. The organs refuse to perform their functions.  
Job Printing at Nugget office.

**NEW COMET DISCOVERED**

**Is Said to Have Two Tails.**

**Lick Observatory Officials Think It Will Be Brightest in Years.**

Special to the Daily Nugget. San Francisco, July 13.—The new comet discovered by Borelli, of Marcellus, has two prominent tails. Lick observatory professors expect it will be the brightest comet of the last ten years.

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KLONDIKE NUGGET. TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1903.

SELF-GOVERNMENT.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer is still striking hard for territorial government for Alaska. The latest issue of that paper at hand, commenting upon the suggestion of Senator Dietrich that there be a convention of all the commercial bodies of Alaska, says:

"What Alaska wants first of all, in order that she may have a definite and authoritative voice at Washington is a territorial form of government. Every community in Alaska will say as much. It is natural enough that each chamber of commerce or other business body in any Alaskan city should concern itself first with its immediate local needs. In the absence of territorial authority, and in the face of a situation where nothing can be done except through commercial bodies, what else can these business men do? What they ought to have, what they desire and what they desire is a delegate in congress. It would be no more trouble for the people to get together and form a territorial government than to get together in the manner suggested by Senator Dietrich. All that they need is congressional authorization.

"There is not a single reason why that privilege should not be granted that prerogative conferred. Alaska is settled by Americans of the most intelligent and enterprising type. It is a community of almost unimaginable and varied resources. It is entitled by every precedent and by every tradition of American institutions to a local government of its own. Why congress should hesitate, why it should delay, we cannot conceive. Congressional committees and members of each house on their individual initiative may travel over Alaska from this until doomsday honestly speaking information and direction, but they will never get beyond this point. The needs and the wishes of Alaska will be expressed properly when Alaska has an American government of its own on the American plan.

This boon has been denied so long partly through indifference and partly through that ignorance of the conditions of the district that has prevailed at Washington until a very recent date. We hope sincerely that every citizen of Alaska will push every other question into the background and leave before congress the plain and naked demand for a territorial government. That granted, everything else that is legitimate will speedily follow, while without that there will be nothing but confusion, contradictory demands and falling justice. The people of Alaska can do no better for themselves than to din into the ears of every man with place, position or influence at Washington, this one primary and fundamental requirement. Let congress first of all make of Alaska an organized territory. This is mere justice, and it is also

the starting point from which everything else that is good and proper for Alaska must proceed."—Alaskan.

SLANDER, NOT PRIVILEGE.

Certain positions are privileged by both law and custom, and those who hold them are freed from limitations and restrictions imposed on other men. Parliament is by law a privileged place. The privileges of parliament enable men to say with impunity what under other circumstances would not be permitted either by law or by social usage. The continuance of these exemptions from ordinary restrictions of speech may be defensible, but only on the ground that the privilege is used honestly, intelligently, and in the interest of justice and the public weal. When privilege is used for party ends or to gratify a personal ambition or to satisfy a private grudge, the right to such privilege becomes an intolerable wrong, under such circumstances it is no longer privileged speech, but mean and cowardly slander.

In parliament insinuations and accusations are permitted which if uttered in an unprivileged place would incur severe penalty under the law of libel. Both in the house of commons and in the legislature attacks of the most brutal kind are made on the honor and integrity not only of other members, but also of outsiders who have no rights of reply, which are in their spirit and effect utterly slanderous and ought to be punishable in any civilized country. The privilege of parliament was never granted for the purpose of allowing rein to personal malice or party strife. It was originally meant as a defence of the people's representatives against the arbitrary power of the King. It has no such occasion now, and if it is to serve only as a cover for cowards and assassins who are afraid to strike in the open it ought to be abolished. Again and again attacks are made on some member of the government, either in Ottawa or in Toronto, to the truth of which no man will pledge his seat in parliament. It is no wonder Sir Wilfrid Laurier denounced such cowardly tactics. And it would seem as though even the formal pledge of his position as a responsible member of the house may not, in Canadian parliamentary usage, carry with it, in the event of a false accusation having been made, the forfeiture of a member's seat. If such is the case it is extremely regrettable and calls for amendment. Membership in a Canadian parliament ought to be a guarantee of honor, the honor of gentlemen, and if a member pledges his seat to a false charge he should, as a vulgar slanderer, be allowed no place in parliament. It is so in England; it ought to be so in Canada—Toronto Globe.

The Grand Forks Social Club will give a dance at the hall Friday night of this week. A good time is assured to all who attend. First class music will be provided.

FOR SALE.—New Upright Piano Standard make. Apply Nugget Office.

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MANAGER WANTED.—Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in the county and adjoining territory for well and favorably known house of solid financial standing. \$20.00 straight cash salary and expenses, paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced. Position is permanent. Address THOMAS COOPER, Manager, 1030 Caxton Building, Chicago.

Reduction Sale of Summer Wear. This sale comprises nearly everything in summer wearing apparel, a few lines of which we mention here:

BOYS' WASH SUITS AND SUMMER BLOUSES. These we have marked about one-third off the original prices which to say the least were quite reasonable.

STRAW HATS. Ladies' sailors from 50c to \$1 ea. Ready to wear hats from \$1 up. A line of little girls' hats at \$1 ea. Boys' sailors and plain straws 50c, 75c and \$1.

SMIRT WAISTS in white lawn all over embroidery, chambray gingham. These have been marked to insure quick sale, and the economical woman will go well to look at them.

FLOWERS. Artificial flowers at much less than their value. We are going out of this line.

GLOVES. Perrin's guaranteed gloves. We bought too many of these and what is our loss is the glove wearers' gain. Any shade, any size, \$1.50 pr. An odd line at \$1 pr.

STAMPED LINENS. All of our stamped linens are marked to near cost. We have the B. & A. silks at \$1 yd. Bart. Filo and Roman boss, each skein put up in separate paper which means keeping it in good shape. Embroidery linens by the yard.

HOSIERY. We have a big lot just in and as they have been late in arriving we are marking them very close.

COTTON VESTS in white at 25c and up.

JUST RECEIVED and marked at prices to sell quickly, children's sun hats in fine embroidery all over, pearl buttons, laces, art draperies, gowns, carpet squares, oilcloths and linoleums.

J. P. McLennan, 105-Second Ave.

BOB LOWE'S BOOKKEEPER

Confirms Story of Hootchi Discovery

Writes the Councilor That it is Bonafide and Big Stampede in Now on.

Councillor Robt. Lowe who is here from Whitehorse attending the present session of the Yukon council, was in receipt, yesterday evening of a letter from his bookkeeper who informs him that he had talked with persons just out from Hootchi and that the reported strike there is bonafide.

The letter further states that every loose-footed man of Whitehorse and vicinity had left for the new field and that a general stampede was on. And the Whitehorse member looked as though he was sorry he was not in Whitehorse to join the everlasting throng and go out and stake a claim.

CUSTOM IS TOO COMMON

Man Fined for Cursing Another

Geo. Smith, Colored, Empted Vials of His Wrath on J. Dunn.

It costs money to curse. James Dunn, the whistler and phonograph man, George Smith cursed Dunn yesterday evening and paid \$5 and costs, total \$10, in Mr. Justice Macaulay's court this morning. Smith's complexion is similar to that of a Yukon night in October before snow falls and during the dark of the moon. He is employed around the Savoy dance hall and it was there that he applied unbecomingly and extremely vile language to the imitator of the mocking bird. Smith pleaded guilty to the charge.

In imposing sentence his lordship took occasion to remark that many people in Dawson are entirely too ready in applying vile names and epithets and that in his opinion it is a most reprehensible, coarse and vulgar habit. Smith was given an option of paying \$5 and costs or devoting five days to hard labor. He chose the former and remitted.

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TO LICENSE DANCE HALLS

Major Wood Introduces Amendment

Further Restrictions May be Placed on Sale of Liquors Where Women are Concerned

The following amendment to the Yukon liquor ordinance was introduced at the meeting of the Yukon council yesterday afternoon, by Major Wood.

"A saloon shall consist of a bar-room only, with ample furniture for the comfort of customers and suitable lavatories, which shall at all times be clean. No other part of the building in which a saloon is situated shall be included in the premises covered by the license.

There shall be no connection between the barroom of a saloon and any other portion of the premises in which the same is situated, by means of windows, jackets, elevators, chutes, openings of any kind or sliding, folding or other kind of doors except a door opening directly out of such barroom into the lavatory and toilet or trap leading from such barroom into the cellar. There shall be no connection between such places and other places. In addition to such doors there shall be only one other door in a saloon, which shall open directly on the public street on which a saloon is situated.

No license shall be granted in respect to any premises in which the provisions of this section have not been complied with.

The said ordinance is further amended by adding the following subsections to section 53 of said ordinance.

Every person found in a barroom where liquors usually are sold on licensed premises at any time between the hours of 12 o'clock on Saturday night and 6 of the clock on the Monday morning thereafter, shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine of \$50 and the costs of the prosecution, and in default of payment thereof forthwith to imprisonment for ten days.

Provided, that nothing in this section shall prevent an hotel keeper, his wife or regular employe from entering such barroom or room for the sole purpose of procuring liquor ordered by guests to be used with their meals on Sunday as allowed by the provisions of this section.

Except as herein otherwise provided no barroom or room in which liquors are usually sold in a licensed hotel shall be kept open at any time during the hours when the sale or other disposal of liquors is prohibited.

In any licensed premises full view of the interior of the barroom shall not during the prohibited hours be obstructed by screens, blinds, frosted or colored glass or otherwise.

Any licensee who allows to be applied in his licensed premises by purchase or otherwise, any description whatever of liquors to any female, except in a licensed hotel to a bona fide guest during regular meal hours, or who allows any female to frequent his bar or drink on his premises, shall, as well as the person who actually gives or supplies the liquor, be guilty of an offense, and on summary conviction thereof be liable to a penalty of \$100 for a first offense and in default of payment northward after conviction to three months' imprisonment, and for a second offense to \$100 fine with absolute forfeiture of license, and in default of payment forthwith after conviction to six months' imprisonment and absolute forfeiture of license.

Any hotel or saloon licensee who allows any person to take liquor outside of the premises for which such license is granted for the purpose of being consumed in any other place shall be liable to all the penalties provided for in this section.

No licensee shall make any alteration or addition to his licensed premises without first obtaining the written consent of the chief license inspector.

Section 42 of said ordinance is hereby amended by adding:

"Any person who permits gambling on his premises even though he receives no direct or indirect gain or benefit therefrom, shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 and costs and not more than \$100 and costs, or not less than one nor more than two months' jail."

Section 23 is amended by adding:

"No hotel license shall be granted unless the licensee is also the keeper of the hotel and restaurant. Should

the different departments of the hotel not be under his management, the license shall be revoked.

The following is the text of the proposed measure relating to dance halls:

"1. No person shall keep a dance hall in the Yukon territory without first obtaining a license therefor from the chief license inspector.

"2. Such license shall be in force one year from the date of issue thereof and no longer.

"3. The fee for such license shall be the sum of \$1500 and shall be paid to the territorial treasurer, and shall form part of the general revenue fund of the territory.

"4. Any person keeping a dance hall without having a license therefor shall incur for every day of such contravention a penalty of not less than \$100 and costs, and in default of payment forthwith after conviction to three months' imprisonment.

"5. For the purpose of this ordinance a dance hall shall be any place where the public are admitted to dance, whether an admission fee is charged thereto or not."

SEVERE LOSS

F. J. Hemen's Cabin Gutted by Fire

Yesterday afternoon at 4 p. m. fire broke out in the home of F. J. Hemen of the Nugget. None of the family were present at the time and before the flames were noticed they had gained great headway.

An alarm was rung in and the department responded but had difficulty in getting a stream of water on the blaze.

The interior of the house was completely gutted, practically nothing being saved but a few clothes and a little bedding.

Several fine oil paintings, the work of Mrs. Hemen, were among the most valuable articles lost.

The house and contents were partially insured.

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MISS BOOTH LECT

Large Audience Andrew's Ch

Close Attention Given ption of Mission Life Slums of London

St. Andrew's Presbyter was crowded last evening and attentive audience hearing the tale of Miss Evangeline Booth's advent slums of London.

Miss Booth appeared in costume minus sundry patches which she explained were strictly necessary in appearance at a cultured assemblage in St. Andrew's auditorium.

The speaker held her something better than with an unceasing dose and experience base work as a missionary in walks of London life.

Miss Booth's power lies in the possession of a modulated, magnetic voice developed dramatic tendencies, pleasing personality, all make her an attractive orator.

The stories she told were ferent from the ordinary incidents which from every metropolitan news they were clothed in and delivered with such effect as to create a profound upon her listeners.

Miss Booth has been successful in her mission frankly taking her audience confidence in the way by which her efforts were blessed.

Since her childhood she possessed with a desire to help and raise the among the outcasts of the metropolis, and upon approach of manhood lost no time in desiring into effect. She attire of rags because she felt she had not have mission to the places she.

Her work took her out of the city, and in of them and secure their was necessary to dress talk as they did among.

Sickness and want and poverty and with sorrow all sides but she kept her work until she was wearing results of a menial task. She told of results from a dark underground where the mother had been beaten to death by her husband. With the aid of Miss Booth's work, she took them to her own care for them as best she could, but softened and attention which the trees had lavished upon her, had lavished upon her, had lavished upon her, had lavished upon her.

The little story of the speaker to an entire audience, and an entire audience to which she succeeded.

She displayed four of the most beautiful and striking scenes was guided by which she recounted, making influences in and stirred to come to help her, and wear of the speaker's spirit.

Each illustration by powerful truth words, making influences in and stirred to come to help her, and wear of the speaker's spirit.

The conviction of her powerful and beautiful appeal for a closer and closer relation between the Miss Booth was evident in the audience, and upon the showing of with all the Miss Booth who has made a close study of all the varying human nature.

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# MISS BOOTH LECTURES

## Large Audience at St. Andrew's Church

### Close Attention Given to Description of Mission—Life in the Slums of London.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church was crowded last evening with an eager and attentive audience bent on hearing the tale of "Commissioner Evangeline Booth's adventures in the slums of London."

Miss Booth appeared in her stum costume minus sundry patches of dirt which she explained were not deemed strictly necessary in appearing before a cultured assemblage such as filled St. Andrew's auditorium last evening.

The speaker held her audience for something better than two hours with an incessant succession of anecdote and experience based upon her work as a missionary in "the lowest walks of London life."

Miss Booth's power lies very largely in the possession of a smoothly modulated, magnetic voice, a highly developed dramatic tendency, and a pleasing personality, all combining to make her an attractive platform lecturer.

The stories she told were not different from the ordinary run of slum incidents which from a feature of every metropolitan newspaper but they were clothed in such language and delivered with such emotional effect as to create a profound impression upon her listeners.

Miss Booth has been singularly successful in her mission work and she frankly takes her audience into her confidence as to the ways and means by which her efforts were so greatly blessed.

Since her childhood she had been possessed with a desire to elevate the lowly and raise the standard of life among the outcasts of the great metropolis, and upon approaching womanhood lost no time in carrying her desires into effect. She assumed her attire of rags because in any other garb she could not have gained admission to the places she sought.

Her work took her among the vilest of the vile, and in order to reach them and secure their confidence it was necessary to dress and act and talk as they did among themselves.

Sickness and want and crime and poverty and filth surrounded her on all sides but she kept bravely at her work until she was rewarded by seeing results of a most practical nature. She told of rescuing two babes from a dark underground apartment, where the mother had shortly before been beaten to death by her drunken husband. With the aid of an assistant Miss Booth secured the children, took them to her own lodgings and cared for them as best she could. The father came at length and demanded his children, but softened by the care and attention which their benefactress had lavished upon them concluded to leave them in her charge.

This little story served to bring the speaker to an exposition of her methods and an explanation of the influences to which she attributes her success.

She displayed four little keys which she denominated love, sympathy, sacrifice and action. Her life in the slums was guided by these four keys which she recommended as the animating influences for anyone who desired to come in touch with the heart aches and woes of the under world.

The speaker referred at length to each, illustrating her views with powerfully drawn word pictures depicting incidents from her own personal experiences.

The conclusion of her address was a powerful and beautifully worded appeal for a closer and more convincing relation between religion and life. Miss Booth was on fire with enthusiasm and earnestness and played upon the emotions of her auditors with all the skill and effect of one who has made a close and exhaustive study of all the varying intricacies of human nature.

Prior to Miss Booth's address Commissioner Congdon spoke, briefly introducing the speaker of the evening. The programme was interspersed with several songs and at the conclusion a collection was taken for the purpose of forwarding the Salvation Army movement.

#### Libel Case

Winnipeg, June 30.—The political pot warms up. T. M. Daly, on behalf of R. A. Bonnar, has commenced an action against the Free Press, claim-

ing \$10,000 damages for alleged libel. The statement of claim sets out that plaintiff was revising officer for Centre Winnipeg, and then sets out certain passages from an article published in the Free Press referring to his conduct as such revising officer. The article was published on June 17th. Being an action for libel, the case must be tried before a jury, and the next sittings of the Assize court will be held at the beginning of November.

#### St. Jeza Belle.

The famous St. Jezebel narrative is one of the choice stories of a present bishop of Baltimore. It was just after the Civil War and one of the church bodies was endeavoring to establish colored churches with colored preachers in the south. There was a lack of men qualified to be ordained. In this emergency the churchmen decided to ordain several colored men who were recognized exhorters among the colored parishes, and known to be men of piety. Some slight preliminary examination was deemed advisable. However, and they were questioning a candidate to learn what qualifications he possessed. Of Moses he knew that he had led the children of Israel through the wilderness. David had been a king who played harp. Paul wrote epistles, but vagueness of detail accompanied each.

In despair the examiners asked the candidate to tell them something of his own accord that he did know fully and in detail. He said he knew the story of St. Jeza Belle and told it somewhat as follows: St. Jeza Belle, who sat at an upper window of the Palace of Samaria looking out, and King Ahab he came riding along and he mighty mad and he said: "Throw her down!" and they threw her down. And he says, "Throw her down seven times," and they threw her down seven times. And he says, "Throw her down seventy times seven," and it was done. And the dogs came and licked her sores, and of the remains they gathered up 12 baskets full and whose wife shall she be in the resurrection?

London, June 26.—The body of Cardinal Vaughan was transferred this morning from the cathedral at Westminster, where it has been lying in state, to St. Joseph's College. There it was received by the priests and students, and after the celebration of a high requiem mass, was interred in the presence of a large gathering.

## Tickets for Two

Rod Scott was waiting his turn at the Pullman window where he wanted a "lower" for Chicago. Just ahead of him was a very pretty girl, and he could not help overhearing the conversation. She, too, was buying a ticket to Chicago and wanted a berth as well.

She had made a mistake in the amount necessary to secure a sleeper, and when the ticket seller called for the additional \$2 she discovered that her purse was empty. It was an embarrassing position for the girl, but there was no help for it, and she took her railroad ticket and passed on to the waiting room.

Rod could not help noting the outcome. He bought his own ticket and then saw the girl standing in the adjoining room, examining her empty pocketbook.

His sympathies were aroused, she looked so forlorn, and he thought of his own little sister and wondered how she would feel under similar circumstances.

That settled it. He walked quickly toward her and, raising his hat, said: "Pardon me, but I could not help seeing the trouble you were in at the ticket window. Won't you allow me to be your banker in the emergency?" She looked up at him shyly. He had a good, honest face.

"Oh, thank you, but I don't like"— "Of course you don't," said Rod; "but I'll give you my card, and you can send the money back to me when you get home."

Her face brightened up. "You are very kind. My father was to have been with me, but was detained at the last moment. I thought I had all the money I needed to get home." "Well, I fortunately have plenty," said Rod, "so let us get the ticket." Of course he saw that it was in the same car, and it was natural that they should occupy the same seat.

It was all too soon for Rod when the berths had to be made up, but he arranged that they should have breakfast together.

Rod says he will never forget that breakfast. He never did know what he ordered, but he feasted upon a pair of gray eyes which took shy glances across the little table. All the time he was trying to summon

up courage to tell how much he wanted to meet her again.

Another hour and they would reach their destination, the pleasant talk would be over, and he did not even know her name. Rod was getting desperate.

"By the way, do you expect any may I?" "Oh, yes, papa said he would wire, so, you see I won't have to trouble you any more."

"Trouble! I know you don't mean that. It has been a great pleasure to me, and I only wish I could—"

"Don't say anything more, Mr. Scott. I am under many obligations to you, but papa will write you when he returns."

Poor Rod! He wanted to say more, but politeness prevented him from pressing a matter which he felt might embarrass her.

When the train pulled into Chicago and he saw her affectionately greeted by an elderly lady, he awakened to the realization that his pleasant day dream was over.

Rod was assistant freight agent on the B and A. road, with headquarters at Omaha. He spent a week in Chicago, and on his return home he found the following letter awaiting him:

Dear Sir:—My daughter has given me your card and asked me to thank you for your courtesy to her when she was returning home. I enclose draft for \$5, which will reimburse you for the amount you expended on her. The general freight agent of the road, Mr. Fletcher, is a very old friend of mine. Kindly remember me to him, and whenever you are in Chicago I will be glad to have you call on me. Yours truly,

JOHN H. MASON.

It was astonishing how much attention the Chicago end of the B and A. road required. Rod found it necessary to make weekly trips there, and he never failed to call and inquire for Mr. Mason's health and incidentally to accept the hospitality of the Mason home.

Alice, she of the gray eyes, always welcomed the guest with such winning smiles that he thought he was in paradise. On one such evening she was singing an old Scotch ballad with the refrain, "Lassie, could you love me?" He stooped over her as she sat at the piano, and looking into the gray eyes that were turned toward him, he whispered, "Alice,

dear, could you love me?" He read his answer there and sealed it with a kiss.

Six months later a carriage was being driven toward the station. A few stray kernels of rice still clung to the steps.

The carriage stopped, and the occupants went hurriedly to the train which was starting for the east.

"Oh, Rod, you haven't got the tickets!" "Haven't I, sweetheart? When I travel with somebody, I always make my mind that I'll have to pay for can."

a couple, and so I get there, in advance."

"That's the meanest thing you ever said to me, Rod," was the laughing rejoinder, "but you've got to pay for them now."

Miss Youngthing—And what would you say, George, if I were to tell you I didn't believe one word you say regarding the lasting qualities of your affection?

George—I would say that you are far too wise for any ordinary man to travel with somebody, I always make marry. Goodby—Baltimore—America—my mind that I'll have to pay for can.

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### GRIMSHAW'S PLAN

In the days of slavery in the south a young negro was one evening, after a hard day's hoeing, enjoying the recreation of practicing with an old pistol that he had found and polished. Gumbo, as he was called, had a passion for shooting and was an expert. Within a circle of admiring darkies he was tossing up chips and putting bullets through them, while in the air. Ambrose Grimshaw, the overseer, hearing the shots, went to see what it meant. From behind one of the cabins he witnessed Gumbo's skill without being himself seen. Then, advancing, he ordered that the boy receive fifty lashes for having firearms in his possession.

Gumbo bore his punishment with patient endurance. It was a common occurrence on that special plantation owing to the cruel nature of the overseer. The negro showed no vindictiveness and was always afterward obedient, even to servility.

Pruchet, the owner of the plantation, was an easy going man with no head for business. While Grimshaw was as avaricious as he was cruel. One day Pruchet discovered that all he possessed was about to pass to his overseer. Grimshaw was above his class in breeding and education. Indeed he was fairly well-bred. Pruchet conceived the idea of marrying his daughter to Grimshaw on condition that the property be settled on him.

Miss Pruchet, objected, especially since while on a visit to St. Augustine she had met a young officer of the United States artillery at Fort Marion, with whom she had fallen in love and who had asked her hand. But when her father told her that a marriage with Grimshaw was the only way to save the plantation she resolved to sacrifice herself for her father, whom she loved devotedly.

The war came on, and while Pruchet became poorer Grimshaw grew richer, being interested in a blockade runner that had made several successful trips from Southampton to Charleston. It was at this time that Miss Pruchet consented to marry him. The war had separated her from her northern lover, and she had heard nothing from him since the fir-

ing on Sumter. But one morning about sunrise, when no one suspected there was a Yankee within fifty miles, 10,000 of them came hurrying down the turnpike past the plantation, having made a forced march during the night. They went into camp near by and during the day a young captain of artillery rode up to the Pruchet manor house to call upon Miss Pruchet. He was Edgar Pennington, the man who had asked her hand.

His coming caused a commotion. Mr. Pruchet was in great distress about the matter. Carey's resolution was put to a severe test, while Grimshaw groined his teeth and vowed that she should never wed the young officer.

One night an officer was picked off by a bushwhacker who was never discovered. This suggested to Grimshaw a means of getting rid of his rival. He sent for Gumbo to come to his rooms.

"Gumbo," he said, "would you like your freedom?"

"Yes, massa."

"And \$5,000 besides?"

"Yes, massa." The darky's eyes were as big as saucers.

"Very well. Tonight Captain Pennington will leave the plantation to ride to camp. I will join and ride with him. You follow and when I take off my hat shoot him through the head."

"Why don't you do dat yo-self, massa?"

"I wish to marry Miss Pruchet. If I killed Captain Pennington even in a fair fight, it would prevent this marriage."

"But wha' fo' d'yo' go' long with him when he git shot?"

"To prove that I did not shoot him myself. I shall give you a signal when some one is near to be a witness in my favor. You must shoot from a distance, but you are a good shot and can hit your mark easily."

Gumbo lowered his eyes to the ground and thought while Grimshaw watched him eagerly. Presently the negro looked up and said:

"Reckon I want dat freedom and de five thousand dollars."

"Very well, lurk near the plantation gate from 10 o'clock till you see the man come out. If you succeed, come here tomorrow. I will keep my word."

At 11 o'clock Pennington, who had finally secured Miss Pruchet's consent

to break with Grimshaw, rode out of the plantation gate feeling very happy. He had not gone far before he overtook a horseman whom he recognized as his rival.

"Good evening, captain," said the latter, "riding to camp?"

"Yes," said the captain shortly.

"With your permission I'll ride with you."

"As you like."

Grimshaw made passing remarks at intervals till an army courier, with a dispatch in his belt, met them, when he raised his hat. Pennington was astonished to see the oversexed pitch forward in his saddle and fall to the ground.

It was fortunate for Pennington that there was a witness to prove he was innocent of Grimshaw's death, which was never explained, though it was believed that a bushwhacker had intended to kill the officer, and had made a mistake.

Grimshaw left no heir, and it was found that his hold on the Pruchet property had been acquired by fraudulent means and was void.

After the war Captain Edgar Pennington returned to the south and took back with him Miss Carey Pruchet. Gumbo became the captain's body servant, but if he told his master how Grimshaw met his death Pennington kept the secret.

#### Different With Him

Apropos of the story of Bishop Potter having indulged in the Virginia reel at the recent wedding of his now stepson, comes the story to the effect that when the party were taking their places one of the gentlemen was being coached in the intricacies of the figure.

"Oh, it's perfectly simple," explained his fair partner. "The gentlemen stand on this side and the ladies on the other, then the first couple balance down the middle and back, then they swing each lady and gentleman alternately down the line, then march on the outside to the head and again balance down the center and take their places at the foot, then the next couple do the same thing."

"See, the gentlemen come down in regular succession, do they not?"

"Precisely—all except the bishop—he comes down in apostolic success."

### HEADING OFF... A COUNTRY GIRL

Matilda Thorne, a country girl, received an invitation for a visit to her fashionable aunt, Mrs. Treaddle, who lived on Central Park-East, New York. The reason for the invitation was that Matilda was down on a list of legatees for small amounts in the will of Schermerhorn Winkle, Mrs. Treaddle's brother, a bachelor aged forty, and he insisted on seeing each and every beneficiary.

When Matilda arrived, Mrs. Treaddle, struck with her beauty and freshness, was at once terrified lest her brother might fall in love with and marry her. Since the bulk of his fortune was to descend to Mrs. Treaddle that lady determined to head off any such possible result.

"Matilda," said the lady, "it is my duty to warn you against the men of New York. Now, there's my own brother, Schem. He has no conscience whatever in the matter of a conquest. He has broken many a girl's heart and would not scruple to send you back to your home, jilted and disgraced."

"Oh, aunt, how awful!"

"Shun him as you would an adder."

"But he is my uncle."

"Only by marriage. Even if he were I don't think that would protect you."

This was not the only safeguard Mrs. Treaddle threw out against a possible loss of her brother's fortune. She gave Reginald Knickerbocker, a young profligate with whom she had been carrying on an intimacy, instructions to win Matilda, thus preventing Schermerhorn from doing so.

Having thus put up the bars, Mrs. Treaddle felt that she had her brother corralled.

"Oh, aunt," said Matilda a few days later, "what do you think? Mr. Knickerbocker—But I suppose I shouldn't tell."

"Tell me everything, my dear. Last night when we were alone he put his arm around me."

"Indeed? What else did he do?"

"Oh, I don't like to tell."

"You'd better, my dear."

"He kissed me."

"Well, my child, I congratulate you. Mr. Knickerbocker is one of the few fine young men in New York fashionable society."

"Isn't it nice that he's not like Uncle Schem?"

"Very nice. I trust it will all come out right and you will be very happy."

A few evenings later Matilda entered the drawing room in her accustomed timid and noiseless way and saw Mrs. Treaddle and Reginald Knickerbocker sitting on a tete-a-tete hand in hand. The young man dropped the hand and the lady looked annoyed, but she was equal to the emergency.

"Come here, Matilda. I want to congratulate you. Reggy has been giving me his confidence, just as if he were my own son. He has told me of your engagement to him."

"Oh, Aunt, how you surprise me! Mr. Knickerbocker hasn't proposed to me." She turned away with her eyes bent on the floor.

"That is only because I was waiting," said Knickerbocker, rising and advancing toward her, "for your aunt's permission."

"Why for what?" asked Matilda, turning a pair of wondering eyes on him.

"You dear, unsophisticated child," said her aunt. "In our set it is not considered honorable for a man to win a girl without permission."

"Oh, dear," said Matilda, a mild disappointment in her voice and eyes. "I'm so sorry! You can't be honorable. You didn't have permission when you kissed me."

Mrs. Treaddle put a face bordered with a handkerchief to her lips to hide a smile. Mr. Knickerbocker had his permission to win her from the first," she said.

"Matilda looked as if she were going to cry.

"What's the matter, child?" asked her aunt.

"Oh, nothing! Mr. Knickerbocker asked permission to love me, then loved me afterward. Suppose he hadn't got permission. I should have been so disappointed. And, putting her handkerchief to her eyes, she glided out of the room."

A month passed, during which Reginald Knickerbocker spared no pains to make himself agreeable and restore confidence. One day Schermerhorn Winkle asked his sister, if she were not going to give Matilda an entertainment.

"An entertainment? Why Schem, are you crazy? Give that country

chit an entertainment? It would cost me my position in society."

But Schem insisted on it in a quiet way—as the proper thing, and Mrs. Treaddle did not dare disobey. On the evening of the entertainment Matilda appeared in a simple white dress, with a rose in her hair, looking for all the world like a Greek statue. Mrs. Treaddle was astonished to find that the introduction instead of injuring her reputation had made a hit.

"Mrs. Treaddle," said a guest, "what a pity to introduce such a charming girl and announce her engagement at the same time!"

"Her engagement?" stammered the hostess. "Ah, yes—to Mr. Knickerbocker. But I did not know it was to be given out tonight!"

"Mr. Knickerbocker! Why, your brother announced to me himself that he was engaged to Miss Thorne."

"Mr. Winkle at the moment was passing with Matilda on his arm and heard the remark."

"Martha," he said, to his sister, "this little chit has consented to be my wife."

"Little chit! Little cat! She has been snealing around like a snake and deceived us all."

"So what all," said Matilda, with dignity. "You deceived yourselves."

A number of ladies began to discuss the virtues of their respective husbands, when every other topic was worn threadbare.

"My husband," said one, "never drinks and never swears—indeed, he has no bad habits."

"Does he ever smoke?" some one asked.

"Yes, he likes a cigar just after he has eaten a good meal. But I suppose on an average he doesn't smoke more than once a week."

Some of her friends laughed, but she didn't seem to understand.

A man jumped off a train at a station in the west one day and asked for a lawyer. A young man stepped up and said, "I am a lawyer."

"I want the best in the town," said the stranger.

"Well, I'm the one," persisted the attorney.

"What proof have you?"

"Proof!" shouted the lawyer. "You don't need proof. I admit it."

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HEART TO HEART one continuous piece. Strolle's modern spirit because very noticeable first week or two days. Below was true and every morning he would lead the Grand Army of St.

The liver work at my... I'm kind and kind... Me and the car has been... We're not the kind that talk.

This morning my... But I'm the boss for... Just watch me work... year!

See how it slips... steps.

I love the car and it... Just like the wife and...

The other day we... Gee, what a certainty... The jump was at six... 250 lb. the truck... wait.

When in the middle of... I need a kid engaged... My heart sure gave... But did I stop the car

# Stroller's Column.

Since his last effort the Stroller has mingled with growing grass, the Yukon Order of Pioneers and other children of nature. It relieves the monotony of everyday life for a man to make a pick mule of himself about once every three years and penetrate the dark, damp, deep and dangerous forest and contract rheumatism by sitting around on the ground and eating dry bread and Bill's pickles and declaring it is the most enjoyable time he has had for

I stopped in time—I surely did— And thought about my little kid.

Of course, I ain't no millionaire, But I'm not hankering for wealth. I'd rather be quite free from care And have the jolliest kind of health. I'd rather have my present joys Than all of Rockefeller's stuff. The best of wives!—the best of boys! Say! That is happiness enough! See, there she is! She'll never miss When at my heart she throws a kiss!



## PLEASURES AND DELIGHTS OF PICNICING

forty years. For a married man to thoroughly enjoy a picnic in the Yukon his wife should be outside, then he is free from worry regarding the probability of her contracting camp fever by sitting around on the dump ground.

Many a man goeth forth to a picnic rejoicing that he is more excellent than the rose. In the evening he returneth with stiff knees and a craving for a drink of cold water. It is all right to talk of a life that is

This is the last time the Stroller will ever greet his readers through the Nugget as the name retires from existence tomorrow and there is a glaring possibility the Stroller as the Stroller will follow suit. Not being "goods, chattels or hereditaments therunto appertaining" the Stroller did not change hands with the rest of the machinery and should it be that the Stroller never again should greet his friends in his old capacity, he takes this opportunity



HEART-TO-HEART TALKS WITH MOTHERS MAY CONTINUE.

one continuous picnic but in the Stroller's modest opinion it would become very monotonous after the first week or ten days, especially if a fellow was required to start out every morning with enough rations to feed the Grand Army of the Republic.

The lever works at my command. I'm lord and foaster of the brakes. Me and the car has lots of sand— We're not the kind that makes mistakes.

This blooming box is not so worse, But I'm the boss for lasting keeps. Just watch me work this here reverse!

See how it stops and backward creeps. I love the car and it loves me— Just like the wife and kid, you see.

The other day we shot along— Gee whiz! we certainly did shoot! The juice was at its same old song. And all the trucks was following suit.

When in the middle of the track I seed a kid engaged in play— My heart sure gave my teeth a crack. But did I stop the car? Well, say!

winters ago there were 3,800 dogs sleeping under beds in the Yukon. Now the number is estimated at less than 2,300.

## HAD IT COMING.

### Fellow Gets Drunk After Five Years Sobriety

When a resident of the Yukon has been temperate for five years and then gets drunk it may very properly be termed an accident. At least that was the view taken by Mr. Justice Macaulay this morning when Randolph Wall was arraigned before him on the charge of a and d, the latter representing a quiet sleep on Second avenue at 12:30 this morning.

Randolph said he had been in the country since '98 and that during all of that time his conduct had been circumspect in every respect; that yesterday he met an old friend and the jig was up.

His lordship accepted the explanation and allowed him to go without a fine.

## GRAND RE-OPENING

### Of Club Gymnasium Tomorrow, Wednesday, Night.

All arrangements have been completed by Nick Burley and Vincent White for the opening of their physical culture school at the Club Gymnasium tomorrow night when Larry Gleason and George Erdlatz will contest in a six-round go as will also Young Scurry and "Dago Kid" Gleason and Erdlatz case, both strangers in Dawson and both come here with fine records. An excellent evening's entertainment is promised to all who attend.

## New Directory

The new Dawson and Yukon directory is the most complete edition yet published. It includes all the towns on the coast and river from Juneau to Nome and the information contained within its covers is reliable and complete. A number of pages are devoted to descriptive matter pertaining to Dawson and the Yukon district all of which is valuable to anyone desiring to become acquainted with local conditions. The directory is a handsome specimen of the printer's art.

## ANOTHER STAMPEDE

### This One to American Territory

### Two Parties With Horses and Outfits Left on Steamer Bailey This Morning.

With a stampede on the Whitehorse to the Hootch country and men quietly and mysteriously departing for down the river with pack horses and outfits, the indications are that there will be something doing before many days. Two parties quietly stole away on the steamer Bailey this morning but their destination is unknown.

In one of the parties was John McDonald, the well known Dawson tailor, or a man named Knox and a third man, the latter being a Bonanza miner. The party took three horses and sufficient grub to last three months.

The other party was composed of three men and was headed by a man named Campbell from Dominion. They also took several horses and an outfit to last them throughout the summer. One report says the McDonald party is headed for the Good Pasture country but a member of Mr. McDonald's family denies that report. They say the prospectors are headed for some point 400 miles west of the Yukon river, but are not sure whether they leave the river at Fortymile, Eagle or Circle.

Campbell, the man from Dominion, who heads the other party, is said to have received a telegram from Eagle to start at once with horses and grub. He acted on the advice and left this morning.

Smith—I hear Short the coal man, has come into a large lot of coal.

Jones—Well, he is entitled to it.

Smith—Oh, he is, eh?

Jones—Yes, he's been doing the weight for a good many years.

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## DEALS WITH CIVIL WAR

### Fine Drama at the Auditorium Theatre

### Secret Service, Presented Before a Large First Night House.

William Gillette's great war-drama "Secret Service" was produced last night at the Auditorium before a large and appreciative audience.

The house was prettily draped and decorated in honor of the senatorial party who were present as guests of Mrs. Hall, manager of the new company.

The play deals with some of the most exciting events of the civil war and more particularly with the thrilling incidents which marked the close of the siege of Richmond.

The cast of characters and synopsis is as follows:

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- Lewis Dymont, U. S. Secret Service, known in Richmond as Capt. Thorne, Frank B. Fanning
- Henry Dymont, U. S. Secret Service, Lewis Dymont's brother, Richard Clarke
- Mr. Arresford, Frank Montgomery
- Wilfred Varney, youngest son of Mrs. General Varney, W. H. Morgan
- Lieut. Maxwell, president's detail and telegraph staff, Richard Thorne
- Lieut. Tye, Fred Lewis
- Sergeant Ellington, Chris Moran
- Corporal Matson, Wm Douglas
- Jónas, negro house servant, Kit Wilson
- Messenger, George Dunmore
- Orderly, Frank Corbett
- Martha, negro house servant, Bessie Chandon
- Mrs. Gen. Varney, Harriet Jocelyn
- Caroline Metton, Alice Condon
- Edith Varney, Franklyn Gale
- Soldiers, nurses, hospital attendants, etc., etc.

SYNOPSIS.

Time—An evening in Richmond during the War of the Rebellion, when the Northern forces were entrenched before the city Richmond, at the time set forth in Secret Service, was in a state of utmost excitement and confusion. Strict military discipline was impossible. Troops were being hurried from the South and no careful scrutiny was attempted. This made it possible for many Northern secret service men to enter the city and remain there under various disguises.

Two brothers, Lewis and Henry Dymont, officers in the Northern army, were commissioned to do this dangerous work for the United States and it is with the adventures of Lewis Dymont, known in Richmond as Captain Thorne, that this story deals.

Act I—Drawing room in Mrs. General Varney's house. Time, 8 o'clock in the evening.

Act II—Same as Act I. Four minutes are supposed to elapse between Acts I and II.

Act III—War department telegraph office.

Act IV—Same as Acts I and II.

People are too busy in Everett to think of getting married during the week and Sunday seems to have been selected by common consent, as the proper day for marriages. It is not known just how many weddings took place in Everett on Sunday last. Three were reported.—Everett Herald.

## ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The steamer Whitehorse left Dawson for Whitehorse at 1:15 this morning taking the largest number of passengers, southward bound, of any steamer of the season. Her list included Rev. A. Christie, Adjt. De Lorimier, W. F. Baker, John Olsen, A. B. Newell, Mrs. A. B. Newell, Miss Paschall, T. G. Rühm, W. E. Beaman, C. E. Wynn Johnson, Edgar Ames, Fred Stephenson, G. H. Sproal, H. Henniger, Mrs. Lillie Jones, Miss Pentt Jones, Mrs. I. F. Brown, Mabel Brown, Andrew Dogliani, Mrs. Andrew Dogliani, Mrs. G. H. Byrne, Miss F. Harvey, R. H. Robertson, Tillie A. Malcolm, Ella F. Hawkes, Wm Crawford, E. C. Quackenbush, Geo. B. Ladd, J. Stoerkel, Andrew Bruce, Thos. Keele, J. Kane, A. Chappell, Wm Fantoux.

The Bailey which according to schedule should have left Dawson for Eagle yesterday morning, was held here until this morning as an accommodation to the United States senatorial party. She sailed this morning at 10 o'clock with the following passengers:—Marcelle De Lorne, Marcus Mayer, Bishop Bompas, David Walker, Senator W. P. Billingham, Senator H. E. Borsham, Senator Knute Nelson, Senator T. M. Patterson, Arthur Johnson, John F. Hayes, D. M. Ramsdell, J. S. McLain, H. M. McLeod, W. H. Brill, Joe Carroll, J. M. Smith, C. M. Ideman, O. H. Bennett, W. Geikin, J. W. Ward, P. G. Charles, J. H. Rogers, John McDonald.

The steamer Mary Graf will arrive tomorrow with a heavy load of machinery.

The Dawson is due at 8 o'clock in the morning with a big passenger list and a cargo of live stock. The Dawson will return to Whitehorse Thursday at 2 p.m.

The Prospector leaves tonight at 10 o'clock with a large party of excursionists for Fraser Falls.

The next trip of the Casca will be on July 20th.

The Sifton is temporarily tied up.

## COMPANY ORGANIZED

### Directors and Officers Are Elected

### Meeting of Shareholders of the Twelvemile Quartz Mining and Development Co.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Twelvemile Quartz Mining and Development Company was held in the company's offices over the Pioneer Saturday afternoon when the following directors were elected:—Wm. G. Young, Wm. Scouse, S. B. Waite, Geo. Bytler, C. A. Glenn, R. L. Cowan and Chas. Worden.

The new directors then held a meeting and elected S. B. Waite president and treasurer and Falcon Joslin secretary.

Considerable work was done on the company's property, last winter and this spring, George Butler having charge of it as managing trustee. It is the object of the new organization to go ahead with the work of development as speedily as possible. The property owned by the company consists of a large group of claims located about 35 miles back from the Yukon on the Twelvemile river.

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### MANY BILLS INTRODUCED

### Busy Session of Council Yesterday

### Educational Bill Reported on by Committee—Salaries Are Fixed.

A busy session of the Yukon council was held yesterday afternoon when many bills and petitions were introduced and read the first time. Major Wood's bills regulating the sale of liquor and the conduct of dance halls appear elsewhere in this paper.

Mr. Newlands presented a petition asking that the government road ending at No. 32 below on Sulphur be extended to No. 56 below. This and other petitions were referred to the appropriate committees.

Mr. Lowe presented a numerously signed petition from Whitehorse people asking for a road to a group of 12 claims located 12 miles east of that place. The petition was referred to the appropriate committees.

Two petitions were filed by Councilor Thompson. One asks for a public road from discovery on Bear creek to No. 12 on Lindow. In the second Joseph Danker asks for an appropriation for development work of quartz prospects on Henderson creek. He says he and his partner, M. P. Austin, have done considerable work on the property, at one time employing six men, and that they have good reason to believe a big quartz ledge will be opened up.

For the committee on standing orders and private bills Mr. Newlands presented the following report:

"In respect to the North Star Athletic Association, Ltd., your committee recommends that the rules respecting the publication of a notice and the fee for incorporation be waived and that the petition be received."

"In respect to the petition of W. H. Fairbanks and others for amelioration from the discomfort caused by the dust on Bridge street, Dawson, of F. J. Nicholson and others for a trail from the Graftier trail to the Arctic Chief mine, and of Bonnie St. Marie for compensation for injuries sustained while working on the blue road, your committee recommends that they be not received, as the granting of the same would necessitate a charge on the territorial revenues."

"In respect to the petition for

schools on Hunker, near Last Chance creek, and at Granville, your committee recommends that the same be received and referred to the committee on education."

A query was made by Mr. Clarke if there could not be some way of getting the petition of St. Marie before the council. He was informed by the commissioner that if the petition were found to be worthy it could be included in the estimates. The report was then received and concurred in.

The following report for the committee on education was presented by Mr. Pringle:

"In respect to the petitions for schools on Last Chance creek and on Hunker creek, in the vicinity of Last Chance, your committee does not recommend that they be granted unless the provisions of section 12 of the school ordinance be complied with."

"In respect to the petition for a school at Granville your committee recommends that a school be established near No. 12, Gold Run creek. This would accommodate the petitioners and also the school population on Gold Run creek."

"In regard to the petitions for schools on upper Bonanza and Eldorado creeks your committee recommends that inquiry be made."

"As to the cost of establishing a school at Bonanza which will accommodate the school population of that town, and also of the above districts:

"1. The cost of transporting the children to and from the school.

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"In respect to the petition for a school in the central portion of Dominion creek, your committee, having been informed that there is over the required number of children resident in the district, would recommend that the school be established."

"At the conclusion of the reading of the report Dr. Thompson inquired as to what was meant by transportation of the children.

"We have been asked to try a plan prevalent in certain parts of the east, known as a centralization of school interests," said the councillor from the creeks. "They want four or five schools on Bonanza and Eldorado. If one good school is furnished at Grand Forks, the center of the district, all attending could be given better opportunities for an education than could be secured by a number of scattered schools."

"The only question to be considered then would be that of getting the children to school. We are of the opinion that transportation could be furnished cheaper than to have several schools."

In reply to the question of Councilor Clarke as to J. H. Falconer's official position Commissioner Congdon said the tax-detective is temporarily assisting the license inspector, that his salary and official position had not as yet been rated.

The salary of future mayors of

Dawson was fixed at \$2500, and that of aldermen at \$1000 per annum.

A bill providing that all males between the ages of 21 and 60, after 30 days residence in Dawson pay an annual poll tax was killed.

The lien bill was to be considered at the meeting this afternoon which was convened at 3 o'clock.

### CITY DADS IN SESSION

### Consider New Alarm System

### City Clerk Submits Report of Licenses Issued—Bills Favorably Reported Upon.

A regular meeting of the city council was held at the council chamber last night when considerable business was transacted.

The committee on fire, water and light reported that the following tenders had been received for supplying the Gamewell fire alarm system: D. C. Upp, \$3,000; W. H. Moffatt, \$3,000; Dan McDonald, for furnishing system and not installing same \$2,600. The tenders offered to supply 12 boxes but on recommendation of the chief of the fire department it was decided that 14 was necessary. The tender of Mr. McDonald was not favorably considered as he did not offer to install the system, and of the other two tenders, namely Mr. Upp and Mr. Moffatt, the committee deemed it advisable to accept the tender of Mr. Upp. The committee recommended that two extra boxes be installed and that Mr. Upp had offered to install same for \$300. The contract was then recommended to be given to Mr. Upp at the price of \$3,300 upon the terms and agreement submitted.

The committee on license, police and health submitted the following report of the licenses collected during the month of June:

3 double drays at \$50	\$150.00
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4 restaurants at \$50	200.00
5 cigar and tobacco at \$50	250.00
1 secondhand dealer at \$100	100.00
1 transient trader at \$200	200.00
1 pedlar at \$100	100.00
2 bootblack stands at \$50	100.00
2 transfers at \$2.50	5.00
67 dog licenses at \$3	201.00
3 hitch licenses at \$5	15.00

The committee reported that a new dog pound, has been constructed on lots 13 and 14, block 29, government reserve, lately granted the city by the commissioner for that purpose, enclosed with an 8-foot fence having an office attached 12x12 suitable for all purposes in conjunction with the pound.

The medical health officer reported that the city is in a very healthy condition.

The total revenue from city licenses to July 1st, 1903, is \$4,194 and it is safe to estimate that it will amount to \$10,000 before the close of the season.

The finance committee recommended payment of the following accounts: Dawson Electric Light and Power Co. \$22.50 Blair & Johnson 25.00

Fashion Shoe Shop 2.50  
 Sharp & Smith 1.50  
 Yukon Telephone Co. 15.00  
 Dawson Electric Light and Power Co. 650.00  
 Dominion Government Telegraph 13.18  
 Sixty Mile Lime Co. 7.50  
 H. F. Abraham 1.00  
 W. A. Warwick 1.00  
 G. I. McLean 75.00  
 A. J. Gillis 50.00  
 Arctic Sawmill 364.26

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