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THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET.

Nugget Advertisements Give Immediate Returns.

DAWSON, Y. T., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1903.

PRICE 25 CENTS

KILLED BY HIS OWN SON

Leading Politician of New Orleans Shot to Death—Had Threatened His Boy's Life and Latter Fired the Fatal Shot. Was Man of "Ugly" Temper.

Special to the Daily Nugget. New Orleans, Feb. 24.—Peter Farrell, a leading local Democrat, was shot and killed by his eldest son Edward. The family claim that in a fit

BEAUTIFUL RECEPTION

Attaches of the N. C. Co. Entertain

Swaggerest Ball of the Season is That Given in the A. B. Hall Last Evening.

All the traditions of the past, the boundless hospitality of the Northern Commercial Company, were fully preserved last night by the ball and reception given by the attaches of the company at the A. B. hall.

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EX-ARCH DUKE

Will Offer Himself to American Navy.

BONANZA-ELDORADO

Movements of People on the Creeks

Good Pay Located on Irish Gulch—Surprise Party on Mr. Elliott.

Mr. Croiden of No. 29 below Bonanza came to town today. He is grubstaking a large number who are going to the Tanana.

Mr. W. F. Thompson of No. 43 above Bonanza made a flying trip here today.

More good pay has been found on the hillside opposite No. 5 right limit on Irish gulch by Mr. Thompson and on No. 6 by Messrs. Olson, Hoffman and Hoskin.

A surprise party was given Mr. Dave Elliott at his home on No. 24 above Bonanza last Saturday night, the occasion being Mr. Elliott's birthday.

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CHINESE COMMITTED

On Charge of Murdering Compatriot

Victim Was Consumptive and Accused Simply Put Him Out of His Pain.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Vancouver, Feb. 24.—Wing Wo and Ray, two Trail Chinamen, have been committed for trial on a charge of murdering another Celestial. The alleged victim was a consumptive and charged the prisoners to put him out of pain, according to the tenets of their religion.

FULLY ARMED.

Macedonians Are Ready for Business.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Constantinople, Feb. 24.—Four thousand armed Macedonians are concentrated at the celebrated Rita monastery forty miles from Sofia, and are preparing to attack a Turkish province in Seres.

THE CZAR

Will Furnish Employment for Finns.

Special to the Daily Nugget. St. Petersburg, Feb. 24.—To give employment to the famine suffering Finns the Czar has ordered the construction of a seven million dollar railway from Indensalmi to Kahana.

TRIAL HAS BEEN FIXED

Resisted an Officer and What Resulted

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WANTED—To rent a sewing machine for month or two. Singer preferred. Inquire this office.

Power of Attorney Blank for the Tanana—Nugget Office.

CLERKS BURNED

In Fatal Railroad Disaster in Ohio.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 24.—Four mail clerks were burned to death and several trainmen hurt in a head-on collision at Cleveland, Ohio.

CHARGES ARE FILED

Officials Acts Are to be Investigated

Tom Hinton and Weldy Young Accused of Acquiring Interests in Mining Property

The fact that complaints had been sent in to Ottawa from various sources in the Stewart river district relative to the mining recorders in that vicinity having been in the alleged habit of acquiring mining interests contrary to the regulations has been known here in official circles for some time and it is also true that copies of such documents have been in possession of Acting Commissioner Wood for some time, the delay in bringing the matter to a head being occasioned only by the necessity of waiting for further instructions from the minister of the interior.

Yesterday afternoon the word that was awaited arrived and the acting commissioner caused those charged with the offense, Weldy Young and Tom Hinton, to be temporarily suspended from the service pending the investigation that will at once follow.

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WERE SENT BY EXPRESS

Children Cross the Continent From California to New York Tagged as Packages—Arrived Safely and Without Accident via. Wells-Fargo Co.

Special to the Daily Nugget. New York, Feb. 23.—Tagged as express packages and labelled "handle with care," J. Elliott Whitbeck, aged 10, and his little brother, Charles Henry, aged 8, were carried to New York from Oakland after being their mother buried in a California grave.

MORE RECORDED

Claims Are Being Applied for on Scriver Creek.

Two more recorded claims this morning on Scriver creek making about a dozen in all who have applied for record since the miniature stampede from Eureka a few days ago. Scriver creek was erroneously stated as being a tributary of Sulphur whereas it flows directly into the mouth of Sulphur and entering the parent stream from the same limit. Portions of Scriver conflict with the Kruger concession and the same is true with reference to the McConnell concession, both of which are on Indian river. The creek was originally staked in 1901 and was later totally abandoned with the exception of discovery claim which the owners kept alive. In doing their assessment work this winter they ran into some excellent pay, it is reported, passed the news up to their neighbors and soon everything on the creek was staked. The stream is presumed to be about four miles long.

GETS SIX MONTHS

Maggie Richardson Convicted of Serious Theft.

The trial of Maud Westwood and Maggie Richardson, charged with theft from the person of Edward Cairns, was concluded before Mr. Justice Craig yesterday afternoon, resulting in a verdict of acquittal of the Westwood woman and a conviction of the other. The affair seems to have been but the conclusion of a drunken bout that took place at the Foras in which the man got the worst of it on passing sentence his lordship said:

There is no evidence to connect Maud Westwood with this crime. Accordingly she is discharged from custody. I am in the habit of imposing severe sentences in the case of women who steal from men. In this instance the defendant does not seem to be a woman of that class who make a practice of preying on men. I do not think a suspended sentence in her case would be best, nevertheless. She will have to serve six months, without hard labor, in the police penitentiary.

The Richardson woman wept bitterly as she was led away by the court orderly.

Crowd on State Payroll. Topeka, Kan., Jan. 31.—The legislative session is four weeks old and nothing has been accomplished except fastening upon the payroll the names of scores of employees. A dozen members who have investigated the matter are shocked at the number of employees put on the payroll by the Steering Committee.

One hundred and fifty employees look after the forty senators. Doorkeepers and assistant superintendents of ventilation are so thick that visitors have no place on the floor. Another 150 employees clog the aisles and standing room in the house. Thirty doorkeepers stand guard over four doors. As many assistant sergeants-at-arms confer with one another for the chair before the speaker's day session will cost the state more than \$100,000.

The Hen. Alas! my child, where is the pen that can do justice to the hen? Like royalty, she goes her way, laying foundations every day. Though just for public building, yet for comfort, cake and omelette. Or, if too old for such a use, they have their fling at some abuse. As when to renounce plays unfit. Upon the stage they make a hit. Or at elections seal the fate. Of an obnoxious candidate. No wonder, child, we prize the hen, whose egg is mightier than the pen.

MISSING—If there is any one who knows the whereabouts of P. Chris Peterson please notify Mrs. S. Peterson, 12 Schuyler avenue, Kaskaskia, Illinois, U.S.A.

The finest of office stationery may be secured at the Nugget printery at reasonable prices.

Line! Leather, etc. PINSKA. Professional Cards. Pacific Steamship. Yukon.

New Lawns, Laces and Embroideries. SUMMERS & ORRELL. Good Dry Wood! A. J. PRUDHOMME.

Last Chance Club. The new club house on Last Chance will be opened on the fourth of March.

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Subscription Rates: Yearly in advance \$24.00, Per month by carrier in city \$2.00, Single copies \$2.00.

NOTICE: When a newspaper offers its advertising space at a nominal figure, it is a practical admission of "no circulation."

LETTERS: And Small Packages can be sent to the Creek by our carriers on the following days: Every Tuesday and Friday.

\$50 Reward: We will pay a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any one stealing copies of the Daily or Semi-Weekly Nugget.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1903.



FULFILLING DESTINY: There is something intangibly fascinating about an announcement of a gold discovery in a remote region.

The unvarying result of all such stampedes is failure on the part of ninety-nine out of every hundred who join them.

Nevertheless there are never wanting those who are willing to join any rush that occurs, each man hoping that he will be the one to succeed.

Such is the spirit of the Anglo-Saxon as distinguished from all other races. Ready to take a chance with the multitude and relying upon his powers of endurance and ability to adapt himself to all circumstances to see him through to a successful end.

If he succeeds well and good. If he fails he will wait for another chance to try it again. Some day things must come his way.

Were it not for this very selfish trait - this yearning for something new and untried - the latent but never absent dissatisfaction with existing conditions no matter what they may be - were it not for all these peculiar characteristics, continents now populated and teeming with industry would still be given over to primeval surroundings and inhabited by savage beasts and still more savage men.

The rush to Dawson in 1897-98, the later stampedes to Nome and Koyukuk and the one now in progress to the Tanana country illustrate the point.

The Anglo-Saxon has his mission to perform and he is doing it well. It is his part to make the desert smile and frozen wastes to give up their treasures at his demand.

CITY FINANCES: The action of the city council in providing for a loan of \$99,000 from one of the local banks has given rise to some misapprehension as to the condition of the city's finances.

The opinion seems to prevail that the amount mentioned has been secured in a lump sum and now stands to the credit of the city for the purpose of defraying past indebtedness and current expenditures.

The facts are to the contrary. The city has made arrangements for a credit up to the sum of \$99,000 if needed. Only such amounts as are required from time to time are drawn and it is the hope of the mayor and council that they will not be obliged to incur an indebtedness beyond \$50,000.

Until the present time there has

been very little money expended. Old accounts to the extent of about \$4,000 have been wiped out and that amount with the salary roll for January and a few incidental expenditures, includes about all the appropriations thus far made.

The arrangement at the bank, was made necessary owing to the fact that the taxes for last year were practically exhausted before they became due. That is to say the city was indebted for a large amount which required by far the larger portion of the tax receipts to liquidate.

On the first of the year the city was about out of debt but entirely lacking in funds with which to meet contingent expenses. Thus a loan, with the next tax rolls as security, has become necessary.

The money will be secured, however, only as circumstances require, and at the present time the city is in debt only for a few thousand dollars instead of \$99,000, as has been the general impression.

The stampede to the Tanana country is not altogether an unmixed misfortune. Everyone who goes spends more or less money for an outfit and to that extent helps business. The adventurous spirit characteristic of the north has been awakened by reports that have come from the new diggings and it is useless to attempt to stem the tide. When the fever is in the blood it must run its course.

After a splendid feast of operatic music, Dawson will very shortly witness the portrayal of one of the finest of the old comedies, by amateur talent. The outside world does not realize the possibilities of the Klondike.

Dawson has witnessed stampedes come and stampedes go - but the old town goes on forever.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

Communications for publication in this column are invited upon all questions of public interest. Correspondents are requested to be as brief as possible and to sign their names, which will be withheld if desired.

Australia's Condition: Dear Sir, - As I am a subscriber to a Queensland daily paper, the Brisbane Courier, and follow its columns closely, you may imagine my surprise when I saw in your issue of Thursday last a telegram under the heading "Australia Bankrupt."

A country with the natural resources of Australia and a progressive people cannot be kept down for any lengthy period and the idea of bankruptcy is simply absurd.

Recently I came across the return of the gold output for Queensland, Victoria and Western Australia for 1901, namely, 3,504,505 ozs., valued at \$12,880,308.

NEW GOODS

I have just received: LOUISINE SILKS, TAFFETA SILKS, GLACE SILKS, PEAUDE SOIE SILKS, PANNE VELVETS, EMBROIDERY SILKS. J. P. McLENNAN, 233 FRONT ST. Phone 101-B.

reply to Bradstreets and the Daily Mail, and let your readers judge for themselves.

GEO. VERNON.

The editorial article referred to by Mr. Vernon is from the Brisbane Courier, and reads as follows: AUSTRALIAN INDEBTEDNESS.

One of the most damning indictments ever made on Australia has recently been published in the leading financial journal of America, and reproduced in a widely-circulated London paper, the "Daily Mail."

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Some hard thinking followed. Ten sables even if he could get them would mean an investment of \$30 - and the supper - he groaned at the thought - would easily reach \$50 more.

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Burlington Route. No matter how what case point you may be in, read the Burlington. Via the Burlington.

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The Northwestern Line. Is the Short-Line to Chicago and All Eastern Ports. All through train from the North Pacific Coast meet with this line in the Union Depot at St. Paul.

Pacific Packing and Navigation Co. Copper River and Cook's Inlet. YAKUTAT, ORCA, VALDEZ, HOMER. OFFICES: SEATTLE, SAN FRANCISCO.

Cales of the Ugly Brass Lamp

It was the first day of the month and Harry Munn's brass lamp had power to summon the djinn who would give to the boy two wishes. Today Harry intended getting all the fun possible out of his possession of the ugly brass lamp and as it was Saturday he and Arthur Halstead went to The Bronx to see the animals, taking the lamp along.

SILENT FOR THIRTY YEARS

Jerry Miller has lived a hermit in a lone farmhouse near Chillicothe, O., for over thirty years and in all that time he has not spoken a word. The cause of his strange refusal to hold communication with his fellow-man is said to have been a whipping which he received at his father's hands when he was a boy.

Solely for Charity

In announcing their presentation of Goldsmith's five act comedy 'She Stoops to Conquer' or 'The Mistakes of a Night,' the management has requested that particular attention be called to the fact that this venture is solely on behalf of charity, since the entire proceeds are to be turned over to St. Mary's and the Good Samaritan hospitals.

South Carolina's Strangest Romance

A strange story of adventure, death, love, hate and war comes from Abbeville, a small town near Columbia, S.C. Its correctness is vouched for by General Robert R. Hemphill, the veteran editor of the Abbeville Medium.

& Yukon Route MAIL SERVICE WHITEHORSE relay stages with fresh horses faster—most comfortable stopping places.

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Meeting Tonight

A preliminary meeting for organization of the Yukon Rifle Club will be held tonight at the board of trade rooms, N. C. building.

Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office.

\$50 Reward.

Stolen Sunday, June 8th, one malamute dog, very dark grey, white breast, light chops, light grey stripe running from point of nose up between eyes, front legs white, hind belly light color, always carries tail curled over back or left side, nose very small like a fox or coon.

Professional Cards

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FOUR CARLOADS OF JOB PRINTING MATERIAL The finest and Largest Assortment Ever Brought to Dawson. DO YOU NEED PRINTING? IF SO THESE PRICES WILL GET YOUR WORK: Letterheads \$6. PER THOUSAND Business Cards 3. Meal Ticket 4. Dodgers 4.

COUNCIL MEETING

Brief Session of the City Fathers

Bylaw Passed Authorizing an Overdraft at the Canadian Bank of Commerce

Owing to the bylaw of the city having been passed at the last previous meeting providing for the meeting of the council only on every alternate Monday evening many were of the opinion that there would be no session last night. Such would probably have been the case had the evening fallen on the right alternate evening, but as it did not the usual session was held. There was but little doing outside of the regular routine business.

One of the first matters to be brought up was a communication that was presented and read by the city clerk, signed by a number of the cigar dealers and tobacconists of the city protesting against restaurants, drug stores and groceries being allowed to retail cigars and tobacco without having a special license for such similar to that which they are required to procure. Dealers in such commodities now pay a regular fee of \$50 a year for the privilege accorded them and they do not think that other houses should be allowed to infringe upon their rights without they pay the same license. The matter has been agitated among the tobacco men for some time, but this is the first time it has assumed any tangible shape.

The bylaw authorizing the city to borrow an amount from the Canadian Bank of Commerce equal to \$99,000 was given its second reading and later the rules were suspended in order that it should receive its final consideration and be passed. The arrangement perfected by the bylaw is more in the nature of an overdraft than an out and out loan and the full amount allowed may never be utilized. At the present time the city treasury is bankrupt and it is the season of the year when there is not a dollar coming in. The taxes for the current year will not become available for a number of months yet, there are no fees coming in in the way of licenses, the police court fines amount to nothing, and yet there are certain expenses necessary to incur in the management of the city's affairs that must be met and it is for the purpose of maintaining the credit of the municipality and paying these small bills that the overdraft has been decided upon. Interest charged will amount to but eight per cent. per annum and will be computed monthly on the basis of what the overdraft is at that time. As fast as money from various sources begins arriving it will be placed to the city's credit at the bank and will be a charge against the overdraft. Last year there was an overdraft of \$65,000 to be cared for as soon as the taxes began arriving and once the rates began pouring in it was wiped out almost in a day.

La-Plante brought up the question of licensing restaurants, several of the members considering that such should be done owing to the practice of certain restaurants opening up business early in the spring, closing down in the fall during the dull period, thus taking off their share of the cream of the business and leaving others to struggle through the winter as best they can. No decision was reached in the matter and it is considered doubtful if the council decides to tax the eating houses.

Some weeks ago one of the members deplored the fact that the bylaws were not in printed form so that each of the council could have a copy and that they would be handy for preservation, and not so bulky as they now are in typewritten form. It was suggested then that it would be a very good idea to have them all printed, but the question was not definitely decided upon. Last night the matter was taken up again and Dr. Edwards, chairman of the committee on printing, was instructed to secure tenders

from the different printing establishments relative to the cost of such and be able to report at the next meeting. His worship notified the council that an invitation had been extended to the American Institute of Mining Engineers to visit Dawson next August, such being in accordance with a resolution passed at a meeting or two previous. The society will meet in British Columbia for their mid-summer meeting and afterward take a junket in a body to Alaska. It is to be hoped that the gentlemen may be induced to continue their journey on to the Klondike before their return to the states. Negotiations are now being made with a view to securing proper transportation facilities, rates, etc.

Though next Monday evening is the first of the alternate evenings that the council should not meet, it is more than likely that a session will be held, the adjournment last night having been made to that effect. Special meetings may be called at any time by his worship.

BIG BOND REQUIRED

James O'Day Held in \$8,000.

Four Thousand to Keep the Peace and an Equal Amount to Appear on Second Charge

James O'Day, who was arraigned before Mr. Justice Macaulay in the police court yesterday morning upon the charge of threatening to shoot his wife, was placed upon trial this morning.

The information was laid by Mrs. O'Day who claimed to have had her life threatened by her husband and asked that he might be put under bonds to keep the peace.

The information was changed this morning inasmuch as the revolver had been pointed at another party and not at the informant. The court was therefore asked to simply put the defendant under bonds to keep the peace.

The defense agreed to the amending of the information but stated that they were willing to go on with the trial either as originally laid or as amended.

At the conclusion of the trial which resulted in the defendant being put under bonds of \$2000 personal with two sureties in \$1000 each, binding him to keep the peace for a year, a second information was laid against him for threatening the life of Andrew Gamble by pointing a 44 revolver at him and at the same time using threatening language.

The second charge was laid by order of the court although it was clearly expressed that Gamble himself preferred not to prosecute. It was stated by the defendant's counsel that the gun was simply used for the purpose of frightening and that there was no intent to do bodily harm. The judge stated that so called gun play even for bravado would not be tolerated in this country.

Mary O'Day, wife of the accused, was the first witness called and told the story of the affair which led up to the threatened shooting. She and her husband had separated about two years ago and while being upon speaking terms were not particularly friendly.

Mr. O'Day had quarreled with a mutual friend, Mr. Andrew Gamble, and the present affair was the outcome of this quarrel.

Mr. O'Day claimed that Gamble had told him of an insult that he had offered his wife and when O'Day met Gamble last Friday on Queen street between Third and Fourth avenues in company with his wife he demanded to know whether or not such an insult had been offered. The witness said she had never denied or affirmed that such had been offered her, but Gamble had denied it, whereupon O'Day had said that either one of the other had lied. Gamble had then slapped O'Day. They had met again at the house where she was staying

in the evening. Gamble had arrived and shortly afterward O'Day came in. The quarrel had been renewed upon the same lines as before. O'Day had called Gamble a liar again and had received a punch on the nose for so doing after refusing to step outside and fight it out, saying he would not fight because Gamble was the larger man. O'Day had then gone to the other side of the room and drawing a revolver had pointed it at Gamble, saying as he did so he was going to shoot the three, Gamble, himself and wife. Other witnesses corroborated the foregoing.

At the conclusion of the evidence the application for dismissal by the defense was denied the court fixing his peace bonds at \$2000 personal and \$1000 each in two sureties.

The second warrant was then issued and the accused was held for trial in bonds of the same amount.

Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office. Job Printing at Nugget office.

TOWNSITE AT MAYO

To Furnish Supplies for Duncan Creek

Pack Trail Will be Constructed to Diggings a Distance of Eighteen Miles.

Plans are now under way for the location of a townsite at the mouth of Mayo creek, as a supply point for the miners on Duncan and other Stewart river mining districts. The distance from the mouth of Duncan to Mayo landing is about 18 miles and parties who have been over the route say that the grade does not exceed 5 per cent.

A petition addressed to Mayor Wood and signed by a large number of Duncan miners asks for a trail on the route indicated and it is likely that a survey will be made in the early summer.

Meanwhile Messrs. Rinfret, Bine and Delveaux, who are interested in the townsite, propose to construct a trail themselves which will serve the purpose until the government road is built.

Contracts have already been let for a big store building, hotel and warehouse, and big stocks of goods will be on the ground with the opening of navigation.

There are now about 350 men on Duncan and those who are posted on the outlook say that the number will easily be doubled by the middle of summer.

Position of Mails. A White Pass stage arrived last evening with 7 passengers but no mail. Slater, in charge of a White Pass stage, passed the Crossing yesterday noon and is expected in Thursday. He has 250 pounds of mail.

Downing left at 8 o'clock this morning with 3 passengers. The Merchants Transportation Co. dispatched a stage at 1 p. m. with the following passengers: Mr. C. Wyld, who is taking with him the body of her husband who died a short time ago at South Dawson, S. A. Putnam, D. W. Field, Mr. J. H. Sully, W. S. Clark and two passengers from the Forks.

Mr. Field is going after a shipment of 400 cases of eggs and Mr. Clark is bound for Selkirk to look after a consignment of feed there.

The next second class mail will be in the latter part of the week.

FOR SALE.—Four strong dogs, year and a half old. Apply to Dr. Richardson, York street, between 3 and 4 p. m.

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SOCIABLE SULPHUR

Gaities Are the Oper of the Day

Several Dances Last Week and More Planned for the Near Future.

Of the masquerade ball given on the 13th inst. by Mr. and Mrs. McCarty at No. 22 above Sulphur there were some features worthy of special mention. The excellent supper provided by the modest little hostess was of such a superlative character as to elicit from all who had the pleasure to partake of it unstinted but well-merited praise. Mr. McCarty must be complimented on securing as musicians Messrs. Taylor of Sulphur, Bergman of Dawson, and Erickson of Hunker. It is safe to say that never before did Sulphur's slumbering valley awake with sweeter strains.

Mr. and Mrs. Corkum of No. 88 below on Sulphur, having finished the representation of their properties in that locality, have returned to Dawson. While at No. 2 below on Sunday last they were the guests of Mr. Coffin, the mining inspector. Harry Neuhausner, lately of 49 below on Hunker has moved the whole of his mining plant to 255 below on Dominion and is busily engaged getting ready for work. Your correspondent is sorry to report that while Mr. Neuhausner was unloading his machinery, his right foot got caught under a piece of timber, and was badly crushed.

The dance at No. 244 Dominion, the Grant roadhouse, on Friday night last was a grand affair. Excellent music was rendered by Messrs. O'Fallon, Kettle and Hunt, a most sumptuous supper was served, and there was a large attendance, especially from Gold Run. There was also a dance on Saturday night at No. 1 below on Sulphur, under the auspices of the Dale roadhouse. Messrs. Bergman and Taylor were the musicians, and they acquitted themselves creditably as on former occasions. Following are the names of those who participated—Misses Hall and Atwood, Messlames Taylor, Lund, Rutherford, Corkum and Brandner, Messrs. Taylor, Van Winkle, Averson, Vanvill, Lund, Durham, Ross (floor manager), Shaw, Blair, Hogan, J. and S. Dalby, Ryan, Winters, Cameron, Fitzgerald and White.

Mr. Burns, a recent arrival from Duncan creek, called on Sulphur last week on his way to Thistle creek.

Two more masquerade balls are announced on Sulphur. One will be given by Miss Hall of the Dale roadhouse, No. 1, below, on March 6th, and the other by Mr. and Mrs. McCarty, No. 22 above on the evening of St. Patrick's day, March 17th. From the preparations both are making we predict that each will prove a magnificent success. It is said that each will have music that cannot be excelled.

On Sunday last a sleighload of Sulphur's society took a pleasant ride to Dominion. It was a calm and cloudless day whose gentle zephyrs brought forth fair Sulphur's social set, her beauty and her gaily. Love laughs at locks and walls of stone, and it is said, this merry drive was the successful consummation of a lover's scheme most deftly planned, and, for once in the aesthetic realm of love's romance, Sulphur has furnished the exception, that proves the rule, "the current of true love never runs smooth." By some inexplicable conjuring of the planets, aided by Cupid's generous intervention, an over-anxious mamma was ingeniously left at home. And thus it was that, free from maternal surveillance, two human hearts beat happily, and "all went merry as a marriage bell," whose joyous intonations, by the way, may soon arouse the echoes of the neighboring hills. The incident which makes the face of its hero, James Sipprell, beam with blissful happiness, has, it is said, overcast with gloom another's manly brow.

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CRIMINAL CASES. Bill Killed. NOTICE ON AND AFTER THIS DATE

Set for Trial Next Week Before Mr. Justice Craig. Next week in the department of Mr. Justice Craig in the territorial court the attention of the court will be largely directed toward the disposition of criminal matters, there being now five on the docket ready for trial. Two of them will be jury trials, the gambling case against Frank McArthur and the robbery case against George Dick, the latter being set for Wednesday. The other three cases include that of the King vs. Deser, charged with the theft of some wood on Dominion, King vs. Paulson and Wubbenhorst, who were arraigned this morning charged with assaulting an officer. The last three mentioned will be heard by his lordship alone.

Map of Tanana

Messrs. H. J. Brand and Richard Davenport have issued a creditable map of the recent strike in the Tanana district showing its relation to the better known country, trails leading to the new discoveries, posts, telegraph stations, etc. The map is a little larger than 2x3 in size and is most comprehensive in all its details, is accurate and it is said can be entirely relied upon, having been made from the latest official United States surveys.

Hockey Tomorrow Night

Tomorrow night will occur the battle of the giants, the postponed match between the Civil Service and the City Eagles. Since the walloping the latter received on Saturday night they have been drilling at a lively pace and promise that at the next meeting, with the government employees they will be there when the bell rings ready to deliver the goods. Job Printing at Nugget office.

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