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DAWSON, Y. T., MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1900.

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THE ROAD COMPLETE

General Superintendent Hawkins Tells About Railroad Affairs.

WHERE THE GOLDEN SPIKE WAS DRIVEN

Five Hundred and Fifty Tons Daily Can Now Be Handled.

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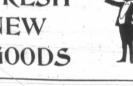
And a Branch Line Will Be Run to Them-Smelters Will Be Built.

Mr. E. C. Hawkins, chief engineer and general superintendent of the White Pass & Yukon railway, arrived by the Zealandian early Sunday morning, and has much to say interesting to shippers and those who travel.

"With the driving of the golden spike at Caribou Crossing on July 29," said Mr. Hawkins this morning, "we finished the line from Skagway to Whitehorse, a distance of 112 miles."

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In 1, 2 and 3-lb. tins of Choice

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The exact spot of the driving of the RECEIVED BY WIRE. golden spike is about 200 feet below the new draw span over the crossing, and within 12 hours after the rails had been connected a loaded freight train of 15 cars and a locomotive passed on the first through run from Skagway to Whitenorse. After the ceremony of driving the spike was finished, the party consisting of a large number of railroad employes and invited guests from Skagway repaired to Camp H, just above the crossing, when a dinner was tendered to Contractor M. J. Heney, Of Italy Shot and Killed by a whose work, so far as the main line of the road is concerned, aside from some ballasting work on the recently completed track, is now finished.

"We have completed the best possible facilities for handling perishables at Whitehorse," said Mr Hawkins, in reply to a question upon that head, "and are in a position to handle goods with the least possible delay, and greatest care. A whart, the best on the river, 800 feet long, has been built, and on it a w rehouse 40x600 feet, which will accommodate about 3000 tons of freight. Three tracks are laid on the wharf and cars coming in loaded are run right down to the steamer's side, and the freight transferred direct from car to steamer, which arrangement possesses great advantages over the old way.

"We have in operation at present 250 freight cars, and 15 locomotives, with four more of the latter in course of con- Was Chosen by Lot to Murder King wire. struction in the Skagway shops. One hundred and twenty of the cars now in use were also built at Skagway.

"The present capacity of the road is 550 tons daily, which will meet fully any demands that can be made, as that is about all, if not more than can be received at Skagway under the present system, which is usually about four steamers a week, each with a carrying arrested, gave the name of Angelo Brissi Wm. Adams was the party with the large philanthropic heart who could not capacity of from 150 to 700 tons of and any or of the steamers and this morning the Ottawa out pro-

:30 a.m. daily, and a little earlier from Whitehorse, and make the run in seven of ballasting the roadbed around the lake is completed, as trains have to go (Continued on Page 4.)

100 TONS 75 Tons

Fresh merchandise just received from the outside-Groceries, Provisions, Fresh Potatoes and Hardfits; we are prepared to fill them.

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Including the Famous NEEDLE CIGARS

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Enamelled Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, Linoleum, Wall Paper and House Lining

Cowardly Assassin

Angelo Brissi of the Mafia Society the Murderer.

NEW JERSEY MAN'S LETTER.

and Weakened-Europe Mourns-Pekin Contradiction.

Monza, Italy, July 30, via Skagway, capacity of from 150 to 700 tons of and avowed the crime, apparently being freight.

"Passenger trains leave Skagway at pleased at the result of his dastardly when some people came around sufferding farewell to the Italian troops who hours at present, but this time will be were embarking for China, and having trate Starnes said his philantrophy materially reduced, as soon as the work bidden them God-speed, was just enterfrom the fury of the populace, which was intent upon tearing him limb from limb. The crime is undoubtedly attributable to the Mafia Society.

King's Death Was Ordered.

New York, July 31, via Skagway, ware-which will be sold at low- Aug. 6.-Ten days at Paterson, New est market prices. See us on out- Jersey, Carbore Sperranza laid down his forcibly to his attention this morning. own life to absolve himself from the J. E. BOOGE, Yukon Hotel Store murder of King Humbert. Before killing himself he killed Guideppe Pessana In the pocket of the murderer and suicide was found a letter which said that he (Sperranza) had, been chosen from a society of anarchists to kill the king, Cobaccos, Cigarettes and Cigars but as he was in America on the date set for the assassination he could not carry out his allotted work. It was the fact/that he had not done his work/that Second Street caused the quarrel with Pessana.

Sperranza wrote: "It was not my bidding or choice to kill the king; but it was the order of a good and brave society. On February 2d at a meeting of the society in Paterson it was decided that Humbert must die and we drew lots to see on whom would fall the lot. but as I was in America I could not carry out my oath. The soceity ordered that its will must be obeyed, and that I would have to fulfill my oath of blood or renounce my connection with the society. "

Assassin Brissi lived in Paterson for some time, but left in May for Italy. He was a weaver by trade and is 32 ears of age.

All Europe in Mourning.

London, July 31, via Skagway, Aug. 3. The news of the cowardly assassina tion of King Humbert has sent a shock of horror over all Europe. The queen is horrified; Paris is draped in black, and by all the governments, including the United States, have messages of condolence been sent. Victor Emanuel III will now ascend the throne as king of Italy. He is now at Piero, Greece, but is expected to reach Carfu tomorrow, where he is awaited by Queen MarghPortugal, who is a sister to the mur

More Pekin Contradictions.

Washington, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6. - A dispatch has just been received from Minister Conger at Pekin which says that on July 16th the legations were all safe, but were very short on ammunition.

Lots of Gold.

Seattle, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6. The deposits of gold at the assay office here during July amounted to six million two hundred and fifty thousand dotlars.

Telegraph Line Extended.

Work was commerced this morning on the Dominion telegraph extension to Fortymile. C. A. Couture, construction foreman, commenced operations today and will continue until Fortymile and Dawson are joined with a continuous wire. Twenty-five men will be put to work immediately on construction. The distance is 57 miles and it will take about one month to complete it. At present there, will be but one office maintained on the extension, that at MURDERER WAS DESIGNATED. Fortymile, but a refuge cabin will be built half way between where an instrument may be placed for testing the

POLICE COURT NEWS.

Hootch of the same old kind is again procurable, wholesale or retail, according to the capacity of the buyer. It was even possible to procure it for a Aug. 6. - King Humbert was shot at time at least yesterday, which comes to 45 o'clock tonight. He died at within the forbidden hour of the law, action. King Humbert had been bid- ing from a thirst never experienced except on Sunday, he sold them drinks of hootch, and this morning Magiswould cost him \$50 and costs of court.

ing his carriage when three shots were kind that produces a desire to whoop fired in rapid succession, one of them piercing his heart. It was with the greather invaded the Madden house. He did not a his steed in before the gates of est difficulty that the assassin was saved not run his steed in before the gates of the citadel and summon the beleaguered garrison within to lay down its arms, in-good old way, but 'ded the bar room with his cavalry to egin with. He re-treated in charge of a representative of the police force, and paid an indemnity of \$10 and costs in the police court this morning.

Geo. Lucas' sporting enthusiasm led him to forget or ignore the ordinance which prohibits the firing of guns on Sunday, and had the matter presented It cost him \$2 and costs.

G. C. Bastien so far forgot that there were such things as health ordinances as to disregard one of them last evening and for the oversight he was fined \$2 and costs.

Citizens Committee Meeting.

The citizens' sub-committee on the reception to be given the governor general met Saturday evening at McDonald hall. With a view to facilitating the work in hand, two second sub-committees were appointed, one to wait upon Major Wood, of the police force, the other to confer with the committee appointed for the same purpose by the Board of Trade. The members present were Col. McGregor, McDonald, Sugrue, Noel, McKinnon, Woodworth, Proudhomme, Nicol and Catto Col. Mc-Gregor presided as chairman and Dr. Catto acted as secretary.

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Hoffman Gill, Third street, near Third avenue. Go there for a first-class

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erita, also Maria Pia, queen dowager of RECEIVED BY WIRE.

AGAIN.

All the Ministers Were Alive and Well on the 27th.

LONG ON GRUB, AMMUNITION SHORT.

Allies Advancing on Pekin From Tientsin.

His Associates Arrested - General Greely Will Visit Dawson on Telegraph Business.

Washington, Aug. 1, via Skagway Aug. 6.—A message has been received from Conger dated at Pekin, July 27. It says that since the 16th there has been no firing, a cessation having been secured by agreement. All the legations were yet intact and their inmates unharmed. They have plenty of provisions to last for several weeks, but ammunition is very scarce. Other cables received here corroborated Conger's statements, but fear a general massacre unless aid shortly arrives, The allies have started to advance on Pekin from Tientsin. The first Chinese army is 15 miles out from Pekin and is arranged in the shape of a great arc extending 30.

It Was a Plot.

Rome, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6. -In the course of an examin here today, Brissi who assasinated King Humbert, did not deny but that he had been designated to commit the crime. Anton Lanner, who accompanied Brissi from America, and four or five others have been arrested. The king's body will be sent to Windsor for burial.

General Greeley Coming. Washington, Aug. /1, via Skagway,

Aug. 6. Gen. Greely has left for Alaska to superintend the laying of the telegraph cable for which congress has appropriated \$480,000. He will ge on to Dawson, where he will probable make arrangements with the Canadian government for the transmission of messages direct to the states until the Alaska system is completed.

Corbett and McCoy.

New York, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Aug. 6 .- Kid McCoy and J. J. Corbett have been matched for a 25-round go before the Century Club on the 30th of this

Historian Dead.

New York, Aug. 1, via Skagway, Mew York, Aug. 1, via Skagway, move their main store to the Aurora Aug. 6.—John Clark Ridpath, the rebuilding opposite Aurora dock, Aug. nowned historian died at the Press. nowned historian, died at the Presyterian hospital today from a complication of diseases.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1900

AS WE ARE.

The idea with which some of the sporting men in Dawson are now possessed, namely: that the games are to be closed during the visit of his excellency, the governor general, is too foolish for serious consideration. Lord Minto is not coming here to see Dawson in her Sunday clothes, but to see her as she is day in and day out, six days every week, and every week in the year. To close the gambling houses during the presence of the distinguished visitors would be to place Dawson in a false position and to wilfully and grossly misrepresent actual conditions. and we do not believe there are any intentions of so doing. There are worse eyesores in Dawson than the gambling tables, and if the matter of shutting up is to be practiced on this occasion, there should also be some fencing in. We believe in receiving the distinguished guests in the most gracious manner possible, but we do not believe in any, whitewashing of every day conditons lest what we, the citizens, put up with the year round should prove offensive to the distinguished gaze. The impressions of Dawson which Lord Minto should carry away with him should be of Dawson as she is instead of Dawson as she would be with a temporary veil over her every day life. To be seen in that light would be an injustice to the city her residents and also to the visitors themselves.

No one comes here expecting to see something like an old New England, Puritanic town, and to attempt to don such an air even temporarily will savor of hypocrisy and tommyrot.

W. P. & Y. ROUTE.

Dawson is now being honored by a visit from a party of men to whose ability and untiring energy is due the fact that freight is now laid down in Dawson from the lower cities at less than one-fifth of what it formerly cost to transport it from Skagway to the summit of White Pass, a distance of less than 20 miles. Reference is made to Mr. C. E. Hawkins, chief engineer and general manager, and to Mr. M. J. Heney, construction contractor of the White Pass & Yukon Route.

To Mr. Hawkins is due the credit for being the first to conceive the practicability of connecting the headwaters of Yukon navigation and salt water by bands of steel. It was his engineering skill that made possible the construction of a railroad through White pass, hanging it on the rugged mountain side where naught but the howling blasts of Boreas had ever before ventured. The construction of the railroad from Skagway to the summit is recognized as a triumph of engineering skill not excelled on the North American continent in the present age. To Mr. Heney is due the credit of "building to the line" and of most successfully handling the largest force of men ever employed by one man in the far northwest, and, in the face of elements such as are rarely met, of having completed all contracts in advance of the stipulated time and of doing his work faithfully and well. It may be truthfully said of Heney Give him money and men and he would span the bottomless pit with here, you have made a mistake in givsteel rails.

The White Pass & Yukon has been but at the same time it is a great fore you leave the window.' I can't

child in the Klondike, all of whom must subsist on supplies from the out-

The Nugget bespeaks for Messrs, Hawkins and Heney a most cordial welcome in Dawson, of which city they are undoubtedly the greatest benefactors.

It is the duty of every person in Dawson, no matter from what country he may hail, to do his share in the matter of making the coming visit of his excellency, the governor general, to Dawson a pleasant as well as a profitable one-profitable to him as well as to us. Every effort should be made in order arantees to its advertisers a paid circulation five that the highest official of the Dominion carry away with him pleasing recollections of this, the most distant part of the vast domain over which he presides. The various committees are now in shape to co-operate in doing honor to our distinguished visitor and it is sheep camp of Martin Johnson, just earnestly hoped that none will be found wanting in the disharge of the duty with which he has been entrusted. The unanimous sentiment here must be: All honor and all hail to the distinguished visitor.

> A contemporary publishes the following estimate of the cost of the St. Louis strike. Four lives have been lost; one hundred and eighty persons have been injured; the strikers have lost in wages alone \$320,000; the company has lost in fares \$420,000, and for extra employes \$600,000. The loss to business has been \$25,000,000, and the cost to the city \$300,000. The mayor of the city and the governor of the state are blamed for prolonging the strike because neither of them would take vigorous measures to put a stop to it.

George Ade, a Chicago humorist, sends this advice to his paper from Manila. "I think we ought to keep the Philippines. Judging by the smell, I think we ought to keep them on ice. When the people over here have learned to be as moral as we are, and have imported lots of insect powder, the Island the West Side of Chicago."

This is a progressive age. Next year we may expect to read something like the following in the daily paper: About 10 o'clock this morning a horseless milk wagon, loaded with cowless milk, collided with a brainless rider on a chainless wheel. The luckless wheelman was badly injured, and being excused for a month." homeless, was taken in a horseless cab to the home for the friendless. - Ex.

Mistakes in Making Change.

Last Sunday morning a lady in heavy black attire, carrying an umbrella, a fan and a prayerbook, took an electric car at the station and sat down in the seat next the rear door. When the car reached the point of her destination, the conductor had just gone forward to take up the fares. She signaled to him to stop and held up a hill to pay him. The conductor took the money and without a suspicion of impatience handed her back the change. Meanwhile the car waited. "You should have come for my fare earlier,' she remonstrated midlly. She got off at last, and the car went forward and stopped at the next crossing to take on another passenger. Just then the lady in black began to make violent gestures from the distant crosswalk. "What's the matter with her now?" asked a youth on the rear platform. "Kicking about her change," growled the conductor. "Ring the bell and go on," returned the first speaker. "She has a right to what is due her," exclaimed a young woman with spirit. All was silent in the car as the black figure ces phainted -Answers. came trotting through the mud as rapidly as her long skirts, prayerbook, fan and umbrella would let her. "See,' she said, catching her breath as she came within speaking distance and still holding the change the conductor had given her, "see here! You have given me too much!"

This reminds me of an incident which I witnessed some years ago in the Old Colony station. There was at that time a very stuffy and ill mannered ticket seller at the window. One day he sold a ticket to a suburban passenger, who paid for it with a bill and gathered up his change and passed on a few steps before he counted it. Then he came back and called across the line of people who were buying tickets, "See ing me change." The ticket seller burst upon .him abusively. "Don't you see that notice over the 'window?' and is a money maker to its owners, he shouted. "Count your change be. 2nd St., bet. 2nd and 3rd Aves.

money saver to every man, woman and correct your change now." "Very well," said the suburban man; "you gave me just \$3 too much for that \$10 bill, but never mind-I won't trouble you." He tucked the money into his vest pocket and walked away, and as there was a considerable crowd and the ticket seller could not climb through his window the man was out of sight in a moment. Meantime the ticket seller was shouting: "Come back! Stop that man!" and growing very red in the face, all to no avail. The suburban man kept the extra \$3 for several days and then brought it back, taking the occasion to give the surly ticket man a lecture which probably he never forgot.

Border Sheep War.

Denver, Col., July 23 .- A special to the Republican from Chevenne, Wyo.,

A courier arrived in Rawlins this evening from the southern part of Carbon county with the report that a party of mountain cattlemen from Routt county, Colorado, had visited the across the Wyoming line, in Routt county, and had slaughtered over 1 00 head of sheep.

The animals were shot down but the herders were not molested, but warned to bring no more sheep across the Wyoming line.

She Looked, Then Leaped.

Bright eyed Mary had a lover. Handsome, kind and true. But," she said, "I must discover What is best to do." So she went for sound advice To aunts and cousins married twice.

Don't," said Aunty Martha Teeters;
"Men are full of flaws;
Scolding round—the hateful erecturs—
At the slightest cause. Take your aunty's counsel, Mary; Men are always 'con-ter-ary.'''

Then she went to those still older, Cousins Jane and Ruth; Both agreed that aunty told her Plain, unvarnished truth. Married women sigh and moan, dear; You just let the men alone, dear."

Pretty Mary stood and wondered

Pretty Mary stood and wondered
How these matrons nice.
Thinking thus, should all have blundered
Into marrying twice.
Then said she, "They've griefs and bear 'em,
I'll take one myself and share 'em"
—What to Eat.

Now They Are Guessing.

This is the sixth day of the month and as yet the gamblers have not been warned to appear and pay their monthly "\$50 and costs" in police court. Last month upwards of \$6000 was collected from this particular source, and why such a good thing is being passed up this month has put the small army Feed and Sale Stable. of Luzon will be fully as attractive as of monthly contributors to guessing as to what is in the wind. Some of the sporting men reason thusly:

'Business in our line is quiet just now, and, realizing this, the authorities are inclined to be lenient with us, hence have probably decided to allow us to go for this month. We have been good boys and have paid regularly without objections, and now we are to be

Another theory is that all games are to be closed during the sojourn in our midst of the governor general and the distinguished personages who will accompany him, and that, therefore, the authorities feel that it would not be proper to collect the monthly fines from the sports and in turn order them temporarily out of business.

In the meantime the sports are guessing as to what a day will bring forth.

U Sa Phunnee?

A love scene/(overheard and phonographically reported by Phrederick Pninephun). - "Phairest of the phair," sighed the lover, "phancy my pheelings when I phoreseen the phearful consequences of our phleeing phrom your phater's phamily. Phew phellows could have phaced the music with as much phortitude as I have; and, as phickle Phortune phails to smile on our loves, I phind I must phorgo the pleasure of becoming your husband. Phairest Phrances, pharewell phor ever!"

"Hold, Phranklin , hold!" screamed Phrances, "I will phollow you phor

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The "force of habit," or custom, is one of the great misfortunes of humanity. This is demonstrated every day by history repeating itself. "Oh! that we could see ourselves as others see us.'' How easy we can see the folly of the Chinese Boxers by the force of habit" adhering to their custom and rebelling against what we deem Christian enlightenment and civilization. The same view is taken by the Boxers. Japan bows to the Mikado, Russia to the czar, and Turkey to the sultan, and his ladies deem it an honor to enter his majesty's harem. All this folly we see and denounce as an absurd "force of nabit." How about ourselves? Poor blind mice! We claim to be enlightened Christians, yet too blind to see ourselves as others see us. Christians should know that all through their sacred book is found "God is not a respector of persons," Yet from the force of habit will define it the other way, and try to make it appear that some shirker, who lives off the sweat of a worker, is not common clay of the same flesh and blood as their brother. They try to elevate him as a god, prefix lord to his name, pay him \$50,000 a year from their toil and bow down and worship him. Why is this? Will people ever outgrow bigoted superstition and the force of habit? People of such customs are now going to their wits end of extreme nonsense to give a public reception to one of God's plain men, whom He created without crown, feathers, or any title. Force of habit, not public choice, created the title. Why should 5,000,000 people pay this non-producer \$50,000 a year -the same salary as 80,000,000 pay their elected president. Every author on wealth and politcal economy claim that all the money of the world is produced only and directly by the hands of the grim toiler. If it were not so all nations would go on coining and printing billions of dollars every day. Taxes and tariff would be unknown.

Did Mr. Minto ever create a dollar on field or farm, mill or mine, in woods or workshop, sea or shore? No. He never toiled in any calling, nor wrote a book, nor poem or cooked a meal, or far ahead of him. Then why this preparation for a grand reception, the cost of decorating all the city, tearing down signs, putting up arches, grand stands, declaring the arrival day a holiday, a grand parade and a cavalcade of bands, etc. Bah! Let us see ourselves from the Nazerine standpoint. If this and \$15 for recording and 10 per cent man (God's plain man, Mr. Minto) was coming here to live off the sweat of his own toil and some unforseen mis hap had wrecked him, or stranded him in the ice devoid of the neceassary food and his partner or member of the family sick on a death bed, or dead, and the survivor, Minto, in overalls, landed in Dawson without a dollar homeless, penniless and friendless, out in the world alone, broken down in heart and spirit, seeking employment and unable too find it-what one of these so-called Christian reception flunkies would give him (Minto) a crust of bread? Not one.

How can you account for this blind, bigoted force of habit? It was Christ who said, "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's and unto the Lord the things that are the Lord's," or in interpreted words, "give unto Caesar that which he has earned and owns, etc." He (Jesus) also said, "Inasmuch as you have done it unto these the lest of my children you have done it unto me, etc." or in plainer words, you fed and helped these my needful children, or tone Christianity and heaven is your reward. Or in planner words, if Lord or Mr. Minto landed in Dawson destitue, a poor honest toiler, seeking a chance to earn an honest living to support himself, and pay the taxes, or his share of the \$2,500,000 anhually to the royal family, yet idle today these reception flunkies, like the 'priest and levite,' would pass him by on the other side. They would let him freeze or starve. Now, that they pay him \$50,000 a year they are going almost mad to wine and dine him free with a great bum, bum, boo reception. tinue to do so at home or abroad, they Chinese glut their god, others their

Glut the glutted and starve the starv-

rich, along came a man in stripes and says, 'See here, you can't dig here until you pay me a \$10 license annually royalty, and 20 per cent on a rich claim and 50 cents stumpage and every other claim reserved for the crown, etc.'' This kind of extorion left us very little after that, officer in stripes left us. Sometimes a highwayman leaves us a little money and this kind of an officer is about the same. All the differnce is, one takes it for himself illegally, and the other takes it for the crown, so-called, legally, But it's just which we are governed is the people's the same thing to us, they take our money and give us no equivalent in return, therefore it is no difference which man robs us. This, you see, is an outrageous shame and we civilly ask for this highway robbery, called taxes, li etc. Wheels to rent by the hour. censes, fees and royalties, etc., to stop. We want the proceeds of our production, we don't want to live off another man. Now, why didn't these officials come here 10, 20 or 50 years ago and dig out their own living? It is a case of history repeating itself. The grim toiler clears the way, blazes the roads, felis the forest, clears the soil, tills the ground, gathers and grinds the harvest, builds the houses, constructs and invents all improvements; this worker takes the wool of the sheep's back and fits on the sharpers back, in fact, does all the work and feeds and clothes the world's people, and supports all governments. . 'That is even so,' says the governor. And that is not all, nor half; now that you admit we are the people, and the direct producers too, we ask for representation from our own ranks; you see the pettifogging, gabbling lawyer, the doctor of caster oil or the doctor of divinity, or the office seeking official, all live off us, and will con-

ing. How do you account for it? What of us and work with us, knew our fools these Chinese are! What do you needs, they are the men who should be mean? Well-be docile. I only want elected by the people to represent us. to show the folly of the force of habit They know our suffering and have felt of these blind Chinamen, that's all. it. We want 90 per cent of the money Besides, it is well to try and have your part to the government from here in-He Has Rather Pronounced Ideas on brother see himself as others see him, vested in building up government roads, and this is about the best illustration bridges, and a standard shipping busito open his eyes. I take it for granted ness and store which will not rob the that the earl of Minto, the governor public. We want a standard scale fixed general (whatever his true name may for gold or a mint, so that we will not e) is a gentleman; one who can't help lose from one to three dollars an onuce but laugh at what a rich thing he has on gold. We want a law arranged be-\$50,000 a wear of his poor toiling tween the claim owner and layman so dupes-and that without representation. that the wage-worker will not be beat Then to see his poor dupes bow down out of his wages. Make legal all conto him, too timid to ask their rights; tracts between employer and employe the wrongs that should be righted, al- as it is now no miner can collect his ready too long endured and which they wages in winter by suit; he has to wait have been squealing over for three to the spring cleanup, where in many years. Yes, Mr. Minto, I don't see how cases the gold is secluded away and the you can surpress your good hearty miner beat out of one-half or threelaugh I expect to shake with you and quarters of his pay, and in some cases when I see you smile, we will know if loses all by the layman skipping off it is your rich reservoir which impels it. with the gold. Let all this be righted; Judging from the timid action of the and also we are ashamed of our govflunkies at Wednesday night's mass ernment to live off the wages of sin. meeting it would seem that the world The liquor saloon, gambling rooms, would be bankrupt if a civil and appro- dance halls with vile green rooms, and priate resolution had been adopted set, houses of shame, follow up the miners ting forth our grievances and civilly industry to the miners cabin door and asking to have the wrong righted, etc. while officials claim this evil cancer is If the governor general was elected by illegal, yet they tolerate it by collectthe people out of their rank and having ing monthly \$50 fines of the practitionexperiences in different callings in life, ers of the so-called illegal calling, then it a would be appropriate to re- which has been cultivated for three ceive him without a holiday display. years. Give us a law that will make it Great presidents have asked their peo- a state's prison offense for any man to ple to avoid display and preferred dance one night with a woman of the them, if at all, to gather, only in plain town and the next night with respectmasses. Dawson flunkies don't drop able ladies, and an equal crime to the on your fours to your lord as Chinese person who will cause the arrest and do to their god, lest your ridiculous cash bail of \$500 of another only to aspect shame the Lord and people. If Aprilfool the victim and court. So now you grovelers can't stand on your feet, you see, governor, we have been a long like a man, get out of the way you pet- suffering patient people. Put yourself tifogging lawyers and doctors of caster in our position. Go put in ten oil and parasites of the government pap hours a day at hard work shovelbottles and let the great army of toilers, ing immine or sluice box. Disguise mining all over the Klondike and In- yourself in overalls, and flannels, so dian river districts, the only producers you will be unknown, experience the and sovereign people of the empire, humiliation of getting a job, then have speak to the governor general. That is your co worker try to rush you, probwhat he comes for. All right. They ably abuse and freeze you out; see how shake hands, and after the greeting the ladies will ignore you and admire'a governor says: "You, gentlemen, the dude in collars and cuffs and curley hair horny-handed sons of toil, are just the on the brainless head of a debauched, very people I want to see. You see I gambling thief and criminal; yes, see am not to blame for this rich \$50,000 yourself abused, or ignored by the very job, God did not give it to me; mon- groveling flunkies who would tread archy did, and flunkies, from the force others down to bow down to you in of habit, tolerate it, I know I ride another position when living off their heavy on your back and I want to see toil. Wouldn't this custom of habit your wrongs and will try and right kill you. Yes, and while in overalls them. I know there is no difference be- see the Pharisee in his 'I am hollier tween chattel slavery and slavery with then thou' pomp, in store and office exorbitant tax without representation. Isn't it strange we have endured all Right you are governor, and it is this without representation. If these right glad I am to see you," says the deluded people could only see themminer, "and now that you are fair and selves as the other half see them, they came so far to know our needs, we will would have long ago declared a declarabe pleased to tell you our needs. You tion of independence. They would have see this arctic spot is God's creation. realized that 'God is not a respecter of invented a device, nor built a house for The gold he placed in the ground un persons.' That all men are created man of mule. The humblest man who known ages ago. It never done any one equal; that they are endowed by their has produced in any of these lines is any good until we blazed the way and creator with certain inalienable rights hauled our grub over the crags and frost that among these are life, liberty and and snow and suffered countless hard. the pursuit of happiness. That to secure ships and began digging it out. Then his rights governments are instituted just as soon as we began to grow fairly among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed,' In our case it's the other way, we have been governed without our consent. Ogilvie and all the officials know it,

> Shindler has bicycle sundries; wood rims, inner tubes, ball bearings, spokes, bells, cyclometers, toe clips, graphite,

> but they insist on this extertion and

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Yukoner Breaks a Record and the Will Transport Royalty.

The steamer Zealandian arrived at midnight of Saturday last bringing the fact. passengers and mail of the Victorian, which was stuck on a bar a short distance up the river.

The Victorian followed down stream Sunday, docking at the C. D. Co.'s man he chose what seemed to him the view. wharf at 9:40 p. m. Following are the least of two evils, as he says he would passengers of both boats: Miss M. much sooner tackle Slavin than the Beorget, Carl Bey, Miss F. E. Smidt, Yukon. It would seem at first glance Mrs. L. Janssenhauner, G. P. Sharodel, Mrs. Sharodel, Mrs. R. Hanna, M. B. the chances for success in the coming Bruce, Mrs. Armesburg, M. S. Madson, O. B. Marston, D. Longton, Mrs. Rankin, D. A. Ross, A. Ross, G. Crocker, J. Wilson, W. Stewart, D. W. Stewart, Mrs. W. Stewart, Geo. French, Mrs. H. A. Weld, D. S. Johnston, E. Moran, F. D. Wells, Mrs. G. Austin, Mrs Ellott, Mrs. Graves, E. C. Hawkins, M. J. Heney, R. T. Elliott, S. H. Graves, P. Jackson, Mrs. I.W. Dudley, Miss Dudley, Ben Cock- the advantage of recent training for rill, R. P. Nudley, M. B. Phelan, J. Fitzman, J. J. Shaugnesy, J. B. Gal- him in good condition now, especially print it in you paper, it will probably braith, Mrs. Eva Hilliard, C. Borde, M. Dominie, H. T. Hooper, W. S. Mc-Cracken, F. Dumas, J. Primea, Miss E J. Mackenze, Eugene Conner, Mrs.

A wire was received from Whitehorse this morning giving news of the arrival the other hand, he has been drinking of the steamer Yukoner at that point. heavily since his last contest and the She made the trip up in the remarkable time of three days, and fifteen hours. nothing if not disastrous to a pugilist. This beats the record by two hours, both the Anglian and Lightning making that known to the ring, nor without the ex- of whom now reside near Spokane, and run in two hours' slower time, which perience and nerve which go to make a was the quickest run until the Yukoner modern gladiator, although several smashed the record. The Zealandian will make an effort on this trip to lower the time of the Yukoner.

The Gold Star with a few passengers arrived Sunday. She pulled in to the C. D. Co.'s dock to unload some 40 bout, and these have also seen Slavin's tons of freight consigned to that company.

The Ora left Sunday afternoon with a large passenger list. Agent Calderhead coming event. He is less stocky than followed his announcement that he would make a bigger cut than the C. D. Co., by selling tickets to Whitehorse for \$30 first-class and \$20 second on his boat. It is not expected that a deeper cut will be made by the big boats, if sports, whose enthusiasm runs high they do Calderhead says he will go over the affair. them one better until passengers are

of treight and four horses for Chris Son- his friends hope for his success, because the postmaster at Priest Valley, and nikson's ranch "Mazemay." Some they believe the contest has been forced modern agricultural machinery was in the consignment.

The steamer Flora arrived this morn ing at 11:12 from the Stewart river. Geo. M. Allen, one of the returning passengers, reports having a most successful and enjoyable expedition. The details of the excursion will be published in tomorrow's Nugget.

The Bonanza King sails today. She arrived Saturday night. As no copy of her passenger list was obtainable at the barring accidents, will be a good one office of her company the arrivals cannot is evidenced by the fact that to the be printed. She is said to brought down about 40 people.

Steamer Tyrrell arrived at Whitehorse at 5/o'clock this morning. The Anglian followed at 7 this morning.

The Columbian is due to arrive in wson this afternoon.

Steamer Eldorado broke down six miles below Hootalinqua, but got away in a few hours. She was reported at Big Salmon yesterday, The Bailey was reported at Five Fin-

gers going up this morning at 9:15. Steamer Zealandian was heard from at Ogilvie going up at 8:20 this morn-

The Clifford Sifton left Dawson last Saturday afternoon and was not heard from until this morning, when it was found she had struck hard and tast 15 posed. miles above Ogilvie. All efforts to get

her off the bar so far has proved unavailing. The steamer Cutch arrived at Skag way Sunday and sailed south this morn-

ing. The Sybil has been fitted up in magnificent shape and is dispatched today for Whitehorse, where it will await the coming of Lord Minto and party. They will come down the river on that boat provided of course her engines will stand the strain of royalty.

A Big Contest Billed.

The coming ten round glove contest which is articled for three weeks from today forms one of the principal themes of conversation on First avenue at pres- two weeks.

RIVER BUSINESS IS RUSHING ent, and it is safe to say that never has sporting Dawson looked forward to an event with so much interest as is manifested in this one.

The event which directly brought the affair about was a meeting in the Exchange saloon early Friday morning between Pugilist Slavin and Frank Smith, a well known sport, in which Slavin got decidedly the worst of it. After this many of Slavin's friends seemed to think that he had not had a Eldorado Breaks Down - Sybil fair show, and that Smith would not meet him on pre-arranged terms. From meet him on pre-arranged terms. From the C. D. Co., are among the late are the fact that the bout is now arranged, rivals at the Regina. this latter idea is effectually repudiated, and the former never had any basis in

When Smith was approached in the matter of a ring contest, it was said to meet that Smith has much the worst of it in go, but a closer examination of the facts will show that things are not so onesided after all. There is little difference in the matter of weight and it is 1s, 1s in Slavin's favor. He is also some four or five years the younger, being considerably under 40 years of as he was an easy winner in both the contests referred to, and received no to find the lost heir. I should be glad ceived Friday morning was trifling, although the marks on his face look bad. Those are the facts in his favor. On results of a bout with hootch can be

Smith is not, as many believe, unyears have passed since he last entered the ring. There are those in town who remember having seen him put out the fellow known as "The Terrible Swede" work. It speaks well for Smith's chances that these men are anxious to risk their money behind him in the shows better preservation.

Both men begin their training at once, and will be closely watched dur-

upon him.

At all events the affair promises to attract a larger crowd than any event of the kind has ever done before here, and the contest will most probably take place on the site of the recent six days' foot race opposite the Nugget office, where the high fence will most likely be replaced and seats enough built to accommodate a large audience.

That the contest is bona fide, and, barring accidents, will be a good one winner goes the entire gate receipts.

THE ROAD COMPLETE.

(Continued from page 1.) slowly there at present,'

"Will your company build further down the river?" was asked.

"At present the only construction we have in view is a branch line to the Whitehorse mines, a distance of seven miles.

"The mines are coming out all right under development work, and much prospecting is being done. Several outside capitalists have men in there in their interests, and the belt producing copper ore is being shown to be much more extensive than was at first sup

"Some of the ore, that is taken from the Bornsite mine, for instance, can be shipped to the outside for reduction at a good profit, as it carries 66 per cent door of the private office at headquarters

"Smelting works for matting the vast uantities of low grade ore will be erected, and most likely the matts will be shipped for reduction and refining. It is said that Montana and other outside mining capital will be behind the smelters,"

Mr. Hawkins is accompanied by I. W. Young his secretary, and M. J.

Heney, the contractor.

Mr. Graves and Mr. Elliott, of the
C. D. C., who came with him, left again on the Zealandian. Mr. Hawkins will probably remain in Dawson about

BRIEF MENTION.

M. Ryan, of Grand Forks, is at he Flannery.

B. Green, of Grand Forks, is registered with his wife at the Fairview. E. C. Hawkins, of the White Pass &

S. H. Graves and M. J. Heney, of

Co., a San Francisco wholesale liquor firm, is registered at the Regina. Allans Hillard, of Bonanza, has been in town during the past day or two, to meet his family, which arrived safely him that he either had to meet him or on the Bonanza King yesterday morn-

> Spokane, Wash., July 25, 1900. Editor Klondike Nugget, Dawson City, N. W. T.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find a short history of James Clement Elsdon, fuse to loan his oil cloth and eat off who, we learn, went to Klondike in the bare table until it is returned, or 1897 or 1898. For a number of years he had been around in British Columbelieved that three weeks hence there ia, near Okanogan lake, Osoyoos lake ing in tea party tactics where royalty will be even less. What difference there and Fairview, B. C. His partner, Dick Bowen, writes me from Fairview that with a plethonic purse is footing the James went to Dawson.

Recently we learn that he adopted the sition is spoken of as ridiculous. age, while Smith is 44. He has also name of James Anderson, and went by that name for eight or ten years past. two encounters, which should make If you can make a story of this and induce some inquiry and may help us punishment. The punishment he re- to have you mail me a copy of your valuable paper. Very truly yours,

MARK F. MENDENHALL. A snug sum of money is waiting for James Clement Elsdon, from the estate Sybil's wake and the canoe upset. of a wealthy uncle, who died in Ireland last year. The legacies are already to be distributed in cash to his four remaining brothers and two sisters, three one sister in Chicago, and one brother in Dorchester, New Brunswick.

At the age of 21 years James Clement Elsdon left his home in Halifax, Nova Scotia, with his brother John, who was then 19 years old, to go west to seek little the worse for their ducking. in the third round of a very gamey their fortunes; this was in 1883. In the early part of 1884 they separated at Escanava, Michigan, John going to Chicago, and James going to British Columiba. For about four years thereafter he wrote home frequently from his adversary, of a cleaner build, and Kamloops, Heron Bay, Mission Valley and Priest Valley (now Vernon P. O.), which places are in the region surrounding Okanogan lake, in British Columing the next three weeks by the local bia, and where he engaged in the cattle business.

Plenty of money is offered by many saying that he expected to see them in given free rides and a golden medal who have seen one or both men in the the early part of the following year, bearing the monorgam of his company. ring, although Smith thus far is the and that was the last word his relatives The Ora carried up river three tons favorite from a money standpoint, and ever heard from him. They wrote to

> and in the spring of 1896 he was advertsed for in the Montreal Family Herald and Weekly Star, but no trace was found of him, and shortly thereafter his mother's estate was divided among his surviving brothers and sisters, in

> was 25 or 26 years old, and if now living he would be 37 years old. His relatives never heard whether or not he had ever married, and as the part of the country in which he was, was almost unsettled, and he was engaged in a roving occupation, the probabilities are that he never married while in the Okanogan country. Any one having any knowledge of his movement or whereabouts since December, 1887, please communicate with Mark F. Mendenhall, Spokene, Washington.

He Was Admitted.

Fortunately when red tape comes in contact with common sense it is red tape which goes to the wall. A good story is told of a military official who devised a system which compelled every one who went on business to Gen. Banks to procure a ticket from a member of the staff, the presentation of which at the door gained his admission. One day a burly colonel came to the and requested that his name be given to the general.

"A ticket!" echoed the colonel, with

Yukon R., is a guest of the Regina. J. H. Hennesey, of Seattle and A. E. Dobson, of Vancouver, are in town on

business J. O. Hestwood, of San Francisco, was one of the passengers arriving on the Bonanza King,

take to the water, and being a wise ing. They are stopping at the Fair-

Who Knows Him?

In December, 1887, he wrote home finally received word that he had gone south across the border into Okanogan county, Washington territory, U. S.

His mother died in November, 1895, the belief that he was dead.

When last heard from James Elsdon

"Have a ticket?" he was asked.

scorn. "No, sir, I haven't." "You can't enter here without one,"

was the reply. "Sir," said the colonel, "when Gen. Banks becomes a puppet show, and I have 25 cents to spare, I'll buy a ticket to see him, not before." He was admitted. -Ex.

A Ridiculous Proposition.

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A River Accident.

bills-well, it is no wonder the propo-

O. Jacobson and S. Hansen narrowly escaped drowning this afternoon shortly after the Sybil started up the river.

The two men were coming up the opposite side of the river from the shipyard in a 19-foot peterboro and had started across the river opposite the upper end of town when they got in the

Mike Tovetich and Anton Lungivich, two fishermen went to the rescue, and finally succeeded in picking the men up near the Starndard Oil Co.'s dock. For a long distance the men did not even have hold of the canoe, and one of them was burdened with a pair of rubber boots. Fortunately both were [good swimmers and when landed at the steps in front of St. Mary's hospital were

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