

### OLE MARSH WINS PURSE

Being Awarded Two of Three  
Falls in Wrestling Match  
Last Night

WITH FRANK KENNEDY AT THE SAVOY

Referee's Decision Not in Accord  
With Spectator's Views

WHO SAY LOSER HAD FALLS

For Which He Did Not Get Credit  
—Was Interesting From Start  
to Finish.

Last night at the Savoy theater the Dawson sporting public witnessed a wrestling match between Kennedy and Marsh—and thereby hangs a tale. The match was catch as catch can, best two out of three falls. Kennedy was awarded the first bout, Marsh the following two and the latter was declared the winner of the contest by Referee McLaughlin. Some peculiar things happened during the progress of the match. In the first bout Kennedy got a half Nelson on Marsh and turned him over and down, according to competent ones on the stage, but the referee did not see the point made and the over continued at work. Kennedy retaining his hold, again Kennedy bore Marsh to the mat with two points down, breaking his bridge, and again, according to witnesses, the colonel failed to observe the fall. The third time, however, Kennedy still retaining his hold, Marsh was flattened to the mat and Kennedy awarded the fall after apparently a terrific expenditure of strength. The next peculiar incident to attract the attention of the observant was the evidence of money ready to be wagered on Marsh even after he lost the fall. The following bout developed another incident which attracted no little comment. Kennedy threw Marsh flat in a falling fall. The work was almost instantaneous and it required a quick eye

to detect it, but there can be no question of doubt but that the fall was absolute for Marsh in trying to recover found himself so completely flat on his back that he was compelled to whip himself with a cat like motion from one side to the other to gain momentum sufficient to recover his position. While this work was extraordinarily rapid the fall was complete. Kennedy and his seconds claimed the fall but the referee would not allow it, he stating that two shoulders were not down. Marsh soon after got a half Nelson and bore his man over and out.

The last bout was won with the same hold, Marsh making a feint for the hammer lock and getting a half Nelson won the last bout. Time of first fall, won by Kennedy, 14 minutes and 20 seconds; time of second fall, won by Marsh, 11 minutes and 31 seconds; time of last fall, won by Marsh, 29 minutes and 20 seconds.

The match all through was interesting and exciting, although no particularly clever work was noticeable, Kennedy disappointing his friends by not using many locks which it is known he is thoroughly familiar with. To those who won money on the event the go was perfectly satisfactory and they rejoined in praise of the splendid work done by the men. Those who lost on Kennedy, however, tell another story and think they got the worst of it, but just where they were struck they cannot say.

In all matches there are many people who cry "fake" and no few of them are doing so today, but the work done by these men last night was clever in the extreme and almost impossible to put up. If it should be shown that the go was a hippodrome the victims can console themselves with the reflection that they lost their money against a game which for cleverness of work and detail of preceding events has never been equalled in the history of the sport. While Colonel McLaughlin, the referee gave a decision adverse to the opinion of a majority of people there is yet to be found one man who says that the colonel did not decide according to his honest convictions.

Kennedy said before he entered the ring that in the event of his winning the contest he would challenge Frank Slavin to box a 15-round go for a purse of \$1000 a side, the winner to take all, including the gate receipts. By the way, "Who is Kennedy?"

Mr. Justice Dugas adjourned court Thursday at a quarter before 12 in order to attend the meeting of citizens at Consul McCook's office for the purpose of framing a telegram of condolence to President McKinley and family.

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### RECEIVED BY WIRE. CONDITION IS VERY HOPEFUL

#### President McKinley Rapidly Recovering From Effects of Surgical Operation — Physicians Confidently Believe Crisis Is Past — Receipt of the News in London Was Occasion of General Sorrow — Comments of Eminent British Journalists — The Chief Executive Is Very Popular in Europe.

Skagway, Sept. 14.—The steamer Danube arrived this morning having left Vancouver early on the morning of the 10th. The preceding midnight a bulletin was posted in Vancouver as follows: "President McKinley's hopeful condition continues unchanged except that he is rapidly recovering from the effects of the surgical operation performed upon him. All the good indications mentioned in previous bulletins are still apparent and the physicians in charge assert that the crisis has been safely passed and the president will surely recover."

London, Sept. 6.—The news of the attempt upon the life of President McKinley spread slowly in London. The first ticker reports were discredited. Then, with the confirmation and general dissemination of the news, arose a feeling of sorrow and indignation which, wherever Americans were gathered, gained almost the proportions of a panic, accompanied by feverish anxiety for further details.

The thousands of Americans now in London were mostly at the theaters when the news arrived and turning to their hotels found anxious groups of Englishmen and Americans discussing what, without distinction of race, is regarded as a national calamity. London's telephones, usually silent at night, tingled with impatient inquiries addressed to newspapers and American

correspondents in hopes of securing a denial of the report. The announcement of the attempted assassination was received too late for extra editions of the papers to announce the news to the mass of English people and they will not learn until they take up their morning papers of the attempt to kill the president.

A representative of the Associated Press conveyed the intelligence to J. W. Mackay, Thomas Ochiltree, C. L. Putman, J. W. Gates and many others, all of whom desired to express their unspeakable indignation at the cowardly act, the deepest sympathy with Mr. McKinley and hopes for his recovery. Added to this personal patriotic sentiment was the dread that whatever the outcome of the outrage on the president it would perhaps react fatally upon Mrs. McKinley.

All the newspapers this morning publish long accounts from Buffalo describing the attack on President McKinley, together with dispatches from abroad regarding the reception of the news, which excited renewed and anxious discussion of means to prevent anarched outrages, references to previous attacks and the urgent need for the adoption of greater police precautions than ever in republics and the freest countries.

The Daily Telegraph editorially says: "It is with profound regret that the world learns today that another distinguished man is added to the criminally long list of rulers who have fallen victims to the wickedness of assassins. Most unfeigned and heartfelt sympathy will go forth from every family in

Christendom to Mrs. McKinley in this hour of deepest sorrow and trial. "Americans will acquit us of all suspicion of insincerity when we claim that the blow will be felt with almost as much severity in Great Britain as in the United States."

Referring to the sympathy displayed by Americans at the time of the death of Queen Victoria, the Daily Telegraph says:

"Sympathy can only be repaid by sympathy, though it is a sad fact that the debt we so gratefully discharge should have fallen due so soon." The article concludes by dilating upon the inexplicability of the crime committed in a free country at the time of its greatest well being against one of the most popular of rulers, and the need of still further protection against anarchists.

The Daily Mail thinks the motive underlying such crimes is notoriety, and that if such criminals could be dealt with on the spot one great inducement to the commission of such attempts would be removed. The Mail suggests that all rulers should be accompanied by armed men instructed to shoot an assassin on the spot.

The Times editorially says: "It will be a relief to the feelings of the American people to know that the criminal was not one of themselves."

"We will not contemplate the possibility of fatality, but in view any case the government of the United States will not be disturbed. Vice President Roosevelt is a man of ability and distinction, in whose hands there is not a doubt the country's interests would be

as safe, but President McKinley has gained an almost unequalled position and it would be a cruel stroke of fortune if he were cut off in the plenitude of his popularity and when his policy has been apparently vindicated by success."

Comparatively few Englishmen heard the news today, but all these expressed horror and sympathy as genuine as if it had been the king instead of the president. The latter's kindly personality, his friendship for England and his kindly message of condolence upon the occasion of Queen Victoria's death were all called up in voices as low and woe-stricken as those of any purely American gathering.

The lord mayor of London was informed of the attempt upon the president's life by an Associated Press representative, and expressed the greatest grief and emotion. He said:

"I shall call a meeting of aldermen tomorrow, formally to express to Mrs. McKinley and the American people the horror and grief felt at the attempt. Personally the news comes to me with the greatest possible shock, and I am sure that every citizen of London will join me in expressing feelings of sorrow at the terrible calamity."

Mr. and Mrs. Nat C. Goodwin and other Americans who were to have dined at the Carlton tonight, canceled their engagement on hearing the news, and all the orchestras ceased playing. Crowds surrounded the bulletin boards.

RECEIVED BY WIRE.

### STR. DANUBE'S BIG CARGO

Nearly All of Which Will Come on to Dawson.

Skagway, Sept. 14.—The steamer Danube which arrived from B. C. points this morning brought 250 tons of freight, 34 cattle and 47 hogs, the live stock being for N. P. Shaw & Co. Rev. Featherington and family of Dawson, are among the passengers. McLennan & McFeely are the heaviest shippers. Commissioner Ross has a big grocery shipment.

The next steamer due to arrive is the Humboldt on the 17th.

### DECLINES TO TALK

Mr. Hawkins is Mum Regarding Future Operations.

Skagway, Sept. 14.—E. C. Hawkins, lately resigned as manager of the White Pass railroad, returned from below on the City of Seattle. He refuses to be interviewed relative to his future operations. He will turn over his official duties connected with the company to Vice President Newell immediately on the latter's return from Dawson.

Farewell and Welcome. Rev. J. R. H. Warren arrived in Dawson Friday evening by the Columbian. Mr. Warren takes charge of St. Paul's church, succeeding Rev. H. A. Naylor, who is leaving on Tuesday next for the outside.

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### REPORTED SUSPENSION

Of Assistant Gold Commissioner  
Mr. J. Langlois Bell From  
Office

PENDING INVESTIGATION FROM OTTAWA

Rumor Mentions "Black Hills"  
Survey As Unauthorized

COSTING THE DOMINION \$8000.

Gold Commissioner Senkler, Inspector Corry Nor Mr. Bell Have Official Information.

It is current rumor today that Assistant Gold Commissioner J. Langlois Bell will, commencing with Monday, September 16th, be suspended from his office by order from Ottawa pending an investigation of certain of his official acts.

It is also reported that the investigation will pertain to the order of the assistant gold commissioner which caused a survey of what is known as the Black Hills in the Stewart river district, which survey is said to have cost the Dominion government in the neighborhood of \$8000 and which was done without instructions from Ottawa.

Mr. Bell was seen at his home this afternoon by a Nugget reporter when he said that he had heard the rumor above referred to, namely, that he is to be suspended from office pending an investigation, but that he has as yet received no official information either has any official information been received in Dawson concerning it. Mr. Bell said the rumor was a great surprise to him and that he is confident there is some mistake as he has done nothing which, in his opinion, should subject him to an investigation.

Gold Commissioner Senkler said he knew nothing of it, having received no official information from Ottawa.

Inspector W. W. Corry, who has been in the city some time on a tour of general inspection, was likewise as greatly surprised as the other officials who were seen. He professes total ignorance of the matter and is absolutely at sea as to the cause of the alleged complaint. He stated that he knew nothing whatever about it and had received no communication from Ottawa concerning this or any other irregularity in the gold commissioner's office.

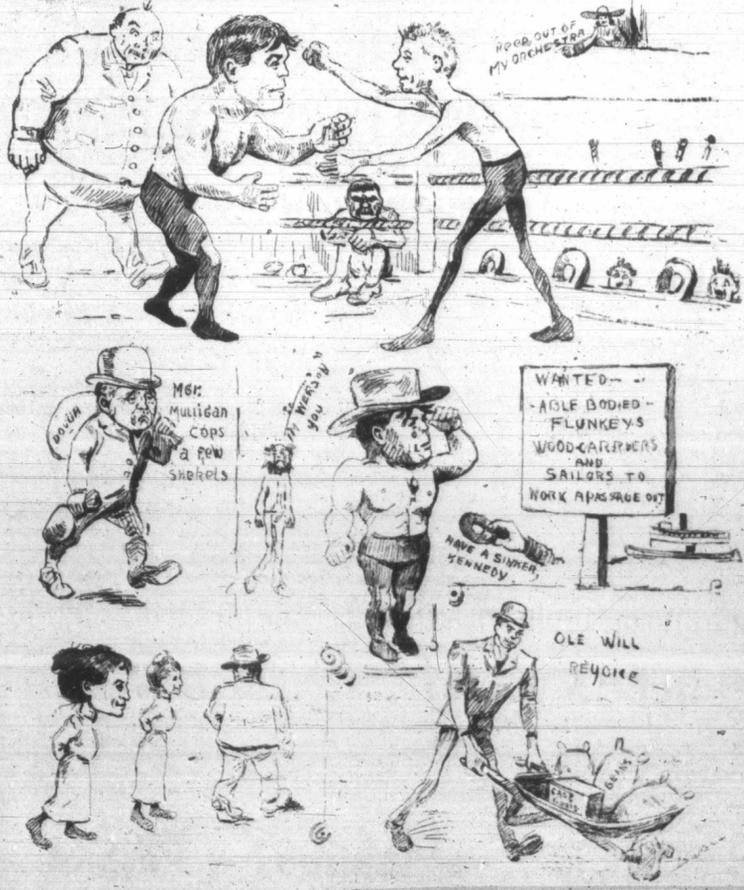
Mr. Bell has occupied his present position nearly two years and to all with whom he has had dealings he has always proven a most courteous and competent official.

### A Hard Knock.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1901.

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### IMPOSSIBLE TO UNDERSTAND.

It is a difficult matter to conceive by what course of reasoning the would-be assassin of President McKinley brought himself to undertake the dastardly crime.

McKinley by birth, education and association, is distinctly a man of the people. He has been brought to his present position as chief executive of one of the great powers of the earth through sheer force of merit. His entire career has been an open book. His progress has been watched from the time he entered the ranks of the Union army until as the one man chosen to preside over the destinies of a great nation, he was sent to the White House at Washington. In all this time McKinley has never forgotten the fact that his duty is the execution of their will. His kindly disposition, affable manner and the beauty of his domestic life have endeared him to the people not only as a statesman but as a man. Less than a year ago McKinley was returned to the presidential chair by a greater majority than ever before was given to any candidate.

After four years of service in that exalted position the verdict, "Well done, good and faithful servant," was pronounced and McKinley went back to the White House with the certification from his people that he had kept faith with them in every particular.

Now in the height of his glory and while engaged in receiving the applause and congratulations of the people whom he has served so well, he is made the victim of the assassin's bullet—shot down by a cowardly villain to whom he had extended his right hand in friendly greeting. The would-be murderer alleges that he does not like the government—he is a disciple of a woman anarchist—and believed it his duty to dispose of the president.

What a statement and what a plea for justifying so enormous an offense. The normal mind refuses to accept it. The man is a monster, incapable of human feeling. He has no more right to like than a rattlesnake or a man-eating tiger. And yet under the laws of the land he is entitled to a trial by a jury of his peers. Shrewd lawyers will be allowed to introduce all manner of technicalities into his defense or if he has no money, the law itself will provide him counsel. And it is such a government that the assassin would destroy.

It makes one almost regret that the rack and stake are no longer countenanced.

Exception has been taken by some few Hebrews in Dawson to a statement which appeared in the Nugget's first extra concerning the matter of the attempted assassination of President McKinley. In the first bulletin received at this office it was distinctly stated that the assassin was a "Polish Jew," and it was so published. Subsequent reports have stated that the would-be murderer is of German extraction. Whichever report may prove to be correct we are unable to see that any reflection is cast upon anyone else thereby. There is no nation that has not had its murderers, but we never yet heard of a race of people being con-

demned by reason of the conduct of individual men. We are of the opinion that our Jewish friends are rather super-sensitive.

Commissioner Ross has placed himself on record as being favorable to the imposition of an export duty. This declaration on the part of the commissioner means, in all probability, that the royalty tax will not be collected after the present year. Ottawa has a way of listening to Gov. Ross when he has any recommendations to make, and it is safe to say that he has been heard in the matter in question before giving utterance to his views through the public press.

The fact that President McKinley is slowly improving has brought more genuine joy to Dawson than any single item of news that has been received in a long, long time. His ultimate recovery seems now quite probable, although it will undoubtedly be many months before he is able to give attention to his official duties.

### ONLY ONE LONESOME

#### Was Before the Police Court This Morning.

But one lone victim occupied the "jag" bench when Magistrate McCaulley opened the police court this morning and he was kept busy turning over his chestnut colored taster. Frank Campbell was his name and that he had been up against the real thing was evidenced from a map on his forehead that looked as though it had been stamped by the bumper of a freight car. On entering the prisoner's box he insisted that it was his first offence. (Right here it is in order to state that "first offence" drunks have been very numerous this week.) The arresting officer stated that Frank had essayed to seek repose on the sidewalk last night and had objected to having his slumbers disturbed. A fine of \$5 and costs or ten days of hard labor within the prescribed metes and bounds of the fuel factory was imposed. There were no funds in sight and the indications when court adjourned were that he will saw.

Fourteen late employees of the steamer Gold Star were in court this morning, one of whom, John Smith, chief engineer, has suit pending for salary alleged to be due for labor performed. Col. William Rourke being named in the information as defendant. Attorney De Journal appeared for the plaintiff, but as the service on the defendant was irregular he was not in court. The case was enlarged until Monday morning.

#### Was Properly Equipped.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6.—There is every probability that the Islander investigation will be concluded at once. Capt. Gandy adjourned court today, adding that it would resume Tuesday, when, if no further evidence was volunteered, a verdict would be given.

The most important evidence was that of Captain Collier, inspector of hulls, who stated that he had inspected the ship on the 5th of May. He had opened and closed the bulkheads and had found them to work satisfactorily. There were six boats, four steel and two wooden ones, and with their equipment, met his approval. A short time before the inspection he had the boats all put out on the trip to Vancouver, and the work was accomplished by an officer and five men in 12 minutes. He also inspected and tested the life buoys and found that they came up to the requirements of law, all being in a satisfactory condition. They were made of cork and tulle, a sort of California grass. These kind of life preservers have been in use since 1894, when they were adopted by the department of marine and fisheries.

Correspondence which passed between the local inspector at that time and the department, in reference to their use was then read to the court by Thomson. Life buoys, witness said, had been all properly distributed about the ship, every room and other compartment having its regulation number.

### New Furs

We are just opening our fall stock of Coats, Caps, Mitts, Gloves, Ruga, Etc. This is not last year's left overs packed away, but

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### ALL NIGHT SERVICE

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There is probably no commercial enterprise in Dawson which has made greater strides nor added more improvements to its plant within the past three years than the Dawson Electric Light and Power Company, and today the company is the possessor of an as completely equipped electrical plant as will be found anywhere in Canada in any city of three times the population of Dawson. During the present season an enormous quantity of new machinery has been added which was once installed and has been in working order for a month or so. A great difficulty, however, has been experienced in securing a foundation of sufficient solidity to withstand the constant motion of the heavy engines and ponderous generators. To overcome the trouble it is now proposed to excavate beneath the machinery to a depth of eight feet, down to solid gravel, and then build up a foundation of concrete composed of Portland cement and sand. Next season will see still further improvements made in the system and should the demand occasion it the company will be in a position to transmit power for mining purposes to every creek in the Klondike district. At present power is furnished only as far as the Forks, though it is possible to transmit it as great a distance as 75 miles. Owing to the lateness of the season, but two pumps are now being operated by electric power, one of them being on Adams hill and the other on King Solomon hill, both of 50 horse power capacity and of sufficient power to raise water from Bonanza creek to a height of 300 or 400 feet. The efficiency of their work is all that could be desired and next season will doubtless see a far greater number employed. Mr. W. A. Speake, the present manager of the company, is comparatively a recent arrival in the city, having been here but little over a month. He is heavily interested in the Northwest Fixture Company of Seattle and is known along the coast as being an eminently successful manager of electrical enterprises. In speaking of the lighting service which will be given Dawson this winter Mr. Speake said:

"Mr. J. A. Williams and I have concluded to give Dawson a 24-hour service throughout the winter beginning October 1. Heretofore the lights have been turned off from half past 9 or to 10 o'clock in the morning to about 3 in the afternoon, but this winter they will run continuously and with no extra charge, the service being identical with cities on the outside. We are extending our circuits every day and the lighting of cabins and residences is becoming much more general than ever before. No matter what the growth of the city may be in the future we shall be in position to accommodate all who may desire our service. With our present equipment we could light every building in Dawson and still furnish power for double the number of motors now being used."

#### COMING AND GOING.

Messrs. R. and L. De Lobel were passengers for Skagway on the Sifton last night.

Mrs. Robert Lawrence (Lillian Grant) took her departure for the outside on the Victorian.

C. B. Zabriskie has returned from Skagway where he went as a delegate to the Grand Camp of the Arctic Brotherhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross, A. C. J. below, Bonanza, and Joe Vincent and wife of Gold Run, left for the outside last evening.

Mrs. J. G. Boyd and daughter, Mrs. John Hering, left on the Clifford Sifton last night for Seattle, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Charles Bossuyt and little daughter took their departure last night on an extensive trip. They will visit Germany before returning.

J. Sutherland McKay, the accumulating deputy clerk of the court, has returned from a visit of two months in Ottawa and Woodstock, Ontario.

All T. Layne, the actor, has sued Theodore Eggert upon a promissory note for \$285 dated April 22, 1901, due June 2. Chas. Meadows has been served with a garnishee summons in the case.

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### Passing of Lacrosse.

The lacrosse clubs of Canada should disband until a new generation is in a position to play the game. The players of the present day seem to know too much about the art of injuring opponents without infringing the letter of the law. The referees have been appealed to, but they appear to be helpless. The experience of the West has been that of the East also. A loud protest has ascended and has had no effect. Accidents will happen in all kinds of sports, but when spectators have no choice but to watch the brutal work of players whose chief mission on the field appears to be to maim and to win games by intimidation or to stay away they will not be long in making a choice. In fact, they have chosen the better part already, and baseball is supplanting lacrosse in the popular esteem. We are sorry to be compelled to write in this strain, but drastic measures must be taken if the Canadian national game is to be preserved for the delight of a coming generation. When parents are obliged to appeal to their sons to drop their lacrosse sticks it is time for an inquiry. At the present stage of development a player incurs greater risk of permanent disfigurement and serious injury than a German university duelist. Chanceships are not now won by skill, adroitness and activity, but by physical might and brute power. Some say the players were rougher in the old days. It is not so. Then the injuries were merely superficial and the fouls were accidental. Now the fouls are deliberate, "scientific" and dangerous. The players have discovered vulnerable places and secret methods of reaching the spot. There are solar plexus and jugular jabbers in the lacrosse as well as in the prize ring, and they must be driven out or the game as a national pastime will pass away.

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3. Teeth Cleaned	8. Gold Crowns	30.00
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5. Gold Fillings	10. Full Set Teeth, Gold	30.00

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A Fine Coat, valued at	\$60.00
A Beaver Cap, valued at	20.00
A Pair of Dolge Shoes, valued at	7.00
A Pair of Fur Lined Gloves or Mitts, valued at	3.00
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**SOCIETIES.**  
THE REGULAR COMMUNICATION of the Yukon Lodge, (C. D.) A. F. & M., will be held at Masonic Hall, Mission street, monthly, Thursday or on before full moon at 8:30 p. m. C. H. Wells, W. M. J. A. Donald, Secy

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**

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**GOLD STAR**

Entitled "Where Do You Go?"

A Sale That Has Called for a Monday.

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President Thomas J. Shaffer, of the Amalgamated Association, Seated at His Desk Dictating Strike Orders to His Wife, Who is Also His Secretary.

**GOLD STAR COMEDY-DRAMA**

Entitled "Who Owns Me," or "Where Do Seamen Get Off?"

A Sale That Fluked When Coin Was Called for—Will Be Offered Again on Monday.

For ways that are dark and tricks that are vain there are a few persons in Dawson who can discount Bret Harte's famous leather Chinese. To buy a completely equipped steamboat usually requires considerable cash, but in the purchase of the Gold Star a week or so ago there developed a piece of financing that is worthy of a full page in the records of Wall street. Following the flight of Captain Nixon, the little steamer was quickly plastered over with libel suits for wages due the men. The boat in time was advertised for sale and here is where the fine Italian hand of the Napoleon of finance appeared. J. B. Phillips had no money, but he possessed a boundless ambition, a fine tongue and a degree of energy that could not have been mistaken. He approached several with a scheme of promoting rapid transit between Dawson and the Koyukuk, exploiting it through upon the modest fortunes certain to accrue to those with the nerve and necessary cash to make the venture. The Colonel Rourke was made known the plan and he was agreed that there was a good thing in sight. At the sale which was to be had in a few days it was arranged that the colonel should bid in the boat at auction. He would be required to deposit but 50 per cent of the bid and would have ten days in which to make final payments. During the interim Phillips was to rustle up sufficient funds on his own account so that at the expiration of the ten days he was to take the steamer off the Colonel's hands and pay him the difference between the sum for which the boat was knocked down and \$5000. Good "spec" for the colonel and perfectly legitimate, Phillips had no doubts, but he possessed a fascinating tongue and was a rascal. The sale came off advertised and the Gold Star was bid in by the colonel for \$5600. The amount was so trifling that the usual custom of depositing the 20 per cent was overlooked and for ten days the palatial steamer at a cost of not over a dollar. At once after the sale the boat was turned over to Phillips as agent who advertised extensively as being positively the last opportunity to reach the golden Koyukuk this season and sold tickets to all applicants. Time and again it was stated the Gold Star would sail on a certain date and on many times was the date postponed. The demand for transportation, however, was not as brisk as was anticipated and the boat could not sail until the sheriff had his \$500 and the colonel his \$5000, the seamen in the meantime whose benefit the steamer was sold would merely have to wait a little longer for their wages. They had already waited weeks and another fortnight or two would make no difference. Seamen never need any money. But the last day of grace finally arrived and the sheriff chasing the colonel and the latter doing a swift pace after Phillips. The passengers about this time who had paid out their good money in fares were beginning to won-

der where they were going to get off. Among them was a lady who had bought a \$1200 outfit at one of the company stores, had paid for it and it was stored away on the boat. Others were in a like predicament and the air around the Phillips headquarters became rather torrid. The end came at last with Phillips going down and out in the tenth round, the colonel throwing up the sponge at the same time and Sheriff Bilbeck declaring it no contest. The passengers were returned their money and so ends the first act in that romantic comedy-drama, "The Sale of the Gold Star, or Where Do the Seamen Get Off."

**Our National Game.**

Canada's national game has indeed fallen upon evil days. After reading the accounts of "games" in various parts of the country, one cannot but think that many of the players of the present day are exercising their talents in what should be an ungenial field. The spectators also seem to partake too largely of the spirit of the combatants. The scenes on the field of carnage in British Columbia have been disgusting enough lately, but they have been setting a still more evil example in some parts of the east. The following dispatch from Montreal will explain:

"Shamrocks defeated the Cornwall lacrosse team, the leaders of the Senior League, on Saturday by a score of 6 to 2, and the game, which had been rough all through, wound up in a vicious fight, in which the spectators joined. In the ninth game Robinson was knocked out by Degan. When he came to he mixed it up with Captain Reilly, of the Cornwall team. Captain O'Connell, of the Shamrocks interfered and punched Reilly to the ground. Then the referee had something to say, and all four went to the dressing rooms. Then Brennan knocked Mr. Broderick, the goal man, down, and was also retired. Currie made an attack on goal and Broderick struck him on the head. The Shamrock man toppled over, and the two captains commenced to battle again. Robinson, seeing that O'Connell was getting the worst of it, punched Reilly, and then there was a general scramble. The spectators then crowded over, and it took the committee half an hour to break up the fight. Cornwall was outclassed from the start. The Shamrock home were fast, and their shots were straight, while the Cornwall home was broken up every time it clashed with the Shamrocks' defence."

The Cornwall home was broken up, the players were used up, and the Shamrocks won. The game has become too scientific altogether. It has degenerated into such skillful displays as are given in the prize ring. A good lacrosse general nowadays finds

where his opponents are strong and begins to make their strength look foolish; and it does look foolish before the game is over. It is dangerous for the player whose abilities are above the average to go on the field if he possesses a disposition that is not to be cowed by intimidation. In the interests of clean, healthy sport and a good game it is time for a change. The present unfortunate state of affairs should be carefully considered and rules adopted for the protection of the persons of players and to secure the feelings of spectators from outrage. Competent authorities claim that these reforms can be accomplished without robbing the sport of any of its attractiveness. If they cannot then the police, or perhaps a regiment of soldiers, may be called upon to take part in all future matches.—Victoria Times.

**Mr. Graves Talks.**

President Graves, of the White Pass and Yukon railway, says that his company has no intention of extending its line from Whitehorse to Dawson, holding that it would give them no better facilities than at present in handling business. "While our road was being built from Skagway to Bennett," he said, "it was pretty generally believed that that would be the terminus, notwithstanding the fact that we had made no improvements there except temporary ones. When we reached Bennett we made no stop in construction work, but continued on down the lake and across the country until we reached Whitehorse."

"But at Whitehorse a very different aspect presents itself than which prevailed at Bennett. Here, instead of putting up temporary buildings and wharves, we have put up extensive, costly and substantial improvements and have made no move looking toward a continuation of the work of construction. On the contrary, we have acquired by purchase the entire fleet of the Canadian Development Company, and have also built at great expense three large, light-draught and finely finished boats which are now employed in transporting freight and passengers between Whitehorse and Dawson."

"With our present facilities we are prepared to land 1000 tons of freight in Dawson every week, but as a matter of fact we are not handling one-tenth the business of which we are capable at a very small outlay for rolling stock, fuel and labor."—Victoria Times.

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**SPURIOUS NUGGET**

Has Been in General Circulation in Dawson.

A cleverly constructed nugget which has passed through many hands without anything wrong about it being detected when put to the test by a leading jeweler yesterday revealed the fact that it was nothing but pure unadulterated brass. The nugget has the appearance of gold and except for its lightness the deception probably would never have been discovered. It was gotten at Rampart City by a man who recently came up the river who unknowingly and unsuspectingly gave it to another party in trade and it finally passed into the hands of one of Dawson's leading saloon men, who likewise was deceived by it and took it to be good gold. The weight of it made him suspicious and taking it into the jeweler's store had a test made which resulted in the discovery that it was unadulterated brass. The nugget weighs something over six dollars but from its size if it was pure gold it would weigh much heavier.

Nuggets of this character are reported as being in general circulation in the lower country cities but this is the first yet discovered in circulation here. As the party who brought the nugget to Dawson well as those who passed it on were in ignorance of its true character no blame is attached to any of the parties but the authorities are watching closely for persons attempting to put counterfeits of this character into circulation here.

**In Opposition to Brown.**

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6.—Last night's Gazette states that the writ for New Westminster is returnable September 25, which means a short, sharp fight. H. J. A. Burnett has been appointed returning officer, and Capt. Peete will act as election clerk. The forces in opposition to Brown will be marshalled by McBride, who left on the midnight boat for the mainland last evening to get the opposition battalions into line for the fray. A torchlight procession, headed by the city band, was one of the plans proposed to welcome the ex-minister of mines by his admirers in the royal city. The position in New Westminster is viewed with apprehension. Residents of the old capital fearing that the new move may involve a crisis, in which the fate of the New Westminster bridge might be very problematical.

It is understood that a petition is being circulated in South Victoria riding, which Hon. Mr. Eberts represents in the government. It is stated that when the premier communicated his decision to take Mr. Brown into his cabinet to his ministers, they asked him to call a convention of his supporters to ratify or veto the selection. This the premier refused to do.

A mass meeting of labor unions of the city is called for Monday evening. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing the advisability of placing an independent labor candidate in the field at the approaching British Columbia election. Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist church, may be asked to run by the labor men. The Pacific Cold Storage Co. has perfectly insulated chambers regulated by steam and offers the finest warm storage in Dawson. Fine furs of all kinds at Mrs. Roberts' new store on Second avenue.

**THAT HUNKER HOLD-UP**

An Aged Frenchman Was Victim of Cowardly Quartette.

Colin McDonald who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Hunker brought additional information of the hold-up on that creek, the rumor of which was mentioned in the Nugget of yesterday. The cowardly assault was committed about 10 o'clock Wednesday night the victim being an aged French laborer who told Mr. McDonald of the affair but whose name the latter could not remember.

The old man was walking down the new road on the night mentioned and when about opposite claim 75 below four men leaped from the brush on the side of the road, commanding him to throw up his hands. At the same time one of them fired a shot from a revolver which grazed the old man's stomach, tearing his shirt across the navel. His hands went up, and the quartette proceeded to go through his pockets, their search resulting in their obtaining \$1.50 in cash and an old jackknife. The old man was then allowed to proceed. Although, the night was very dark the old man says he thinks he could recognize one of the men who went through his pockets whom he describes as a short and very thick man.

The victim of the cowardly outrage says he does not care for the \$1.50 but is sorry they took his knife, as he had carried it for nearly 20 years.

**ISLANDER PASSENGER**

Tells the Nugget of His Experience on Wrecked Steamer.

W. H. Power, one of the survivors of the Islander disaster, is a recent arrival in Dawson from the outside.

Mr. Power proceeded to Seattle after the wreck, and upon the completion of certain business in that city returned to Dawson en route to Eagle City where he is engaged in business. He was a heavy loser by the wreck having taken with him to the outside a poke containing 230 ounces of gold dust which went down with the wreck. Together with a number of the other survivors Mr. Power has filed an action for damages against the Canadian Pacific Navigation Co., the case having been placed in charge of Messrs. Austin & Jeffries, a law firm of Seattle.

In speaking of his experiences during the wreck Mr. Power states that no one believed for some time after the boat struck that the accident was serious.

"The mate was standing near me at the time," said he, "and told me there was no danger, as the ship had air tight compartments and could not possibly sink. Nothing in the nature of a panic ensued until the lights went out when everybody began making a rush for the boats and life rafts."

"I did not get on a boat myself but stood on the rail at the stern and as the steamer lurched forward in the act of sinking I leaped as far overboard as possible. When I rose to the surface I succeeded in getting hold of a stye room door and that undoubtedly saved my life."

"It was more than an hour before I was picked up but after getting to Juneau and changing my clothes I felt all right."

"As regards the reported intoxication of the officers I know the Captain had been drinking but whether or not he was under the influence of liquor at the time the boat struck I cannot say."

Mr. Power states also that the life preservers used on the Islander were not made in compliance with law, reefs being used instead of cork.

At L. W. Horkan's Standard Library is found the most diversified as well as the most busy place in Dawson. While from 100 to 300 men may be found there reading and indulging in social games at almost any hour of the day or night the restaurant department at the same time is entertaining an equal number and some days from 500 to 800 meals are served between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock. Horkan sounded a popular chord when he established his library and reading room and a second one in perfect harmony with the first was sounded when he added his restaurant department. There is now nothing left for Horkan to add unless it be a mining exchange and matrimonial bureau.

**Johann Most Indignant.**

New York, Sept. 7.—Johann Most, the anarchist, was indignant when informed that the man who shot President McKinley was an anarchist.

"I do not believe he was an anarchist," said Herr Most. "Every man who shoots a ruler is called an anarchist. Giteau was not an anarchist. He was a disappointed office seeker. Anyway, we know nothing of that fellow. Comes from Poland, does he? I am sure he is no anarchist. There are no anarchists in Poland. Poland is a Catholic country."

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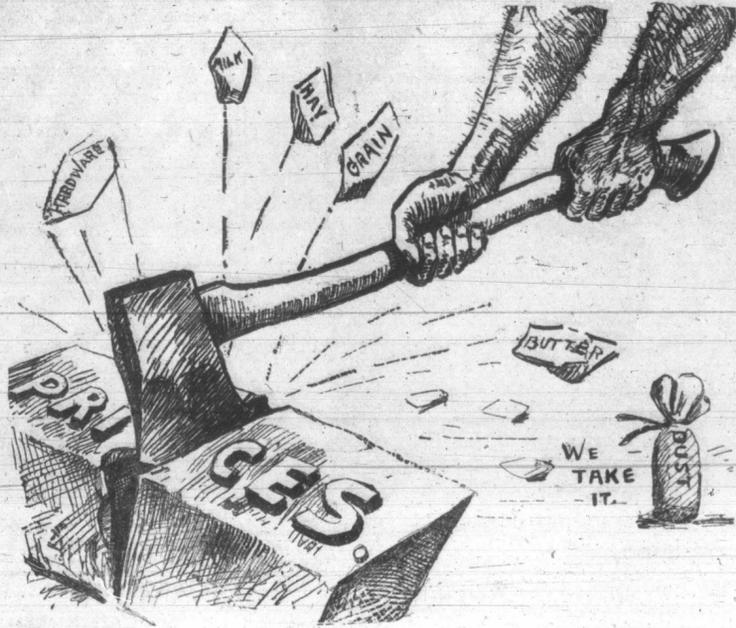
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The Miles Bros. have a large number of views so that a change of program will be given weekly. The pictures will be made a feature of the Sunday night sacred concerts which will be given throughout the winter and are sure to be a drawing card.

#### ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

The Prospector will make another trip to Stewart river points, leaving here on Monday next.

Word was received indirectly yesterday from the steamer Louise, which had arrived with two barges 16 miles below the city, returning for her third one a short distance below Eagle City. It is learned that the Louise left St. Michael August 18, the three barges containing a cargo of 1350 tons. In a number of instances she was compelled to double trip over swift water where the current proved too stiff.

The Yukoner which brought in 47 passengers and 170 tons of freight, left last night at 8 o'clock for Whitehorse with every berth taken.

The arrival of the May West from St. Michael a few days ago recalls the first and only other time that trim little steamer ever tied up at the Dawson docks. It was early in the season of '98 and she was the first steamer to arrive that year. The winter before Dawsonites had subsisted entirely upon a straight diet of bacon and beans, flour was selling at \$50 a sack and pay-

streak bacon at almost the same figure, and when the May West pulled into port she found every man, woman and child in town down at the wharf to meet her. People climbed over each other in their efforts to buy such eatables as she had to sell, the prices realized being such as would have made millionaires of her owners if they had had a trifle more extensive stock. Since that year, however, the West has had a more or less checked career and last year she sought to end her misfortunes by going ashore in a heavy gale near St. Michael, lying there on the beach for several weeks until her present owner purchased her.

Captain Hoelscher, until recently master of the Portus B. Wear, is coming up the river as one of the pilots on the Will H. Isom. The Isom is said to be drawing five feet of water.

The Dawson her last trip down brought 13 passengers and 180 tons of freight. She returned up river yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Flora came in at midnight Thursday evening with 29 passengers. On her departure yesterday afternoon she carried over 90 passengers.

#### Notice Re Dawson Directory.

To all Whom it May Concern: The public are notified that I am the only holder of a concession from the Yukon council for publishing a directory of Dawson City and the Yukon territory, and that the only directory already published for Dawson City and the Yukon territory was brought out and published by me, I having engaged W. J. Barnes and A. M. Baber to assist me in the publication for the year and their contract having expired with me, they have no further authority to represent me.

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### THE EMPIRE HOTEL

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#### Into Prospect Hole.

Mr. Thos. Tolmash, miner from Quartz, met with a painful though not serious accident last night at West Dawson. He was walking along the beach and fell into a prospect hole which had been sunk on the gulch where the gold was recently discovered which created the stampede a short time ago. The hole is not very deep but in falling he turned his foot and fell with full force on it, breaking the bone just above the ankle. He was brought to Dawson by the ferry and was immediately taken to the Good Samaritan hospital where the bone was set this morning by Dr. McArthur.

Mr. Tolmash is resting easily but it will be some time before he will have the use of his foot again.

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#### The Gold Court.

Gold Commissioner Senkler rendered a decision yesterday, in the case of Cohen et al. vs. Perrin et al., the controversy being over the hillside, left limit, adjoining 9 above the mouth on Last Chance. The gold commissioner finds the case to be parallel with that of Werbus vs. Vincent in which the minister of the Interior held that even though a prior locator, a person making a misdescription of the ground located under the circumstances as set out in this case, he must suffer. It is decided that the defendant is entitled to hold the ground in dispute under the Nixon location, as set out under the Cote plan, only in so far as it does not conflict with the gulch claim No. 1 on the tributary at 9 above the mouth.

The decision in effect is that though one may be a prior locator on a claim, yet if in his application to record a misdescription of the ground is given a subsequent locator may apply for and will receive the grant to the claim in question.

#### Big Dredger a Success.

Mr. Ron. M. Crawford returned yesterday from a three days' visit to '42 below on Bonanza, where he has been examining the big dredger of the Lewis River Dredging Co. The dredger which has only been in operation for a couple of weeks has proven to be a great success and promises to revolutionize mining methods in this country.

### BACK FROM CIRCLE CITY

#### Mr. Pollock Returns on Steamer Lightning Yesterday.

Mr. Byrne Pollock, the well-known newsdealer, returned yesterday on the steamer Lightning from a trip to Circle City. He started up on the Louise but

transferred to the Lightning as the Louise was making slow progress with the barges she had in tow. Several other passengers of the Louise also transferred to the Lightning, among whom were Messrs. Deolson and Smith, claim owners on Birch creek who are enroute to the outside for the purpose of organizing a com-

pany to work a hydraulic concession which they have on that creek. These gentlemen expect to travel through Oregon and California during the winter and study the latest improved methods of hydraulic and will return next year with an extensive plant.

Mr. Pollock says that there

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