## ThE SEMI-WEEKLY NUGGET.

HEAD mearo -
attitude of the French towards the
Chinese is favorable to the position taken by the Russtans
Germany, while auxious to avoid fric tion with the other powers, contends
that the constinnous presence of the German forces are required in Pekin, and it is genreally believed that Germany's views are concurred in by Italy
and Anstria. England is silent on the and Anstria. England is silent on the
matter but it is believed she will fol matter but it is believed she will fol-
low the iniative taken by Germany that low the iniative taken by Germany that
the troops remain in Pekin. The posithe troops remain in Pekin. The posi-
tion of Japan is not definite, althougb it tion of Japan is not definite, althougb it
seems that Frawee is really the onty Russia in her proposition concurs with Russia in her proposition to withdraw
the troops; althongh America expressed ane troops; although America expressed
an intention of following the same course of action untess the other powers can offse
So far as knowi Russia has not ye withdrawn her troops from Pekin, and
the all important question is: What the all important question is: What
is the power and status of Li Hung is the
Chang?
${ }^{\text {P }}$ All direct commuxication with Pekin
is cut off, but news comes by way o
Shangbai that the Boxers have cut all the wires and are very active aroun
Tientsin. Colorado Troubles Continues. Denver, Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept.
12.-Reports from Walensburg are that 12.-Reports from Walensburg are that the whole country is involved and up in arms owing to the feud between the sheep and cattle men. The sheep were eating all the grass when a band o
cattle herders drove 3000 sheep over cattle herders drove 3000 sheep over precipice, killing them. This act pre
cipitated violent trouble and th whole country bas taken sides. Th state militia was ordered out by the governor and is on the way to the scene of trouble.

Coal Miners May Strike. Columbas, 0 ; Sept. 7, via Skagway, Sept. 12.-1f the in conventio general strike, as is threatenei 142,00 anthracite miners will walk out and fulty one million people will be thrown out of employment in. consequence The sections of the country which will strike are western Pennsylvania and eastern Obio.

Boundary Trouble
Skagway, Sept. 12.-The British Co tumbra boundary commission left her yesterday for the Porcupine mining
country to adjudicate the mining claims country to arjudicate the mining claime
owned by Americans but which the modus vivendi boundary line established puts in British territory. Hon
justice Martin, of Atlin, heads the com Justice Martin, of Atlin, heads the con
mission.

More Stock for Dawson
Skagway, Sept. 12.-Mititer Bros hav reached here with a large consigament of live stock for Dawson which they will rest a week befure continuing on

## Wants to Contest

 Air=Tight Heaters tor woodCast Iron Heaters tor coal
Powerful Double Heaters, Hot Air Furnaces, Cooking Stoves, Hotel and Boarding House Ranges.

Some weeko sivse a man named $\mathrm{Co}_{0}$.
burn who said he represented a ma
burn who said he represented a man
named Smith, made the statement that be was ready to post a sum of money, nywhere from that Frank Smith could best any heasy weight in the country barring Slavin in a boxing contest.
Last evening Vincent White posted
81000 with Tommy MeDonald in the Anvora saloon, as a forfeit and guaranAurora sioon, as a forieit and guaranSmith out of basiness.

## Street Work. The final tonches are being

many of the streets for the presen
rear. A large force of convicts is
being worked and the street
cire being worked and the streets are being cleaned of all trash and fith, the ac.
cumulation of many months. The cumulation of many months. The
streets of Dawson, or inany of them will be in fine shape for snow when it Bicycle hose, a large variety, Oak


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others it is a most interesting one question to which referening ove, wade to
simply this: "Has the slumber brand of hootch became exhausted".
Conditions warrant the answ
b

Where He Belleves He Can Do

WILL SURELY GET TWO VOTES
Ais Own and That of Councliman Girouard, the Latter Having Prom-

Ised Him Hits Support.
A yew star has risen affintaken :
A wew star has risen, ano taken a
puikon in the portitical frymument At present the new Yuikon territory. At present the new aminary is not fixed, but is willing
to become so, if such is the will of the to become
people.
Attorne
Attorney Auguste Noel has declared
imseff in a way not to be misunder tood. Le is a candrdate for one of the wo seats in the council, and proudiv dique or party, and comes hefore the people without the endorsement of anyone excepting lis friends who are not
rganized, but who suy they are ready urganized, but who suy they are ready
to do sonie hard work to assist bimi to the coveled seat. "I believe I could do much goon esterday, "and because of this belief I am going to do what I can to get
he office. "I know what ram dolug in this matter, as I have ta come nlle politi andidate for a seat in the federal par isment, from Athabaskaville, when vas defeated by a small majority. Al hough I was sot successful in my cam-
pagn then, the experience will be of paign then, the experience will be of
alue to me now, and 1 bave very strong opes of being elected. "
Concerning bis line of campaigu Mr Voel had nothing to say, but possibly n unkling may be ganned when his
ttiude, at the time the citizens' com ttiude, at the time the citizens' com
nittee was deciding the momentous question of mencrorializing the governor general is remembered. At the time he stoutly maintained that it was not ithin the seope of twetalness occupied y the citizens' committee to offer yici vould be contained in such a memorig a was contemplated. It was commonly thougut at the time
that the issues involve hat the issues involved in the memoria hd its preparation, would act only a bey were at the time intended to, but
it becomes clear now that the-isuces hen, to a contain extent are to be also eatures of this corsupaign.
Councilman Girouard was asked yes erday where be stood in the present ug that be was: going to support Mo ag that he was going to support Mr
Voel, though beyond this statement and the one to the effect that Mr. Noel rep. resented no clique, party or politice ring, and stood for everything good
and nothing bad, be bad nothing to
price 25 cents question to which reference is wade fo
simply this: "Has the slamber brand
of hontch became exh court seen a victim of the police
There have been drunks, to be sure, but no street. sleepers, and not for many
previous months have five days pased without from one to a soore of slumber
brand vietims being up. Lngical de brand vietims being up. Lngical de-
duction, therefore, warrants the concluduction, therefore, warranto the conclu-
sion that the brand has all been served, its effects slept off and that from now
on the stereotyped charge "drunk and asteep" wilt be heard no more
This information will be hailed with This information will be hailed with:
delight and thonksgiving by many who,
to wee a homely phrise have heen there: to inge a bomely pbrase, have been there.
They a They have reposed on the unswept stide-
walk or in a damp, maddy allee, where
dogs would oreep by stealth at widdoge would oreep by stealth, ot midd-
urght. Next morning they would have uight. Next morning they would have
an altey taste and a " 85 and coots"
feeling; therefore, the aboie inf feeling; therefore, the above ind obech.
tion will be to them as batm to ble
ing hearting heart-grease to a squeaking axte,
so to apeak. so to speak.

> A Cat With a Hablt.

In an ill-advised moment of what
was intended for a fairk of friendship. someone recently gave Andy McKenarie a white ent. Now, cats are all rigbt
ordraarily, and especially white cate. A dy dotes on them. That is, when they have no abnormal propensities and are otherwise well behaved, and even
as it is $w$ th the one in question, be is as it is w-th the one in question, be is
restess and ill at euse if if is out of his sight longer than five consecutive minutes, The reason of this is that Andy
nas learned by high priced cat-experience that when the white cat is gove longer than that it signifies that it has
ran away, and then he thinke of the ran away, and then he thinks of the
many times it has done so before; and that in turn reminds bim that on each of these tamented eccastons he lifs had
to pay a reward of $\$ 2.50$ for ito returb, He has dowe this so often that he says when the cat purss it sounda like the rusting of bank notes.
Another tinteritance,
Thiey are arriving alimost daily uow-
the notices to inhertiors of large fortunes; in fact, the maile are too slowto bring them in. The last one came last evening by wire. This time the
mantie of riches and surprise bas fallen mantie of riches and surprise has fallen
upon Mrs. Jafies Mlaunery, who weems upon Mrs. Jafies Maunery, who weems
to be bearing ap well, and this mornitig appeased not a whit flurried or cast down hy the sadden burden of the reponsiblity of great and sudden wealth,
This ti
This time the wealth fuhberted is in the good old state of Missoynt, where
people who have to be shown come trom, and Mra Flannery is making all possible effort to get ready to leave the K'londike vale before the river freezee.
so as to look after the administration as to look atter the administration
of the newy acquired estate. T. FIemming,of Rdian, Kno

Migsouri, who died recently, paseed to the great beyond without other heire han Mrs. Whanisery, of this city.
The estate which is apoken of The entate which is apoken of as at-
most anything up to $\$ 200,000$, consiste most anything up to $\$ 200,000$, consists
of money and triect of land. The lady is entitited to

New Show at Standard.
The Standard Theater Company of II-star players will produce Dion Boucicault's famous Irish drame, "The
Shaughran" next week, This is the play in which Honcicantt made himinelf famores. It offers splendid opportunt ties for hustrions talent of an emotional nature, but withal there iv a rich rein
of comedy rumsing throant the play of comedy runsing through the play:
The sfandard artists will make apecial she standard artists will make apecial
semer mutch will give a very realiatic.
effect os stoge teltings.

 whereabouts of Mrs. J. Y. Sextion, who
was hast heard from at St. Michuel. Come
to his office. To the average citizen the queation

When in town, stop at the Regina?


## The wholesomeness and purity of thene prodicts appeal to every lever of good things to eat-caretully wooked and deliciowaly seasoned.

 lever of good things to eat-carefully wooked and delicióualy seasoned.The following is a list of Libby's coiventent foods we carry in stoek:



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## From Wednesday＇s Dilly

 The election of two men to serre of the Yukon courcil is onily the first of a number of matters to which the attention in the not distant future． It will be necessary，betore we can expect that jegree of attention from the ferieral government to which the ed directly in parliament by a man of ed directiy Par an a mangi kon pays its own way and no calls are made upon the down east provinces to contribute toward the expenses involve in opening up this country，our com－plaints are hound to a greater or less plaints are hound to a greater or less
extent to fall upon deaf ears．There is extent to fall upon deaf ears．There no one in pariliament authorizen to speak for us，nor is there anyone suff－
ciently posted with reference to our re－ ciently posted with reference to our re－ quirements to represent us satisfacto
even were he authorized so to do． The oniy means whereby we sha liament is through the agency of a man of our own choosing，who can go down
to Ottawa as an official renferentative to Ottawa as an official representative and present our grievances in such ：
manner as will guarantee their being given due and properantee their being pren tha proper consideration． diate wants of the territory are now re eriving some attention at the hands of the fed rral authorities，the necessity of direct representation in the house only emphasized thereby．
aut of promises are being hel is us which may be considered，in ao other light than mere bids for suppor at the approaching elections．We will Crainiy be glad to accept any smain Siftor wich are vouchsaied us by motive therefor may be．But it certan ly ，is unpleasant to reflect that the in－ fluence of a general election is required before any material heed is paid to our wants，It is necessary that at the eart－ iest possible moment the Yukon shal be represented in Ottawa by a man duly commissioned for that purpose and who shall bave the interests of the territors to toster and no other．
When a member from the Yukon is seated in the house we shall nut．need posen petitions down to the＇minister presented before parliament direct，an we may expect direct parliamentary ac tion thereon．Until that is accom－ pished we shail continue to remain who is friendly to this territory whe he is forced to be and at no other time HIGHiY FAVORED．
Aside from the mineral resources of nature in many respects for the mante nance of a large self－sustaining popula tion．The timber resources of the coun try considering its extreme porther
latitudes are simply remarkable． all the tributary streams above Dawson cher，are abundant supplies of timber－ sufficient for all requirements both for mining and building purposes for years quality and in large quantities has bee uncovered，（guaranteeing fuel for al
ime，even though the forsets shoul itimately be exhausted．From the ex－ of the Yukon valley from an agricul－ ural standpoint have been amply dem nstrated．The application of braw
and muscle，intelligently directed，will cause the territory to blossom as the id quality of grain cears，A splen he continuous suulight of summer per dits the raising of several crops o vegetables during the warm season a nay be too much to horpe that the Yu－ on will ever figure prominently in the produce markets of the world，but there is no legitimate reason why we should
not rase nearly everything that is re－ not rase nearly everything that
quired for our own consumption．

It looked for a while as though the ominees of Saturday＇s conventio would go in without opposition，but makes it necessary that the battle be makes it necessary that the battle be
fought out to a finish．It would really have been too bad had no oppositio manifested itself，as a campaign with
only one tieket in the field would be a ather lame aftair．Get your war pain an，gentlemen，and prepare to enter ith arena．The people are anticipating a
arst－class exhibition and we trust that irst－class exhibition and we
ou will not disappoint them．
There may be but few things as rare a day in Junce，but one of those is a das in Dawson in September．Such weather as we have been having during he past two days ought to be sufficient homesick man in town．

Boutelle and Blaine
They nsed to tell a good story abou Boutelle in connection with the cam－
Jaign of 1884．He idolized Blaine，and daign of 1884 ．He idolized Blaine，and
for years there was bad blood between bough he thought himself as great as or greater than，the plumed knight． The story is that Boutelle accon panied Blaine on his western tour
884．When the special pulled out 1884．When the special pulled out of
New York，Boutelle rushed over to Blaine＇s seat，his face white with
anger and his voice vibrant with pas－ sion．Holding in his trembling hand a copy of the New York Tribune，he pointed to an article and exclaimed
＂Was there ever such fatuous blunder ing as that？＂
For half an hour be commented on the article to the half score persons who had gatherzd round．The Tribune was
Blaine＇s chief organ，as everyone Blaine＇s chief organ，as everyone knew
but the fiery Yankee of French extrac tion，continued to pour hot shot int it．Finally Blaine said，＂Charley，do you know who wrote that and ，
its insertion in the Tribune？＂， ＇No，＂was the answer，＂but I take it
That it was Whitelew that it was Whitelaw Reid or som
other infernal fool＂ ＂You are wrong，＂Charley，replie
Blane．＂I wrote it and had the Tri bune print 1 tt ＂－Washington Co Lonisville Courier－Journal．
Near the quiet little town of Coamo in the province of Ponce，Porto Rico
was born on Thanksgiving，day a was born on Thanksgiving，day a r
markable boy baby．His mother，sa
the New York Sun，was half bree the New York Sun，was a half breed
Feest Indian negress and his father full－blooded negro．The baby is almos white．More remarkable still are the
markings on the child＇s breast markings on the child＇s breast．On the
right side there is a blood red letter ＂U，＂while on the other side appears
the letter＂S＂in blueish－purple tint about these letters are many white spot like stars，two on either side of the
neck being live pointed． neck being live pointed．
A visitor who saw the A visitor who saw the baby learned
that during the fight of Coamo last July， when the Pennsylvania troops were sent
to the rear of the Spanısh position，the to the rear of the Spansh position，the
mother was alarmed while at work in wother was alarmed while at work in
the field near the road by the approach of the American troops．She was tright ened at their sudden appearance，and，
crouching behind a hedge，watched them pass，
The regimental colors were suddenly
planted against the hedge near her as the color bearer rested for a few min－
utes．She had never seen a full white man before except the sull－blooded and dark－hued Spaniards，and the Pen－ nsylvania men appeared as a different
race to her．The excltemen：of the bat－ race to her．The excitement：of the bat－
tle that followed added to her first sur－ prise，prostrating her for several days． after she had fully，recovered until the birth of her baby．
Whiskies at wholesale at the Nofth－
on Annex，Rosenthal \＆Eield，props Best Canadian rye at the Regina．

STROLLER＇S COLUMN．

## When a man atated at the convention

When a man stated at he convention It is a portion of the sacred history $f$ the state of Georgia（and Georgia i when Col．Joe Brown was elected gov－ nor of that state and when all arrange－ a तilty from the old home in Milledge－
ille to Atlanta，the capita ville to Atlanta，the capitai，It was
necessary to blindfold Mrs．Brown and necessary to blindfold Mrs．Brown and
back her onto the train，that lady never aving previously ridden in a railroad
cach．Her husband made a good gov rnor and afterwards built and owned the Western Atlantic railroad，exté
ing from Atlanta to Chattanooga． ng from Atlanta to Chattanooga．
When Mrs．Andrew ackson was lady of the Whitehouse she was entertaining
me callers one afternoon when one some caller
them said：
＂
＂Mrs．Jackson，you appear to have a，
sad cold；in fact you are quite hoarse．＂
＂Yes，ma＇am，＂replied the first lad cold last，night．You see Andrew wa ort $\mathrm{o}^{\prime}$ restless and kept a kickin＇the Bues off，＂
But the mind of the Stroller was urought back to the present period
when，on leaving the convention hall， he chanced to walk down stairs imme he chaced to walk down stairs imme－
diately behind Rev．Dr．Grant of the
First Presbyterian church of Dawson， First Presbyterian church of Dawson，
and Pugilist Frank P．Slaivn．The lat and Pugilist Frank P．Slaivn．The lat
ter was in a very talkative mood and anong other amusing things said：
boat．＂
＂Why so？＂asked the exponent of the divine law．
＂For the reason，＂said the man who pionship of the world，＂that we were by our protessions．
A rather said the reverened genteman A rather unusal sight was witnesse Ing，which，by the way，wus the coules
of the season，when two well know in－horn gamblers were acting though engaged in mortal combat．
＂Dun＇t arrest us，＂they said policeman approached，＂we are the
best of friends and we are doing th or mutual accommodation．
＂Stop and tell me what you mean， and let up on pummelling each other
you are both bleeding like stuck pigs， said the＂cop．＂
＂My．case is like this，＂said one of
the belligerents，＂and his＇n is just the
owned a good fur coat and fur cap．
When spring came we each pawned for apparel expecting，of course，to fe－ cem it；but the time for redemption
came in July and we allowed things to go by default．Now winter is almost
here；both of us are dead broke and without enough clothes to wear even in
Central America，and we are just down here punishing each other fo
pair of consummate fools．＂
＂well
＂Well，if I see any more such actions，
you fellows will have a chance to put
your blood in circulation on the crown woodpile，＂remarked the man of yel thinly clad men jumped into the rive and swam under the dock
taidted where be stood．
Wh
Daw
Mich
Michael she her last trip from St． was not on the ship＇s manifest whe she left St．Michael and who can
aboard without requiring a landing the steamer．The passenger referred
is the bouncing son of Ed Bartett was born to him on the vogage up the river and at a time when the steamer
was in the act of landing at a woodpil Before the boy was 15 minutes old had received the name of William Xy child survived the name and is doin Mrs．Maggie Waruke has opened
frist－class restaunat at the Ho：el Met－
ropola．Meals ans arte Best imported wines and liquors
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## BLACKSMITHS AND IIINERS




gest the channel of thougbt，
he Stroller＇s mind reverted to stories istant past of people whose experi－ as very limited．
It is sald of Thomas Jefferson that se day on which he took the oath of
ffice as president of the Onited States， ving arrived $m$ the vieinity of the he right sorue miles out with a friend， be rode to the city on horseback，bitched is horse in front of a grocery and pro
seded on foot to the scene of his in augurationo－having in his coat pockets
at ife had insisted on his taking along

3ess Firteen Dollars is．Fair for Com－
mercial Dust．
Many Cases Ten Per Cent is Lost
in Assay－Best Dust Not Tiuch in Crculation．

Mre，M，J．Beaumont wants to be legal－
Iy separated trom T．H．Beaumont on
grounds of deesertion，abuse and crimi－
 The complaint filed goes into detanl
substantiate ellogations on thesen head
and telis a tale of martial infelit Mat wooll make the angels weep． Mrs．Beaumont says．she was marriee
T．H．Beaumont in Roterdam，Hol
 years appear to have pasted without in－
cident save that soon after marriage the
 first．specific act of violenece alleged
took place aboard a steamer between
San Francisco and Junean，March － San Francisco and Junean，March ，
1892 ，when Beaumont，she says，bee 1892 ，when Beaumont，she says，beat
her about the head and shoulder． The two came down the Yukon river
to Fort Yukon，and on February 25 ， 1894，there was another dormastic ount－
break which culminated in the husband， break which culminated in the husband，
so the complaint says，taking their
child Lovise，on years ing it down the rivers in oare of nativea． A period covering about trree yerrs
then elapsed during which Mrs．Bean－ mont－seems to have no cause to com－
plain，and at the end of that time Bean－
mont went to Sun Francisco to be gone
 was a woman，＂Mabel Doe，＂whom
Beaumont introdued to bio wife as a
daughter by a former marriage daughter by a former marriage．Mra，
Beaumoty，howerer，learned through
other sources，so she says，that＂Mabel other sources，so she says，that Mabet
Doe＂was realy Beamonts mistress
instead of bis daighter and in In Ausust， 18，she finally sepparated from her faith－
less spoise tess sponse．
There are the
There are three children in the union，
Louise，Henry and deorge．The oldest
is seven years of age and the younges is seven yeara of age and the soungest
three．－Nome News．

Teday Lewis on a Vacation． E．．．Lewis，formerly y the the emplo
of the A．C．Co，was a passenger soutt
on the Centennial．Lewis on the Centennial．Lewis was accom－
panied on his trip by Bessie Piere，
well－known
vaudeville artist whom Lewis became infatuated of i Teddy＇s＂abrupt teparture，he having
previous to to his fight borrowed ant te
money he could in order to make the pathway of himself and Bessie mo
a asswhen they shall have reached then
effete＂outside．＂ Frank Golden Sandbagged．
Some time sinece the．．Nugget men
tioned a repor of Frak $\begin{aligned} & \text { J．Goden } \\ & \text { fornerly of this city，traving been sand }\end{aligned}$ bagged at Nome．The following a
count of this misforune is from

Nome News of |  |
| :--- | :--- | \left\lvert\, \(\begin{aligned} \& Nome <br>

\& YF <br>
\& Yuko\end{aligned}\right.\) Yukon bakery in Dawson，but who is
owo a resident of Nome，had an exper．
ence Suturdy night with a couple of
thugs which teft him 를



 book gone and a welt tueft
across the top of bis head．

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辰宫膏tbose of the city of shut down，as are
toled，wheh ocost
the municipality $81,500,000$ ．
wouldwould have lasted mapy years longer
in the early yearswell，prohably the greatest gas producer
ever opened up，was allowed to buruever opened up，was allowed to buru
uchonfined for moutso at a time，mil．Hons of feet going to maste dally．A
through the natural gas．belt，in thearly days of natural craze，the sestreets werelit by great torches，the flames from
which sometimes farred up 30 feet into
The old "Eagle Tree.'


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\begin{aligned}
& \text { bas at last succumbed to tote ele } \\
& \text { and is gradually disintegrating }
\end{aligned}
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peared in the old tree the eagles re－
lurred nand bu t their nest and raised
ther her young．When the Manor \＆Sig
Harob trachi of the Foong 1aland toil．

The Klondike Nugget
 must all be elected． Dawson＇s ifrst real pubtic school wase
opened this morning．It has required opened this morning．It has required
mofe thana two years of laborious effort on the part of the Yukon conncil to
reach finallya point where so important reach finally a point where so important
a probiem could be sucessfully solved． a probiem could be successfully solved．
But the school has finally been estab． Iished and for that we may be properly
thankful．The fristory of the sethoot thankful．The Eistory of the schooi
matter in Dasson serves to emphasize the aboolute necessity of a rendjustment
of our local governmental machinery． of our local governmental machinery．
Had the Yukon council been an elective Had the Yukon council been an elective
body composed of men dependent upon ody composed of men dependent upo
the people of the Yukon territory for their positions it woutd have been matter of asoolute impossibility that the
school question should be so long de－ school question athould be so long de－
layed in reaching a satiffactory solu－ tion．
As a matter of fact there fo every rea son for belifef that there would even
now be no sehool were it not that the now be no ehool were it not that the
conncil has dwinded down to less than a quorum and the members now remain－ ing act only in the capacity of a com－ and again that the counell as at pree ent constituted is abte to accomptist more real work when half of its mem． bers are on the outside than when the
roll－call of our august legitative as emblage finds no vacant chaira．Thi was amply proven last summer and in
the present instance tiltory is but re－ peatung iteelf．
The Yukon council will never be satiffectory to the people of the Yukon territorv until its entire memberahip is elective．The theory of empowering with legyilative authority men who al－
ready hold positions under the guvern． meat by virtue of appointment 1 s alto： gether wrong．Every man who to at the present time a member of the conn＊
cil is alto repponsible to the govem ment for the conduct of a separate and distinct office．That they cannot 611
both positions satisfactorily is，we be． lieve，no more patent to the people of the teritory than to
conncil themselves．
The natural and logical end of the matter is the establisthment of an elect－
ive legistative body empowered with ive legislative body empowered with
the same authority that is accorded to representative assemblies of other terri－ tories and provinces．The election of
two members on the connel will be the frat step in this direction and that step must eventually be followed by the election under popular ballot of the manner in which the school question bas been handled is only one of many examples which might be cited to indi－ cate the
chagage． Ih remains now only to plice upon
the council at the appronchinq election two men who by their fituose for the position will prove the defirability of pentrusting to elected．memyers the full responsifiblity of handling our legista－
tive afflairs．
Wood is quite likely to be wood in
Dawson during the coming winter．The
steamboat trade has taken such an im － mense amount of wood during the pres： ent season and the prices paid have made it so profitable for the loggern to consequence the local market has to an extent been neglected．While there is no likelihood of a scarcity，it is the opinion of those who are in touch with the market that the prevniling price
fow－mood will be every bit as high this formood will be every bit as high this
winter as fast．One thing muat be winter as last．One thing muat be
reckoned on，however，and that to the fact that coal ls How belng quite ex－ tenstively used and as trme progresese will come tato more geveral use．We sare informed that there is an abundant
supply of coal stoves in the etty，the supply of coal stoves in the city，the
demand tore which is steadily Increas－ nd suppiy
d－demand
the
digg．
When the telegraph syatem now in process of conisffyction by the United States government is completed almost
every point of impertanice in our nelgh－
boring teritory will be connected with
the therit thy the subtle electrte fluid． noweridyes the govetnot of Alaske thoost a year to make a tour of the ter－ tory，and in－doing so he is compelied
pals out of Americain territory ise subs out of Amect hican territory or Ise subject himself to great inconven－
ence and delays．When the telegrapb ne is completed the government will in constant．touch witb all parts of ili be orercome． The election for two members of the ukon council is net for the 19th day October．We think this will b retty tough on deleatèd centidates． he ice is due to close up in the river bont that time and they will not be le to get up or down for thirty days fter．
Those people who invested their spare cange in cabins when the rush for orne was at its height have good rea－ Cabins in Dawson are as good propertry is wheat when the crop in Indig hud Russia is a fallure．

## A．C．Company ortcers：

## Rumors were current on the street

 bis morning－in reference to changescontemplated by tue A C．Co．in some of the importavt officers of that institu－ foin．Mr，Wilson was seen and when asked what changes were contemplated sald the rumor originated in the fact
that Mr．Herron was going outside tor that Mr．Herron was going outaide for
the winter，but who would talke hle he winter，but who would take hio
place daring his absence he wao not prepared to say at present．

Creek Frelghting．
Considerable freight is still being
orwarded from Dawson to vatione points on the creeks，but the work is seing attended with considerable difi－－
cuity owing to the bad condition of tie cuity owing to the bad condition of tive
oade and tralls．A large part of the roads and tralls．A large part of the
freight is being．delivered either by pack trains or six Lerse or mule teams， six being required to moye what two
ordisary horses will take when the roads are in fair condition．As soon as snow falls there will be hundreds of River News．
The steamer Columblan，Anglian and Gold Star arrived in a bunch last night．
On all three boats there were but five passengers．F．Blous，C．Achenwell
and N ．Macauley were on the Colum－ blain and two more on the Gold Star． The Angliun did not carry any．Three Anglian was the mail conaignment． The Columbian carried 150 tons of freight，the Anglian 40 and the Gotd
Star 60，The Angllan and Cold Star Star 60．The Anglian and Cold Star
are unloading at the lower end of town． are unlonding at the lower end of town．
The Gold Star will not sail for up river until tomorruw．
The delay of passengers is occasioned
by the washout on the W P \＆Y．R．， all the boats arriving last night having
pulled out of Whitehore betor pulled out of Whitehorse before，the
road was rebaliasted to allow the arrival at the terminus of the passenger trivil． It is questronable whether the Mary Graff will sall for the lower river again this seasun as she may be held here by
her owuers．to await the opening of navigation to the awpit the opening of in all probability make a reminerative reight for way points．
The Collowing was receifed by／wire： The Canadisn arrived at Whiteligree at ：30 this morning．The Yukoner left The Zealandian a／d Clopett paised The Bailey and siffon pamed Vive Ringers going up，the former at 9
$\sigma^{\circ}$ clock last night，and the latter at 9 this morning．The Lightuing pased Arthur H．Smith Buried． The foneral of the later Arthur H， Mierciptile Co．，was held this afternios from the Church of England，service suitable to the and occailon beimg con－
ducted by Rev．Naylor．The employen
and feltow workens of the deceased at－ and fellow workern of the deceased at－
tended the faneral in a body，the cons－ panded the faneral in a body，the comp－
panyens bsisg，suspended for the afternoon．Interment．was is the aetery on the bill．

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& \text { the first to leave Dawnon over the ice }
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$$ or Koyukuk early last apring，returned for Koyukuk early lost spriag，returned，

to Dowin yeserday on the ateamer
Gref．Being early on the ground Mr． Lowxy nocceeded in ataking a number
of claims in the intrict ond no far as
he has been able to prict


 Lowry aays will come out tble fall but
the mpoority wll retur in the pring
to further develop their property．

An Accilent That Was Not So Disaso trous. After All.

Sack arigsby Found His Fate while Cauight Between Two Floors in a Runaway Elevator.

## IFrom Monday's Dally Jim Grigoby was making an improvement for mining machinery and needed an office, so he took one in a skyscraper. The day he took possession he stopped at the news and cigar stand in the lobby and bought a paper. "Good mornin, sil," said the weazen faced boy who stood behind the counter. He was a lame boy. Jim Grigshy noticed. "If yon've got any typewritin or shorthand to or shorthand to do, go to Miss Me riain, inth floor.". "Priend of yours") 1nguired "Priend of yours"" 1 tquired Jim Grigsby in his brusque way, "Rriend of everybodr's," replied the lame boy. "Good <br> A few days later he had some specifications to typewrite would have gone to a milan and had the He wasn't quite sure that he approved of women dotug work of a pubpric nahare called Merriam." <br> He came down one story-he was on

 the tenth floor-and sought Miss Mer-riam's room. He found it withe riam's room. He found, it without
trouble. Her name was on the door with the names of two other women
One was a stenographer and pert accountant. Jim hesitated a little
then he turned the knob and entered. then he turned the knob and entered.
Mise Merriam was a neat little woma with remarkably fine gray eyes. She
wasn't particularly young, 30 at least, wasn't particularly young, 30 at leas
Jim conctuded, and she was strictly business like. She looked the work
over and told bim when it would be
den Scarcely a day passed thereafter tha he didn't find oce
A very queer, i very nuusual, struggle was going on beneath the inside, breas pocket of Mr. Jim. Grigsby's sack coat.
One afternoon he had detained her ittle longer than the usual hour of quitting, and when the work was 6n
isued he dashed upstairs with it, locke his door quickly and cuught one of the
elevators going down. He meant to ride down with her; perhaps walk with her to the turnstile exit doors. Su enough, she stepped on board at he took of his hat.
Then there was a jerk, a grinding
crash, a sliriek from the boy, some crash, a sliriek from the boy, some ining fell heavily on the roof of the
car, the lights went out, they were fal car, the lights went out, they were fal
ling, falling, then. with a horrid jer they stopped. The air was full of dus. They were in almost total darkness. As the car floor seemed to slip from under them the woman felk; a strong arm pass quicikiy about an matural desire to grasp some thing helpful she caught and held fas
to the man's stout shoulder. When th ear stopped, be slowly Nittuparéw his "Are you all right" he enently asked
"Yes," she answered. "What has
shapened"" "We seem to have fallen and stuck between floors," he answered. "S down on the seat aud don't worry
They'll soon get us out." They'll soon get us out,"
"Where is the byy?" 'I'm trying to locate him,'" hem wered. "I'm afraid he's burt. Here
he is," There was a little. pause. "He's alive.'
"Here".
"Here," she quickly said, "place
him on the s at and let me hole his $y$ lap.
A moment later Jim softly laid the "He seems to be bleeding from a cut on his head," said Jim. "Du you mind
thant?"
'Oh, no," she answered, "Poor boy
"We must have a light!" cried Jin "Why must have a light "t cried
"Hello, mello thered" ". came? a "Helto, mello there
voice from above.
"Yes !" shouted Jim.
"Yes '" shouted Jim
"Who is there?"
"Wh" "
"Miso Merriam, Mr. Grigaby and the boy. The boy, is hurt. Send down a light. It think you can get an incau
descent through the opening. A flat bottle of brandy too. Hurry "Yes, yes. But, say, don't move
around. The cable has broken and fal-
Ien on the car len on the car roof. The car hae caught
in the safety clutches on one side only. A allght jar would send it to the bot-

## doing all that is possible., Neep up jour courage:"

 "All right" cried Jim, with a steadyvoice. He turned to the girl in the darkness, "You heard," he suid.
"Yes," she answered quietly. Jim softly whistled. quietly, Here was
woman in ten thousand. "How's the boy?" How's the boy?"
He's warm and breathing ensily." As she's warm and breathing ensily,"
As spoke alean of light struck
the white, fireproof he white, fireproof wall st the car
front. It was the incandescent bulb.
im carefully drew it through then jim carefully drew it-through the wire
meshes. "All right!" he called. He veshes, "All rightl' he called. He
took the light across the car and hung it above the lad's head; thes he went
own on bis knees and pushed aside the natter hair.
"A nasty cut," be satd and deftly
bandaged it with strips of his handerchief, Over all he t.ed the neck arf Jane quickly handed him. Some
bing clicked against the wall. It was he bottle of brandy. Jom forced a few drops between the boy's lips. He put
his hand over bis heart; then he tonk is hand over bis heart; then he tonk off his coat and latd it over him.
"You sem to know just what to

## id Jane Merriam

We learn a good many useful thing
"He plains," said Jim.
"Hello, below there ". came, the
"flled voice. "Mr. Grigsby."
"Don't get discouraged. We are do ing our best to make you safe. It may
ake some time. Perhaps it would be eeter to keep as quiet as possible. omebudy will be bere on guard. If ou want anything, call out."
"I understand," said Jim.
rearstand, to said Jim. "When you are ready to take us out, have
carriage for the lady and an ambulance nd stretcher for the boy.
"For."
"For Miss Merriam" " oice. Something attached to a string obbed in front of the cage. Jim drew
in. It was a little bunch of flowers in in was a little bunch of flowers. He handed it to the kirl. oe's voice," she said. Joe, as Jim
remembered, was the lame boy Then Jim lowered nis six feet of staher feet.
"We might as well make ourselve
comfortable," he said. "I fancy we re in for quite a siege of it ,",
The bòy moaned and but the girl's soothing hand quieted A dull clang, clang, from a distant
ong reached them in the silence. ong reached them in the silence.
"Must be calling out the fire departnent," said Jım Grigsbr. "We ar
vidently creatıng quite a sensation." "I don't the that,"" said the giri.,
"It will be an old story in a day or It will be an
"How can you laugh?", she asked,
"Why not?" he asked, "It's all Why not if there aaked. 'It's all houldn't be lounging bere. I wish could make yon mive comfortable.
m afraid I seem to you a little har i'm afraid I seem to you a little har-
dened and thougbtess, but it's all the ened and thong bitless, but it's all the
fault of my early experiences. I've gone through sometining like this be
ore. I was once locked up tin a mine for six hungry days. Do you mind hav for six hungry
ing me talk ".
"I'm glad
imply.
Before be could speak again the ele ator swayed a little, settled slightly, rom both above and below, and then Ill was still again. At first movement
she had caught at his hand with ber rembling fingers. He took them in hi
irm clasp and did not let them go "You are cold," he quietly said and ell to softly chafing her hands. Then if there had been no interruption b vent on to tell her the story of the
viue. He talked simply and was. He talked simply and well. for the moment their own perilous situation. Then be went on to other ad
ventures and finally drifting back tol ventures and finally drifting back told
her of his early life, of the mother he had lost when a boy, of his fight from
cruel relatives, of bisa struggle for bread he ruged western country. The
he told how step by step be had climbe apward to independence, He ta.ked o bimself treely, of his hopes, of his am litions, of his long deferred plans fo uappiness. She felt the pressure tighten
on her hands. Then he suddenly stopped short.
"Hold on,"
tiring you. And, see here, you musta let yourseif get cramped. Try and shif the boy's head a little. Swing you
arms and move your feet. Have som brandy?'
"No," she said, "thank you; I'm
quite cumfortable. How loug have we
heen herel"
He beld his watch to the dim light.
ours and ten minutes! What a three am! But that's what it is to pass,
ne's time in good company," and be "Ighed like a boy.
doye if it hadn't been for you, "" she al.
nost wlimpered, and. put ber hand to "Here," he quickiy said, give-me
"He your handkerchief." He took it an
holding the light close to her face care holding the light close to her face care
fully wiped it. "A little sanguinar fully wiped it
in spots," he? in spots," hezaid, with a quiet laugh.
'Don't put your fingers to your face Don't put your fingers to your face
again. There, now your hat is straight.
We muot look our best when we face We must lok our best when we fac
the big reception committee that the big reception committee,
pretty sure to be awaiting us,"
For the life ot her she couldis Por we hife der she couln't be lively air and his sorry appearance.
"Hello, below there!" came the "ffled voice from above. Hellol"' answered Jım
'All right?"'
'No change," said Jim.
"We have tiged a tem nd some grappling lines añd are goin let you down. Don't be alarmed." "Go ahead," said Jım.
nany hoarse orders, and sometocks an many hoarse orders, and somebody we
owered to the toof of the car. Ther were sounds, too, from below-mur-
murs and starp cries of warning. The murs and starp cries of warning. The
car rose a little, and then began its slow lescent. As it neared the ground flon imsent. As it neared the ground picked up the boy and Jane
ime form.
"Tete-a-tete is over," said Jim.
The gate was pushed back and
The gate was pushed back and Jim
tepped out. There were policemen stepped out. There were policemen
and firemen and ambulance men, and and firemen and ambulance men, and bey stepped out.
"Clear the way to the ambulance," said Jim sharply to the police sergeant, and the stretcher men and the surgeon
fell in behind him as he stalked to the
street. He was a sorry looking fellow, hatless, coatiess and blood stained, but as he laid the lad on the mattress an stepped aside the great crowd that ha
been patiently waiting in the street fo the rescue gave hism a rousing cheer. Jane bad heen spirited away.
It was just a week later. that Lam
Io
Joe beckoned to the elevator starter Joe beckoned to the elevator starter.
"Hear about Miss Merrian" "Hear about Miss Merriam?" he con
aidently asked. "ently asked.
"No." said
out, ain't she?"
"Yep," said Joe. "Gonn to marry
that Mr Grigsty. Goin to live out
west too. He's got mines out there west too. He's got mines out there to
burn. Says he'll look around an see i
there ain't some kind of ahace tot

## "That is good," said the starter, wit

 a laugh. "Guess that matchbave been made in the elevator." have been made in the
"No," said Joe.
"That ain't so, I though it was, b
it ann't. You know she an me is prett
good Hiends, an 1 says 'Guess Mr Grigaby must have axed you to mari
him in the elevator?" She laugbe
No,
'No,' she says, 'he didn't.' 'But he
loved you then?' I says. An she nod-
ded, 'Then ded. 'Then,' I says, 'why didn't be
She blushed a little. 'Because, Grigsby says it would not have been
fair; it would have been taking an advantage of me,' she says, and blusher
again. That Grigsby is a square man,

\section*{Jack."

"Guess

Cevelan <br> $\frac{\text { A Seveland Plain Dealer. }}{\text { A Serious Mixup. }}$}

## There was a row in one of the private roomis of the Holborn restauran Satur

 day eveningtin which it is claymed th name of Steele. Boon was arrested anis now in jail awaiting bis hearn hich will take place tomorrow. As he matter, it is hard to arrive at the
facts, but the latter will be brought ont at the preliminary trial tomorrow. It is said that Steele was eating sup. per at the restaurant with two woment
one of whom is Boon's wife; that the busband was supposed to be up the
creeks, but bad arrived with bis brothe in the city in the evening, and was
earching for bis. wife, stopping sufficrently long at various saloons to cultivate a bright and lurid jag. On finding
the dinyer party at the restaurant he
and his brother assauted Steele and in and his brother assautted Steele and in
the melee Boon is said to bave fired the shot. S
battle.

## Eagles Social. <br> The Savog theater was decorated in a magnificent manner last erening which date bad been selected for the first anual reception of the Kagles. The big auditorium was one sol mass of buoting and flags. The n onal emblems of Great Britain were gracefully intermingled with the Stars and Stripes, over which soft lights nave most effective coloring. <br> The theater was crowded when Prest- dent Leros Tozier opened the reception with a-siort but bappy address. He

and explained at length the objects of
the Eagle organization. Following $M_{1}$. Tozier's address Mr.
Ediwaràs was introduced- aisd-sang couple of coon songs which pleased he presiding officer to such an extent
hat he fined the singer \$1 on the spot. Miss Celia DeLaccer sang in her hinoual
charming manner and was followed by Kay Stanley. Bob Lawrence was nex atroduced and established nis reputa-
ion as a recitationist and character an a rectationst and character
artist. "Bob's rendition of Whitcomb
"iley's "Take Keer Yourself Jim"" Riley's "Take Keer Yourself Jim"' was
tendid. Madame Llopd was next on he program, and acquitted herself exellentiy.
Others on the program were Edith Montrose Annie Merril, Marion Tracie,
Madge Melville, Walthers and Forest, Messrs. Stanley, Breen, Bryant and On low. The two last named made a dis, inct hit:
Freddie
Freddie Breen's '97 song captured the
our doughs but cost Freddie 15 ur doughs but cost rieddie 15
ollars by order of the hi yu chief. The program ended at midnight and
me occasion was voted by all a success.

- The Baze Tkis Morning. At about $3: 30$ o'cloek this morning
a alarm of fire culled the fire departalarm out to fight a firc whe fire depart nent out to fight a firc which bad made
considerable headway near the Klondike ridge.
Three cabins were in a blaze when
obe alarm was given, and could be hainly seen from the lower end of of their bouses and on the way in
omething less than 30 seconds after the ong struck, and upou arrival at the sene of the fire controlted the blaze un-
il a dine could be xun from the electric a dine could be xun from the electric
ight and power house and the pump started. Fearirg that this would prove
isufficient, Chief Stewart ordered at other line to be run from the water vorks, and in a few minutes two streame
weree being played upon the burning
cabins, and 3000 feet of hose were in use.
The buildings were uwned by S. Pel-
land, whio conducted a bakery in the
middle building. He claims a loss of
$\$ 5000$ due principally to the damage 5000 due principally to the damage
done to his stock of goods by fire and
water. The officers of the fire depart ater. The officers of the fire depart
vent, however, think this estimate is ather in excess of-actual loss, for th
reason that all the grods damaged are
ot injured to such a extent as to make ot injured to such a extent as to mak
heir loss more than partial.
Besides the loss in damage to stoc Besides the loss in damage to stock
and buildings the owner lost $\$ 350$ in
cask which he kept under his piltow
and when he became suddenly aware
 noney again till it was too late io
Chief Stewart is coined to his bed a Chief Stewart is conned the he having
ne of the results of the fire, her
ot the vicininity in a barbed wire fence
nurning cabins,
nd punctured tis knee cap with

greater than an enforced quiet
ew days.


## The Key to Washington society. The words army and navy are a open sesame to the best elements o

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social life everywhere in our country,
and among the leaders of Washington
soiety are feund many whese furs
bands are in one or the other. Wash-
ingto Ington is the naturar ralilining point of
the army. and even after the active
professionalal life is ended they find
there the pleasantest resting place.
Mere the pleasantest resting place.
Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Sheridan and Mrs.
Logan have chosen thelr homes ther and hold sway over a large circle o
friends. The widows of other promi
nent onticers dirt to Washington from
time to time, and in the inner clrcle
of Washington's pleasnatest of Washington's pleasantest soctal life
Admiral Dewey has found in General
Hein
Hezen's widow a gracious woman to
hold sway over himself and his home.
At the last New 'Year's receptlon Mrs. Custer, known for her own charming
personality as well as because of he
gallant husband's fame, stood besid galaint husband's fame, stood besid
Mrs. Miles and received with her dur
Ing the atternoon,-Mary Breckirinigg
Hines in Woman's Home Companion.
A Vacant Garter.
According to the London Chronicle,
there is now a Garter vacant, and it a
plebiscite decided on whom it should there is now a Garter vacant, and if
plebisitie decided on whom it should
be bestowed there is not a doubt but
that K. G. would be placed after the that K. G. Would be phaced after the
name of the feld marshal commanding
in South Africa, who most certainly in South Africa, who most certainly
merits the distinetion quite as mueh as
Lord Elgin, on whom It was so properLord Elgin, on whom It was so proper-
ly conferred by Lord Salisbury. In the
last two centurles the Garter, has only
been thrice given for military service last two centuries the Garter, has only
been thrice given for miltity servilese
-to Marlborough, Wellington and Lord Anglesey-and, strange to sa, ho naval
commander appears to have had it, no

## ommander a ven Nelson.




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BRIEF TIENTION.
$\qquad$ Around the lower engine house of tod
e department this imorning, erided hat Chief Stewart
ere not lacking.
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# WILSON - PRUDHOMME 

Were the Successful Aspirants at Saturday's Convention for Nomination

of Sixteen Nominations All But Five Were Withdrawn Before Balloting Commenced.

The Five Were Wilson, Prudhomme, Sugrue, Grant and Boullias-Only Three Ballots Were Required-Wilson and Prudhomme Were Favorites From
the Start-Nominations Were Made Unanimous-Strong Support Was Pledged-An All-Night Banquet-The Candidates.


##  one-of his.typical speechgstic atwaye good, whisch was enthsiastacily re. ceived, If nominated by the convention

 an wonld work hard for his electionand if lected would work faithtuly in
the interests of good government in the the inte
Yukon.
The The candidates having ait spokev, the
question-of the eli isibility of the col question-of the eligibility of the candi-
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tinuous nominatition - the mesidence for of oco
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torily, to many, settled by being
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were the condrdatases before the conven.
tion: $\mathrm{F} . \mathrm{F}$. Sugrue ton: J.F. Sugree, Alox P ud omme
tome
Anthur Wison, Dr. A.-S. Grant, and
M. H. Boullais D. r.thur Wolison,
M. H. Boulais

Second baplot-Sugrue 18, Pruad
themme 25, Witson 29 , Grant $16 ; 9$ be
tatter druppins out latter dropping out.
While the third vole
While the third vote was being count. ed Prank Stavin made a speech that
mas generally cunceded to be " "hum
mier."
 37. Sugrue 20.
Alex Prudh Alex Pradhomime ahd Arthur Witson
having received the highest taving received the highest number of
votes, were declared the nominees of the
convention.
Mr. Sugrue at once took the floor and
 pledged themi- tis hearty support and
moved that their nominations be made poved that their nominations be made
unanimous. Dr. Grant seconded the
motion and aloo promised to molion and also promiser to support
the nominees at the polls. The motion carried amiddst cheers and the fritet con-
vention in the history of the Yukon be yention in the history of
caniea a thinz of the past.
An hour after the

Tew invited guests were seated at a ban
quet in the spacions dining room of the
quet in the spacions dining room of the
Hotel MeDonald, where, untili 50 oclock
Sundey Sunday morning there was eating,
drinking and unconfined revelry. An orchestra of ifeco pieces ferurirsbed de
lightral music and Miss Celisia Det tecy sang a number of songs. The very bees of fellowinip reigned except that Frank
Slavin insisted on making Slavin insisted on making speectes
deprecatory of Canada and her laws and
insititing that all insisting that all representatives.
what he was pleased to term the "ulie press"' are liars; but as Fraik was i his normal condition no attention wis
paid to his remarks by the sober ele ment present.
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Surport of the nominees of the con-
vention was plectged and re-pledged, Vention was pledged and re-pledged,
toast were made and drank to nearly
every known subject and, as a whole the occasion swas a $\begin{aligned} & \text { titing end anting of the } \\ & \text { previous day's work and efforts in }\end{aligned}$ previus day's work and efforts
half of better local government.

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& \text { The Candidates. } \\
& \text { Mi. Asthur Wilson was born in No }
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& \text { Sco. Anthur wison was } 37 \text { years ago. When } 22 \text { years of } \\
& \text { age he followed the advice of Horace }
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& \text { oo Brituh Columbia, where for } 12 \\
& \text { yoers he was employed in the coal } \\
& \text { yines pe that place. In the summer ot }
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mines ef that place. In the summer ot
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and
and has been here almost continuously
ever since with the exection of an
visit for a short time to Namamo where
nis wife resides-Mr. Witson has for
lowed mining ever since coming to the
country and now owns mining property
of 14 below Bonanza, on French Hill
and on Sulphur. Mr. Wilson, beeides
and on Sulphar. Mr Wiron, beeides
being $a$ mine owner, is aloo $a$ mine worker. When a strong arm in an ugly
tolinel is sheeded Wiitoon is said by the boys to be one of the best men on the
creeks. In In appearance he to bright, creeks. In appearance he io bright,
quick and inteligent He is a deliber
ate talker and readify thows that his
 disposition is a magnetic one, as is
proven by the fact that he entered the convention, a comparative stranger
Saturday morning and was the most Satarday morning and was the most
popular man it in before it adjournet.

He will poll an inmene vote at the | $\begin{array}{c}\text { we wing election, } \\ \text { con } \\ \text { Mr. Wilsoon ser }\end{array}$ |
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Mr. Wilsoon sered the city of Nanai-
mo as a member of ber muvicipar coun-
Alexander James Pradhomme was but was raised and lived until grcwi in the province of Quebec. Por ten years previous to coming to the Yukon he
lived in Ottays, wheree be followed his lived in otawa, where be followed bise
trade, that tof contractor and wailder
He came to the Klondike in Mer Be camm to the Klondike in May, or
189, wiicb was several ' moonthe belore the rush. During the first year he en-
zaged in miniog on the creeks and in the spring of' 98 statted to work at his old tade in this city and has silice been
 outside Mr. Prudhomme affliated witb
the Conservative party, out neter held is very popular and fike hifs ruaning ate will poll a heavy vote.

## Arthur Smitn Suicldes.

Arthur H. Smith, of San Francisco,
who has been in this country during Who has been in this country during
he past two years, is dead by his own he pas
hand.
His b His body was found Saturday hang
ng from the roof of a

Declares That Transvaal Is Part of Great Britain's Territory.

MAI BE FURGE TO SJRREMER

Arthur Sewell, Shipbuilder and Politician, Dying.

BARONESS FLED FROM CHINA.

Peace Negotiations Still in Progress Take a Hand.

London, Sept. 4, via Skagway, Sept. 0. - Under date of the 1st, Lord Roberta reports that he has fasiuet a proctuma. tion that henceforth the Trunsvail fo a der date of the $3 d$ eqmes a report that the British troops are surrounded at Ladysmith and that they bate burment all their stores to keep them from fall all their stores to keep them from fall-
ing into the hanls of the Boers, and ing into the han 1s of the Boers, and forced to surrender. Generat Honter to forced to surrender. General Hunter is
bastening to the relief.

## Arthur Sewell Dying.

Bath, Maine, Sept, 4, via Skagway, Sept, 9.-Arthur Sewell, Democratic
nominee for rice president in 1898, lies at the point of death from a stroke of apoplexy. He cannot recover.

Fled From China.
Detroit, Sept. 4, vin Skagway, Sept. 9.-President Ledyard of the Mitchigan Central Ry., has received a cablegram from his daughter, Baronese Von Kel-
ler, widow ot the German amibasador ler, widow of the German ambasaidor
murdered in China. The message mys: murdered in China. The message mat.
"I ami in Yokahama; come for me."

Chirese situation Unchanged
Washington, Sept: 4, via Skagway, Sept. 9,-A dispatch has been received
trom Conger, the firt. for seven daya. trom Conger, the firt for seven dayst
He says the situation is not materially changed. Negotintions between the powers regarding pence propositions continuen, Germany ts awaiting the action of the other powers.

Peace Negotiations.
Tientsin, Aug. 29, via Skogway.Sept. 9.-Three mensers of the Taung Li Yamen are steking to negotiate with the allies through Sir Robert Harh. director of Chinuese custums: Another member of the Toung Li Yauren nemed
Ccing L, viaited the Autrian amban sador on the $22 d$ and wan arrested for
complicity in the attack on the loga-
tioni. tions.

News comes Captain Rant.
News comes from Victuriat that George Stables, of Atin, who won ditatinction
by defeating Capt. John Irving for the by defeating Capt. John Irving for the
orovincial parliament to the Cumbar district, is making a fight on the gov-
ernment for appointing Capt. W, ). ernment tor appolnting Capt. W. ).
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$\rightarrow$ ery Pretty Speech About Canada
tch Does Not in Any Way Savo Poltics－Wants Dominion to Remain Unchanged．

Prom Wednesday＇s Dally，
and here are said to be many men in the yelish speaking world torlay＇，who
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one orators seldom heard．Canadians ord are seldom heard．Canadians
wer fad few opportunities of bearing
with Milliaw Jennings Bryan and therefore
se know little of his style，but from wis published reports of his speeches，
hich show that be bas the faculty of oupresssing great truths into sen－
nete．he may surely be set down as tacese he may surely be set down as
nof the greatest speakers of his day．
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in many ways，and some of his fines poke uuder difficulties，too，for it i at permited to a governor general a
of flues to cut loose and give utteranc to all the thoughts of his heart．I
ite of the circumscribed area which he was confined，however，
reat
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 to print reports of his speeches on ac
conit of the eagerness of the farmers to rad what he bad to say．At he time
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mle，as applied to territory inhabited by wite races of dyly illustrated，tha
peene more strikingly
by the teech made by Sir Wi：frid Lau fie on Tuesday in the Dominion house
of coumons．The speech would rank bigh in any assembly in the world as a
wodel of noble eloguence，but it is not odel of noble eloguence，but Ca is
he language or at of the Candian
remier＇s address which will make it live in the annals of the empire．The
ppirit which glows through it and the thoughts which underlie it are preg．
nant with great issues tor nant with great issues for England and
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more truy than any statesman who $h$ spoken yet the temper of the new ion
perial patriotism fostered into self－co celousess by the war．＇
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tre been of the mest hunbiased and
ton－controversial character， thding that we are said to be on the
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thich granite，marble，oak and Thbich granite，marble，oak an
Thee materials were ．blended．Thi
Cobedral is the image of the natio Jong hope to see Canada become．
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Trant the granite to remain the gran－
t；I want the oak to memen Want thant the oak to remain the oak
TS Scotchman ；I want the brawny Enain toman to remain the Englishman；； at the warm hearted Irishman to re－
min the Irisbman．
toe ele the elements and ； I want to take all a nation that
Wil be foremout ase the world；and you Acadians，I
ruet you to be repres． you to be represented in that na－
Your ancestors were said to Woald retlect in of heaven，so your lives

．Value of Consulathips． ＂Young man，＂said a noted Illinois
congfessman in the bouse restautrant at the capital，，＂when yous get a chance
to be a consul for the Unithed to be a consul for the United States se－
lect a smoky city， lect a smoky citv，one where there are
many tactory chimneys．Do not try for
the fashionable capitals，Leave them the fashionable capitals，Leave them
for the ambassadors．Go where the ait is murky，for there business is lively．
and many a consignment is sent to the and many a consignment is sent to the
United States．This means fees United States，This means fees，and
fees mean a good income for the con－ fees mean a good iucome for the con．
sul．＂．
In the course of his chat the congress－ man made the of heneral statement that consuls who are making the most mones
from fees are the inite from fees are the quietest，most unas
suming，unconmplaining，employes．of the government．＂They do not set claims for a salary instead of fees，＂he said．＂Ob，no；but like the wise boy where the raspberries are thick they let
the world forget，so far as possible ter the world forget，so far as possible，that
they are on earth．Let a consular office e changed from the fees to the ssalary be changed from the fees to the ssalary
system，and it at once becomes alluring
to a voracious lot of aspirants Some to a voracious lot of aspirants．Some
one finds out perhaps that the political support of this particular consul is soon and there io a change．
in ships is that of Liverpool．The salar is $\$ 6000$ ，but the fees bring the emolu－ ments up to several times that amount，
and a generation ago the income of the This has been reduced by abolishing Won＇t Trust the Banks． ing place of a past generation， become almost obsolete，except with a
rery few old－fathin rery few old－fashioned people in quiet， out－of－tine－way villages．
Perhaps the most Perhaps the most popular hiding
place，especially for paper money，is
the big family Bible．It is quite a tomary tring in out－of－the－way count buuses to thus secure any valuable
pers in the possession of the family． Ters in the possession of the family．
Tea caddies and sugar bowls make ex of an oid dress hanging in an pocken－ of an old dress hanging in an uncon－
cealed way in a wardrobe is fegarded
by many women as one of the safest oy many women as one of the safest
places imaginable for spare rings roches and hracelets．
A lady unce confide Aat if she bad ocece to the write anse she muariably phiced her jewelry
in her old shoes，which were placed longside the new ones．Quite a lot o
valuabies can be forced down into th aluables can be forced down into
toes without．giving the slightest ext A wbman in Cleveland，
ould．put her moner and jewelry e coal scuttle，covering them up care－ fully with several layers of coal．This
might bave proved a somewhat risky the fire bad to fed，but their owner fe that no burglar would ever dream of
looking in a coal ocuttle for valuable One old lady recently took her first town to New York ctty，so that she there and place them in the country 10 －
stitution at bome．Her money bad been stitution at bome．Her money had been
there through the panic of＇ 73 and＇ 93 ， with Spain was on，to take it out and trust any one but herself to come on and draw the few hundreds．
An elderly spinster who resides in
one of the many ancient houses to be et of，stationary drawers topped
built into a buge closet in one of the
rooms．The lower drawer，instead o resting directly on the floor，ran on
grooves about two inches above it．Thi lower drawer she would pull out an
place large sums of money and all ber
jewel cases in the space left below，an hen raptace the drawer which she kep
filled with linen． Steamer Ligbtning leaves at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$
tomorrow from the Yukon dock． The Clifford Sifton will sail for
Whitehorse tomorrow noon．She is
fively appointed boat and her service a finely appointed boat and her service
is excellent Parties iutending making the trip out can be assured
ful and comfortable voyage．
Ginon hats，latest syyles，Oak Hall The warmest and most comtorta
hotel in Dawson is at the Regina． Short orders served right．The Hol Fine tweed tarlor－made suits．Mc－
Candless Bros，opp．S．－Y．T dock． Shoff，the Dawson Dog Doctor，Pio Ladies，see the brussels squares that
have arrived for Brimstone $\&$ Stewart Steamer Lughtning leaves at 10 a ． m
ourrorrow from the Yokon dock．

IN OTHER LANDS Wine form 48 per cent of Spain＇s gen exports． Spain is smatler iban Texas by about
5,000 square miles． Nearly all the Nearly all the streets of Berlin are
paved with asphatt of the best quality Switzerland took in last year 888,84 rancs in fares on its Alpine stage lines． Of all English cities Liverpool harl he highest death rate last year（26．8 Paper Codon the lowest（13．6）． Paper made from seaweed is a grow－
ing industry in Rrance．It is so trans． parent that it has heen used in place o parent
There are sadd to be in London alon 3000 children whu are feeble－minded distin
The Anstrian government serum fac ory in Vienna for the treatment of diph the remedy last year．
It is reported in Berlin that Emperor 00 marks as prizes for English and German sailing yachts at next year＇
Kiel week． tiel week．
The greatest pigrimeges to the Holy
land are undertaken by the Russians， I has been calculated that between tine every year．
The Hebrews are now in possession of
about 60 square miles of Palestine，or
one per cent of the country，and have one per cent of the country，and have
agricultural establishments at Ekson， Jaffa and Galislee．

Origin of Titles．
Lieutenant is French tor place－holder，
He serves in place of another，taking He serves in place of another，taking
the place of his superior when occasiun
demands．
Colonel is from the medieval Lati
coronella，a diminutive of columna，
a diminutive of columna，
A colonel was an officer who column．A colonel was an officer wh
marched at the head of the column．
Ontil
from the Persian sarjank，a subordinate officer，thus being the only one of our
source．
The
officers of a company bear titles derived from the same word．Captains and cor－
porals are，therefore，head men．The word from which captain is immedi－
ately derived is the medieval Latin cap－ man and Polish hetman carry the same
idea．
A major was once a captain major，or
superior captain，just as now the highest noncommissioned officer is a sergeant
major．The captan was long ago
dropper from the compend title and the major alone retained．A genera
was one whose command was over the army in general．From general offic
the title came to be simply general． Most of the navy titles that differ Ensign is an old title obsolete in the tana forces，but still preserved in the
navy．Admiral comes to us from the Spanish，who borrowed it from the
Arabbic amiralbarrh，commander at sea． ish and Portuguerse commendedor，
knigbt，a commander，so our two high est naval titles come from the despise Same old price， 25 cents，for drink，
at the Regina． Rosenthal \＆Field are selling ca
whiskies at wholesale．The Annex． Brusell＇s squares．at Oak Haul，opp．，
S．－Y．T．Co．dock．MeCandless Bros． Pabst beer and imported cigars at
wholesale．Rosenthal\＆Field，the Annex． Try Cascade Iaundry for high－class
work at reduced prices． Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a
tomorrow from the Yukon dock．
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##  <br> He＇ll get through all right． He bought his outfit at <br> ．RYAN＇S Front Street，Opp．S－Y．T．Co．Dock GOOD TIMES THIS WINTER． S．Levine Belleves Prosperity Fol ＂We are going to see prosper－ evine yesterday to a Nugset nan．II realized that in the ear－ <br> Hay and Feed <br> 500 TONS．

 y part of the year and my de－ductions were based upon the re． uctions were based upon
ult of close observation：
＂You may have noted the im． of machinery this fall．That means the constant employment of more men this，winter than
ave ever been at work at any have ever been at work at any
eason．Fach one of those mam season．Each one of those mam． y human hands，and the quan－
ity of labor necessary to reep
hem running will agregate an hem running will aggregate an
mmense number：
That is my
my elief，and in the purchase of have acted on that presumption． ＂I have now an immense stock $t$ goods of all descriptions stored $t$ my warehouse，and I will do a hriving business this fall and
rinter．Of course，times are dif． erent than in the old days；prices $\because$ The Star Olothing House will lll goods，and are now in fac selling staple articles at prices argin of profits．We will prob ably do more business in such loves and felt shoes，than any ＂Wer concern in Dawson． wax：thread moccasins，the fowed article to be had for money，for 2.50 a pair．We have the largest
tock of these goods in town．In tock of these goods in town．In
fur caps we are selling a good far caps we are selling a good
serviceable warm cap for $\$ 3.50$ ， nearly one－third the price for icle；and so on down the line ith all our gooids． ＂We are carrying everything in
the clothing line and can supply
the miner with strong and warm clothing or the man around town with the swell apparel now in
vogue in the large centers of the ogue in the large centers of the
East．For underwear we have an assortment second to none in
the city．heavy woolens，merinos， balbriggan，ete．，all sizes and weights．
＂As I said before，＂continued prosperous times this wingter，and
the Star Clothing House will an immense business，as we have
he goods and our prices are be hew competition．＂
The Holborn Cafe for delicacies． A new department at the Northern
nuex．Liquors at wholesale．

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To Grand Forks


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Ireat Activity on the Upper River-
Barge Monarch to Become Steamer.

##  <br>  <br>  oossible with his boat as return to St . ossible and bring her back with an other load if the river does not free

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$\frac{\text { TBE SEMI-WERKLY KLONDI }}{\text { "Business to good and the outlook for }}$

Steamer Leon, 35 days frow St ,
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arrived this morning. She brought two barges up river, one of which was left
Gagle with U. S. stores. Her freight Bagle with U. S. stores. Her freight,
with barge, is estimated at over. 1700 The Zealandian arrived this morning with 18 sacks of mail, 60 tons of freight
and the following passengers: Chas R. Long, W. L. Harris, T. C. Bell,
Miss Doara Dean, Capt. Ritchie, Lout Liss Doara Dean, Capt. Ritchite, Louis
Merrit, Thos. Graham, Wm. SimmerJos. MoNamee, Chas. Houk, Peter Fa eell. Edww Wílkinson
The steamer Ligbtning is again it
port. She brought down river 83 bear port. She brought down river 83 hea
of cattle, several tons of assorted freigh and severen passengers. She sails to morrow morning at $10 o^{\prime}$ clock. The
Lightning is a spacious, swift and safe toat and is officered by competent navi
gators. Following is the passenger lim. gators. Following is the passenger lit
coming down: M1ss M. Thebo, C. W
Theho I. I. West, R. S. Wett, F. MC Quillan, A. R. Thomas and J. Wallace It is reported that the steamer Clara was sold yesterday to Capt. Miller, als the barge Monarch. The machiner
will be transferred from the Clara will be transferred from the Clara to
the barge iummediately wnd the lattee will he put on the un-river run as a
freighter it is hoped that one trip can be made on the boat thi the close of navigation.
The following boats are expected fro
down river this season by the differen
 istand: N. A. Y. \& T. Co., Barr,
Hamilton and Power: A. E. Co., Camp
bell witt barge of the S. Y . Co.; belt witt barge of the S-Y. T. Co. ;
C. Co., the Bella, Louise and Susie. The following was received by wir The steamer Nora passed Big Salmon coming down. at 5 this morning. She
was folluwed by the Bonanza King at $7: 30$ this morning.
The steamer Bailey passed Hootatingua going up this morning at 6 The Canadian left whitehorse at- 11 o.elock last night. She has a
search light aad runs all night. il, Light and Victorian passed Selkirk this morning going up,
the former at $40^{\circ}$ clock and the others at 9 .
She Cliffort Sifton got in at 2 p . m .
today with a very heavy cargo of treight today with a very heavy cargo of treight
and a large passenger list. She sails and a large passeng
tomorrow at noom.

Judge Cralg Crowded.
For some time the friends of Judge Craig have noticen that he was not look
ing well, and those who have been brought into daily contact with the ourt have known that he was over-
worked and nearly ill in consequence. worked and nearly ill in eonsequence.
The uninitiated might think that aties of the judge were at an end. On the contrary, the least portion of his ork only has been done, and in this case the midnight oil has been burned id this morning it was decided to post one the hearing of all criminal case
the docket till the arrival of Judg What Trausportation Men Say. Capt. Ritchie and Mr. Rosenhei m , seated close to the stovent Co., we set man dropped into their snug little office this morning where they appeare o be felicitating each other on the fac bat to them and their company th world looks good.
In answer to
In answer' to the usual repertorial
question: "How is business and what question: "How is business and what
is the newa?" Capt. Ritchle answered

## e gtage of the water is most Batisfac- and beats out the assertion made

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 was onty of ten days duration we would from its very start
the "Frelgat is being rashed througb from Skagway to Whitehorse by train
loads every day and yet the Skagway wharres are never cleared, every incoming steamer from all lower ports being the big fleet of steamers plying between Skagway and the lower country, nearly every one of them are compelled
to leave freight behind when they sail for the north. There has been no cessation in our volume of business this ey none. The only thing that will cut $s$ of will be the closing of navigation bick is bound to come

They're all Athletic. Jack Campbell, Tom Chisholm, Trainer
Sweeney and others less known in the hletic worlid are all hard at work iven sometime during the winter or early in the spring, the date not having been definitely settled get. The principal part of the training consists in
ooking at a large stone with an iron tivg fixed in it for a handle, and in ating beefsteak. They aslo relste their thleetic experiznces to each other, and ope by the time
ion arrives to be able to lift i The stone weighs 112 pounds.

Over 100 Nomads Arrive. The tramp steamer Monarch, Capt.
Green, arived at $2: 30$ this afternoon Green, arived at $2: 30$ this afternoo 18 days from St. Michael. She hrougb direct from Nome, the others having been picked up along the river, being returning pros
Although the Monarch's passengers
had not come ashore at the time the Nugget went to press, having to underoe examination at toe hands of the ealth officer, it was learned by lon wany familiar faces on the upper dec If the steamer nearly all the passenge
rom Nome were former residents Dawson. Among many others noticed
were Frank J. Golden, Actur Eddie Dolan and Mrs. Walter McNabb.
Golden is anthority for the statemen
that people are leaving Nome as fas as possinle; that the town from a busiper cent of all who invested money i business ventures are losing heavily
When he left Nome on the 23 d of Au gust there was cunside genem sickness,
ions.
Altho
Alaouga mach crowied, he Monarch and a pleasant trip up the river. She
brought no treigbt. This is ber first rip to Dawsen stinee the summer of '98 With a market basket filled with old woman, who sald she lived in Cam den, appeared at the subtreasury and
stated that she wanted the bits of money redeemed, says the
Record. It required only a hasty ex-
amination for the offlials to determin that the pleces of notes were all from
the edges and corners of bills of rious denominations.
The woman was asked how she be came possessed of the pleces, which
Information she fatled to give. Then
she was bluntly told that the governshe was blunty told that the govern-
ment would allow her nothing for the
remnants remnants of money, because it was
plainly evident that the pleces were
all clipped from whole notes. This the woman denled, yet she was obliged to cash for her ofering.
The offlclals found that, though there 80 . $\$ 2$ and $\$ 1$ notes, there was not tion, so that it would be impossible to make even one bill by pasting pieces
together. There were enough bits, size. Judging trom the paper and style of notes, it had required about 20
sears to collect the pieces. Special Power of Attorney forms for
ale at the Nugret office. Steamer Lightuing leaves at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.
omorrow from Yuk on dock, The liquors are the best to be had, a
he Regina. Heavy underwear at Oak Hall. Priyate dining rooms at The Holborn Special Power of Attorney forms for
sale at the Nugget office.

## brief mention.


L. Pond and wife, of
in from Gold Bottom. The Dawson Athtetie
romises to be short lived
at sassayer yesterday was picked dust,
names F: McDonald, of the McDent
James F: McDonald of the McDonald
hotel has received a letter from Bell \& Son, of Council Bluffs, Iows, inquiring
for an information that will lead to to
the present wherebouts of Alexander
Camphell last heard of in this country
March last.
Mre. Calderhead, the wife of R. W.
Califerhead, and Miss Comer are

## eave Dawson toray for a winters ion on the outsite. Mr. Calderbea oill go outside as soon as his busine


turn to her tome in the northern part
of British Columbia. Both ladies are
well know in Dawson social circles and
will be greatly missed by their many
riends in the social riend ing the social events of the com
ing winter.
Of a General Cnaracter.
The strength of two horses equals that
of 15 men.
It is estimated that all the gold
mined in California since 1848 could he put into a room twelve yards long,
six wide and five and two-thirds bigh x wide and five and two-thirds
It is said that a strikng outline of
the features of George Washington has appeared in a knotty protuberance of tree in Portland, Me. It is not
cherry tree. cherry tree. Joseph \&. Durkee, who was lost on
the La Bourgogne, Jeft a will by which
the New York Metropolitan museum of the New York Metropolitan museum of
art comes into p issession of a collection of coins valued at $\$ 25,000$.
A widow who remarries does not wear
a white wednug gownand never a vell,
white bridesmaids are, of course, de while bridesmaids are, of course, de-
nied. Otherwise your secund marriage may be as ceremonious as you desire.
-The The greatest fruit growing state is
Missoni. The value of its fruit crop exceeds that of California by $\$ 2.500,000$.
The apple crop alone is valued at $\$ 12$, The apple crop alone is valued at $\$ 12$,
000,000 , while the enture fruit crop is worth about $\$ 19,500,000$.
A strange grave contains the body of
Charles Carter, of Russell, Kan. He whs cleaning out an old well when the quicksand caved in on h1m covering
bim up to his neek.. He lived 58
hours. As it was found imposible to remove his body, the well wae filled in, and thus became his grave. In 1897, whrie America's gold pro-
duction exceeded $\$ 40,000,000$, the output of preciolis stones reached only the
vodest figure of $\$ 130675$. The princimodest tgure of $\$ 130$. The princi-
pal items of this total were: Turquoisy,
$\$ 55,000$; sapphire, $\$ 25,000$; quartz crystal, $\$ 12,0000$; tourmaline, $\$ 90025$; gold
quartz, $\$ 5000$. quartz, $\$ 5000$
 Whitehorse Thurstay noon.
Steamer Lightning leaves at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$.

## Achourishing Enterprise.

 McLennan, McFeely \& Co. have completed their two-sory store building on
First avenue and it is a credit not only
othe enterprising firm which erecte othe enterprising firm which erecte
t but to the city of Dawson as well
the cost of the huild ing was $\$ 10,000$,

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$\qquad$ new postoficice. The upper floor ot the
main biniding is used for office pu
poses, all the rooms being occupied enants at present. The building is
heated by a furnace the lower floor,
from which is piped to heat the rooms


## Hardware, Bicycles.

 Guns, Etc.
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WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 10th,

MISS CORINNE B. GREY



 LATEST ARRIVALS
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ortable boat for Whitehorse. The
lifford Sifton sails at noon tomorrow Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a . ip.
fomorrow, from Yukon dock. We fit glasses: Pioneer drug store. Make your journey out one of pleas-
re. Excellent accomodation for passengers on the clifford Sifton. She sails
it noon tomerrow. Fine old Scotch at wholesale. Th
beet quality. Northerm Annex. Steamer Lightning leaves at 10 a
omorrow from the Yuken dock. Table de hote dinners. The Holthoru.
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reward for rettrn of same to Tom Chistolm
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g men in the coming election ing men in the coming election, , myself, being an American, do terest in the campaign, but I re.
alize the great good that can
come to this district if the pmer men are elected to offiee.
"I think,", added Mr. Levine
'that the citizens' committee tims taken a step in the right directly
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