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GOVERNOR ODELL

New York Will Not Listen to Petition in Behalf of Leon Czolgosz

CIRCULATED BY A FEW BOSTONIANS

Who Want Sentence Commuted to Life Imprisonment

NOT FROM ANY SENTIMENT

Not Because They Think a Change of Punishment Will Better Serve the Ends of Justice.

New York, Oct. 6, via Skagway, Oct. 11.—A petition has been circulated by the Social Alliance of Boston addressed to the governor of New York, in which the request is made that Czolgosz' sentence be commuted to imprisonment for life.

The secretary of the alliance, Theodore Curtis, has charge of the petition.

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tion. It is along document and in part reads as follows:

"The motive of the petition is not one of sentimental sympathy with the condemned man. Much less is it framed with the desire of upholding any form of anarchism of which the murderer is said to have been a disciple. But it is presented through the belief that the ends of justice, the vindication of the law and the higher interests of civilization will be better served by this change in the form of penalty."

Gov. Odell has stated emphatically that he will not listen to any plea for a change in Czolgosz' sentence. The murderer will die in the electric chair at the appointed time.

FAREWELL TO MR. CLEGG

By Members of the Department of Public Works

A very happy event took place at the Dominion telegraph mess house last night, the occasion being a banquet given to Mr. A. B. Clegg who will soon leave for Whitehorse to take charge of the Telegraph creek division of the line. The chef of the mess house was at his best, and served a repast the excellence of which was only excelled by the jollity and good fellowship seated about the table.

The guests were limited to members of the department of public works, there being but ten in addition to the guest of honor, Mr. Clegg, present. Mr. T. W. Fuller presided as chairman and toastmaster and many were the toasts proposed and drunk. Near the conclusion of the dinner Mr. Clegg was presented with a beautiful gold watch and chain, Mr. Fuller, preceding the presentation by a few well chosen words apropos of the occasion. Upon the outside of the case is engraved on the bank Mr. Clegg's monogram, "A. B. C." while on the inner side are the words: "Presented to A. B. Clegg by the officials of the department of public works, Dawson, Y. T., October 10, 1901."

Mr. Clegg was quite overcome by such evidence of friendliness but managed to make known his appreciation of their kindness. He will not leave for his new station until some time next week. Those present at the banquet were: Messrs. A. B. Clegg, T. W. Fuller, H. E. Ewart, D. S. McKenzie, F. Hanley, Albert Cloes, H. C. Heacock, W. B. Brownlow, P. G. Overton, C. A. Couture and E. E. Miller.

Wrestling Match Tonight.

Tonight will witness the contest between Burns and Murphy, the 135 pound athletes who will contest in a wrestling match at the old Savoy theater. Burns agrees to throw Murphy four times within an hour. The match should prove interesting as both men are adepts in the art and have met some of the best people in the country. Burns is considered with the world's champion, Max Luitberg, and beating Parker of Pennsylvania for a purse each of \$1000. Tickets are now sale at the theater the price of admission being \$1 and \$2. The go is advertised to start at 9.30 p. m.

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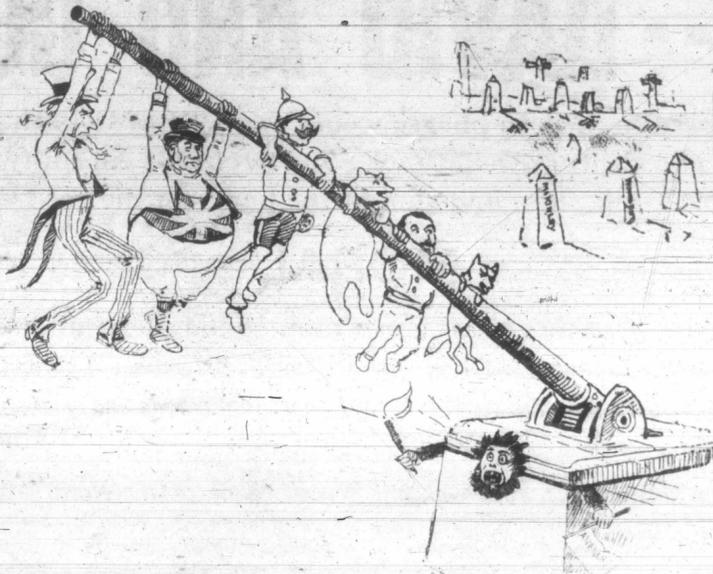
A FRIGHTFUL DISASTER AT TREADWELL

Juneau, Oct. 7, via Skagway, Oct. 11.—A frightful accident occurred in 700 Mine Treadwell yesterday. At 11:30 p. m. a part of the night shift were engaged in drifting in 440-level. From the evidence which has been secured since the accident it appears that one of the men attempted to open a box of giant powder with a

pick axe. The carelessness of the workman caused the contents of the box to explode with a frightful concussion. Four men were killed instantly and a fifth seriously wounded. Joe Ferrara was blown entirely to atoms, it being scarcely possible to recover enough of his body for purposes of identification. The other

killed are: Wm. Moore, Geo. Dusing and an Italian, C. Loui. The fifth man is at the hospital with a bad scalp wound, but will probably recover.

The accident is the worst that has ever occurred in the history of Treadwell and resulted from sheer carelessness.



THE NATIONS MUST UNITE TO CRUSH ANARCHISM.

T. J. M'GRADE ON TRIAL

For Alleged Attempt to Extort Money From McConnells.

Magistrate's Macaulay's court room was well filled with interested spectators this morning during the trial of Mr. Thos. J. McGrade upon the charge laid against him by Mrs. Luella Day McConnell, to wit: That he did, upon the 16th day of September, at the Melbourne hotel, accuse Mr. and Mrs. McConnell of entering into a conspiracy against himself and other creditors to defraud the said creditors out of their just dues by transferring all of the property of the said Edward McConnell to his wife, Mrs. Luella Day McConnell; and that he did threaten to burn the said Melbourne hotel and to follow the said Edward McConnell to Seattle and blow the top of his head off, unless the amounts he claimed to be due him were forthwith paid to him.

Such in substance was the charge laid by Mrs. McConnell against Mr. McGrade, and upon which he was brought to Dawson from Whitehorse to stand trial.

Mrs. McConnell was the only witness examined this morning, and she testified to several interviews she had held with Mr. McGrade in which he had made statements concerning a one-half interest in the bar of the hotel, and had made demands upon her for a settlement. To all of these statements she had replied that she knew of no arrangement which gave him a half interest in any part of the business. The property was all in her name, transferred to her not with the intent to defraud their creditors, but to protect her for money she had advanced on the building. She did not owe a dollar in the country, and did not see on what grounds he could bring suit against her. She has a natural fear of the courts and tries to keep herself free from litigation.

She said that McGrade had been hired to tend bar in the hotel at \$15 per day, and that he had been paid in full; she having paid him \$1500 for his labor and Mr. McConnell had paid him \$900 on one occasion on account of some property on Thistle creek; and other amounts at different times bringing the total amounts that he had been paid to \$2600.

During the first interview Mr. McGrade had with her relative to the matter he had been very mild in making his demands, but during the later ones he had become more or less vio-

lent, and had used threats—not of any personal harm he meant—but said he intended bringing a criminal action against them for conspiring to defraud their creditors; and in the last interview he had said that in six months she would have to more hotel, as he would burn it to the ground, and that he would follow Mr. McConnell to the states and shoot the top of his head off. He had also told her that in a suit he would not stand any more show before Judge Dugas than a snow "bird."

She became very much scared at the threat McGrade had uttered and had written Mr. McConnell to be on his guard, and had also asked Detective McGuire to watch McGrade's actions and notify her if he left town. Under cross examination by Attorney Stacpoole, who appeared for the defense, she admitted that she was not frightened at the policemen who haunted her hotel last winter nor of the mandates issued from the benches of both Justice Dugas and Magistrate Starnes, for she knew, she said, she was in the right. She queried the attorney, "the only thing which frightened you in this instance was the statement that suit was to be brought against you?" "It was the criminal charge which he said he would bring, and one never knows what entanglements will ensue from law suits, and I want to keep out of them," was the reply, "and I was scared at the threat to burn the house as well as for my husband, to whom I have sent a letter telling him of the threats, and I was afraid that he would shoot McGuire on sight if he should meet."

"Did you make any threats yourself," asked the attorney. "Not any threats of violence. I was told that a conspiracy had been planned between McGrade and yourself, meaning the attorney, to put up a job on me, and I said that if there was any illegality in the charges about to be brought that I would make you all jump the hurdles before I was through." At this statement a snicker was heard throughout the audience and caused "order" in stentorian tones to be called by the court orderly. Reference was made by the attorney to some summons which had been served on Mrs. McConnell on account of a legal action commenced by McGrade, one of which was served by Attorney Stacpoole. Several pleasantries were exchanged between Mrs. McConnell and the attorney during the cross examination, and he questioned, "There was no ill feeling between us at the time I served the papers, was there Mrs. McConnell?" "Not on my part," was the reply.

"I did not know at that time whether you were guilty or not," at which there was another snicker passed around the room.

When did Mr. McConnell leave the city? was the next question. "On the day that I had my last interview with Mr. McGrade," "Why did he leave?"

There was some hesitancy about the reply, but after appealing to the magistrate, who told her to "go on," she said, "Mr. McConnell expected to leave in a few days, but knowing this suit was pending, and as Justice Craig was out of the country, and as he would not have the case heard before Justice Dugas for anything, he decided to leave a little sooner than he expected."

Further cross examination did not reveal anything of importance further and the argument was entered into. After considerable argument, the magistrate decided to hear the whole of the evidence, and with the consent of both parties the case will be regularly tried this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A New Telephone Directory.

The Nugget's job printing department has just completed a new telephone directory for the Yukon Telephone Syndicate. The book contains an indexed list of all phones in use both in the city and on the creeks and is as handsome a sample of the job printer's art as can be produced anywhere. The covers are handsomely done in bronze, which adds much to the appearance of the directory.

Notice.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Saturday the 26th day of October, 1901, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the courthouse in Dawson, Yukon territory, by John Eilbeck, auctioneer, the following property, namely: An undivided four-fifths interest in that certain placer mining claim known and described as hillside placer mining claim adjoining the upper half, lit. limit, of No. 65 below discovery on Bonanza creek, in the Bonanza mining division of the Yukon territory, being claim staked by Erick Barquist, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining. Terms: Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, balance to be paid within five days thereafter. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to PATTULO & RIDLEY, Advocates for Vender, N. C. Office Building, Dawson. Sale at Dawson 5th October, A. D. 1901.

NO FREIGHT.

Skagway, Oct. 11.—Practically every pound of freight for the Yukon has been taken over the road and no consignments for the interior are expected on the next steamer due from lower ports. The present state of affairs in comparison with previous years causes general comment. The heavy outbound travel is the thing that kept Skagway's hopes up this fall, though good winter travel is anticipated.

To Study Voice Culture.

Mrs. N. Devig, one of the leading sopranos in the choir of the Presbyterian church during the past year, will leave on the Whitehorse for the purpose of taking up a four years' course in voice culture either in the Boston conservatory or a similar institution in Paris. Mrs. Devig possesses a remarkably clear soprano, one of extremely sympathetic quality, which has been the delight of the music loving people of Dawson. It has already had considerable cultivation, and with the course of study completed as now contemplated will doubtless develop into a voice of the distinction in Paris. Mrs. Devig's charming personality has made for her a legion of friends who will wish her every success during her studies of the next few years.

COMING TO THE FRONT

Glacier Creek Showing Up Better Than Expected.

Mr. A. P. Schulpze of Fortymile, where he owns a hotel, arrived this forenoon from Glacier creek via the new government trail and is a guest at the Regina during his sojourn in Dawson. He reports the claims being operated on Glacier creek as turning out far beyond the expectations of their owners and says that by another year when operations are more generally carried out on it it will rank as one of the big producers among the many gold-bearing streams in the Yukon. Several \$50 nuggets have lately been taken out. Mr. Schulpze reports the trail from Dawson to Glacier as being almost completed and in fine condition the entire length. One ordinary team recently hauled 1400 pounds of machinery over the trail from Dawson to Glacier creek. When the snow falls the trail will be in excellent condition for quick travel and heavy freighting.

For Ladies

W. R. Jackson, proprietor of the New Savoy theater has decided upon Friday night for family night, on which occasion there will be no smoking—or the contrary, this pretty little theater will be conducted strictly as a first class family theater. Dawson's new theater has opened most auspiciously, all promises have been fulfilled, and the specialty numbers with the "bright comedy 'Dr. Bill'" by Mr. Cummings and the New Savoy stock company makes one of the finest entertainments ever seen in the north. A private family entrance has been provided—and the ladies visiting this popular theater will receive the most courteous attention.

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COPPER RIVER

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HAS MADE CLOSE INVESTIGATIONS

With an Expert Representing an Eastern Company.

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The Copper River Country Will Prove a World Beater When Capital is Enlisted.

Skagway, Oct. 11.—J. E. Hennessy, the pioneer mining man and mineral expert of Whitehorse has just returned from an investigation into the Valdes and copper river country. He traveled over the principal parts of the district and looked at well-known prospects both along the line of the coast and in the interior also. He considers the outlook for the Copper river country to be simply marvelous. An expert representing a New York copper manufacturing concern accompanied Hennessy on the trip. The former says that in his opinion such copper ore is not to be found in any other place in the world. Every prospect examined was a true fissure, the vein increasing in value as deep as prospecting had progressed—in his opinion a railroad is bound to tap the Copper river country as soon as its wealth becomes generally known in the east.

LAST TRIP

Seattle, Oct. 7, via Skagway, Oct. 11.—The last steamer for Nome will leave Seattle between the 10th and 15th of the month.

NEW STEAMERS.

Vancouver, Oct. 7, via Skagway, Oct. 11.—A meeting of the C. P. R. stockholders has authorized the construction of two new steamers for the Alaska trade.

TWO INDICTMENTS.

Skagway, Oct. 10.—The grand jury thus far has found two true bills, both of which are unimportant. They are working on the reported misdoings of Judge Selbrede this afternoon.

FRIDAY, LADIES' NIGHT AT NEW SAVOY.

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TEXT:-- DAVID AND GOLIATH

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MORAL

When a concern made large (in the sense of combining vast accumulations of Old Merchandise) undertakes to win favor with the public by extolling the virtues of this kind of greatness, one should accept such statements only when accompanied with the proverbial "Grain of Salt," and more especially when compared with merchants who are clean cut, up-to-date in methods and wares, carrying sufficiently large stocks of New Goods and conducting their business at the smallest possible cost.

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California Flour, per sack.....	\$3.65	Sugar, Best American, per lb.....	12 cents
Roast Beef, per case.....	\$4.75	Evap. Fruits, Ex. Quality, per lb.....	15 cents
Roast Mutton, per case.....	\$4.75	Coffee, Prime M & Java, per lb.....	42 1/2 cents
Pork Sausage Meat, per case.....	\$4.75	Tea, Eng., Bfst. & Japan, per lb.....	37 1/2 cents
Ex. Standard White Asparagus, per case.....	\$8.00	Baking Powder, Cleveland, 12 1-lb. per case.....	\$5.00
Extra Fine Asparagus Tips, per case.....	\$7.00	Maple Syrup, Ex. Quality, per tin.....	\$1.00
Tomatoes, Solid Pack, per case.....	\$6.00	Fancy Pickles, Mixed and Plain, per kit.....	\$4.00
Sweet Potatoes, per case.....	\$7.00	Jams, Cross & Blackwell, per doz.....	\$3.00

Shoe Department.

Men's Felt Shoes, Asbestos Soles, per pair.....	\$2.50	Wales, Goodyear & Woonsocket Rubber Shoes, per pair.....	\$2.50
Gold Seal Hip Boots, per pair.....	\$10.00	3 Buckle Arctic Overshoes, per pair.....	\$3.00
Gold Seal Shoes, per pair.....	\$3.00		

Dry Goods Department.

5,000 Yards Handsome Twilled Cretonne Draperies, per yard.....	12 1/2 cents	Best two-ply All Wool Ingrain Carpets, per yard.....	\$1.25
Ladies' Fine Lamb's Wool Jersey Ribbed Underwear, per suit.....	\$3.00	Best Brussels Carpet, per yard.....	\$1.75
Ladies' French Cashmere Wool Hose, per pair.....	50 cents	Fine White Cotton Bed Comforts, each.....	\$3.50
56-inch Wide Pure Linen Table Damask, per yard.....	\$1.00	Large Sized Honey Comb Towels, per doz.....	\$2.50
Linen Napkins, per doz.....	\$1.50	Large Sized-Turkish Towels, per doz.....	\$3.00
250 Ladies' Handsome Wool Waists, each.....	\$4.00	11 1/2 size Bed Blankets, per pair.....	\$4.00
Pillow Slips, White Muslin, Hemmed and ready for use, each.....	50 cents	10 1/2 size Sheet Blankets, per pair.....	\$1.50
		3 lb. Feather Pillows, each.....	\$2.00
		Good Quality House Linen, per yard.....	8 cents

Furniture Department.

Good Dining Room Chairs, each.....	\$2.50	Handsome Hall Trees, Sideboards, Cheffoniers, Dressers, Bedroom Suits Iron and Brass Beds, Folding Beds, Office Chairs and desks at equally attractive prices.	
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Full Spring Velvet Couches, each.....	\$35.00		

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Men's Double Breasted Storm Ulsters, each.....	\$15.00	Men's Natural Wool, Double Breasted Underwear, per suit.....	\$4.00
Handsome Dress Overcoats, each.....	\$15.00	Men's Heavy Blue Flannel Shirts, each.....	\$2.00
Your Choice 50 dozen Men's Nobby Silk Neckwear, in Tecks, Bows and Four-in-Hands, each.....	25 cents	Men's Fancy Percale-Colored Shirts, each.....	\$1.00
Men's Dress and Walking Gloves, per pair.....	\$2.00	Men's 4 ply Linen Collars, all styles, per dozen.....	\$2.50
Men's Buck Finished Mitts, per pair.....	\$1.00	Good, Heavy German Sox, per pair.....	75 cents
		Men's Blue Denim Overalls, per pair.....	75 cents

Hardware Department.

Cross Cut Saws, Best Quality, each.....	\$3.50	Galvanized Buckets, each.....	75 cents
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Granite Iron Tea Kettles, each.....	\$1.00	Handsome Toilet Sets.....	\$3.50
Granite Iron Coffee and Tea Pots, each.....	75 cents	Fine Glass Tumblers, per dozen.....	\$1.25
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1901.

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We will pay a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing copies of the Daily or Semi-Weekly Nugget from business houses or private residences, where same have been left by our carriers.

THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET.

MISGUIDED ZEAL.

Some time ago our contemporary the News, came forward with a bold demand upon "congress" for representation from this territory. When the fact was pointed out to our well intentioned but geographically and otherwise misguided contemporary that "congress" has nothing to say in regard to the matter of Yukon representation, the News dropped the subject as though it had been a live wire. Time passed on, however, and the News, profiting by the pictorial lesson given it by the Nugget, has renewed its demand and now for a wonder, is willing to allow the representation matter to be handled by the parliament of Canada, and leave congress to look after the Philippines, Alaska and other American interests.

The trouble with our contemporary rests largely in the fact that its successive editorial manufacturers, do not post themselves in relation to the events which occurred during the regime of their predecessors. This representation matter was thoroughly threshed over a year or so ago, at which time petitions covering the question were forwarded to Ottawa and presented both to the governor in council and to parliament as well.

At that time the premier of Canada stated before the house that representation from this territory would be granted as soon as census returns were in and he could bring before the house official data upon which to base the desired action.

The census returns are practically in and the Nugget is able to state upon the authority of the census commissioner that they will be in the hands of the government long before the opening of the next session of parliament.

The premier has not broken his promise, for under the terms of his own proposition, he has as yet had no opportunity to act.

This haste in forwarding a petition at this time is entirely uncalled for, and carries with it by implication a charge of bad faith against the premier, a charge for which there is not the slightest foundation.

So far as the Nugget is aware there is no disagreement upon the proposition that the Yukon territory is entitled to parliamentary representation. Care must be taken, however, lest the zeal of a few misguided enthusiasts be allowed to defeat an object which is dear to everyone who is acquainted with the history of this territory and has its future interests at heart.

THAT PETITION.
A few weak minded people have been circulating a petition addressed to the governor of New York asking the sentence of Assassin Czolgosz be commuted to imprisonment for life. The parties having the petition in charge allege that they are animated through no feelings of sentiment in favor of the murderer but they believe that life imprisonment is a more severe form of punishment than execution. Experience does not go to show that there is any substantial foundation upon which to base such an argument. At heart a murderer is usually a coward. Czolgosz has proven himself to be a veritable craven. Had he the chance to choose between life imprisonment and death at the hands of the public executioner there is no doubt in the world that he would accept the first alternative.

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It has of late come to be a fad to denounce capital punishment and clamor for the substitution of imprisonment. Human life, it is platted, is sacred and not to be destroyed by the hands of man. A murderer is not to be executed—he is merely to be put away where he cannot kill anyone else.

Such specious arguments do not deserve serious consideration. Capital punishment is the one effective means with which society is able to protect itself against persons of murderous instincts. Imprisonment as a preventive of crime can never exert the effect attained by hanging or other forms of capital punishment.

In the case of Czolgosz we cannot imagine how any normally constituted person could make such a plea as has been presented to the governor of New York. We agree with the idea that the assassin will not be sufficiently punished by the termination of his miserable life. But the substitution of imprisonment would only make a mockery of the whole affair.

Should the governor of New York be influenced by the petition in question he would subject himself to the deserved condemnation of the civilized world.

THE ARCTIC BROTHERHOOD.

The Arctic Brotherhood has under construction a splendid building which will be used as a lodge hall and for other purposes of public assembly.

The growth of this organization in Dawson during the past two years has been one of the noteworthy incidents of local history. The handful of members who constituted Dawson camp when its organization was first effected, has gradually increased until the membership roll of the A. B.'s now carries a list of representative men of the community running well into the hundreds.

The purposes of the Arctic Brotherhood are well indicated in the name. The organization is fraternal in its nature and aims at the cultivation of a community of feeling among men whose lot has thrown them into the far northland. The fact that a field is open for such an organization is amply demonstrated when it is stated that camps have been established all along the Yukon valley from Skagway to Nome.

In a quiet way the local camp has accomplished much good. Members of the order who are found in distress are given prompt attention, and all needed help is rendered wherever it is required.

The Nugget finds much satisfaction in the knowledge that the local camp is able to undertake a task so large as is involved in the construction of the proposed building. We feel absolutely certain that the hall when erected will serve to fill a long felt public want as well as to serve the particular purpose for which it is designed.

There is no building in town suitable for balls or banquets on a large scale, and the plans of the structure now in course of erection indicate

that it will be well suited for both purposes. The substantial growth which the Brotherhood has made in Dawson during the past two years is cause for congratulation not only to the organization itself but to the community in general.

Attention is drawn to the fact that the Nugget this evening contains six pages—the increase in size being required to meet the demands upon our advertising space. It is not very often that space is taken up in this paper for the purpose of sounding its own praises. We prefer ordinarily to allow our readers to observe the improvements which are made from time to time and draw their own conclusions.

THE CASCA'S EASY TRIP

Drawing Nearly Five Feet of Water She Never Hung Up.

The steamer Casca, Captain Cox, master, and Robert Stewart, purser, arrived yesterday afternoon, 23 days out from St. Michael, and is the last boat which will arrive this season from the lower river. About the same time the Casca tied up alongside the N. A. T. & T. wharf the Lavelle Young also pulled into port. Both boats left St. Michael on Sept. 17, and have been together practically all the time while en route. Both brought cargoes for the N. A. T. & T. Co., the former 205 tons and the latter 240, only 125 of which, however, were for Dawson, the balance having been discharged at Tanana, Fort Yukon, Eagle and Forty-mile.

Captain Cox of the Casca reports the water on the lower river distressingly "thin" in spots, and though his little craft scraped bottom dozens of times she was never once aground nor did she lose an hour's time as the result of running foul of a bar. Remarkable showing when it is considered the Casca was drawing five feet and four inches, almost if not more than the Susie or Sarah. Linda bar, a few miles below Eagle, was viciously rubbed the entire width, but by rare good luck they succeeded in getting over. An inch or two less water would have made very great difference. The narrowest call the boat had, Captain Cox says, was but seven miles below the city, where the shallowest water of the entire trip was encountered.

"We took our time coming up," said the jolly skipper, "feeling our way along under a slow bell whenever there was any indication of shoal water. We only ran a few nights, that on the lower river, preferring to tie up when it became dark rather than running the risk of going hard aground and being laid up for the winter. Our delay in getting away from St. Michael was due to the same cause which has upset Sullivan's plans. We depended on the Mexico for our cargo and lay at St. Michael a month and a day awaiting for her. At the time we left we had had no word from her other than she had broken her shaft at sea and had to return to Seattle for repairs. The Tyrrell left St. Michael the day following our departure, but passed us the second day out."

The Casca is owned by the Adair Bros. & Brenner, and was formerly in the Stickine river trade. Captain Cox brought her up this summer under her own steam, leaving Victoria July 13 and arriving at St. Michael August 16. The inside passage up was taken and beyond several stiff blows the trip was without incident. The Casca will either winter on the West Dawson ways or in the slough opposite Klondike City. Captain Cox will return to the outside as soon as his vessel is discharged.

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Capt. Robert Copeley Arrives in the City.

Captain Robert Copeley, who arrived yesterday on the steamer Casca, is probably one of the best known characters on the Pacific coast, his fame extending from Bering straits to the Isthmus of Panama. For almost a half a century he has been navigating various craft up and down the coast and among the river men he is affectionately referred to as "the daddy of the Columbia," being one of the oldest navigators of that turbulent stream now living. Captain Copeley first sailed up the Columbia in 1858 at a time when Portland was but a village and Astoria was the metropolis of that vast extent of territory called Oregon. Maps

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and charts were unknown then and it was a case of find your own bars and if you can't see the rocks you can

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Stroller's Column.

A sour dough recently returned from the outside (yes considerable pride in relating to old Klondike friends a certain experience he had while in the state of Illinois last August. He was at the most fashionable hotel of a flourishing county seat town in which the very best meals that culinary skill could devise were served at the nominal price of 25 cents per for dinner, and one day there was a side dish beside sour dough's plate and on it was a nice

Alaska and the Klondike. Such an appetite for corn on the cob had never before been seen in that part of the Sucker state.

Finally the waiter remonstrated with the guest, but the guest called his attention to a footnote on the bill of fare which read "Guests will please report inattention or impertinence of help to the office." Then the waiter told the cook that all the corn he had carried out during the past half hour had been eaten by one man, and

prior to whom he explained the four dozen ears of corn prepared for that day's dinner were all being eaten by one man. The proprietor hastened to the dining room and there behind a stack of cobs a foot or more high sat his guest in the act of giving the waiter instructions for another half dozen ears. This was too much for the landlord, who broke out with:

"Stranger, I think, by —, that you made a mistake in not putting up at a livery stable."

The sour dough tells the story on himself and pretends to enjoy it, but one can readily see that he holds a grudge against the landlord, but probably it is for shutting him out in the midst of his feast.

replied the official, "that necessity knows no law."

It was a pathetic story that the Stroller was told the other day by a man from one of the creeks as to how the affections of a widow, how he gave her \$2,000, the savings of two years at hard labor, and how, after his wife had died, furnished and stocked a road house, she gave him the "g. h.," threw his canvass clothes bag out on the road and told him to "scat." He had begged and pleaded to be allowed to remain if it was only to tend bar for her or do porter work around the house, but she averred she would tend bar her-

was unanimous. Not only was the Stroller shedding tears, but a gentle rain had set in and the cabin in which the story was told was freely leaking.

The miner's tale of woe revived in the memory of the Stroller recollections of the marital troubles of another man, Zion Johnson by name. The Stroller called him Beautiful Zion. For a long time Zion was handy man around the printing office. He appeared for a time to be happy in his domestic relations, notwithstanding that when his wife, Lizann, came to the office every Saturday afternoon to collect for washing the office towel she would also collect Zion's week's wages. This custom continued for some months, Lizann

gwine ter libben tergetder out to Long Pond."

Before another month had rolled away the little birds were again singing in Zion's dusky heart and the office towels were being washed by a buxom yellow girl.

"This is something like living!" said the man whose family left for the outside two weeks ago, as he came down town at one o'clock yesterday afternoon and began a systematic search for articles he had left in his wake the previous night. He found his umbrella at one place, his overcoat at another, his gloves at a third, but at last reports his overcoats were still missing. Continuing the man said:

"The folks have been gone 10 days and I have not been out to the claim since, just been steaming around town celebrating my release. I will go out on the creeks next week and lumber up for the road house dances this winter, and if I miss one within a radius of twenty miles it will be because I fail to hear of it. The first thing I must do is to sort of square myself with the creek people, for my wife sorter turned up her nose at creek society during her stay, but it won't take very much swinging on the corner at a road house dance for me to convince 'em that my nose is the proper tilt. To tell the truth, a man who was here two or three years alone ain't got no business having his wife come in, especially if her confidence in him is not as solid as a mud sill."

And the man who was celebrating his freedom invited everybody in the room to make merry at his expense.

Married at Nome.

Miss Ella Garrett, who will be remembered by many of the younger society set as one of the most charming young ladies who ever graced Dawson by her presence, was married recently at Nome to Mr. Fred Struthers, for several years a clerk in the gold commissioner's office in this city, but now head bookkeeper for the N. C. Co. at St. Michael. Shortly afterward Mrs. Struthers took her departure for California, being in rather delicate health, where she will spend the winter, returning to her St. Michael home on the first boat in the spring.

The "Flor de Manoa" at George Butler's.

SEE CUMMINGS AS DR. BILL.

Their Parting.

"Our time is almost up," he said regretfully as he looked rather gloomily across the wide subdued blue of ocean that stretched far away in front of them.

"Yes," she said, with a slight sigh, "only a few hours more and we shall be as far apart from each other as ever."

It was late in July, and they were sitting on the quiet little piazza of the admirable hotel to which they had drifted together a fortnight before. The water lapped on the beach at their feet and the sea gulls flattened their wings against the sky above them as if in full harmony with the beating of their own hearts. Two weeks together! And now they were to be separated for no one knew how long. All romance must end some time.

"Tomorrow," she said, "you will go back to your work in town. You will attend those important directors meeting that you have told me of. Then there are stocks to buy and sell, political friends to meet, campaigns to arrange and speeches to think over. Your horses, too, will claim your attention, and of course there are your club and the dinners and all the other things for a man to do."

"And you," he said, half playfully, "you too, will be busy. You have your little work, you know. There is the church with its round of social duties. There are the societies to which you belong, the papers you are to prepare, the charities you are interested in and the literary events which claim you."

Yet there was a ray of hope that glinted in her woman's eye as she laid her hand on his arm.

"Never mind, dear," she said. "Some day we may learn better how to economize our time. Perhaps when we have been married another seven years we shall be able to see more of each other."

Family of Skippers.

Captain A. W. Gray, who has been in charge of the longshoremen at the N. C. dock this year, will accompany his brother, Captain J. T. Gray, to the outside, leaving tomorrow on the Whitehorse. The family is truly an illustrious one and has furnished its quota of navigators of the unaltered seas. There is Captain A. W. Gray just referred to, Captain J. T. Gray, manager and port captain of the N. C. Co., and lastly Captain W. T. Gray now on the outside, but late master of the Robert Kerr.



"YOU MADE A MISTAKE IN NOT PUTTING UP AT A LIVERY STABLE."

It was London that developed "Jack the Ripper," Maryland produced the kissing bug, every large city has its purse snatcher, but it has been left for Dawson to come to the front with a chronic borrower, whose victims are invariably poor working women and girls. It is told that there are at present from eight to a dozen of this chronic borrower's victims in Dawson at the present time who, by having their hands squeezed and being told that they were handsome, when in reality many of them could stop a clock by looking at it through a window, and then being given the rush act of "Oh, by the way, have you \$5 you could let me have until tomorrow?"

The other day a number of these susceptible females chanced to be together when one of them chanced to mention what a nice, kind, considerate and fatherly man Mr. _____ is, and incidentally she mentioned that he had asked her for and received \$5 a day or two previous. Then the cat was out and each woman present recited a similar experience with the same man.

The next V he borrows from a woman will be secured by the Canadian Bank of Commerce and John D. Rockefeller.

plunging roasting ear. To the man who had spent two years at Circle he- liable at any time to be attacked with founder or cholera infantum. had some been slaving like a trojan By the time two more orders for a Romanza shaft, the roasting ear corn had been brought to the kitchen Jacked good. Then he laid siege to it the cook instructed the waiter to and for the next thirty minutes a scratch "fresh sweet corn" from the waiter was kept busy carrying roast- bills of fare on the various dining ing ears from the kitchen to the table- room tables, and still the man from the man who had come to the sur- the Yukon had not finished. In de- peration the cook sent for the pro-

The Stroller was walking along the street the other evening with a certain jovial official when they met a young man whom the public is informed by a street sign is an attorney at law.

"Good evening, Necessity!" said the official as the young man passed.

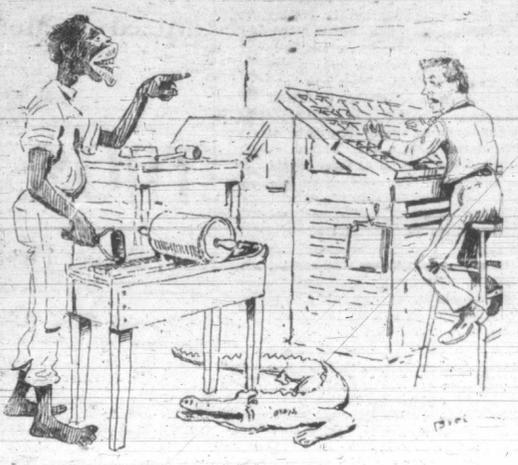
"Why do you call the disciple of Blackstone 'Necessity?'" innocently inquired the Stroller.

self, and as for the porter work, there were 40 fellows in the locality who would gladly do it for her free of charge. "And they are doing it," said the "frozen out" husband, "why they hang around her place and vie with each other as to who will get to put fresh sand in the spittoons, sweep out the bar, carry in wood and do other such nigger work that I would gladly do if she would allow me, but such privileges are no longer mine."

The poor man was crying when he was half way through his story, and by the time he finished the weeping

always collecting her own and Zion's earnings. Finally there came a Saturday evening when Zion fell in at the tail end of the force, awaited his turn and drew his own rages. The same thing happened the succeeding Saturday, and shortly afterwards the Stroller inquired of Zion why Lizann had ceased drawing his wages. Zion heaved a sigh as long as a rake handle, brushed his eyes with his shirt sleeves, choked down a sob and said:

"Hit am dis way: Lizann aint livin' wid me no mo'. She done 'loped mid me fadder an' da's done



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