

THE DIRIGO IS COMING

With a Crowd of Klondikers.

SHE BRINGS \$200,000 IN GOLD

Word to That Effect Just Received by The Star From Vancouver, B. C.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 19.—Special to the Star.—The steamer Dirigo has arrived here with a large number of Klondikers on board who have at least \$200,000. The Dirigo will arrive at Seattle about 11 o'clock tonight.

RAILROAD PERSONALS.

L. H. Gray, general traffic manager for the White Pass & Yukon railroad, left today for a trip to Portland, Astoria and the Gray's harbor country.

A. H. B. McGowan, general agent for the White Pass & Yukon at Vancouver, accompanied by his wife, is in the city today.

H. G. Ballow, city passenger agent for the Northern Pacific, returned to his desk today.

A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent for the Northern Pacific, accompanied by his family, will leave for Alaska this evening.

Cards are out announcing the marriage at Evanston, Ill., of E. J. Pearson and Miss Gertrude Simmons. The wedding occurred Wednesday, June 1, at the home of the bride's parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Pearson will be at home at the Tacoma hotel, in Tacoma, Mr. Pearson is the superintendent of the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific, with headquarters at Tacoma, and Mrs. Pearson was a prominent young society lady of Evanston.

David McNeill has been appointed assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific, to take the place of Mr. Shagnessy, recently elected to the office of president. Mr. McNeill was formerly passenger traffic manager.

C. J. Steele, district freight and passenger agent for the Southern Pacific, is in Tacoma today, and will probably go to Portland before returning.

E. G. Holt, for some time the freight and passenger agent of the Vancouver line, with headquarters in Seattle, has accepted a position as Honolulu agent for McCabe, Hamilton & Klamon.

T. E. Ellis, general agent for the Oregon Railway & Navigation company, returned yesterday from a trip to Spokane.

H. M. Halnes, of the Phillips-Judson Excursion company, went to Portland this morning.

A new time card went into effect on the Great Northern yesterday. The train that has been leaving here at 4:30 p. m., will now leave at 5:25 p. m. It will arrive in St. Paul at 4 p. m. instead of 2 p. m., as formerly. The Westbound train leaves St. Paul at 9 a. m., as usual, and arrives here at 10:30 p. m. instead of at 9 p. m., as at present. Further particulars have not been announced.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 19.—Twelve masked men entered the office of the Fairmount Transportation company this morning, pried open the safe and escape with \$3000.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., June 19.—President McKinley arrived here today amid the booming of cannon and the shouts of people. A vast throng greeted him on his arrival from Holyoke. He was escorted to Smith college by militia. The G. A. R. post attended the graduating exercises at the college.

LONDON, June 19.—The wife of Jimmie Welsh, a famous cyclist, secured a divorce today on the ground of desertion and misconduct.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Justice Furman today decided that the case of Roland Molineux must be re-submitted to grand jury.

CHICAGO, June 19.—The baseball games of the National league clubs resulted as follows yesterday: At Louisville: Baltimore 7, Louisville 2; at Chicago: Chicago 3, New York 2; at St. Louis: St. Louis 8, Washington 3; at Cincinnati: Brooklyn 13, Cincinnati 11.

Table with 4 columns: Club, W., L., P. C. Rows include Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, New York, Washington, Louisville, Cleveland.

The Rev. John Jutz and the Rev. Alexander Ashberg, S. J., both of the Shawmont Catholic church, Boston, have been decorated by Emperor William of Germany for meritorious conduct during the Franco-Prussian war.

Remember Skagit Chief leaves Flyer wharf at 9:30 and 2 p. m. for the battleship.

Free concert tomorrow night. Mad. Pav.

STOP THAT Rattle

HOBART HAS A FAST TEAM

NEW YORK, June 19.—Vice President Garrett A. Hobart today bought at private sale from Charles F. Bates a pair of bay geldings. The horses are six and seven years old, respectively, 16 hands high, and are by Wilkesonian-Mollie Tassel.

UNITED STATES COTTON CROPS

NEW YORK, June 19.—The commercial and financial Chronicle's annual June estimate of cotton acreage in the United States, the tendency to reduce cotton acreage this season is apparent, but the aggregate deduction from the area is not heavy. The Indian territory stands alone in recording a large increase, but that result is due to exceptional causes. It is ascribed to the unsettled condition of Indian affairs, on account of which farmers refrained from going to the trouble of diversifying their crops, fearing they cannot hold possession of their lands.

As to maturity, the crop is without doubt a backward one. The spring opened late, delaying planting, and over a pretty wide area deficiency of moisture interfered with rapid germination of the later planted seed. At the same time temperature has all along been more satisfactory than has been the case in most recent years, so that when needed rains came, very satisfactory growth resulted. In Southern Texas the crop is much more advanced than elsewhere, seeding having been put in earlier, and the weather conditions as a rule favoring satisfactory development. In fact, it may be said that first plantings in that state are on the whole more forward than was the case a year ago.

ALONG THE WHARVES

Steamer Port Albert, of the British-American line, is expected over from Tacoma today, to begin loading her cargo for Honolulu. She is scheduled to sail tomorrow for the islands; she carries no passengers.

Steamers Willamette and Progress, Captains Handson and Monroe respectively, arrived in port yesterday from San Francisco. They report rough voyages with thick weather. Capt. Monroe, who has been chief officer of the Progress, will in the future have permanent command of the steamer.

A. L. Hawley, manager of the Seattle-Yukon Transportation company, left yesterday for San Francisco. He expects to return next Saturday.

Extensive repairs are being made on the south bunkers. The trestlework is being strengthened by new timbers.

Steamer Al-Ki is alongside Moran's wharf receiving an overhauling. She will be laid up for several trips.

Paris, June 19.—It is officially announced that Mme. Dreyfus will not be allowed to see her husband on his arrival at Brest.

Her Revenge.

A story that people are laughing about concerns a young State department man. He is a self-made man and there is nothing about him to disturb in the slightest degree one's conviction that gentlemen are born, not made. Of late he has been markedly attentive to a lovely young widow. The widow's well-bred discouragement of his addresses has been wholly lost on him, and recently, hearing from an acquaintance that she was to celebrate her birthday at such a time, had the impertinence to send her an expensive present of an exceedingly impertinent kind. It, or rather they, were in a satin box, and their buckles gleamed with gems. The widow wrote a note of thanks, and before she sent it she showed it to somebody, who told the story. "My Dear Mr. Brash," she began.

"Thank you ever so much for remembering Fido's birthday. He needed a new collar, and the one you sent looks so well on him. It was so thoughtful of you to send two, for Fido is so bad about losing things."

And then that vindictive woman signed herself, Yours sincerely, Fido's Ex-Speaker Reed.

Don't forget to visit the battleship on Wednesday, June 21st, steamer Skagit Chief.

STOP THAT Rattle

MAY FORM A BEER TRUST

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 19.—The trust has reached the brewers, and it is said on the best authority that a scheme is on foot to form a trust with \$1,000,000,000 capital and to buy all the breweries in the country. It is said that the scheme, which is at present only in its conception, received impetus at the national convention of brewers at Detroit, when plans were discussed.

While, as stated, the trust is only in the formative stage, enough men of capital are behind it, judging from reports, to warrant the belief that the American beer drinker will soon have no alternative than to quench his thirst on the product of a trust. It is said that several big Indiana capitalists are lending their support to the project, among them Crawford Fairbanks, the brewer of Terra Haute. Mr. Fairbanks was seen at Denison house. He admits that he will go to New York next week, "but not on any such business as might be connected with a brewery trust," he asserted.

Joseph C. Schaf, president of the American Brewing company of this city, who returned from Detroit, talks in an entirely different vein. He admitted that the subject of a brewery trust was a topic of private discussion at several dinners, but that he did not care to talk about it, as the matter is in its infancy, and there is not really much to be said.

He had calculated, he said, that something more than a billion dollars would be required, as there are 22 breweries in the country to be bought up. It is understood that an option has been placed by the trust on Mr. Schaf's brewery, and this he did not deny. He did not care to talk about that phase of it, he said. When asked how many options had been secured in Indiana to date, he said:

"At a guess I should say eight or 10 to date."

Mr. Schaf declined to say who was behind the brewery trust, but replied in response to that question: "Eastern capitalists are promoting the trust."

...A Terrible Tale...

Corporal Hardtack entered Delmonico's the moment he arrived in New York city. He had his month's pay, which amounted to several thousand dollars and fifteen cents. Carefully he looked over the gold-plated menu. "Bring me turtle soup," he said to the garcon. "Oul."

"Baked salmon trout."

"Oul."

"And a bottle of sauterne."

"Oul, Monsieur."

"And when that is out of the way bring me little neck clams on the half shell, chicken salad and sweetbread."

"Oul, Monsieur," murmured the perspiring waiter.

"Then bring me some venison steak."

"Oul."

"Fried potatoes, boiled potatoes, hashed potatoes and baked potatoes. The waiter nodded, and then he came up with roast beef, tongue, chops, beefsteak, orange ice, turkey with cranberry sauce, quail—"

The waiter fell down in a faint and another took his place.

"Quail on toast," went on Corporal Hardtack, "orations, terrapin stew, ham and eggs."

"Oul, Monsieur," trembled the new garcon, panting.

"A bottle of champagne, absteinie frappe, a gin cocktail, and apple, pumpkin, mince and prune pies, Roquefort cheese, Fromage de Brie, Dutch cheese, cream cheese—"

Just then a terrible thing happened.

CHAPTER II. Corporal Hardtack woke up. (The End.) —Portsmouth Herald.

Seattle wants 100 servant girls. That is the number of applications Commissioner Grout has on his books at the free employment bureau to be filled.

The bond of Moran Bros. Co., for the construction of the Lake Washington ferry, for \$22,500, was today approved by the county commissioners. Heretofore, when bonds have been asked, they were for twice the amount of the contract, but according to a law passed by the last legislature, the bond was made the same as the contract price. This was the first case coming under the new law.

Today Judge Houser, in the superior court, approved the \$2000 bond of Robert Wright as receiver of the Seattle Deposit company.

Burglars are again at work in Seattle, and this time they have taken the very heart of the city for their operations. Last night burglars entered the tailor establishment of R. J. Graham in the Hinckley block and made away with \$200 worth of goods. Entrance to the rooms was made through the transom.

The county commissioners this afternoon approved the bonds of the Puget Sound Dredging company for the construction of the bridge across the Sequoyia river at Novity.

Work was begun today on the first part of the bicycle path to Magnolia Bluff.

"ALL SORTS." Mrs. Hettie Green says "women fail to succeed in business only when they don't mind their own business."

SEATTLE NEWS NOTES

A special meeting of the Seattle real estate board is called for Wednesday evening, June 28, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of amending the bye-laws.

Steamer Farallon, Capt. John Roberts, which sailed late Saturday afternoon for Skagway and Lynn canal ports, had the following passengers: Miss Alice Grant, Thos. Peikley, A. W. Blanchard, Mrs. Newhouse, L. V. Pierce, G. Pagnon, P. Smith, John McCullough, A. Haman, J. M. Pankratz, I. D. Murphy, William Davidson.

Advices received from Washington, D. C., states that the office of deputy collector of customs at Dyea, which was reported to be abolished after July 1, will continue to remain as heretofore.

The residence of John E. Moss, hose driver for engine company No. 4, at 277 Elliott avenue, was burned to the ground early yesterday morning.

Isaac Rogers, quartermaster on the steamer Walla Walla, met death Saturday night at 12 o'clock by falling from the coal chute at the bunkers and striking against a pile. He was taken to police headquarters and died a few minutes after arriving there.

G. O. Hubbard, age 22, fell prostrate on Columbia street, between First and Second avenues, about 10:30 o'clock last night. The patrol wagon was called, and he was removed to the Seattle general hospital. Mr. Hubbard is a sufferer from brain trouble.

The baseball game at Madison park yesterday, between the Seattle Mariners and the Tacoma Grays, was called, and he was removed to the Seattle general hospital. Mr. Hubbard is a sufferer from brain trouble.

Nine steamers were busy yesterday transporting excursionists to Port Orchard to see the big battleship Iowa in the drydock. The steamers included the Skagit Chief, George E. Storr, State of Washington, Alice Geary, of Everett, Mrs. Percy G. Perley, Albion, and the Glide. Several yachts also went over to Port Orchard. The day was warm and suited for excursions.

The City of Seattle also took a large crowd of excursionists to Victoria. The trip was made under the direction of the Argus, and a very pleasant time was had at the British Columbia city by nearly 600 people.

The case of William F. Wimmer was dismissed at Judge Jacobs court Saturday afternoon, on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Hart. Wimmer was convicted in the municipal court recently on the charge of aiding Essie Winters in shoplifting at Newhall's. He appealed to the superior court, and Mrs. Percy G. Perley, Albion, and the Glide. Several yachts also went over to Port Orchard. The day was warm and suited for excursions.

John Kelley and Mark Kelly, two insane men, were taken to Stellaoom, yesterday by Deputy Sheriffs Burke and Pyke.

The members of the congregation of the Third Cumberland Presbyterian church, gave a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Durand, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Copp, Broadway, Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Durand, who have been actively connected with the church since its organization in this city, will leave next week for their former home in Iowa. As a token of esteem their friends presented them with a solid silver cake basket and a salad set. The evening was spent very pleasantly, and after singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," farewells were said.

H. F. Phillips has filed a petition with Prosecuting Attorney McElroy, asking to have his grandson, Harold Hubbard, committed to the reform school. He alleges that the boy is incorrigible, and absolutely refuses to be governed.

Harold Hubbard is eight years old. His mother lives at Roslyn, and his who has caused the police so much trouble on account of his mania for running away. He was arrested a few days ago for entering the house of his aunt, Mrs. York Barrington, and stealing several articles.

The members of the West Canada Press association arrived in the city Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and were met at the depot by the reception committee of the local press club. The program, as published, was carried out. The visitors were first taken to Queen Anne hill, to view the city and Sound. In the evening the local society entertained a concert at Madison Park. Yesterday most of the members attended divine service in the morning, and in the afternoon the party left for Tacoma.

Yesterday was a banner Sunday at the First Presbyterian church. After the morning sermon, Rev. A. L. Hutchinson requested the members to remain while the report of the finance committee was read. A slight rain fell, and subscribers called for \$5 to \$100 were then called for. In a very few minutes \$1500 had been raised, and it was further announced that another \$1000 was obtainable. Dr. Hutchinson naturally felt elated over the result. In the past two years over \$5000 of the church debt has been lifted, and the membership has increased over 250.

There will be special meeting of the Alaska Geographical society tonight at 8:30, at the First Presbyterian church, to take suitable action regarding the attacks by an Alaskan grand jury upon Dr. Sheldon Jackson.

Annie E. Mitchell today applied in the superior court to be appointed guardian of her daughter, Henrietta R. Washburn.

C. E. Harber, residing at 513 Queen avenue, reported to police headquarters yesterday that his house was entered and a quantity of clothes stolen.

Oliver Harelett and L. W. Peas, two of the most degraded looking morphine fiends, were ever brought to police headquarters, were arrested by Officer Kelly in the basement of a Chinese laundry on Western avenue this morning. Harelett's cries of pain attracted the attention of passers by, and the police were notified. The two were taken to the station and held for trial. Harelett had injected some coal oil instead of morphine, and his arms were badly swollen. Both of these men were arrested in Seattle about two years ago for opium smoking, and have only recently returned.

J. B. Merrick, of Interbay, reported to police headquarters this morning that he had been robbed of \$26 by a woman in the room of McDonald's blacksmith shop, on Fifth avenue south, between Jackson and Alaskan streets. He gave a good description of the woman, and Mamie Tilton has been arrested.

A telephone message was received at police headquarters this morning, stating that several large pieces of iron had been thrown against the building by blasts. Detective Williams was sent out, and he made an investigation and found that Cahn and Cohn were blowing up several old boilers. One piece tore through a tent and just grazed an old man's head. The men were ordered to stop their work until they had received a permit, and also made provision to keep the pieces of iron from flying.

Steamer Orizaba sailed today for Alaska ports. She has on board a large freight cargo, part of which was several large pieces of mining machinery which will be landed at Douglas Island. A shipment of 10 head of cattle and 20 hogs was sent up on the steamer, consigned to Parson Bros. at Juneau. The passenger list of the Orizaba is as follows: Mrs. L. Anderson, T. Cox, J. Carson, James Smith, J. E. Burman, C. J. Herman, and 9 second class.

The bank clearances today were \$419,936.14, and the balances were \$5,533,955.

The London capitalists operating the Standard Exploration company, have secured an option on the controlling interest in the Pando Basin mine, located near the Alaska N. V. Collins, the mining expert, who left on the Cottage City, will look over the mine for the company before the deal is made. Should his report be favorable, the bargain will be closed at once.

At the annual meeting of the Washington Children's Home society to be held tomorrow, the following gentlemen have consented to speak: Mr. Geo. H. Park, on "Financial and Business Aspect of Saving Homeless Children"; Rev. Hugh Gilchrist, on "Social Changes Wrought by Saving Homeless Children"; Hon. John L. Neagle, on "Legal Phase of the child-saving work"; Hon. John J. McGilvra, on "Benevolence of Saving Homeless Children."

The meeting will be held in the afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, in the Methodist Protestant church, corner of Third avenue and Pine street. The state superintendent, Mrs. Little Beach Brown, will make her annual report, and eight trustees are to be elected. Those interested in saving homeless children are cordially invited to attend.

In addition to the track and field events to come off on the afternoon of Fourth of July, a bicycle meet will be held at Y. M. C. A. park in the evening. Amateur and professional events have both been arranged for. Tacoma will give her bicycle meet on July 3, and that in connection with the meet here on the Fourth are expected to draw the fast men of the Northwest out. Three amateur and three professional events are scheduled for the meet. The amateur events are: A 1/2-mile open, 1-mile open, and a 3-mile handicap. The professional events are: A 1/2-mile open, 1-mile open, and 2-mile lap race. Prizes are offered in all these events. Merchandise prizes are offered for the amateurs, and cash prizes will be given to the professional riders.

The steamer Samoa, of the Empire Transportation company, which sailed last evening for St. Michael, took north on her deck a "wet" cargo, consisting of a huge number of cases of bottled beer. It is consigned to W. H. Parsons, of Circle City.

Among the Samoa's passengers were Captains George Barlow, W. J. Kearly, and W. T. Hedges, who will have charge of the company's river steamers on the Yukon. The passenger list was as follows: D. Clark, Mrs. Clark, Capt. Geo. Barlow, Capt. W. J. Kearly, Capt. W. T. Hedges, W. J. Thompson, Mrs. O. H. Paddison, J. Coon, Mrs. Headen, Mrs. J. A. Murley, M. Humer, Mr. MacLeod, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Jones, Charles Rybes, Salmon, Wm. Harris, M. E. Kerr.

Unless all signs fail, Seattle will have a glass factory in full operation before many months have passed. Today papers were filed in the superior court conveying a tract of land at Ballard from the Seattle & International railway, to a corporation known as the Northwest Glass company. The paper is signed by President Mellin, of the Northern Pacific, and W. H. Gemmill, of the Seattle & International, and by Danl. Murray and P. Bowers, for the glass company. According to the papers, the construction of the glass factory is to commence at once.

Judge J. G. Houser, of Skagit county, is holding court in the superior department in place of Judge Reid. The steamer City of Seattle will sail tonight for the north.

The city of Seattle was today made one of the parities in a big suit for damages. The family of E. W. Jacobs, who died from injuries received in the boiler explosion on Second street, today several weeks, has asked \$25,000 damages. The case is in the hands of Ronald & Battle.

You Can Make

Such Bewitching, Comfortable and Cool Dresses at Surprising Small Cost, if you make your selections from our Large and Varied Assortment of New Stylish Wash Goods.

FRENCH Satinella Stripes, a fine sheer fabric with satin finished stripes, beautiful floral designs, actually worth 15c, our wash goods selling price, 8c a yard.

IMPORTED Lace Fantasies, a handsome lace effect fabric with rich floral and Dresden designs; some get 20c for this class of goods, our price 10c a yard.

DON'T Put off Buying Your Linen Wash Goods, the rush for these goods is on, and we have a large assortment to show you; fine pine Irish linen 25c value, only 16 1/2c a yard.

36-in. Wide Fine Pure Belfast Linen, the matchless hot weather skirt fabric, 35c value, only 25c a yard.

IMPORTED French Dimity, the most popular of this season's wash-fabric, in handsome new rich designs; trade winners, every pattern 25c value, only 15c a yard.

NEW English White Pique, so extremely popular for skirts, waists, and suits, handsome patterns, 16c, 25c, 35c value, our price 12 1/2c, 20c and 30c a yard.

JUST RECEIVED. Another Shipment of the Popular Cotton Cover Cloth Bicycle Suiting, in handsome colors, 12 1/2c a yard. LARGE Assortment of Crash and Duck Skirts, colored and white shirt Waists, popular price always.

O. W. PETERSON & BRO. 206, 208, 210 Pike St.

Advertisement for Geo. H. Woodhouse, Hardware, Tinware, Plumbing and Tin Work, Stoves. Jobbing of all kinds promptly attended to. General line of plumbing materials. 1331 Second Avenue. Telephone Pike 44. Seattle, Wash.

2000 Cedar Poles Wanted. PROPOSALS are wanted for furnishing and delivering along certain streets and alleys in the cities of Seattle and Tacoma. CEDAR POLES. Fifty feet in length and nine inches at the top. Poles must be straight and sound and free from soft knots, and peeled. For further information call on SEATTLE CATARACT CO., Washington Block, Seattle.

Advertisement for Rambler Bicycles. RAMBLER BICYCLES. IDEAL BICYCLES. \$40, \$30, \$25, \$20. Cash or Installments. FRED T. MERRILL CYCLE CO. 1108-1110 Second Ave., Seattle.

Moran Brothers Company. ENGINEERS AND SHIP BUILDERS. Our plant includes steel and wood construction and covers all branches of the business. Mining and all other classes of machinery built and repaired. Agents for Worthington pumping machinery, the "Moloch" and "Roberts" water tube boilers and the United States Metallic Packing Company.

Advertisement for Father of Twins. Queen City Steam Laundry. 1426-1428 Fourth Ave. Near Pike Street. Telephone Pike 96.

Advertisement for Children's Play Tent. Felitz Tent and Awning Co. 117 Vestey Way.

Advertisement for Q. S. Gold, M. & S. Co. Stephen E. Barron, Pres. Coconully, Wash. Company owns 18 claims, Patents pending; 50 feet development work; no debt; offer limited number shares stock at 50 cents per share.

Advertisement for Gramophone. \$20.00 WILL BUY A GRAMOPHONE. The Finest Talking Machine Made. REGINAS. From \$7.00 to \$300. Sherman, Clay & Co. STEINWAY DEALERS. Seattle.

Advertisement for Dentistry. DR. W. C. CARR, Dentist. Having recently come from the South, I will open a dental office in P. I. building, room 11, second floor. To get acquainted with the public I will Extract Teeth... Free of Charge for Thirty Days. All work high class. Prices reasonable. Call and see. Crown and bridge work a specialty. City references cheerfully given.

Advertisement for Parlor Grocery. THE PARLOR GROCERY. Wm. Pike 124. 1329 Second Avenue. Thos. J. DEAN & CO.

Advertisement for Jubilee Gold Mining Company. Remember we have the Largest and Most Complete Stock in the City. D. S. JOHNSTON. 903 Second Ave., Burke Building. Jubilee Gold Mining Company is now offering another block of treasury stock for 4 1/2c a share. This is a good purchase at this price, based upon the showing in the work now in progress. Our advice is that you should not lose an opportunity to get in early, for Jubilee stock is a safe and sure winner. SLATER & SMITH, Official Brokers. Phone Main 601. 114 James St., Seattle.