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SKAGWAY'S FAMOUS DOGMOBILE IS HERE

Harry Yeomans, the owner of Skagway's world-renowned dogmobile, will be in Juneau for some weeks, having been summoned here for jury duty.

Harry felt so badly, when he contemplated leaving the motive power of his remarkable road wagon alone in the far Northern city that he brought the pair of big yellow dogs down to Juneau.

Once the resolve had been made to bring the motive power he realized that there must be some provision made to exercise the dogs so he huddled up the wheels with their pneumatic tires and they are also here.

Some fine morning when the beautiful blind goddess on the hill gets tired of Harry's company Juneau will have a rare treat. Mr. Yeomans intends to contrive an ambulance of some sort, having in part at least the glory of Skagway's treasure if not a counterpart of the famous carriage. When finished the elite of Juneau's "400," yea, even sweet young society bnds, will be invited to enjoy an exhilarating ride with the speed maniac.

Harry says that this is no idle persiflage—the dogs are here; the pneumatic tires are here—the pretty girls are here. All that is needful is the opportune moment.

A BRASS BAND IN THE MAKING

The Juneau High School Band has been inspired to renewed zeal by the advent of Chief Yalth-Hock's dusky soul disturbers from Klukwan. As a consequence the organization scornfully dubbed the "Kluc-two" band by a brazened knocker is now in the midst of a revival.

Much new blood is being incorporated; several additional pieces are to be added, wonderfully increasing the band's efficiency. Moreover, some weak spots are being remedied by new material.

B. Schell, an old time musician, has been secured as conductor, the former leader, Mr. Osborne, having decided to leave next month for the Dana Military School of Music, in Iowa. The band is getting in shape for concert work and will be ready to appear in public in the near future.

Plans are being formulated for securing new instruments and a ray of optimism pervades the musical air.

LITTLE HOPE OF HOLDING ON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—There is little probability that any of the recess appointments made by President Taft will be confirmed by the Senate, and these include officials of all grades from a judge of a federal court to a postmaster. The Democrats in the Senate will see to this, it is declared, and some of the Progressive Senators— notably Poindexter, of Washington—are in sympathy with the Democrats.

It is pointed out that whenever a Republican administration has come into power they made short shrift of the Democratic officials, replacing them with Republicans with all possible haste; and the Democrats are just as hungry for office as ever were the Republicans.

So it is said every appointment that has been made by President Taft will be held up in the Senate until President Wilson has assumed office.

THE CURACAO'S LIST FOR JUNEAU.

The Curacao arrived on her maiden voyage to Juneau last night bringing the following passengers for this place: Geo. Burford and wife, Miss Florence Martin, Frank Dean, M. Drake, Frank Tascher, W. A. Beattie.

FLORIDA MAN SAYS IT IS MILD HERE

The Bratton family, consisting of J. Bratton, Mrs. Bratton and their son, all of whom are artists, in their chosen profession, arrived on the Princess May last night fresh from Dixie Land. They traveled over the Canadian Pacific from the Middle West.

Mr. Bratton says that just across the Florida line in Georgia that they had a terrible snow storm on Thanksgiving Day. The weather here is mild compared to the experience of that day.

The Brattons have come up to fill a contract with the Orpheum circuit and Mr. Spickett is delighted to know that they are here on time to open the new theatre, now nearing completion in Juneau. It is likely that in the interim that the Brattons will perform in the Orpheum at Douglas.

PORTLAND CITY HAS A MINING SECTION

Frank Doverspike, who recently arrived from Stewart, B. C., has gone on a short trip for the purpose of looking over some mining property. Mr. Doverspike is an old Alaskan from Nome, who drifted down into the Portland canal country.

Mr. Doverspike, has according to well known Alaskans, who have been on the property, one of the biggest mining properties in that section. It is a large lead of silver galena gold ore, running very high in silver, with \$100 to the ton in silver.

While the property is across the line in Canadian territory the only methods of ingress and egress is by way of Portland City on the American side. Portland City is at the mouth of Salmon river and the mining section is on that same stream across the boundary line about a mile and a half. Stewart City is just across the canal on Canadian territory and at the mouth of Bear river. This stream too forms a large mining section which has attracted considerable attention to Stewart.

"D—N," EXCLAIMS JUDGE

NEW YORK.—"Dam" fell from the lips of Judge Cox in the United States circuit court of appeals recently as he scrutinized the court calendar. The startled clerk took the paper the judge handed to him. Then the clerk, too, said "dam." But he got no further. With the air of a man who gives up guessing, he called "No. 17." The case up for trial was:

HARRY H. STERLING NOW IN JUNEAU

H. H. Sterling, formerly of Treadwell, now living in Helena, Montana, returned to Juneau on the Princess May last night after an absence of five years. This morning until court time Mr. Sterling was kept busy shaking hands with old friends.

Mr. Sterling takes a lively interest in Juneau and is pleasantly surprised at the progress and developments in the Basin and at Sheep Creek.

News was received in Helena that Mr. Sterling's presence was desired here on federal court matters on Dec. 11, and the journey at this time is in response to that request. Mr. Sterling will probably return on the Princess May.

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McFARLAND LICKS MURPHY

KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 17.—In the tenth round Eddie Murphy went down before Packy McFarland in this town last night.

The Juneau soccer football team will play in Douglas on Sunday afternoon. They will leave Juneau on the one o'clock ferry.

THE FISHING FLEET.

Rofte—Sailed Dec 11.
Kennebec—Left for banks Dec. 8.
Dora H.—Sailed Dec. 9.
Pacific—Sailed Dec. 9.
Mildred—No. 1.—Out.
Mildred—No. 2.—Out.
Active—Out.
Oiga—Sailed Dec. 13.
Selle—Sailed Dec. 11.
Highland Queen—Out.
Louise—Out.
Norman Sunde—Sailed Dec. 11.
Volunteer—Out.
Vesta—Sailed Dec. 10.
Valkyrie—Out.
Xanthus—Ar. Dec. 16.
Waif—Sailed Dec. 9.
WhiteStar—Sailed Dec. 12.
Lister—Ar. Dec. 8.
Olympic—Sailed Dec. 10.
Dick—Ar. Dec. 8.
Dolphin—Sailed Dec. 10.
Halley—Ar. Dec. 8.
Alameda—Sailed Dec. 10.
Annie—Sailed Dec. 11.
Uranus—Ready to Sall.
Pollux—Ar. Dec. 10.
Cedric—Ar. Dec. 9.
TheIma—Sailed Dec. 13.
Alvida—Ar. Dec. 13.

ARRIVALS ON THE PRINCESS MAY.

The Princess May, from the South, docked at 10:30 last night bringing the following passengers for Juneau: Pierre Montazon, Joseph Rilwassen, J. Bratton, Mrs. Bratton, Master Bratton, H. H. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Billing, A. Paghinn, J. M. Uhrals, P. Mark.

Angus McMaster, of Dawson, is on the Princess May enroute to the Yukon capital.

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MOOSE Masquerade

New Year's Eve.

Joseph Campbell, the Circle City merchant, passed through on the Princess May last night enroute to the Birch creek metropolis.

Mrs. Ella Wilson and daughter Joan are passengers on the Princess May enroute of Whitehorse.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Juneau, Alaska, for the week ending Dec. 14, 1912. Parties calling for them should ask for "advertised" mail and give date of list.

Anderson, Adolf S.; Anderson, Emanuel; Bradford, G. A.; Blanchard, Miss Ruby; Bogio, Tony; Brown, Dan R.; Buster, Spencer; Clausen, Jacob (card); Carter, Hooker; Church, Henry; Dalker, Charles W.; DeFrance, Earle; Fruugalia, Al-Signor Stefano; Frye, Mrs. Riley; Hall, John; Heistness, Knut; Zemlin, Samuel (2); Hendrickson, A.; Hoke, Geo.; Jalterust, Mr.; Jacobson, Oleg; Larson, Ludvig; Mavros, Nick; Mayer, J. H.; Mallory, C. C.; Newhan, G. C.; Nilson, Knut; Olson, Thomas; Olson, Tom (card); O'Neil, Daniel; Powe, Thomas; Rodrigues, Jose; Sinnott, Harry; Smith, John; Smith, Mrs. A. P.; Sonderland, Ludvig; Thurby, James; Welton, John; Wood, Raymond (2 cards); Worholm, K. B.; Young E. (card); Young, P. L. (4).

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