

SNOWSLIDE AT CRATER LAKE.

A Doctor Robbed Near the Indian Village.

Mining News From the Creeks—Gold From Jack Wade Creek—Hillside Developments on Hunker Creek.

A report has reached here of another fatal snowslide which occurred December 9th, at Crater lake, a mile and a half this side of the Chilkoot pass. Among the bodies recovered the following have been identified: Mrs. Darling of Lake Lindeman and her two sons; Bert Jones of Juneau and Harry Shaw of Skagway. Contrary to the advice of old-timers, who realized that the trip was a dangerous one in view of the recent storms, the party set out with light outfits. It was storming hard when they crossed the summit, but they succeeded in reaching Crater lake, where the blizzard forced them to camp, although it was only seven miles to their destination. While encamped there tons of ice and snow, mixed with rocks and timber, swept over them, evidently without warning, and went on down the valley, leaving them buried under several feet of hard snow.

Robbed of \$1,000.

Dr. C. Dean, a gentleman who has made his home in the large building to the right of the Indian village, was robbed of \$1,000 in currency on Saturday. The doctor had got the money to make an investment in mining realty and had placed it in a pigeon-hole in his office. The whereabouts of the money must have been known to someone, for it was taken during a brief absence of the doctor from the office. The matter is now in the hands of the police.

CREEK NOTES.

The sensation of Hunker creek this season has been the unexpected and remarkable developments on some of the hillside and bench claims opposite the hydraulic concession. Being so low down in the gulch, the ground was looked upon as unfavorable last summer, and Ben Glass, Hiram Ewing and Halse Williams were surrounded by primeval solitude when they raised the first colors on their claims there. Later they were joined by W. L. Robb, Hart and Edward J. Hendrickson, and the gentlemen now find themselves in possession of exceedingly rich ground at 20, 19 and 18 hill sides, left limit. E. Fasseum took up No. 17 later and it promises to be quite as rich; a Nugget man happened on the spot Sunday, when a \$18.30 nugget was taken out. No. 20 has been prodigal in \$10 pans, while a single bucket taken out a couple of weeks ago washed out \$10.

A miner came up from Forty-Mile Monday with samples of gold from the new find on Jack Wade creek, and located, as explained in a previous issue of the NUGGET, in American territory on the Forty-Mile river. The gold was exhibited at Lou's Pond & Co.'s, and declared by the gentlemen there to be of a very fine quality. The miner also said that a \$38 nugget was found there one day last week, and expressed the belief that the creek is the richest yet opened in the American country. Mr. Olsson, a layman at No. 1 Gay Gulch, fell down a shaft a distance of twenty-eight feet, on Friday, and was badly bruised. A \$28 nugget was taken out of No. 7 Gay Gulch, the property of McCauley Bros., and prospects are said to be very good on Nos. 14 and 16. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McConnell took a flying trip last chance on Monday, to stake some promising ground. Mr. McConnell is credited with being one of the very first men to fully appreciate the value of Eldorado. He had gone over the ground with Commissioner Ogilvie soon after the Berry's had got their first holes down, and he then told the present commissioner that the creek would be found to be worth \$1,000 per lineal foot for a distance of four miles. Ed. was laughed at then, but there has never been a time since when he felt obliged to materially alter his original estimate.

Jack McAllister who, with Messrs. Steinfelt and Coisley, is interested in three claims—Nos. 41, 42 and 43 above—on Nine-Mile creek, a tributary of Indian river, came to town this week and reported that he had struck pay—the first found on the creek. It is from twenty to twenty-five feet to bedrock.

Dervishes on the Move.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Disquieting news has been received from the East, and it appears evident that the Dervishes have determined to make a vigorous campaign against the Anglo-Egyptian force under Kitchener in the hope of retrieving their fortunes. Khalifa, at the head of 15,000 or 20,000 men, is known to be advancing upon Omdurman, and that a British force of unknown numbers has retired there before him. Lord Kitchener has 9,000 men at Omdurman, and they will be reinforced as soon as possible by available men and officers. The fact that Governor Hunter, the lately appointed governor, and prominent British officers have been recalled from furloughs tends to give color to the belief that the situation is grave. The advance of Khalifa is said to be impetuous and savage, and the Arab tribes along his line of march are reported as being panic-stricken.

Big Newsmen Dead.

Nice, Feb. 25.—Baron de Reuter is dead. Paul Julius de Reuter, baron of the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, director and founder of Reuter's telegraph company, was born at Cassel, Hesse-Nassau, on July 21, 1816. From 1897, as the various telegraph lines were opened, Baron de Reuter worked them into his great news agency. In 1852, when the cable was laid between England and France, he transferred

his chief office to London. Previous to this there were no foreign telegrams in London papers. In 1865 the baron converted his business into a limited liability company, and remained managing director until 1878. Baron de Reuter was remarkably vigorous and active considering his age. Until recently he walked five miles a day. For years past he has not taken active part in the business in Reuter's telegraph company, of which his son, Herbert de Reuter, has long been managing director.

Volunteers to Go Home.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The war department today issued the following statement: Orders have been given out for the mustering out of the following volunteer regiments: At Savannah, Ga., 3rd Georgia, Batteries A, B, C, D, Maine artillery; 202nd New York Volunteers. At the present camps at Augusta, Ga. and Greenville, S. C.; 3rd Alabama, 3rd Connecticut, 5th Massachusetts, 35th Michigan, 15th Minnesota, 4th New Jersey, 201st New York, 203rd New York, 10th Ohio, 1st Rhode Island and 2nd West Virginia.

Hope for Dreyfus.

PARIS, Feb. 22.—The *Spil* announces that M. Manau, the procureur-general, will submit his report in the Dreyfus affair next week. The report will ask the court of cassation; it is said, to annul the conviction without ordering a new trial, which would indicate that the evidence before the court not only proves Dreyfus innocent, but that the crime for which he was punished never existed, as the French law allows the court of cassation to quash a sentence without retrial only when there is proof that the offense alleged was never perpetrated.

France's New President.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—The selection of a successor to the late President Faure has fallen upon M. Loubet. The result was followed by tremendous agitation and disorder, and the new president was subjected to frequent insults by the public. The feeling became so strongly expressed that it was construed as indicating a plot to overthrow the government. At this juncture President Loubet issued a message to the country, which had a tranquilizing effect, disarmed many of his outspoken opponents, and won him the support of powerful bodies in the opposition parties. The military forces in the city were re-inforced until no less than 100,000 men were gathered here, while the police received stringent orders to arrest any person detected in insulting the president or indulging in inflammatory utterances. At this writing the city is more tranquil.

Sports for the Queen's Birthday.

The volunteer fire department has decided to put a wide swath at the coming celebration on the 24th of May. A committee has been appointed to frame a program of sports for the day and any society intending to take part in any of the events will please confer with one of the committee, A. F. George, W. A. Marx or Ike Schwartz.

The Queen of Spades.

WALLACE FRANKLIN SMALLEY.
I sing of the pretty Dawson girl:
The girl so shy (?) and sweet;
With velvety cheek and glossy curl,
And dainty, tripping feet.
CHORUS.
Oh, I fondly, madly love her,
And most constantly do hover
At her side!
But though so fair and sweet,
She's a lovely, heartless cheat,
And has smiles for forty other men, beside.
I sing of the pouting, ruby lip,
That curves in winning smiles;
That oft from the tinkling glass doth sip
The nectar that beguiles.
I sing of the eye whose gentlest dart
Can drop me at her feet;
Or pierce, like the keenest lance, my heart
When bidden to retreat.
I sing of the neatly chiseled nose,
The lovely, classic face;
The head, as it rests with queenly pose,
On shoulders full of grace.
Alas! but this pretty Dawson girl
Is full of snuff and tricks!
My brain, she has set it all awhirl—
I'm in an awful fix.
Ah! yes; she has mused me forth and back
In mud and snow and rain;
Then handed me back my empty sack
With "Fill it up again."

She "shook" me to catch another guy,
Who has a bigger dump;
But after her clean-up leaves him dry;
He, too, will take a slump.
She'll shovel him back as waste some day,
And drift for a richer man;
Then dump him, in turn, when off the pay,
And seek a better pan.

Oh! yes; she's the queen of spades and picks,
Which must her bidding do;
Get's many a miner in a fix,
That he will ever rue.
So, a sign of danger I'd unfurl—
For fellow-shy on brain:
Look out for the girl with glossy curl!
She'll wreck you and your train.

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For, though you fondly, madly love her,
And most constantly do hover
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And although so fair and sweet,
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Dawson, March 27, '99.

The Nugget Express and the Mail.
The Nugget Express is handling the heavy mails in a very satisfactory manner, and the system has been recently perfected by adding a special mail clerk to the staff of employees. A slight misunderstanding has occurred on Dominion and Hunker creeks from a solicitor of the Nugget who, in a few cases agreed to deliver mail free with the paper and some of the subscribers thought the creek agent was charging them without authority. The mail is all handled by the Nugget Express Co., and the expenses attached to the system will not permit of free delivery.

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Official Weather Bureau.
As the midday sun grows stronger, the degrees of difference in the temperature between day and night becomes more and more noticeable. The following table is for the week ending Wednesday, March 23, and shows variations as great as 51 degrees in twenty-four hours.

	Lowest	Highest	Wind Miles per hour.
Thursday	31	27.5	1.5
Friday	7.7	33.0	0.4
Saturday	10.3	35.2	0.4
Sunday	2.0	39.2	0.7
Monday	3.1	38.0	0.9
Tuesday	8.0	42.0	1.5
Wednesday	8.4	34.0	1.2

Lost Their Cabin.

A cabin was burned up on a bench off No. 3 on Monte Christo last week, which resulted in a total loss. Murray and his partner lost their outfits, bedding and one dog. The fire is supposed to have been started by a candle which had been left burning during a temporary absence from the cabin.

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