### GOOD NEWS **EXPECTED**

oncerning Work on Creeks Railway

O'Brien Hears From Mr. kins and is Convinced

O'Brien, the father of the die Mines Railway, is convinced only in his own mind that the or Hawkins will become a realand that this season. There was wert about the streets yesterday the effect that Mr. O'Brien had reend a wire from Mr. Hawkins statthat the contract for the road en let, but this Mr. O'Brien

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do not know how that report emated, but it is not true; if it well would be only too happy to a rou so. The last I heard from Hawkies was a letter that I resel seeral weeks ago just after he with party had arrived at Seattle their return from Dawson. In that es he stated that they were leavfor Boston on the 18th and that while an appointment with their scal men on the 23rd. He did not ges the slightest doubt but that hols would be forthcoming in

Henev is still in Seattle and

is seed for three nights has proven ing the necessary material for the of the most popular attractions various bridges. and hit with the eccentricities

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east Mill-Klondike River at Mouth of Bear Creek. Telephone-"Mouth of Bear,"

A pleasant surprise was tendered Mr. Geo. Edwards at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Arnold, corner Fourth and Harper, last evening by the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's church. Mr. Edwards is about to leave Dawson and as a remembrance he was presented by the members of the society of which he was a charter member with a handsome emblematic nugget charm. The letters C. E. were made of small nuggets on the face and on the back was engraved his name. Mr. Lamb, president of the society, made the presentation speech which was responded to by Mr. Edwards thanking the young people for their kind thoughtfulness

Mr. Edwards is one of the souroughs, coming into this country in 98 and has made many friends who sincerely regret that he is not expecting to return. The members of the society turned out en masse to which is now being engineered tender him their good wishes

#### NUMBER OF BRIDGES eryone a hear pleasant word.

Construction

Of Railroad to Coal Creek Mines. Complete Saw Mill to be Installed.

The construction of the railroad residuald not be throwing rocks 30 men engaged cutting ties and the Johnson and French Consul Turenne by the time the snow is off surveys are about completed. It is gound." Mr. Heney is fond of the intention of the company to also pretty women and build the roadway with as little beaming upon this one and upon that stristy, but he rarely speaks to grade as possible and in order to ob- one and extending the glad hand misself talk when the matter at tain this result the valley of the right and left. Upon the arrival of ha his his proposition. Mr. creek will be followed exclusively. Mr. Congdon his worship escorted he is hourly expecting word As the creek is very irregular it will the commissioner to the seats on the me the east to the effect that work be necessary in following its course platform at the east end of the room to construct a number of bridges and a saw mill will be established about half way between the ends of the road, for the purpose of supply-

has been put on by Bittner and A 24-horsepower engine for the company for some time. In the saw mill was purchased at Dawson be tole J. Lee Morris is thorough and has already been taken to its at home as the lanky Swede. His destination. The balance of the maset is mimitable and his makeup chinery will be sent down within a statingly funny. It is a charac- few days and every thing will be in in which he has appeared many readiness for operation by the time

on the outside where he made the snow leaves the groung. The length of the proposed railomicalities of the man who had road will be twelve mues or a little used his yob to work for Yim further than the distance between The balance of the characters Dawson and the Forks. While the return to us as the commissioner of against my case, or one of the fiercholy comedy is thoroughly Railroad continue to think about This was simply the hope that we city of Dawson-and I am told that office. This was simply the nope that we city of Dawson-and I am told that office.

Was disposed of his unserted the coal mines will have its would have some one in that position of the Holy Encharist on San road constructed and in operation. inless the former company make ome pretty speedy moves this sum-

Seats for the Concert. The management having in charge the concert that is to be given on the 17th in aid of the Free Library desire to announce that tickets for the event will be found on sale tomorrow morning at Cribbs' First avenue drug store where reservations of seats may be made

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### RECEPTION TO THE GOVERNOR

Citizens Gathered at the D. A. A. to Pay Their Respects to Commissioner Congdon Number of Speeche's Made and Addresses Presented Informal Function Which Resulted Very Successfully.

pleased crowd that gathered in the sioner of the territory.

evidences of popularity that were to ment of the city and territory been other than pleasing to the new your administration. commissioner, who extended to everyone a hearty handshake and a

the room directly over the speaker's chair, and two others that formed Will be Necessary In an arch just as one entered the room there was no attempt at decorating. It was not needed as the walls and different panels are made very attractive by rare etchings, photogravures and other works of art.

The ladies occupied the chairs directly to the front of the speakers and the gentlemen stood up behind. Occupying seats to the immediate left of the small platform upon which Mayor McLennan and the guests of the evening sat were Mr. Justice Craig, Mr. Justice Macaulay, Sheriff Eilbeck, Alderman Ryan, Alderman mut have been more than the for the Coal creek mines is to begin La Lande and Alderman Macdonald. beince in the remark he in a short time and will be rushed To the right were United States to a Nugget reporter when last to completion in the shortest time Consul Saylor, Mr. Justice Dugas, we here that he "saw no reason possible. There are at present about Mr. Joseph McGillivray, Alderman

Mayor McLennan was chairman and was in a particularly happy mood, mayor in a pleasing offhand manner been given to what he was to say:

"I am sure it is with a great Mr Congdon said : pleasure that we meet here this evenexpressed that while he was going this character. I would rather admade you thoroughly familiar with out as a private individual he might dress a jury that I knew to be the needs of the territory, and in the Yukon territory. (Applause.) est political meetings ever held in the properly discharge the duties of your principally in Boston. Mr. Howard tion who so thoroughly understood ones than to stand before such a able commissioner as the late in will shortly install a mammoth plant tion of the Holy Encharist on Santhe conditions and the needs of the gathering as this.

territory to fill the existing vacancy.

The former in conjunction with C. The former We felt that no one could better fill which I can say that the address just you have always displayed in public A. McGow has purchased Nos. 51 8 and 11 in the merning with mating that high position than Mr. Congdon read is not too flattering, and that is not so very often in this life in record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to what is said as to my postations will be record to make the said as to my postations will be record to make the said as to my postations will be record to make the said as to my postations will be record to make the said as to my postations will be record to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations and will be recorded to make the said as to my postations are said as to my postations. are fulfilled, and therefore in this duties of the high office to which I "In all-measures undertaken by chinery will be placed on the ground Captain Hulme, of the Dawson

joice heartily. (Loud cheers.) know that our new commissioner's of my office. (Applause.) and that the welfare and progress of ritorial council has been elected and bearty welcome home."

though he were enjoying it all, he is the Yukon territory. lic speaker you know me better than future prosperity of the territory, discharge of the duties of commitdoes Mr. Congdon and you know. This prosperity is characteristic not sioner of the Yukon under some dis anything further is necessary on my years, but from end to end of the Ross (Applause.) I recognize him as

read to him."

To the Hon. Fred T. Congdon, Com- Yukon.

It was a good natured and well cession to the position of commistant are swarming in there are the

missioner Congdon back to the ter- fallen upon one of their own citizens. be seen on every hand could not have be ably assisted and promoted by men, and we in this country are

tory, the city and territory are to the Dominion of Canada be congratulated upon the fact that . "I am exceedingly grateful at the

or of the territory.

th day of April, 1903.

speaker, one who is never at a loss "Fred T. Congdon, Esq., Commisfor the word, simile or epigram he sioner of the Yukon Territory: On fore the magistrate at the Forks at least by the middle of the second

It is not so very often in this life in regard to what is said as to my pectations will be more than real erate both claims extensively during. that the desires of our own hearts intentions in the discharge of the ized. instance, when they are so thorough have been appointed. It will not be you for the furtherance of the inter- and a considerable force of men em- Rifles, amountees that there will be a ly fulfilled we have reason to re- from lack of endeavor, but from the ests of the territory you may feel ployed. from lack of endeavor, but from the ests of the territory you may leed Mr. Howard is one of the hustling usual. The day being a boliday does \*The reason is obvious and I feel is in the best interests of the terri- support. pleased even before I state it. We tory, if I should fail in the duties

interests are identical with our own, "Since I was in Dawson a new ter- and again extend to you our most the territory and city are his first we have now a large number of elec-In appointing Mr tive members. I believe that every replying in a few words to the ad-Congdon to that position a man was one of us of this council-no matter dress of the board of trade in which appointed who has ever been held in how divergent our personal views he paid a high tribute to Mr. Ross the highest esteem by all who know may be is thoroughly and solely in M. D. for the Yukon. He said : him, and as commissioner we know terested in what he believes to be the Mr. Mayor, ladies and gentlemen

doubtless wondering how long the "The address you have just read to soon attributed to me in this adthat I am not addicted to long only of this territory, where it has advantages, and one is that I shall speeches. I do not see now that been very marked during the last few be brought into comparison with Mr ask Commissioner Congdon to ac-movement of progress in other parts, than to hear the great, the high mocept the address from the city count to forget that the interests of the timation in which Mr. Ross is hel son which the city clerk will now lie interest of the day. If we visit known. I recognize the difficulty of other portions of our Dominion we following such a man. As Mr. Congdon rose to his feet find the citizens there are enjoying a But at the same time I recognize City Clerk Smith approached and prosperity equal if not greater to that I have some advantages for such

missioner of the Yukon Territory : "Never in the history ol Cangda knowledge of the conditions here, and The City of Dawson extends to you has the general prosperity of the of the needs and necessities of the a most hearty welcome upon your re-turn and its citizens beg to offer you today. In the Northwest Territories utmost of my apility to utilize this

finest class that ever went to any reading room of the Athletic club They rejoice all the more heartily country in the world. A very large yesterday evening to welcome Com- on this occasion that the honor has number of them are Americans, and ritory and congratulate him on his In view of your knowledge of the of citizens the Americans ordinarily elevation to the highest office in the territory's requirements and in view make. It is true we have advanced Yukon. 'All that the large room of the interest which you have all systems of education and every means possibly hold were crowded ways taken in its prosperity and ad- of obtaining business knowledge and within its walls, the number includ- vancement, they have every confi- skill. But we must admit that in ing probably a dozen ladies. The dence that the progress and develop- the United States thay have larger

The development of this city and keenly trained business men among territory is unparalleled in the his-us. These Americans coming intetory of Canada, and no doubt the the Northwest Territory require no With the exception of a couple of next few years of their history will special training or understanding of flags suspended on the east wall of witness a measure of development the changed conditions from the and prosperity greater even than country they have left, but can go inthat which is to be seen through the stantly at any work that may be set Northwest. Territories and other before them to do. The time is comparts of the Dominion at the present ing when the Northwest Territories At will dominate by population, wealth At this growing time in their his and influence every other province in

the administration of government has way my appointment as commissionbeen entrusted to a commissioner so er has been received. I am gratified well known to have a deep interest by the presence of so many ladies n their prosperity and progress, here, and I thank them mose heart-In conclusion the mayor and alder- lily. I can assure you all that if I nen, on behalf of the city, again beg am asked to do anything in my offito welcome you, both as a citizen cial capacity for the benefit of any and as the commissioner and govern- citizen or individual of this territory and it can be done consistently with Signatures of Mayor and Aldermen, my duty to this territory and to Dated at the City of Dawson this Canada, it will be done I thank you once more. (Applause.)

Loud applause followed the reading At the conclusion of the remarks time before the commissioner could called upon John Cormack, secretary respond. When he did so it was in of the board of trade, who on be-

desires to use. Mr. Congdon has behalf of the board of trade of the long been known as one of the easi- City of Dawson, allow me to welest impromptu speakers that ever come you on your return to the Yuand the formal portion of the pro- fived in the Yukon, one whom it is kon as commissioner of this terrigram was begun at once. Said the a pleasure to listen to for the very tory. We feel that the government reason that what he says is uttered of the Dominion of Canada has been that showed no previous thought had with such little effort and without singularly fortunate is securing your the slightest hesitancy. In replying, services to fill the highest office of the government in this territory

"Your Worship and Gentlemen of "The selection of one of our city ing to welcome to the city our old the City Council, ladies and gentle zens to occupy this important office townsman and new commission, the men - I thank you most sincerely is in our opinion the establishment of Hon. Fred T. Congdon. (Cheers.) for the too flattering address with a wise precedent by the government When about four months ago a num- which you have presented me. I am, Your residence here, the active partber of the friends of the then simply as my friend the mayor has observed, you have taken in public affairs, and Mr. Congdon assembled on First a very modest man, and I may say the keen interest you have always avenue to see him take his departure that one need not be very modest to evinced in all things relating to the for the outside, the hope was then feel abashed before an assembly of welfare of this cammunity, mave

Again Mr. Conedon snoke briefly

that he is one who can be readily best interests of the Yukon territory, and members of the Dawson Board approached by the humblest resident and, at all events, in the work of the of trade-I thank you' for the kind of the territory, if we have any such, council, I shall start out with the as- address which you have presented to "But these are minor virtues. His sumption that every member is there, address which you have presented t chief virtue is modesty, and while he with the view of enforcing what he me, and I assure you that I shall do is sitting here trying to appear as believes to be the best interests of everything in my power to earn the reputation which I am afraid is teo mayor is going to talk. As a pub- me hears reference to the present and dress. I feel that I enter upon the part except again to assure our new Dominion of Canada. In this regard one of the ablest and best men who ommissioner, on the part of the I might observe that there is a dan- has ever filled any public office in the city, of our most hearty welcome ger in remaining too long in this ter- Dominion of Canada. (Renewed apand the great pleasure it gives us to ritory without a trip to the vast plause). Nothing would be more have him with us again. I will now outside. One is apt to forget the satisfactory to the people of Yukon cil on behalf of the citizens of Daw- Yukon territory is not the only pub- in the territory is which he is best

that which we are enjoying in the a position. I do not come among Yukon. their congratulations upon your ac in particular. The class of emigrants knowledge to further the interest of

Yukon territory while entrusted with the high and important duties as DAY ONE oner of the territory. (Ap-

Mayor McLennan then announced that that concluded the formal part of the program, stating that if any were present who had not the pleasure of the new commissioner's acward he would be glad to present them. None came forward, however for the apparent reason that every one knew Mr. Condgon. The latter slowly passed through the crowd, shaking hands with everyone and receiving congratulations that could not be doubted as being absolutely Mr. Congdon has already relieved Major Wood of his office and after today can be found every day at his desk: Major Wood was pres ent last night at the reception and good naturedly received many conduties that he has filled so capably

#### RECEIVED ONE MONTH

Hard Labor Fighting

Thomas Davin Mixed Up With Passover on the 11th of Nisan, and William Green in Road-

Thomas Davin and Willim Greene. two miners, indulged in a fisticus weekly observance of the dies deminengagement at the Magnet roadhouse ica, however, became universal at a of the address and it was some little of the commissioner, his worship the belligerents and gathered them Sunday (the first Sunday after the

that free and easy tone that is so half of that body also presented an struck Greene inflicting a number of able rigor, though of indeterminate bruises upon him

yesterday. As the evidence pointed century. From the earliest period of to Davin being the aggressor he was its observance the day was marked given one month at hard labor.

Greene was released with a severe on the whole by a tendency to greatlecture. Both men were more or er simplicity in the public services of

#### BUYS TWO CLAIMS

And Will Work Extensively This

Summer. M. A. Howard, an old timer in the country and well known in connec-

was disposed of his Checkaco hill lowing it there will be a short see

the coming summer. Heavy ma-

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## OF FASTING

quaintance if they would come for- Good Friday Generally Observed

> Offices, Banks and Large Stores Closed in Commemoration of the Holiday.

In the Roman Catholic churches oday, Good Friday, is year, and throughout a great part of the world is observed as the anniversary of the passion and death of Christ. The city has an air of Sunday and business is at as much of a standstill as on the Sabbath. All the overnment offices, the courts, banks postoffice, and nearly all the stores are closed and but little activity is visible anywhere, the day being a legal holiday in the Dominion.

The origin of the custom of a year ly commemoration of the crucifixion is involved in some obscurity. It may be regarded as certain, however, that among Jewish Christians it almost imperceptibly grew out of the old habit of annually celebrating the of observing the "days of unleavened bread" from the 15th to the 21st of that month. In the Gentile churches, though, it seems to be well establish ed that originally no yearly cycle of festivals was known at all. Wednesday night. The police very early date, and the practice of 14th of Nisan) as well as that of duration, had established itself in Ibe a specially rigorous fast and glan

In St. Mary's church this morning there was an early mass at 8 o'clock, the remainder of the day being spen in silent prayer and adoration of Him, whose life was sacrificed upon this day pearly 2000 years ago. There will be vespers this evening at 7:30 The communicants of St Paul's church attended matins at 11 o'clock when in addition to the morning service the litary was read and also the

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