

ANOTHER STAMPEDE NOW ON This Time It is to Eureka Creek

Where a Concession Has Been Thrown
Open to Placer Mining—Rush
Started Saturday.

At 10 o'clock this morning a notice was posted in the gold commissioner's office which opens for location for placer mining about two-thirds of the concession known as the concession of Eureka creek. While the notice was posted this morning, nevertheless a stampede to the locality in question began on Saturday and continued all day Sunday. It is probable that several hundred people left Dawson for Eureka before the posting of the notice at the gold commissioner's office this morning.

Following is the notice published by the gold commissioner which with many other similar documents are hung on the walls upstairs in the waiting room.

Notice.—Re-Edward Ensel hydraulic application of Eureka creek; commencing at a point about one mile below the forks, thence extending up said stream and up the right fork for a distance of three miles and in width extending one-half mile on either side of the center of the valley of the said creek thereof any claims the entries for which was granted or which was staked or located prior to the date upon which the ground within the location was closed by the gold commissioner. Now, therefore, take notice that the order of the gold commissioner of the 14th day of June, 1900, is hereby rescinded insofar as it affects any claims the entries for which were granted, or which were staked and located prior to the 14th day of June, 1900, which claims are now open for relocation.

Given at Dawson this 11th day of March, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.
J. LANGLOIS BELL,
Assistant Gold Commissioner.

Posted in the office of the gold commissioner at Dawson, this 11th day of March, 1901, at 10 o'clock.

J. L. B.
On June 14th last the following was posted, which closed for location the entire concession part of which is now open.

Take notice, that the hydraulic location applied for by Edward Ensel on Eureka creek, commencing at a point one mile below the forks, thence extending up said stream and up the right fork for a distance of three miles and in width extending one-half miles on either side of center of the valley of said creek, is closed for location under the regulations governing placer mining.

Dated at Dawson the 14th of June, 1900.

The recent order, however, does not entirely destroy the above instrument but curtails the amount of territory covered as a new lease has been allowed the holder of the original concession, Edward Ensel. This instrument was framed at Ottawa on the 8th day of February last on which day the claims not embraced in this instrument was open ground, which could be staked upon, notice being posted stating the day set for the same by the gold commissioner.

Following is a description of the property embraced in the lease:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land situated, lying and being in the Indian river mining division in the Yukon territory, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a post planted on base line, Eureka creek, the same being lower bottom of creek claim 108 below the forks, and a distance of 3364 feet from angle No. 2 of said base line; thence up the said Eureka creek three miles as shown on plan of survey thereof signed by R. J. Jephson, D. L. S., dated the 12th day of October, 1900, and of record in the timber and mines branch of the department of the interior excepting thereof, any claims for which were granted or which were staked or located prior to the date upon which the ground with the location was closed by the gold commissioner.
Dated Feb. 8th, 1901.

The Dog Pound

Poundmaster Constable Borrows and two catchers are still in business and have on hand at the new pound about 20 dogs and the stock is being added to regularly. On Friday last a medium sized brindle dog, in the pound developed a severe case of rabies and was consequently killed. All the dogs at

the new pound are kept in separate apartments so there is no danger of others being bitten in case one goes mad. Three dogs have gone mad and been killed there within the past two weeks.

The Weather

The mercury has again gone below the zero mark, the past 48 hours having been quite disagreeable, the cold being augmented by the steady wind from the north. During the 24 hours previous to 9 o'clock this morning the official thermometer which is kept by Sergeant Major Tucker showed the minimum temperature to be 7 below, the maximum 3 above zero.

NAPOLEON CREEK.

James F. French Returns From a Visit There.

Mr. James F. French, of French & Carroll's grocery, recently returned from a prospecting trip on Napoleon creek in the Fortymile district on the American side.

Napoleon creek is situated just over the divide from Jack Wade and the samples of gold he brought back with him is very similar in color and shape to that of Jack Wade.

"We sank four holes," said Mr. French this morning, "and have the pay streak located. We cannot tell just how rich it is but we believe we have a comfortable fortune awaiting us. We did most of our prospecting on No. 6, but we are interested in No. 7 also. This creek was one of the first located in that district but was thought to be so spotted as to be unprofitable to work. The more work there is done, however, the better the prospects appear and it is expected work will be carried on quite extensively there this summer."

OFF FOR KOYUKUK.

Party Leaves This Morning Via Fort Yukon.

Victor Virgil Lowry and James Cross started early this morning with four first-class dogs to a sled laden with a good outfit of clothes and provisions for the Koyukuk. They will follow the Yukon to a point 15 miles beyond Fort Yukon where they will leave it and cut across the country, a distance overland of about 250 miles. They expect to cover the river trip in from 12 to 15 days. Last year Lowry, who made the same trip a year ago this month, made it to Fort Yukon in ten days, but the trail at that time was in fine condition owing to the Nome travel. They expect a rather slow and rough trip from the Yukon back to the Koyukuk. While there last year Lowry secured a number of claims and is confident that they will yield good returns for labor this year.

Eagle City Hopeful.

Mr. W. F. Wilcox, United States mail inspector, arrived in Dawson yesterday afternoon after a ten-days' trip to Eagle City.

"Eagle City," said Mr. Wilcox, "is very quiet just at present, but the people are looking forward to the railroad being built from Valdes which they think will greatly revive the country. A telegraph line is under construction from Eagle to Valdes, the government having it in charge and starting work on the 4th of this month."

Mr. Wilcox leaves Wednesday on the stage for Whitehorse.

Champagne Flowed.

In four hours Friday afternoon and evening Andy McKenzie, first officer at the Aurora No. 1, cracked 240 quarts of wine, the occasion being the "loosening up" of a number of mining magnates, government employes and other men of means and the inclination to put their means into circulation. McKenzie claims the championship of the Yukon on wine opening.

Early Morning Fire.

Too large a fire was built in the stove in the Holborn Cafe this morning causing an elbow to become red hot and threatening to set fire to the ceiling. An alarm was turned in but before the chemical reached the restaurant the fire in the stove had been put out and the pipe cooled off by the application of wet cloths, so that no serious disaster resulted.

Any kind of wine \$5 per bottle at the Regina Club hotel.

Mrs. Thompson has received new ladies' furnishings over the ice, 2d st.

When in want of laundry work call up 'phone 52. Cascade Laundry.

M'CONNELL CASE.

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nell's letter this morning and stated to a Nugget representative that he was greatly surprised at its contents.

"You may say for me," said the major, "that I am at a loss to understand Mrs. McConnell's present position in the matter. After I filed my suit against her, Col. MacGregor came to me and stated that he wished to see me as a representative of Mrs. McConnell. Mrs. McConnell wished him to convey to me the information that she had not included me in her references to the council and that she regretted that my name had been dragged into the matter.

"I told the colonel that I would accept the explanation as given provided the same was placed in writing and over Mrs. McConnell's signature. This has not been done as yet and until it is done my case will not be withdrawn, but will be prosecuted with the others."

Gold Commissioner Senkler was also seen and made substantially the same statement as Major Wood.

"Col. MacGregor came to me," said Mr. Senkler, "and told me that Mrs. McConnell did not include me in the references she made to the council in her letter and that no reflections were intended so far as I am concerned. I took the same position which Major Wood did and told Col. MacGregor that when Mrs. McConnell made the same statement in writing over her own signature, that I would withdraw my case. Pending that action on her part there is no change in the situation. My case stands with the others."

The following is Col. MacGregor's statement of his connection with the matter:

"In conversation with Mrs. McConnell on Friday last in regard to being summoned to appear in the police court to answer for statements she made in a communication to the minister of justice in regard to the administrative acts of some members of the Yukon council she said that she always held Major Wood in the highest regard and considered his administrative acts above reproach and nothing had transpired as yet to alter her mind in that respect. She regretted, however, that he unfortunately was in mistake in taking part in the proceedings against her in the police court.

"I replied that I did not believe that Major Wood knowingly would do anything that would be an injustice to anyone. I did not believe that he did in the matter of which she complained. If he was legally responsible in any way, he certainly was not morally and that I would be pleased to have him out of it or any other person that was not in the wrong and with her permission I would approach the major with a view of arriving at a better understanding in the matter. Mrs. McConnell replied that I could act my own pleasure as for her she would be pleased to have any misunderstanding cleared but had no apology to make to anyone. Later I approached Mr. Senkler in the same manner as I understood that he was somewhat reluctant in taking action in the matter I wished to see him out of it. I stated to both Major Wood and Mr. Senkler that if they withdrew their charges I thought I might be able to prevail on her to make some statement in writing to the effect that she had held both in high esteem and respect."

Two Funerals Yesterday.

Two funerals occurred yesterday afternoon, those of Samuel Keyes, who died at the Good Samaritan hospital on Wednesday last, and John Gschwindt who died of accidental poisoning in his cabin near the Klondike bridge last Thursday morning.

The funeral ceremony of Samuel Keyes was held in the Masonic hall, the beautiful and impressive rites of the order being conducted by Worshipful Master Dr. C. H. Wells.

Gschwindt's funeral was held from Undertaker Green's and was well attended by the Germans of Dawson. At one time in his life deceased had been a member of the German army and on that account yesterday his coffin was in German colors and covered with the German flag.

Both interments were in the cemetery at the top of the hill.

Frosty.

He (feeling his way)—What do you think of a man who leaves his friends and goes off to the north pole? She (artlessly)—It depends upon the kind of man you mean, you know. You don't mean to say that you think of going, Mr. Bluffer? Well, I hope you will have an enjoyable trip.—Boston Transcript.

"Did you do nothing to resuscitate the body?" was recently asked of a witness at a coroner's inquest. "Yes, sir, we searched his pockets," was the reply.

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Killed by a Tiger.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—Albert Neilson, 15 years old, a keeper of lion cubs at the zoo in the city, met a terrible death today in the cage of a Bengal tiger.

It was Neilson's duty to feed the cubs at 9 o'clock. Instead of opening the door of the cub cage, he absently opened the door of the tiger's cage. The blood-thirsty animal crouched in a corner until Neilson was well inside the door, then it sprang upon him with a roar, and although he made a fearful struggle, the tiger bore him to the floor. His flesh was torn off, and the tiger, maddened by the taste of fresh blood, was about to begin eating him alive, when help arrived.

Keepers hurried to the scene with red hot irons, and while these were applied mercilessly to the tiger's flanks, five revolver shots were fired into the maddened beast's head. Neilson managed to crawl toward the door, and was quickly dragged from the cage. He died in a few minutes. The tiger was not seriously wounded.

Neilson's home was Piqua, Ohio.

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