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In the rush towards the golden fields of the Klondike, there are thousands who are ill-fitted to stand the strain of hardship and exposure, which are inseparable from that trip. Illness, disease and death is almost certain to claim many of the ill-prepared adventurers. The following letter from one who has undergone the hardships of the trip, will prove interesting to those who intend going into the desolate but gold laden north:—

SKAGWAY, Dec. 12th, 1897.

DEAR SIRS.—My object in writing this letter is to give a word of advice to those who contemplate going to the Yukon gold fields. For ten years I have followed the occupation of prospecting, timber estimating and mining, and the hardships and privations which one has to undergo, are enough to wreck the strongest constitution. In the spring of 1897 I was stricken with pleurisy, as the result of exposure. I recovered from this, but it left behind the seeds of disease which manifested themselves in the form of heart and kidney troubles. I managed to reach Vancouver, but did not have much hope of recovering. I was advised, however, to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and at first purchased but two boxes. Before these were gone I found beyond a doubt that they were helping me, and their continued use "put me on my feet again," to use a common expression. I then engaged to go to the Yukon country and only those who have made the trip to Dawson City can form even the faintest conception of the hardships that have to be borne in making the trip. Before starting I added to my outfit two dozen boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I can honestly say no part of my outfit proved of such invaluable service to me, and I would strongly urge every man who goes in to take a supply with him, as he will find the need of such a tonic and upbuilder of the system on many occasions. I went in and returned to this place by the Dalton trail, which consists of 350 miles of old Indian trail, starting at Pyramid Harbor. In going over the trail one has at times to wade through mud more than a foot deep, and ford streams waist deep in ice cold waters. When I started for the Yukon my weight was only 149 pounds, and I now weigh 160 pounds, thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

I am soon starting for another trip to Dawson by the same route. This time, however, the travelling will be on snowshoes, and you may depend upon it Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will again form part of my outfit.

I write this letter for the two fold purpose of letting you know what your medicine has done for me and urging those who go in to take a supply with them. Every man, whether he is sick or well, who undertakes the trip to the Yukon will require something to brace him and keep his constitution sound in that country. I may say that my home is at Copper Cliff, Ont., where my wife now resides.

Yours very truly,
JOHN PICHE.
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Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Potter celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage Thursday, Feb. 10th, when about 50 of their friends sat down to tea with them, after which some nice music was rendered, Miss Lottie Pyne presiding at the organ. All declared themselves well pleased with the pleasant evening they had spent, notwithstanding the sad intelligence received by Mr. and Mrs. Potter the previous Tuesday of the sudden death and burial of their son, E. W. Potter, in the States, on account of which a good many were not present. Mr. and Mrs. Potter desire to thank their friends for the cheer and comfort their visit imparted, also for the nice presents received.
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News Summary.

Lord Dunraven has been re-elected to the London county council, representing Andensworth.

There were thirty-two failures in Canada this week, against fifty-nine in the corresponding week last year.

Col. Henry, one of the witnesses called in the great trial of M. Zola at Paris to contradict minor points of testimony given by Col. Picquart has challenged the latter to a duel.

Annie Maxwell, charged with wilfully neglecting to procure aid and assistance for her new-born baby, is now in St. Andrews jail with her mother, Mrs. William Kendrick, who is charged with murdering the child.

In the House of Commons on Thursday Mr. Blair announced that the government would ask parliament to grant money to survey a route from Telegraph Creek terminus of the Stickine railway to a British Columbia port.

Eleven St. John Business College students have obtained situations since the first of January. Messrs. S. Kerr & Son do not make much noise about their work, but they certainly sustain their reputation for doing well by their students.

Two Halifax firemen, W. Lawin and Gregory Thomas, while working at a fire on Town road Friday night were crushed under a falling chimney and were taken to the hospital. The house was owned by George Stanhope and was gutted.

The steamer Labrador arrived at Halifax Friday, and one of the passengers, John Hall, wanted in Bradford, Eng., for embezzlement, was arrested, and is held awaiting instructions from Scotland Yard. Hall was a tea traveller for Messrs. Smith.

The result of the election for members of the London County Council is that the Progressives (Liberals) have secured 68 seats and the Moderates (Unionists) have returned 48 of their candidates. The election in Hackney was postponed owing to the death of a candidate.

A new magazine to be started next fall, by Messrs. Hodder and Stoughton, is to be entitled "Ian Maclaren's Magazine." The new periodical is to be religious in character, and it is to be edited by Dr. Watson in conjunction with Dr. Robertson Nicoll, London editor of the Bookman.

Willie McDougall, aged 13, son of Archibald McDougall, while playing about the cars in the Moncton & Buctouche railway yard Thursday afternoon, was thrown off a shunted car and had his right arm badly mangled and right leg broken in two places near the thigh. The arm was amputated near the shoulder. His recovery is doubtful.

Passengers by the steamer Islander, which has arrived at Victoria, B. C., report that several days ago a detachment of the Northwest mounted police came into Skagway with two sleds on which were strapped two dead men. They were Canadians returning from the Klondike and had in their possession \$160,000 in gold dust. Their names are unknown.

Reginald de Koven and Sir Arthur Sullivan have both been commissioned by the Ladies Home Journal to give a musical setting to Rudyard Kipling's great "Recessional" poem written for the Queen's Jubilee. DeKoven has finished his setting of the poem as a hymn with chorus and solo, and the composition will be published in its entirety in a forthcoming issue of The Ladies' Home Journal.

Giorgii, arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the attempt to assassinate King George of Greece, has made a confession. He declares that he acted at the instigation of Karditza, the latter representing that to kill the king would be an act of grand courage and glorify them both. Giorgii's courage oozed out at the last moment and he was unable to hit the horses, upon which everything depended. A bomb has been found near the scene of the attack. It contained a hundred drachmas of dynamite. Karditza, when examined, admitted that he intended to throw the bomb into the king's carriage. The general result of the inquiry thus far appears to indicate the existence of a secret conspiracy.

The Sussex Dairy School started on the 22nd inst., with six students in attendance, and the prospects of a large number coming in a little later. There are to be two courses of ten days each in creamery buttermaking. The first course opened on the 22nd inst., and the second on the 8th March. The first cheese making course begins on the 22nd March and the second on the 5th April. It is desired that students enter at the beginning of each course, as a systematic series of lectures will be given. Messrs. Mitchell and Tilley will lecture upon the various departments of buttermaking and milk testing. J. E. Hopkins upon cheese making and W. W. Hubbard upon animal husbandry. Intending students should make application to the superintendent, Harvey Mitchell, Sussex, N. B., or to J. E. Hopkins, Nappan, N. B.

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