

Late News From Dawson

A Big Strike on Slate Creek, a Branch of the Forty Mile.

Latest Reports of River Steamers Ice-Bound on the Yukon.

Waiting For the Break-Rich Placers on Jack Wade Creek.

News comes from Dawson City that reports are reaching there daily of extensive gold deposits on Slate creek, a tributary of the North fork of Forty Mile river, in American territory.

George Friend, who has spent seven or eight years on the Yukon, returned to Dawson from Jack Wade creek on April 5th. He says that while the creek is undoubtedly very rich, reports are very much exaggerated.

As a result, business has revived and is booming in all lines. There is a steady advance in prices of all commodities.

A Townsite Speculation has developed opposite the city in what is now known as West Dawson. The promoters are advertising to operate a tramway between the town and the boomtown.

F. E. Manchester, of Stockton, has obtained a franchise for the exclusive use of distilled water to the inhabitants of Dawson at 10 cents per gallon.

The John C. Barr was frozen in a most perilous position near the lower end of a midstream island near the American boundary line. The captain of this boat has planned a Gigantic Engineering Feat.

The steamer Arnold, commanded by Captain E. L. McNoble, formerly master of the Mary Garrett of the San Joaquin river fleet, is likewise in an exposed position.

sank so that a large intervening bank of earth appeared between the steamer and the mouth of the safe haven into which it was hoped to run the steamer when the river raised before the ice broke.

An Immense Dam has been constructed from bags of sand and gravel in such a way as to form a barrier to turn drift ice from tributary streams away from the boat.

Many a wayworn traveller owes him his safety from storm, and perhaps death, when half-frozen miners have wandered to the Arnold they have been rescued by McNoble personally.

The Rock Island has been moved on skids up into Forty-Mile along, where it will remain until the ice goes out of the latter river.

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ment looked like new-plowed land and the survivors of the fishing folk had fled for safety to an inland town twelve miles distant.

The cutter Mystery, which reached Cooktown from the scene of the disaster prior to the sailing of the Miowera from Sydney, recovered in all 58 bodies, of which but 18 were identified.

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Eight Hour Legislation

Minister of Mines Thinks a Satisfactory Agreement Will Be Reached.

The Kootenays Booming-The Wonderful Growth of Nelson.

The provincial Minister of Mines, Hon. J. Fred. Hume, returned last night from a flying trip to his constituency.

Naturally, the attention of the minister was directed to the effect the inauguration of the eight hour law will have upon the miners and mine owners in the Kootenays.

Of course, he continued, "unless some modification of the law can be made, a hardship will undoubtedly be worked on the mine owners.

"I think not, and I doubt whether any of them will be. The threat to close the mines is a harmless sort of bluff which will not deceive those who are familiar with the conditions in a mining district.

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School Girls' Nerves

What a study this picture affords to every mother of growing daughters! Is your daughter to be pale, weak, and nervous? Is she to fill an early grave or drag out an existence of misery? Or is she to be healthy, plump, and rosy, the hope of her parents, the joy of her husband, and the happy mother of healthy children?

Very much depends on how her health is at the time when she crosses the threshold of womanhood. This trying period comes at a time when she is undergoing the greatest strain in other ways.

Mothers, if your darling daughter is of any account, as you love her and would render her lovable and happy through all her future life, see that she passes through this trying ordeal just right.

The difficulty is to supply the body with sufficient nourishment to restore the millions of nerve cells which are daily exhausted, and to keep the blood rich and pure.

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Samoans Still a

Miowera Brings Loss From the Trout of the South

Skirmishes Continue Casualties Among and American

R. M. S. Miowera, which the South Seas early brings Samoan papers giving details of the

When the place was taken, the German flag was hoisted. A woman played in the work of the Malietoa warrior

As she was doing this, she was behind the German flag, under which she was fighting.

The Americans and the German government took the relations in Samoa between the English and the Germans on the other side, if such a condition of

The King's will was as follows: "I am troubled has come to pass, as to be no help for it will fight to the bitter end."

"I did not under such circumstances, but I would mean sure death, I would mean sure death, I would mean sure death."

NEW YORK, May 19. - The Johnnie Trip, eight years of whispering in school, had him to stuff half a tea pepper into his mouth.

Chicago, Ill., May 19. - The Tribune says a corporation, whose backing is supposed to come from the Rockefeller interests, is said to be endeavoring to buy all the tugs on the lake and good-will of the companies operating them.

Sporting News

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South Ontario Protest

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