

AUDUBON'S OMINECA.

A Budget of News About the Hydraulic Work Being Done.

Victoria Merchants Are Advised to Avoid Delay in Shipping Supplies.

There is little danger of the rich auriferous ground in the Omineca district being overlooked in the rush...

Much interest having been aroused by accounts of valuable finds made during the last few months on Germanman and...

It may be mentioned as evidence of the fact that Captain Black is a man who does not let the grass grow under his feet...

Captain Black arrived on Manson creek to commence operations for the Caledonia General Mining Association...

The following additional particulars have been received by the Deputy Minister of Agriculture from Mr. Hutchinson:

The fair committee is this year presenting a very nice diploma with each award. The following awards have been made to British Columbia in addition to those previously reported:

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ALEXANDRE-Long Shaw, Ashcroft, first. Blaine Sweet-G. Kirby, Kelowna, first. Bussell-F. Gartrell, Trout Creek, first.

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License Commissioner, Strathclair, Ont.

THE KLONDYKE MINES.

Something About the Wonderful Gold Region in the Canadian Yukon Country.

Only the First Steps Towards Opening Up a Vast Mining Territory.

Victoria the Nearest and Best Place for the Miners to Outfit.

Clondyke, Klondyke, Klondyke—the magic loadstone that is drawing people from all over the world to Canada's wonderful northern gold fields.

The trip out was, according to the accounts furnished by members of the party, quite enjoyable. From Stuart to Hazelton and some at Hazelton, to be ready to start in the spring.

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ASIDE FROM KLONDYKE.

Remarkable Increase in Precious Metals Output of This Part of Canada.

By Leaps and Bounds Kootenay and Old Cariboo Add to Their Yearly Yield.

Though the Klondyke excitement has largely diverted the attention of the outside public from the older producing regions in British Columbia, it is as well to state for the information of those not acquainted with the situation that this part of Canada does not by any means rely upon the output of the Yukon district for its standing amongst the world's greatest producers of the precious metals.

A YUKON OUTFIT.

Supplies That Each Prospector Should Take in His Trip.

The following list shows the necessary articles that each intending miner should take into the Yukon country.

- 8 Sacks flour 1 Hand saw 8 Baking powder 1 Granite cup 40 lbs. Rolled oats 1 each Tea and table-spoon 2 doz. Yeast cakes 1 1/4-in. Granite spoon 1/2 doz. 4 oz. Beef 1 Table measure 5 bars Castile soap 1 1/4-in. Chisel 6 bars Tar soap 10 lbs. Oatmeal 10 lbs. Matches 1 1/2 doz. Nails 1 gal. Vinegar 5 lbs. 10d. Nails 2 doz. Canned apples 6 lbs. 6d. Nails 25 lbs. Rice 200 feet 1/2 in. Rope 1 Single Block 1 Spade 1 Wash basin 1 Solder outfit 1 Medicine chest 1 Pair workcapes 2 doz. Rubber boots 1 1/2 doz. Canvas pants 1 Set pack straps 1 Granite sawcane 1 Pick 3 lbs. candle wick 1 Compass 1 Drift pick 1 Candle stick 1 Handle 6 Towels 1 Axe handle 1 Gold pan 1 Gold pan 1 Axe 1 Emery stone 1 Whip saw

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of Those Called for at the Victoria Post Office on October 15.

- A. Jas. Anderson, J. C. Blair, C. Master G. A. B. Babcock, J. D. Anderson & Co., W. Booth, Mrs. M. G. Brown, J. Brown, J. D. Campbell, Arthur Carvin, H. Chapman, Geo. Chatterton, A. E. Clarke, J. Ross, R. Collins, H. C. Colford, J. Collins, Thos. Collins, Mrs. Corrie, Miss Lidia Corning, Mr. Cousins.

- Table III gives a detailed statement of the amount and value of the different mine products for 1896 and 1896, but it has not been possible to collect statistics concerning the amount of building stone, bricks, etc., used since the beginning of the year. The table does not contain any particulars that would affect the mining of the economic materials which, of course, should be here included.

SOME CARIBOO MINES.

A Chat with Mr. Marsh, of Barkerville, on the Famous Old District.

Mr. S. T. Marsh, of Barkerville, who for some years past has been identified with mining in the Cariboo, was contacted by this way to Chicago, where he goes to interest in a large mining property which he has recently purchased.

- Table IV gives the production of the various mines in the Cariboo for 1896 and 1896.

Table V gives the yearly production of placer gold as determined by the return sent in by the banks and express companies of gold sent to the mint, and from return sent in by the gold commission, and mining recorders. To these yearly amounts one-third was added up to the year 1894, which there was no record.

MUCH NEEDED.

Duped, Deceived Americans Complains Alaskan River

Some Hardships Those Who Destroying and Hardships Undergo who made the attempt Klondyke by way of the Yukon River.

As to the success of the attempt to reach Klondyke by way of the Yukon River, the hardships undergone who made the attempt Klondyke by way of the Yukon River.

THE KLONDYKE OUTFITTING TRADE.

Business men in Canada should not forget that next spring the outfitting trade for the Yukon will not be by any means restricted to British Columbia.

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- Table I. TOTAL PRODUCTION FOR ALL YEARS.

Table with columns: Year, Gold, Silver, Copper, Lead, Zinc, Iron, etc.

The next table shows the rapid increase in production during the last seven years, the increase for 1896 over 1895 being over 100 per cent.

Table II. PRODUCTION FOR EACH YEAR FROM 1890 TO 1896 (INCLUSIVE).

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- Table IV. PRODUCTION OF METALS PER DISTRICT.

Table V gives the yearly production of placer gold as determined by the return sent in by the banks and express companies of gold sent to the mint, and from return sent in by the gold commission, and mining recorders.

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