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**LETTERS**  
And Small Packages can be sent to the Creeks by our carriers on the following days: Every Tuesday and Friday to Eldorado, Bonanza, Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1902.

### \$50 Reward.

We will pay a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any one stealing copies of the Daily or Semi-Weekly Nugget from business houses or private residences, where same have been left by our carriers.



### AMUSEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Auditorium—Alabama.  
New Savoy—Burlesque and Vaudeville.

### A SATISFACTORY SHOWING.

The fact that mining men generally are confident that the output for the present season will average well with that of previous years speaks volumes for the stability of the camp and the marvelous extent of its gold bearing ground. There has been manifest all along a fear that when the fabulously rich claims of Eldorado creek began to show a decrease in their annual yield that a marked effect would be felt in the output of the district as a whole.

It appears at the present time that the fears thus expressed are not based upon substantial grounds. While it is undoubtedly correct that a certain proportion of the richest claims have been practically worked out, the fact must not be lost sight of that the working area of the district has, in the meantime, been extended in a remarkable manner. The construction of the system of public roads, together with the decrease in the cost of commodities and machinery, have made it possible to develop an almost unlimited area of new ground which in former years was regarded as being practically worthless.

The result has been that the number of actual working properties has increased by not less than fifty per cent. within the past twelve months. It is the opinion of many who are in close touch with the mining industry that the addition to the output which will be contributed from what may be termed new ground, will offset any decrease in the yield of the older creeks.

In addition to the satisfactory showing that the miners will thus be enabled to make for the present year's work, it should be observed that general conditions are greatly improved when the output of the district is divided among a great number of miners.

A few fabulously rich claims form a very uncertain basis upon which to establish general prosperity for the community. A claim may yield \$100,000, of which amount one quarter has been required for development purposes. Another claim may produce only \$50,000, and the same amount be spent in operating it as in the case of the first. From the standpoint of the laborer, the merchant and in fact of the entire community, aside from the individuals directly interested, the one claim has been of equal benefit as the other. Thus it will be seen that the interests of the greatest number of people are best subserved when the yield of the district is distributed among many claim operators rather than when it is confined to a few.

In the opinion of this paper, therefore, it augurs well for the future that the cleanup of the present year will be made up largely from claims the yield of which individually will be comparatively small.

Ten thousand men working ground that will pay good wages will contribute far more to the common weal of the community than one thousand who own extraordinarily rich ground even though the latter may clear more money in the aggregate than the former.

The dispatches state that the White Pass has not yet issued the tariff sheets for the present year, but that when the rates are published it is anticipated that increases will be made on the American portion of the line to correspond with reductions granted on the Canadian side. The government has already announced the position it will take should the railroad company inaugurate such a policy and there is no reason to believe that any withdrawal from that position will be made.

Marcus Amelius Hanna, who successfully directed the political destinies of the late President McKinley, is himself being carefully groomed for the next presidential race. Mark is a good man when it comes to using a campaign fund, but as a candidate it is not likely that he would show to such good advantage. As nearly as events political may be foreshadowed, President Roosevelt has the next Republican nomination tucked away already in his inside pocket.

By the terms of the Treadgold grants every claim in the district would in process of time become the property of the concessionaires. In this respect the Treadgold concession will operate very much like those games of chance in which a certain number of chips are dropped through a slot in the table, after each deal. If the game lasts long enough all the chips will go through the slot and the players will have nothing to show but their experience.

The editor of the News has wired the minister of the interior to the effect that he (the editor) is no longer able to tolerate existing local conditions. It is darkly hinted that the minister's brief and pointed reply read as follows: "Try Nome," C. O. D. \$6.25.

We trust that the display of Northern lights last evening does not presage an attack upon Dawson from Moosehide.

Miss Stone has arrived in New York. Now watch the lecture managers.

### Will Improve Town Station.

The home on Third avenue of Sergeant Frank Smith and his retinue of twelve, including Corporal John S. Piper, is to be repaired, added to and generally overhauled. But little attention has been given to the Town Station building since it was first occupied, but it is to be placed in the onward march procession now.

The fact that the Town Station is occupied by thirteen men is considered unlucky, especially by those prone to violate the law.

When the government has provided more amply for the comfort of Dawson's peace guardians while they are off duty it has been suggested that it will be in order for the city council to provide them with a patrol or "hurry-up wagon" to assist them while on duty.

Food properly cooked prevents dyspepsia—try the Northern Cate.

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### SCHEDULE ARRANGED

### Sailing Dates of the N. C. Co. Ocean Fleet

### Portland Will Make One Trip to Nome Before the Breakup at St. Michael.

The schedule containing the sailing dates of the Northern Commercial Company's ocean fleet, which was received by the last mail, shows that the company will have four deep sea vessels in commission this summer sailing for Nome and St. Michaels out of San Francisco and Seattle, the Portland, St. Paul, Ohio and Indiana. Prior to the breakup of the ice at St. Michaels and the possibility of landing at that port the Portland will make one trip direct to Nome, leaving San Francisco April 19 and Seattle April 26. The later sailing dates from San Francisco are as follows:

St. Paul	June 3
Portland	July 15
Portland	August 11
St. Paul	August 25
Portland	September 20
St. Paul	October 2

The sailing dates from Seattle are as follows:

Ohio	June 3
Indiana	June 7
Ohio	July 8
Indiana	July 26
Ohio	August 5
Ohio	September 8
Ohio	October 8

The passenger fare to Nome and St. Michael via the first trip of the Portland is \$175, cabin; \$100 steerage. Subsequent trips of the Portland, \$100, cabin; \$60 steerage. Fares per other steamers—\$125 and \$100, cabin; \$60, steerage. The freight rate to Nome on the first trip of the Portland is \$40 per ton landed on the beach, lighterage at owner's risk. All later sailings, \$30 per ton. The rate to St. Michael is \$25 per ton, all freight taken by weight or measurement, ship's option.

### THE MARKETS ARE FIRM

### Onions Are Practically Out of Stock

### Many Heavy Egg Consignments Slow in Arriving—No Change in Staples.

During no week since the close of navigation last fall have prices of supplies in Dawson held so steady as during the present week. Nothing has changed except sugar and that has gone up 50 cents on the hundred pounds, the quotations now being \$11.50 and \$12. There is no scarcity of sugar, however, and no material advance need be anticipated.

There are not over a half dozen crates of onions in Dawson and these are being retailed at two pounds for \$1.25. It is claimed that several tons of onions are on the way down the river and are daily expected.

The several large consignments of eggs which are known to have left Whitehorse between two and three weeks ago are slow in arriving with the result that prices are still firm at \$5 per case for fresh stock, the retail price being \$1.50 per dozen, but it is generally believed they will drop to \$1 in less than a week.

General quotations are as follows:

STAPLES.	
Flour	\$ 3.25@4 4.00
Sugar, per 100	11.50 12.00
Beans, per 100	8.00 8.50
Beans, Lima	10.00 10.00
Rolled Oats, per 100	8.00 9.00
MEATS.	
Beef, pound	25 30@60
Veal, pound	40 35@60
Pork, pound	35 50@75
Ham, pound	35@40 40
Bacon, fancy	20 25
Caribou, pound	35 30@50
Mutton, pound	27 35@50
BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.	
Agon's butter, 60-lb.	\$27.50 1.00can
Elgin butter, 60-lb.	27.50 1.50can
Coldbrook	22.50 25.00

S. & W., 48-lb.	30.00	1.50can
Eggs, old stock	27.50	
Eggs, fresh	35.00	37.00
MILK AND CREAM.		
Eagle, case	\$11.50	\$12.00
Highland, case	15.00	15.00
Carnation Cream	15.00	15.00
CANNED GOODS.		
Roast beef, doz	3.00	3 for 7.00
Mutton	3.50@4.50	2 for 1.00
Ox tongue	12.00@15.00	1 for 1.25
Sausage meat	4.00	2 for 1.00
Lunch tongue, case	9.00@11.00	1 for .50
Sliced bacon	3.00	4 for 1.00
Roast turkey	7.00	1 for .75
Corned beef	3.00	3 for 1.00
Sliced ham	3.50	2 for 1.00
Salmon, case	11.50	3 for 1.00
Clams, case	11.50	3 for 1.00
Tomatoes	5.50	3 for 1.00
Corn	4.25	3 for 1.00
String beans	6.50	2 for 1.00
Green peas	6.50	2 for 1.00
Cabbage	7.50	2 for 1.00
S. & W. fruits	14.00	2 for 1.50
Simcoe fruits	9.00	2 for 1.00
Choice California Mission		
Fruits	8.50@10.00	
Silver Seal	11.50	2 for 1.25
Succotash	7.00	3 for 1.00
Lubeck's potatoes per tin	8.00	2 for 1.00
Beets	9.00	1 for 1.00
Asparagus	14.00	1 for 1.00
Asparagus tips	14.00	1 for 1.00
Celery, 4-5 stalks, doz	12.00	1 for 1.00

CHICKENS, FISH AND GAME.	
Ptarmigan, each	35 50
Rabbits, each	35 50
Grouse, each	35 50
Poultry, pound	30 35
Broilers, pound	50 60
Greyling, frozen	40 40
Greyling, fresh	75 75
Halibut	30 35
Whitefish	50 50
Pickeral	40 50
Salmon	20 25
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Potatoes	18@20 20
Onions	50 50
Cabbage	35 35
Turnips	30 30
Lemons, case	\$15.00 \$30.00
Oranges, case	40.00 50.00
Rolled oats	9 9
Oats	9 9
Hay	4 1/2 6
Soap	12.50
Tobacco, Star	1.20

**Notice of Mortgagees Sale.**  
Under the Power of Sale in the mortgage dated the 12th day of December, 1901, recorded in the gold commissioner's office at Dawson the 14th day of December, A.D. 1901, Number 24769, from Joseph Danker, Robert Sewell Browne and Joseph F. Duffy to William Hinkley Parsons, the placer mining claims described hereunder will be sold by R. J. Eilbeck at public auction at his office in the court house, Dawson, on Friday, the 18th day of April, A. D. 1902, at 2:30 p.m.

Undivided half fractional creek claim 166a below lower discovery. Creek claim lower half 167 below lower discovery. Undivided half fractional creek claim 167a below lower discovery. Creek claim lower half 171 below lower discovery. Creek claim upper half 171 below lower discovery. Undivided half creek claim lower half 172 below lower discovery. Undivided half creek claim lower half 184 below lower discovery. Undivided half creek claim lower half 195 below lower discovery. Undivided half creek claim upper half 195 below lower discovery. Undivided half creek claim upper half 215 below lower discovery. Creek claim upper half 228 below lower discovery. All on Dominion creek, Yukon Territory. For full information apply to R. J. Eilbeck, the Ames Mercantile Co. or the undersigned. Dated the 8th day of April, A.D. 1902.

WHITE, McCAUL & DAVEY, Mortgagees' Solicitors.

### Chance for Quartz Miners.

In answer to an article in Dawson Weekly News of April 4th, 1902, signed "Australian Miner": If any quartz miner owning a quartz mine in the Klondike district will bring quartz to the Mungel Mill which will run \$5.00 to the ton it will be milled FREE of charge. Notice—The miner MUST be present in the mill during the entire time of milling his quartz. EDWARD SPENCER, Manager Mungel Mill.

### Public Notice.

All hotels and restaurants wishing to employ cooks, waiters, bakers, dishwashers and yard men can do so by applying to the International Hotel. Mr. Lessing, Prop. Bakery for Sale. Half interest in the best paying bakery in the city. Inquire for particulars at this office.

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### RENT OF 'PHONES Beginning April 1, 1902:

—DAWSON—	
Class A—Independent service, per month	\$20.00
Class B—2 parties on same line, per month	15.00
Class C—3 or more parties on same line, month	10.00
—CREEK TELEPHONES—	
Bonanza Creek and Grand Forks, per month	\$20.00
Eldorado Creek, per month	20.00
Quartz Creek	20.00
Sulphur Creek	20.00
Hunker Creek	20.00
Dominion Creek	20.00
Gold Run Creek	20.00

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### AMUSEMENTS

Week Commencing Monday April 7.

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NO SMOKING Monday, Thursday or Friday

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