

THE KLONDIKE NEWS

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price 6 oun, gold

Dawson City

Dawson City is located on the banks of the Klondike where the latter empties into the Yukon river. The town site of 160 acres is owned by Joe Laduax. The population is estimated at from 3000 to 15000, mostly human beings.

Company forming to build a Road to the coast

Mr. Hun Gryfor Golde, late of Chicago is endeavoring to interest a few of our citizens in a project to build a rail Road from Dawson City to some point nearer civilization. As it has not yet been decided which direction the New road will take it will be called the Dawson City & some Other place RR. Mr Hun Gryfor Golde is now ready to take subscriptions for stock in the new company. Not less than one share will be sold to each subscriber. It is estimated that the road will cost about 49,000,000\$, and it is hoped that at most the cost of 140,000,000\$ will be taken in Dawson & neighboring camps before navigation closes as the promoter is very anxious to catch the last boat of the season down the Yukon.

Letters have arrived at Dawson from the States for the following persons, who will please call for same at once:
Chilkoot Pass Charlie
Lonesome Mike
Algie Percival FitzRoy (49)
Prof Mug Carver
Chil Blane Foote

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HORRIBLE

!!! MURDER !!!

Struck down in Cold blood

Sometime during last night Mysterious Smith had a terrible battle with an intruder. This morning his neighbor noticed that Mysty had not been over as usual to borrow bacon for breakfast, and becoming uneasy at the unheard of occurrence he went over to Mr Smiths shack fearing the worst. On lifting the gunny sack door and entering his worst fears were realized!! there lay poor Smith fully dressed but presenting a horrible sight!!! literally perforated!!! the interior of the house was a wreck!! you could not tell the elegant new rosewood piano from a Chicago garbage box!!! and everything was topsy-turvy. In deceased right hand was grasped a frying pan and near by, stiff and cold, lay the cause of the awful carnage, an Alaska Mosquito. poor Smith had yielded up his life in defense of his home but not before the destroyer had been slain!!!

Parson Jenkins is conducting a series of Faro parties at his residence, corner of Consolation and Prayer aves.

All kinds of Ices at the Dug Out Drug Store.

Chicago Bill has struck it rich, his claim panning out \$100 to the pan. He will sell same for \$200,000 as he wishes to return to Chicago and speculate in wheat

There will be no prayer meeting at the Post this week as the Parson got on a tear while showing some friends around town and it will take several days to reduce his head to normal size.

Opera House Mike has gone into the woods looking for Bill Lange who is alleged to have eloped with one of the soubrettes.

HOW TO GET TO THE

KLONDIKE

There are three principal ways of going to the Klondike gold fields. one is an all water route from Seattle, by way of the mouth of the Yukon. It is a 15 day days' voyage from Seattle to St. Michaels; at St. Michael, after a wait of anywhere from a day to two weeks one may go aboard a flat-bottomed river steamer for another 15 or 20 day's voyage up the Yukon, from St. Michaels to Dawson City is a distance of about 1800 miles.

What is known as the back door route to the Klondike, and sometimes called the Hudson bay company's route, is by the way of St. Paul to Edmonton, Northwest territory, on the Canadian Pacific railroad. It is said that Prospectors will be able to enter the Klondike district much earlier in the year, if they take this route.

The back door route starts from st. paul by the Way of the soo line and Canadian pacific and is all rail as far as Edmonton, a stage line Runs to athabasca landing on the river 40 miles away. there the fortune hunter must provide him self with a canoe and head due north. the distance is given as 1882 miles. It is said that able-bodied men, can make the trip from Edmonton to fort Macpherson in 50 to 60 days.

It is mostly downgrade all the distance.

LATER—Since the above was put in type we understand a syndicate has been formed in Chicago to operate a trolley line from in front of City Hall in that city direct to Dawson City. Observatory Jerques, we understand, is at the head of the enterprise, ably seconded by Gover Tanneriska and we think it safe to predict that some of Chicago's old street cars will be running Direct to the Yukon by April 1, 1898.

Sleepy Jim and Mysterious Mike went on a tear yesterday & unloaded every schooner in Town. they eventually wound up at the City Bastile, to cool off. The Thermometer registers 80 degrees below, so they wont experience any trouble.

WEATHER REPORT

Coldest in years.
Thermometer 80 degrees below zero.
Snow 24 feet deep.

Do Not Despair!

Consult

DR. O. B. DEADEASY

whose patients sleep in every graveyard from Sitka to St. Michaels.

DR. O. B. DEADEASY is a regular graduate of the Ringbone Veterinary College of Chicago.

Young, Middle-aged and Old Men

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