

IMPROVEMENTS AT HEADQUARTERS.

The Police are Arranging for the Winter Season.

How Dawson's Prisoners Are Guarded—The Ratio of Crime is Small but Has Grown Since the Rush Began.

The extension and improvement of the barracks of the N. W. M. P. has become an urgent necessity. Whoever designed those barracks could have had no idea in the world of the sudden growth of Dawson, nor of her present metropolitan area.

It is needless to remark that the police have been making hurried preparations for larger jail quarters. A building was designed on the left side of the entrance to the quadrangle.

The increase in crime in Dawson is something which distresses the old-timers. They have been used to seeing gold-dust and other valuables left around wherever it was most convenient to drop it.

The first cell visited was filled with gold-dust. The Canadian Bank of Commerce deposits there pending the completion of their own strong building.

On the opposite side of the buildings are the condemned cells occupied by the Harpers, Jim, Frank and Dawson Nantuck. A guard patrols past their open cells all day and all night and no communication is allowed between them.

The balance of the prisoners are being worked in what is often termed a "chain gang" though there are absolutely no chains used unless prisoners are shown to be very dangerous.

STORIES OF CAMP AND TRAIL.

A Race with a Snow-Slide. The little windy arm of Tagish lake is enclosed on both sides by lofty mountains.

On a certain morning last May three young men might have been seen climbing one of these lofty mountains. They were in pursuit of the wild sheep which are found in numbers among the crags and hills.

The sides of the mountain were still pretty well snow-covered, though, from the effects of the warm spring sun, immense masses of snow were daily sliding down the more abrupt slopes.

Across the canyon there was a sharp crag behind which the young men concluded they would be very apt to locate the coveted game.

frightening snow. Each step must be carefully taken lest his foot slip and he go flying down the snow-filled canyon. When he had covered about half the distance across he suddenly stopped.

But now another danger confronted him. His descent became so swift that he could scarcely retain a sitting position. Halfway down the canyon he lost the rifle.

For some minutes Johnson lay in a dazed condition. Finally he gathered his scattered senses and stood up, injured in no manner excepting the nervous shock he had received.

Chisholm's hall was formally opened Tuesday evening, August 2, with a social dance, and when the grand march was called the hall was filled almost to overflowing.

Excellent music was furnished by Prof. Pick-erell's string orchestra, and the management of the floor was in the hands of Jake Kline.

PERSONALS.

Louis Coste, chief engineer of public works in the Dominion, is in town.

M. Jane, Louis Edgine, Tom Warner and W. F. Mitchell, of Wash. Ton, D. C., have decided to wind up their summer camp by fishing on the St. Michaels in an open boat.

Walter Phillips arrived in Dawson a week ago. A severe attack of summer complaint decided his party that he must be gotten out at once.

Miss Edith Van Buren and Mrs. Admiral Hitchcock are the latest additions to Dawson society. The ladies are wealthy and are very well known in the United States.

She was fairly beaming when they met. "What's the matter?" asked her best friend.

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The Monte Carlo Opened.

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HOW THE WATER

Crown Attorney of the Territory

He Relates in Detail Reason of it - Made the Tender

A gentleman remembering that "white being made against air" The Nugget has been crystallizing and questioning presented himself a man most interesting of answering Attorney Wade had entered fully into it was asked:

"Mr. Wade, did you official you know government addition to I got no lot in either directly thinking of any very thought of to occupy a piece to applied for the lot a he afterwards refused "Do you or any present?"

"I don't own a lot of real estate in Klondike. "Do you or any of Harper & Ladd's to "I do not now."

"Then you did at "Captain Bliss and "Did you have to pay down \$1000 and we August 1st. We have to another party rec paid, the vendor to Judge McGuire and the foot of the hill."

"Did you lose the "No. As we were the payment. Virtue Mr. Wade was then of the leasing of the Morrison and McDon duced a lot of corrou ded below the water offer for the water. The consideration is swer from Messrs. F they thought it show than a month at a ti Dated March 26, 1910

"The same date date and made an offer of Dated March 29, D. Piece offer \$25,000. Dated March 29, Je per month.

Then comes the do Messrs. Morrison & Gentlemen: You containing your offer Dawson opposite the streets, alleys, and clear, and paying at was duly received. On behalf of the I am willing to lease or terms somewhat propose.

In the first place should be for a peric power with the Domi domain, or the termi terminate it, or give the lessees. The year will be \$30,000, o minutes at any time ses will be required of \$7,500 for on legal tender of the portion of the southe ber street produced northern boundary. need to said river. the a uniform width of forty rods to the second, Third, Fifth, feet in width are to b river, and will be res strip. There will be the steamboat land house, and other pub and a strip of land extending from the sou front of block C an from the north side of block D. Also reservi e for saw mill purposi chate with of 60 feet lands agent may des execution of the ce lessees to also agree t river front time to t of the same any por government may be

The lessees will also a board walk along E and brand to constri bank over pits, water bank so as to avoid al the water of the river Plans for the sidewa at once submitted to and to be his satis THOMAS FAWCETT F. E. WAIDE

MESSRS. FAWCETT AND Gentlemen: We're the 9th line, with rain City water front. In we are willing to acc terms set out in the l