

FORTYMILE AND EAGLE CITY

Special Correspondent Gives News of Both Places.

Jack Wade Playing out and Chicken Creek Booming - World Looks Good to Eagle Residents.

Fortymile, June 20.—Fortymile has recovered from the effects of the disastrous flood of several weeks ago and the trading houses and saloons are again doing business at their old stands.

The price of provisions is exceedingly high for the season of the year. Flour sells at \$6 per sack, picks from \$4 to \$8, chechako spuds 25c per pound, fresh beef at 70c, onions at 30c, eggs at \$1.25 per doz. and all other commodities at proportionate figures.

The large trading companies are expecting large shipments and these prices are not likely to stand long.

It is conservatively estimated that there are 800 miners working and prospecting in the Fortymile district and it is anticipated that the number will be increased two-fold early in July.

Jack Wade creek has been a bitter disappointment to many and therefore a set back to the country. Although there was considerable work done on the creek during the winter months and large dumps taken out, only a few claims paid expenses and several were obliged to settle with the wage-laborers at twenty-five cents on the dollar.

There is little summer work under way there and there are about forty men working now.

Chicken creek, about forty miles up the Fortymile, is showing up the best of any of the streams in the district. Some sixty men are working and taking out three cents to the shovel. The pay gravel of three feet thickness is found at a depth of sixteen feet.

Pay on this creek was struck late in January of this year and over forty claims have been staked, many of which will be worked this season. On the whole Fortymile is quiet, with no prospect of an immediate awakening.

The J. P. Light, bound for Nome, put in here last night.

EAGLE CITY, June 20.—The indications are that Eagle City will be a lively camp this summer, owing to the extensive mining operations now under contemplation.

Within the past two weeks there has been an influx of about 75 miners and prospectors, making an approximate total of the number working in the district about 800.

The Alaska Syndicate Co., Limited, an organization of London capitalists, is carrying on considerable work on Mission and American creeks. Sixteen cents to the pan is being taken out at a depth of eighteen feet.

Boundary creek, twelve miles up the river is also the scene of considerable work.

The Seventymile river region, twenty miles below is showing up better than was expected and quite a lot of summer work has been inaugurated.

Under a new ruling of the Alaska Custom's Service, a duty of \$5 on small boats and \$10 on scows and larger craft coming down the river from the Canadian side will be collected here this year. Last year boats coming down the river were permitted to run to St Michael's where the duty was imposed, but the local Deputy Collector Lewis Baker is in receipt of late orders compelling the payment of the duty at Eagle City this year.

The local branch stores of the A. E. and A. C. Companies are now under one roof, occupying the stand of the old A. C. building on the hill. Gambling is run wide open and occasionally there is a brick game on. These games are run by several old-time Dawson gamblers.

A satisfied feeling prevails here that the proposed railroad from Valdez will be built this summer, in which event the place will be one of considerable importance in the near future.

H. J. BARRON.

STEAMBOAT NEWS.

Steamer Victorian arrived yesterday afternoon with 37 passengers and a heavy cargo of freight.

The Selkirk arrived yesterday with 11 passengers. She carried a full cargo, there being one consignment of over 2100 pieces for McLennan & McFeeley.

The Yukoner left Saturday within an hour or two after returning from the excursion. She carried a list of 46 passengers.

The Dawson took her departure for Whitehorse yesterday afternoon with eight passengers.

The Ora left Sunday for Selkirk. She will bring back several rafts of logs for the local mills.

Three more scow loads of machinery arrived Saturday from Cassiar Bar, being a portion of the dredger formerly in operation at that point, but which is now being set up at 42 below Bonanza. Word was received from Bonanza today to the effect that the hull of the dredger is up and in position. The plant will be ready for operation within the next two months.

The Pacific Cold Storage Co. offers every facility for keeping frozen products.

Photo supplies reduced at Goetzman's.

They Love Their Governor.

Gov. John G. Brady was a passenger on Douglas City on the Queen.

He had nothing to say for publication and seemed very busily engaged spinning missionary yarns to a gathering of old maid tourists, who were particularly

interested in learning the true account of Sheldon Jackson's reindeer expedition and numerous other tales of pioneer tales of Alaska.

The governor did not feel encouraged enough to venture up town and did not even come onto the wharf.

Missing People.

Information concerning the whereabouts of the following is requested by their relatives: Sydney S. Aitken, San Francisco, Cal.; Clement Keffie, Penarth, Wales; Mrs. Dan McDonald (May Zips), Denver Col.; Grant Murphy, Jamestown,

N. D.; Fred Jones, Healdsburg, Cal.; William Ehring, Industry, Pa.; Geo. A. Robinson, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Peter Boegebein, Larsen, Randers, Denmark; Joe Markowitz, New York.

Information relative to any of the above should be left with the police at the town station.

For Palace Car Accommodation take the popular steamer Clifford Sifton to Whitehorse, July 10th. Fit for a king etc.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor Pioneer Drug Store.

Major Wood Returns.

Major Z. T. Wood, Commander of the Yukon forces of the N. W. M. P. in the Yukon Territory, returned yesterday afternoon from a very pleasant and successful trip to the outside. He reports Major Wood's health as being greatly benefited by the trip.

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First page, to follow special position	15.00
Fourth page, local page, special position, per inch per month	15.00
Fourth page, to follow special position	12.50
Inside pages, (editorial and general news pages) special position, per inch per month	12.50
Inside pages, to follow special position, per inch per month	10.00

SPACE CONTRACTS.

1000 inches, to be used in three months as desired, per inch	.30
500 inches, to be used in three months as desired, per inch	.35
1000 lines local, pure reading matter, no marks, to be used in one month, per line	.10
500 lines, same conditions, per line	.15
100	.20

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Small Ads.—Lost, Found, For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, etc., 15 cents per line first insertion, 10 cents per line each subsequent insertion. No advertisement taken for less than \$1.
Positions Wanted—Three insertions free.
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One year, in advance	\$25.00
Six months, in advance	15.00
One month, in advance	2.75
Per week, payable Mondays	.75

Special rates to hotels and restaurants taking more than one copy per day.

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The Daily Morning Sun to any part of Canada or the United States, \$20 per year.

Yukon Official Gazette

The Weekly Yukon Sun, eight pages in size, will be published every Saturday, and, as the Yukon Official Gazette, will contain everything of public interest that transpires in Yukon official circles during the week. Full reports from the Gold Commissioner's office, giving all decisions in mining cases, and all new mining laws and regulations will be a feature of our Saturday Sun. All the news of the week will also appear therein, taken from the Daily during the week, and the enlarged and improved Weekly Sun will be delivered in Dawson for \$1 per month, as usual. Per year in advance, the Weekly Sun will be delivered for \$7.50.

Some Special Features

- Full Canadian Associated Press Report.
- A Special Cable Service.
- Special Telegrams From Ottawa.
- Special Telegrams From Vancouver.
- All the News of Dawson and the Creeks.
- All the Transportation News.
- Gold Commissioner's Court and Office News.
- Territorial Court News.

And everything you could hope to find in a live daily newspaper except police court happenings, idle gossip and trumped-up sensations.

THE SUN proposes to print the Newest paper in Dawson, and sell it at "outside" prices. We want every newspaper reader in town on our subscription list at the start, and offer these inducements to secure them. When our circulation exceeds that of our contemporaries, which we expect it to do inside of sixty days, our advertising rates will be increased accordingly. Now is the time to sign contracts for advertising.

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