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# WELCOME TO AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF MINING ENGINEERS.

It is not every day that the Klondike is visited by so distinguished a body as the American Institute of Mining Engineers. This little volume of illustrated information is a welcoming gift to our visitors by the Dawson Daily and Weekly News. The marvelous and unique scenes illustrated and described herein can hardly be more surprising to the visitor than the character of this work, done in the most northerly of cities within the British Empire. The illustrations and topography will call vividly to mind that this isolated and strange sub-Arctic region is yet supplied with many of the most modern acquirements of civilization, for this little work means electricity in common use; photography and photo-gravure; modern Mergenthaler typesetting machinery and presses of equal merit. In short, this little work, made in Dawson, will by its pictures illustrate how we live, and by its workmanship illustrate one way in which life in the North is made bearable—by the aid of a modern journal daily reporting the doings of the world in as complete and modern a printing office as will be found in the large cities of the world.

The importance of the occasion must be the warrant of the News for the preparation of this little booklet for presentation as a souvenir to our distinguished visitors. A spirit of enterprise which will bring a sightseeing body of people so far, over mountain and vale, river and sea, warrants a like enterprise on the part of the News. Such visitors are surely entitled to the best, and only the News, of all Dawson offices, can issue a booklet of fitting breadth and workmanship.

A work of love, executed at the briefest notice, this souvenir, "The Klondike," is our testimonial of the open welcome which is yours at every hand. It brings with it the News' appreciation of your visit. It is intended to save you much notation of important facts in memorandum books, and some selection of interesting and characteristic views. It is not by any means complete or exhaustive, but such as it is, it is reliable, even if brief; readable, even if printed a few miles south of the Arctic Circle. It is offered for your acceptance in the hope that it is of sufficient merit to warrant you all in carrying it home as a souvenir of warm hearts, even if it be of a cold country.

Note.—The gold in the gold pan on the cover page is from Discovery claim, Bonanza, the claim on which the gold was found that started the Klondike rush. Mr. J. Moore Elmer, manager of the property, kindly furnished the gold for this purpose.

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