

Few Coming From Dawson

Trails Are in Good Condition and the Weather is Favorable.

The Thrilling Ride of a Party of Four on the Crest of a Slide

Although the conditions for winter travelling could not be better, very few men are now coming out from Dawson.

On February 22 the weather at different points along the Yukon was as follows: Dawson—One above zero.

Stewart River—Cloudy, calm, 4 above.

Log Cabin—Cloudy, calm, 14 above.

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MONTREAL STUDENTS' RIOTS.

Militia Held in Readiness to Deal With the Trouble Looked For.

Montreal, March 3.—Trouble is anticipated here to-night between McGill College students and the French students of Laval.

The police and military were kept in readiness to-night to quell any disturbance, but fortunately the night passed off without any serious trouble.

REJOICINGS IN CANADA.

How the Citizens of Ontario and Quebec Received the News of Cronje's Collapse.

Montreal, Feb. 27.—(Special)—The news of the surrender of Cronje was received with great satisfaction here.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—The news of Cronje's surrender caused the greatest enthusiasm in the city this evening.

In many smaller villages bells were rung, decorations put up and the schools given a holiday.

False modesty causes many people to engage in the greatest misery imaginable from itching piles.

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AMERICAN SYMPATHY.

Housing Meeting of the British-American League Held at Seattle.

All that the people of the United States do is to help the British.

"After listening to the speeches, some of which were very witty, and indulging in song, the league effected a permanent organization, with the following officers:

TRAINS TO KIMBERLEY.

They are Now Running Regularly—Nothing Now to Hide in Roberts' Movements.

Orange River, Cape Colony, March 1.—The restrictions preventing newspaper correspondents from using this station, which have been enforced since Lord Roberts' advance, have been removed.

The news of General Cronje's surrender has been received with great rejoicing. Trains to Kimberley are now running regularly.

Fifty Men From British Columbia Will Be Accepted for Composite Regiment.

Ottawa, March 3.—The regiment to garrison Halifax was a composite one, drawn from every military district in Canada.

JOY AT THE CAPE. Extravagant Demonstrations Over Near Approach of Free State Army.

Capetown, Feb. 28.—There has been extravagant rejoicing in Cape Colony over the surrender of Gen. Cronje.

LOCAL NEWS. Inland Revenue.—The inland revenue returns for February follow: Spirits, \$8,140.43; malt, \$1,388.06; tobacco, \$2,581.27; raw leaf, \$289.80; cigars, \$174.20; total, \$12,588.86.

Increasing Their Plant.—The B.C. Pottery Co. have recently received orders from Great Britain and the United States twenty tons of massive machinery, which will be at once installed in addition to what is now in use.

Heroes Rewarded.—The names of the men who are to receive gold medals in recognition of the valorous action of the five seamen from the burning American schooner Hera, off Clayoquot Sound, November last, have been published. They are: F. Jacobsen, H. C. Brewster, F. Stanley Spain, Nigel L. Campbell, Thomas Owen and S. Torrens.

To Install a Post.—A special train will leave the E. & N. railway depot at 3.10 this afternoon carrying the members of Victoria Post of the Native Sons of British Columbia, who are to inaugurate the purpose of installing a post in that city.

Leleuvre-Billingsley.—The marriage of Mr. R. Leleuvre and Mabel Billingsley took place at the bride's residence, 175 Chatham street, at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening.

Mine Owners Go Home.—The Kootenay mine owners and managers, representing something like \$25,000,000 capital, who have been in the city for some time endeavoring to effect through the government a settlement of the difficulty arising out of the eight-hour law, have left for home.

FOR SALE Jersey cow 6 years old; to calve June; Guaranteed to make 10 lb butter per week; E. Biggs, 8-Barnes Island.

WANTED—A bull 2 years old; Durham preferred—Biggs, Barnes Island.

EVERY WEAK MAN SHOULD read a Descriptive Treatise on the Modern and Ancient Diseases which are called Pimples in Men, including Premature Extension and Retention of the Urine, and the various Disorders of the Urinary System, by Dr. J. C. Smith, M.D., F.R.C.S., London, 1898. Price 25 cents.

THE CANADIAN CASUALTIES.

List of Those Killed and Died of Wounds Received in Finishing Cronje.

Ottawa, March 1.—A cable received to-day dated March 1, from Sir Alfred Miller to Lord Minto, given Major Arnold, Winnipeg, as dangerously wounded.

Other names who died of wounds received in the action are: Pte. F. Waddell, 3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal; Pte. G. O. Ormond, 98rd Cumberland Infantry; Pte. W. A. Biggs, Charlottetown Engineers; Corporal P. W. Withers, C.A.; Pte. Jos. N. Johnston, 62nd St. John Fusiliers.

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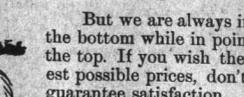
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