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SEMI-WEEKLY NUGGET.

DAWSON, Y. T., SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 1900.

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ISSUE

Condemned By

MISREPRESENTATION

Cleanup False and

Principal Claim Operators and Expressed--The Whole Thing Does the News Use?

Klondike wealth were so dis-
y falsehood as to lose all semb-
the actual condition of affairs.
er to lend an air of truthfulness
ification, the News makes the
at that "the facts presented
applied from data gathered from
aim being worked, care being
make it as accurate as all cir-
cumstances would permit." The
Nugget information from many
who contradict the assertions,
were made in the News regard-
ing respective properties. These
complaints became so general
as to be deemed advisable, in the
interest of claim owners and laymen
and information of the public to
utter unreliability of our con-
try; and, accordingly, a repre-
sative of the Nugget was detailed
to a few of the principal creeks
to ascertain the truth respecting min-
ing claims. Many persons, who own
ground, were interviewed,
and they are practically unani-
mous in blaming the News for its false
and exaggerated account of this season's
mining. With the exception of a
few, no representative of our
contemporary had called at the
Nugget for statistical information,
and we will not permit a reference
to all the creek properties; but the
accuracy of the reports which ap-
pear in the News of May 24th may
be ascertained from the consideration
of the claims below discovery on
this date.

A contemporary asserted that No.
46 owned by William Bradley and
the value of its cleanup would be
\$100,000. As a matter of fact, the prop-
erty owned by Brady and Apple, no
cleanup was done during the
winter, and no gravel at all
was cleaned this spring. Probably the
cleanup of No. 80, owned by Wil-
liam Bradley, but the production of

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"If You Thought It at Parsons
It Must Be Good."

this claim will not exceed in value the
sum of \$9000.

It was reported that Lees and Bernstein
are owners of No. 79, and that the out-
put would amount to \$7200. The
ground is owned by Reese and Bernstein,
and Mr. Reese asserts that he never saw
the representative of the News, and that
the dumps will wash about \$4800.

The product of No. 76b was estimated
at \$10,800. Mr. W. O. Smith, the
owner, when questioned by the repre-
sentative of the Nugget, replied "I
was not interviewed by the News re-
porter, and his report respecting my
property is incorrect. The output will
not exceed \$1400."

No. 67 was said to be owned by Reno
and Fountain, who would clean up \$12-
000. The names of the owners are Re-
naud and Fontaine, and Mr. Renaud
calculates that the property will pro-
duce less than \$6000.

No. 66, the owners of which are
without the territory, was accredited
with a probable cleanup of \$10,000.
Mr. D. G. Allen, who is working the
claim under a lay agreement, says:
"I have never told anyone what I
thought the dump was worth, and I am
satisfied that its value will not amount
by a considerable sum to \$10,000."

It was stated of No. 58 that O. F.
Park was the owner, and that its output
would amount to \$30,000. The real
name of the owner is O. F. Pike. In
speaking of the report in the News he
said: "I never saw the News reporter,
and I do not believe that he was ever
on the claim. My output will not ex-
ceed \$6000."

The product of No. 57 was estimated
at \$35,000. The owners declined to
make any statement respecting the worth
of gravel which has been extracted.
They assert that the value of their clean-
up is greatly exaggerated by the News.
It was asserted that No. 52 would pro-
duce \$84,000. As a matter of fact the
output will amount to about \$35,000.

To No. 51, a production of \$6000 was
ascribed. The property was let on a
lay, and some few weeks ago, the origi-
nal layman sold their dump for \$300.
The total result of the cleanup amounts
to \$800.

An estimate of \$45,000 was placed
upon the output of No. 49. Mr. De-
laney a layman on the claim, says: "I
am of the opinion that \$6000 is a maxi-
mum figure at which to place the value
of the dumps on this claim. I never
saw the representative of the News, and
it is not likely that he was ever on the
property."

Govan Pichon was alleged to be the
owner of No. 47, and the production
was calculated at \$50,000. The owners
of the property are Gauvin Brothers and
Pichon. Mr. A. Gauvin says: "The
News reporter did not visit this claim.
I do not know where he received his
false impressions; but he certainly
displayed remarkable ignorance in esti-
mating so high the value of our clean-
up. It will not exceed \$15,000."

No. 46 was said to be owned by A.
Bonanza, and the output was fixed at
\$18,000. Mr. Beneyton, the owner of
the claim, states: "A man who repre-
sented himself to be a reporter on the
News, called on me a little while ago.
He did not ask for any information re-
specting my property, but inquired for
the names of claim owners in this
vicinity. I replied as well as I could,
and he departed. I am surprised that
my dumps have been valued at \$18,000,
for the fact is that the ground will not
produce a fourth of that amount. I
shall probably realize \$4000 from the
cleanup."

No. 45 was accredited with a produc-
tion of \$180,000. Mr. Sinclair, the
owner, asserts: "The output has been
grossly exaggerated. It will not ex-
ceed \$60,000."

It was stated that No. 44 would pro-
duce \$36,000. The owners emphatic-
ly deny that they have given informa-
tion to any reporter; and they decline
to say anything respecting their prop-
erty other than the value of their clean-
up has been exaggerated by the News.

To No. 43, a production of \$60,000
was credited. The dump will not wash
over \$20,000.

Respecting No. 35, it was asserted
that \$5700 would be produced. The
property is worked by laymen, and they
declare that they were not interviewed
by a News reporter, and that their out-
put will not exceed \$1000.

The ownership of No. 31 was alleged
to be vested in A. H. Gray, and the
value of the dump was estimated at
\$30,000. The property is owned by A.
H. Day, and in commenting upon the
misstatement respecting the property he
says: "I saw the representative of the

News, but I positively declined to make
any conjectures in regard to this
spring's production. His estimate of
my cleanup is exaggerated."

The output of No. 30 was calculated
at \$60,000. Mr. Hugh Day, the layman
on the claim, refuses to disclose any
facts in reference to the worth of the
gravel which has been extracted. He
gave no information to the News re-
porter.

It was asserted that H. F. Beckett was
the owner of No. 30a, but the correct
names of the owners are H. F. Becket
and Welcome McDonald.

No. 28 was alleged to be owned by N.
H. Osborne & Co., and the output was
estimated at \$30,000. Osborne & Co.
are owners of the upper half of the
claim, but their portion of the property
has not been worked during the winter.
S. P. Lynn & Co the owners of the
lower half have a dump, which is
valued at \$10,000.

The production of No. 25 is fixed at
\$4800. The property is owned by the
Anglo-Klondike Company, whose agents
decline to estimate the value of their
dumps.

Claim No. 24 was sold a little while
ago by Kinney & Co. to Mr. McGil-
vray. All of the parties who were or
are now interested in the ground refuse
to state the amount of gold which will
be produced; but they are unanimous
in asserting that the estimate of \$8400,
which was made by the News, is greatly
exaggerated.

To No. 23 was ascribed a output of
\$3600. The truth of the matter is that
the claim has produced this spring
\$1592.

No. 20 was said to be owned by Alex
McDonald, and the dump was calculated
to be worth \$8400. The upper half of
the property is owned by Mr. McDonald;
but his portion of the claim was not
worked. The lower half is held by
William Chappel, and his part pro-
duced \$2400.

The output of No. 18 was estimated
at \$42,000, but the owners assert that
they did not give any information re-
specting the value of their probable
cleanup to the News reporter, or to any
one else.

The production of No. 17 was alleged
to be \$80,000, but the men who have
the property under a lay agreement,
assert that the dumps will not wash over
\$25,000, and the News estimate was not
obtained from them.

The output of No. 16 was fixed at
\$15,000; that of No. 15 at \$20,000; and
No. 14 at \$60,000. Mr. McKay, who is
an owner in all these claims and who is
actively engaged in the management of
them, says: "I never gave a representa-
tive of the News an estimate of what
our properties would produce; indeed, I
do not remember of being interviewed.
I must refuse all information relating
to the probable value of our dumps."

The output of No. 13 was alleged to
be \$40,000. The layman who is work-
ing the property declares: "I never
saw the News reporter, and I decline to
state what I shall probably wash up.
You may publish, however, that the es-
timate of the News is a gross exaggera-
tion."

Concerning Nos. 11 and 12, it was
said that the production would amount
to \$100,000. The laymen on No. 11
assert that the representative of the
News did not visit the property, and
they will be satisfied if they clean up
one-tenth of the sum which has been
estimated as the value of their dumps.
No. 12 was not worked at all.

Numerous other claim owners were
interviewed, but lack of sufficient space
prevents the publication of the text of
their respective statements. However,
the tenor of all of the conversations are
the same: the News has grossly exagger-
ated the outputs of the claims on all the
creeks, and the alleged information
which was printed in its special edi-
tion of May 24th is unreliable and un-
trustworthy.

The liquors are the best to be had, at
the Regina.

Newly opened--Mrs. West's ice cream
and confectionery parlors.

SENKLER TRIAL

Now in Progress Before Justice
Dugas, Acting as Special
Commissioner.

D. G. McTAVISH GIVES HIS EVIDENCE

Concerning a Conversation Be-
tween Senkler and Simpson.

VERY IMPORTANT WITNESS

Against the Gold Commissioner Is
Introduced in the Person of
W. H. Fisher.

At 10:30 o'clock this morning, Jus-
tice Dugas, acting under and by virtue
of a royal commission, commenced the
investigation of the charges which are
preferred by D. G. McTavish against
Gold Commissioner E. C. Senkler. The
magistrate immediately upon assuming
his position on the bench, notified Mr.
Woodworth, attorney for the complain-
ant and Mr. Wade, who appeared for
the defendant, that the examination of
witnesses would be conducted by the
justice himself; and that the advocates
would only be permitted to make sug-
gestions to the magistrate.

Mr. D. G. McTavish the complainant
was the first witness. He testified that
he had written to the minister of the
interior the letter which had occasioned
the issuance of the commission for
an investigation; that his accusa-
tions against Mr. Senkler were based
upon information which had been ob-
tained from W. V. Sommerville and
Thomas McDonald. All of the com-
plainant's testimony was of a hearsay
character, excepting that which related
to conversations and meetings of Dr.
Simpson and Commissioner Senkler.
The witness averred that in July, 1899,
he overheard the doctor ask if a grant
which had been issued to one Hobson
would be cancelled. The commissioner
replied that he had not talked concern-
ing the matter with Hobson. There-
upon, Dr. Simpson retorted "You ought
not to hold a fraction for a man for a
year." At another time in August,
1899, Dr. Simpson, just before his de-
parture for the outside, spent a few
hours with Commissioner Senkler in
the latter's private office.

The principal witness examined to-
day was W. H. Fisher, who is em-
ployed as an accountant in the N. A.
T. & T. Co.'s store. Mr. Fisher came
here from Montreal in 1898. In May,
1899, he inquired of Commissioner Sen-
kler of a certain fraction on Last Chance;
Mr. Senkler answered that the ground
was open for location and Fisher ac-
cordingly staked. On May 17 he at-
tempted to record, but A. F. Hurdman,
a clerk in the office, refused the appli-
cation. The witness made several other
efforts to secure a grant, but he was
always unsuccessful. Afterwards the
ground was recorded by Harry Dissen-
dorfer.

Besides the oral testimony, some
documentary evidence was submitted
today, and in all likelihood, it will be
some time before the official investiga-
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