

ENJOYABLE EXERCISES

Were Those of Coronation Day

Largest Crowd Ever Seen on the Barrack's Ground—Grand Display of Fireworks.

The exercises on Saturday afternoon, Coronation day, were in every respect the most enjoyable ever witnessed in Dawson. All the afternoon portion of the program was conducted on the barracks grounds which have at great labor and much expense been made an honor to the police department as well as a credit to the city.

The program was carried out without a hitch and with but very little delay, except that rain interfered with the lacrosse game at 6 o'clock in the evening.

During the whole afternoon the largest crowd ever assembled on the barracks grounds was present and nearly all remained until the program was complete. The occasion was enlivened by excellent music by the police band which, though of but recent organization, furnishes music equal to old-time professionals.

In the evening the vast crowd assembled on First avenue where, after the horse races which came off between 8:30 and 9:30, the people quietly waited until 11 o'clock, or until it was sufficiently dark, for the pyrotechnic display which took place from a barge anchored out in the Yukon and which was a most excellent exhibition.

Genelle's Preliminary

The preliminary hearing of Joe Genelle being heard in the police court this afternoon will result either in his dismissal or being bound over to the territorial court for trial. McMillan was again in court this morning, but upon the request of the crown prosecutor he was once more remanded one week, Mr. Congdon informing his lordship that by that time the Genelle case would be disposed of.

Bittner's Star Company—Auditorium.

Comfortable rooms, rates reasonable. Rainier House, King street, near post office.

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We have made a large number of tests and are ready to make others.

We have the best plant money will buy and guarantee all our work in this mill and also in the

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- Cups and Saucers, . . . . 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00
China Salads, . . . . \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
China Plates, . . . . 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

McLennan, McFeely & Co., Ltd.

GOLD FROM DUNCAN

Fine Exhibit in Sale & Co.'s Window

New Creek is Showing up Remarkably Well—Lots of Winter Work.

In one of the windows of J. L. Sale & Co.'s jewelry store today is exhibited three or four ounces of gold from a creek that bids fair to come into prominence as a heavy producer. It is from the claim of Ernest Bellevue which is 8 miles below discovery of Duncan creek. It is very pretty gold, being of a pale yellow—much lighter in color than Klondike gold.

Some weeks ago the Nugget contained an extended description of Duncan creek supplied by Mr. "Weldy" Young, recorder for the Stewart district, and at that time, although bedrock had been attained in but few places, but little work having been done, sufficient was known to warrant the statement that Duncan gave promise of being very rich. Later work has demonstrated the truth of the statement. Many men are now at work on the creek and others are getting in shape to start work. Duncan will be a lively creek next winter.

A Man of Experience

It was during the fireworks Saturday night and the man to whom nothing is new or wonderful had both eyes riveted on the pyrotechnic show. His interest in the display increased as it went on and at length he was heard to remark to a man by his side:

"That is as good as any Fourth of July exhibition I ever seed, and I reckon I've attended fully a thousand of 'em."

False Alarm

A fire alarm was given at a few minutes before 1 o'clock this afternoon from box No. 2 which is located near St. Mary's hospital. A lively run was made but no fire could be discovered and no person in that locality had any knowledge of who had given the alarm.

Lawn Social

Remember the lawn social on the beautiful grounds of the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon and night—from 4 until 10 o'clock. No admission will be charged and all are most cordially invited to be present and take part in the various amusements. Those who desire may obtain refreshments which will be dispensed from stands at nominal prices.

Job printing at Nugget office.

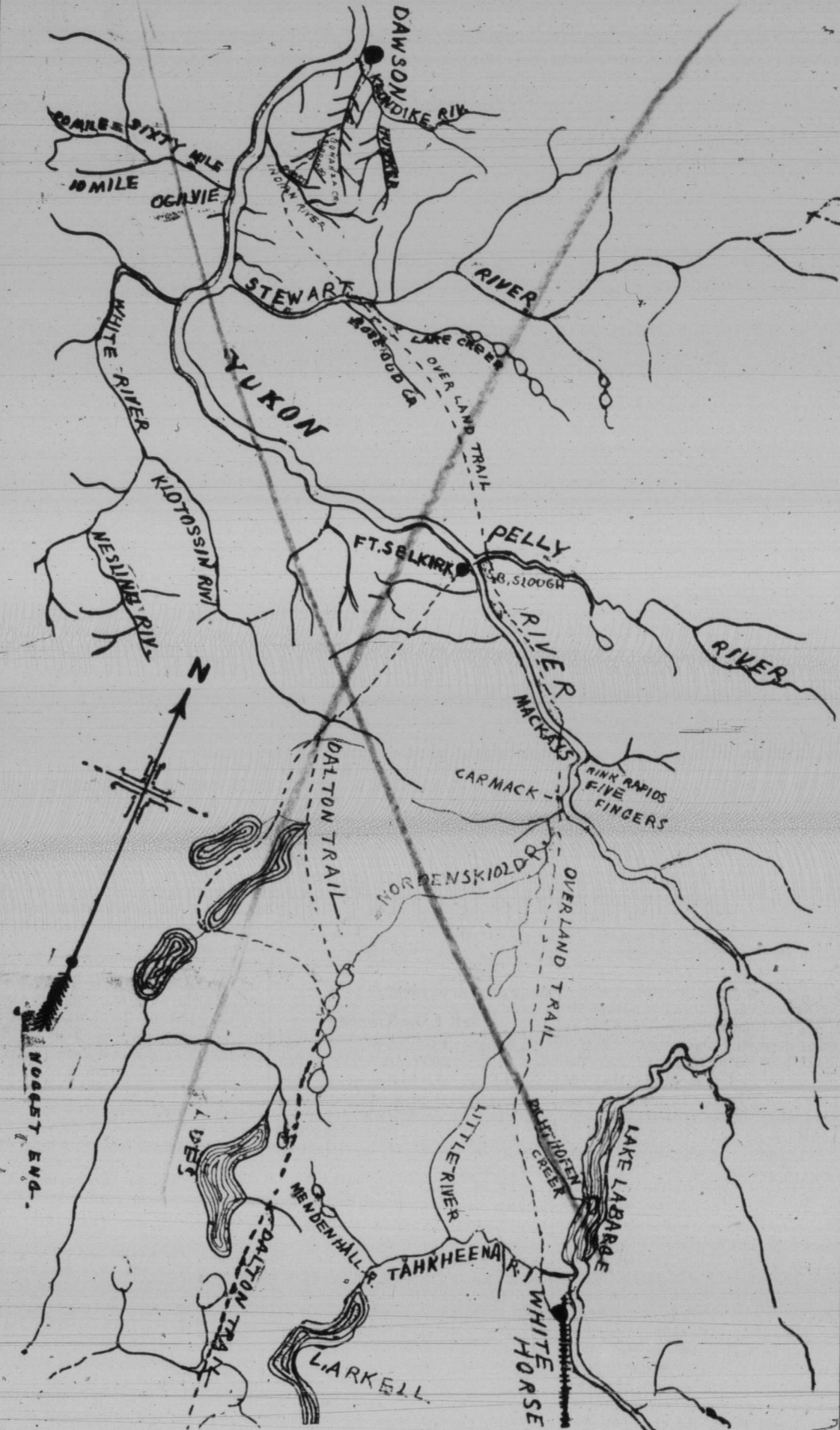
Read and Learn.

If you want to keep up with the times it will be necessary to read the daily papers. This holds good the world over. If you are inclined to be economical read the advertisements. By so doing you can save many a dollar.

Cribbs, the druggist, is too modest to blow his own horn, but just the same he has everything you want in the drug line, toilet articles, etc., at virtually outside prices (freight added). Call and be convinced.

CRIBBS, The Druggist King St., next to Post Office.

ROUTE OF THE NEW OVERLAND WINTER TRAIL BETWEEN DAWSON AND WHITEHORSE



The Nugget today publishes the first authentic map of the new government road running from Dawson to Whitehorse upon which construction work is now being carried on simultaneously in a number of different places. The sketch was furnished through the courtesy of Mr. David Macfarlane, superintendent of local improvements, and will be found to be as near correct as possible to make it without the drawing being to scale. Leaving Dawson the road

will be observed passes up Bonanza to Eldorado, thence up the latter, down Calder to Quartz, crossing Indian river and going in almost an air line to the Stewart which is crossed near Rosabud. After the Pelly is passed the right limit of the Yukon is followed to Mackay's where it is crossed about two miles above its mouth. Between Mackay's and Carmack's a matter of four miles is saved and the hills on the old cut-off are avoided. Upon crossing the Nordenskiold the old cut-off is followed for about thirty miles when it is

left to the east, the road following an easy grade until the Tahkeenah is reached, down which it passes until within a few miles of Whitehorse, when it is left and the ten miles intervening between it and the copper mines are easily and quickly traversed and Whitehorse is entered from the west. The distance between Dawson and Whitehorse over the new route is 307 miles against 369 over the ice and the cut-off put in by the mail contractors two years ago, and 451 miles by the all-water route of the steamers.

Encountered a Bear.

A Dawsonite started out yesterday for a solitary walk up the old Bear creek trail along the Klondike. When a short distance east of Acklen's farm he met a bear in the trail and decided his walk had extended sufficiently far. Both man and bear faced about and back-tracked. Bears are said to be more numerous in the locality around Dawson this year than ever before since the camp was known.

Fatal Gas Explosion.

Trinidad, Colo., Aug. 2.—George Greenfall, George Parker and George Mason were killed and E. H. Keller and W. A. Galbraith injured by a gas explosion today at the Broadhead mine of the Las Animas Coal Company, at Aguilar, Colo. The men were pumping water from an abandoned shaft when the explosion occurred.

Due to Ill Health

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 2.—The body of Mrs. Julia C. Howell, the Chicago woman who committed suicide in Denver yesterday, reached this city today, accompanied by a lady friend of Denver. It was learned today that Mrs. Howell, while on her way west a few days ago, stopped in this city long enough to purchase a lot in Prospect Hill cemetery and a marble monument from a local dealer. So far as can be learned the woman had no relatives in this city, although she had made every arrangement to be buried here. Mrs. Howell left a note saying ill-health was the cause of her act. She appeared to be a woman of culture and refinement.

Attacked by Yaquis.

San Francisco, July 29.—A special from Tucson, Ariz., says: "Driven to desperation by hunger

and thirst, a band of thirty Yaquis, nearly half of them women, attacked the Carmen ranch, near Hermosillo, on Saturday, and a fierce fight followed. When a patrol of Mexican troops came to the rescue, two of the women and five of the men were dead. The Yaquis were weak from hunger, and when attacked by superior numbers they were compelled to surrender. Fifteen prisoners, including two chiefs, were marched to Hermosillo, where they will be sentenced by General Torres. The band is supposed to be the last remnant of those who took the war path some time ago."

Nugget vs. News

Great preparations (in the way of baskets and mits) are being made for the baseball game between the Nugget and News at the barracks tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. The latter team is already scared and would back out if it dared do it.

PRIMARY TONIGHT

To Elect 20 Delegates to Convention

Every British Fernist the Yukon Government Invited to Take Part.

The first gun to be fired in the political battle which occurs this fall in the election of a member to parliament from this territory will be set off at Pioneer hall tonight when will be selected twenty delegates to the convention to be held in Dawson August 23. The party so far is nameless, but it is presumed to embrace everyone who is against the government as it is administered in the Yukon territory regardless of their former affiliations. Politics, strictly speaking, are to be eschewed, the party managers stating that it is the intention to combine all the factions which are opposed to the present government, the opposition to be construed wholly from a Yukon standpoint. Said a gentleman today who is one of the foremost in the movement:

"In order for Dawson to retain her position as the banner constituency of the Yukon it is absolutely necessary that the delegates be chosen with care and discrimination and only the very best material considered. It is necessary, too, that we prevent any disruption in our ranks and to have every class and faction of the territory represented at the convention. If we stand together as a unit we have every reason to believe that we can send our candidate to parliament, electing him by a handsome majority over the best man the Liberal party can put forward. I feel that we are beginning none too soon in opening the campaign and while it is true the date of the election has not been made known we can loose nothing by preparing our forces before hand."

There will no doubt be a big crowd at the meeting of the primaries this evening and as there are at least a half dozen candidates for parliamentary honors and each will have his friends on hand to see that a fair deal is had, there may be somewhat of a pyrotechnical display before the delegates are finally chosen.

The convention which will nominate the candidate will consist of 75 delegates chosen from thirty different points in the territory, their number ranging from one to twenty, the latter being the number allotted to Dawson. The delegates so far elected at outside points are as follows:

- Grand Forks—D. A. McClelland, Mr. Alexander, H. McMillan, Mr. Blundell and J. G. Morgan.
Bonanza, No. 30 below—Mr. Cunliffe and Mr. Smith.
Bonanza, No. 29 below—John Bourke and Mr. Patterson.
Bonanza, No. 30 above—William Moore and George Kruse.
Eldorado—J. R. McKinnel and Mr. Gordon.
Last Chance—W. H. Campbell and Aimee Lecert.
Hunker, mouth of Last Chance—Colin Chisholm and Mr. McDonald.
Hunker, No. 26 below—Election will probably occur Wednesday.
Hunker, mouth of Gold Bottom—Election tomorrow evening.
Hunker, No. 3 above—No report.
Dominion, upper discovery—Mr. Baird and Mr. Lockora.
Dominion, mouth of Caribou—No report.
Dominion, No. 7 below lower—No report.
Sulphur—Charles Gorbitt, Fred Carmen, John Bathurst and Wm. Hogan. Sulphur made the mistake of electing four delegates when they were entitled to but three. A choice of the third man will be made between the last two named.

Elections are yet to be held on Gold Run, which is entitled to four delegates, and Dominion below the mouth of Gold Run, which is accredited with two.

No report has as yet been received from Glacier and Miller creeks, Fortymile, Stewart or in fact any of the outlying districts other than those in close proximity to Dawson.