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DAWSON, Y. T., MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1901

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ATTEMPTED HIS OWN LIFE

H. M. Fowle, Having Embezzled \$1600 Which He Is Said to Have Given to an Actress, Would Escape Prosecution by Traveling Chloral Route—Is Now in Jail—His Past.

H. M. Fowle, book-keeper for Tom Chisholm of the Aurora saloon, attempted to commit suicide last night...

he was unable to arouse him. He became frightened and immediately sent for a physician. Drs. Thompson and Sutherland responded to the call and found the man under the influence of an extremely heavy dose of chloral...

Mr. Chisholm asked him if he had not been square while working for the McDonald Iron Works and he replied that he had but he said that he was not held in such confidence as while at work for Chisholm and the opportunity did not present itself for him to go wrong.

They are warm numbers—the cartoons at the Pioneer saloon.



THE HIGHEST TRIBUNAL OF THIS EMPIRE WILL BE APPEALED TO AGAINST THE WHITE PASS RAILROAD.

RY. CO. SUED FOR \$8,000,000

Asked to Return That Amount Stolen From Patrons During Its Life of Less Than Two and One Half Years—Victoria, Vancouver and Dawson Merchants Interested.

Vancouver, Dec. 8.—Suit has been entered against the British Yukon Company (White Pass Railway) for the return of money aggregating eight million dollars...

The merchants of Dawson who during the past two years and over have been systematically mulcted by the White Pass and Yukon railroad...

Victoria, Dec. 8.—The miners of the two greatest collieries on Vancouver Island have thrown down the gauntlet to Premier Dunsmuir by affiliating with the miner's union in defiance of Dunsmuir's threat...

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—Sir Henry Strong, chief justice of Canada and father of James Strong, the first mayor of Nome, is charged in the Ottawa police court with technical assault in that he made threatening gestures to Barrister R. J. Wickstead during the hearing of a recent case before the supreme court.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Alice Hay, the eldest daughter of Secretary of State Hay, is to marry Pauline Whitney, son of W. C. Whitney. The bride-to-be is the author of a number of books of verse that have been well-received.

Sots, Dec. 8.—Halju, the assassin of ex-premier Stambouloff of Austria, has been arrested at this place. He resisted and emptied two revolvers at the police before being overpowered.

Seattle, Dec. 8.—The steamer Clara Brown went ashore during a recent fog. A-Ki point can be saved with but little damage.

There was a quiet Sunday morning break taken by a number of Dawsonites yesterday, not to the side door of a saloon for a morning's morning, but up Bonanza to stake claims on a newly discovered quartz ledge...

Shot at Short Range. Mrs. Fourshusband—It is really true, as the papers intimate, that our United States senators frequently talk for the mere purpose of killing time?

Mr. F.—What a reprehensible practice, to be sure? Mr. F. (mindful of the fate of his predecessor)—Very true, but there are greater offenders. Our local county clerk bears testimony to the existence of more fatal labors than those whom you accuse.—Boston Courier.

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KLONDIKE PLATINUM

Valuable Discovery Made at the Vancouver Assay Office. Vancouver, Dec. 9.—T. C. McCauley, manager of the Dominion assay office at this place, states that his assayers have found important percentages of platinum in dust and nuggets from the Klondike.

London, Dec. 9.—The Spectator highly commends President Roosevelt's message, especially approving his attitude towards trusts and also the foreign policy outlined by him.

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—The population of Quebec is shown by the late census returns to be 1,045,372 against 1,488,535 in 1901. The French population is now 1,307,980 as compared with 1,186,246 ten years ago.

NEW FURNACES.

London, Dec. 7.—English iron-masters propose large importations of ore from Newfoundland and Nova Scotia for the treatment of which immense basic furnaces will be constructed.

SENSITIVE LEO.

Rome, Dec. 8.—Pope Leo will not send a representative to King Edward's coronation for the reason that he was not officially advised of his accession.

TERRIBLE DEATH.

Seattle, Dec. 9.—Tom Raymond of Black Diamond, while hunting on Saturday fell into a quicksand-mass and was swallowed up.

DICK CASE OUT.

San Francisco, Dec. 8.—Perry Queenan last night put Dick Case of Seattle out in the tenth round of what was to be a forty round go.

RAISIN CORNER.

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—A movement is on foot to corner the unsold portion of California's raisin crop and double present prices.

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WRECK LOCATED.

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—The wreck of the Rio Janeiro has been located off Golden Gate by a diver who claims to have stood on the deck of the lost steamer in 30 fathoms of water.

BOER CHILDREN.

Paris, Dec. 9.—Edmond Rostand publishes touching appeals in all the Paris papers in behalf of the Boer women and children in the British concentration camps.

NEW RAILROAD.

Detroit, Dec. 8.—Joseph B. Moore of this city has placed \$2,100,000 per cent. 30 year bonds in England, thus assuring the construction of the Gulf and Manitoba railway from Duluth to Kansas city.

NOTHING NEW.

Paris, Dec. 8.—Sensational disclosures are expected as the result of a rupture between M. Labori and Drupuisite. It is alleged a conspiracy existed against the French army.

BUSINESS RESUMES.

London, Dec. 9.—As an indication more normal conditions prevail at Pretoria, transactions of stocks and shares have resumed as well as the business in the postal department.

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NEW ROUTE TO KOYUKUK

Three Swedes to Cross Country on Skees. Three Swedes are preparing to leave this week for the Koyukuk by a route never before attempted. They expect to start back over the hills northeast of Dawson and continue in that direction until they strike the Koyukuk basin and then follow down until they reach the settlements, which distance they think does not exceed 250 miles.

Doctor—Did your visit to the seaside have the desired effect, madam? Mrs. Fallpurse—Oh, yes, doctor, both my daughters are married.

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WOMAN'S CHEAP LODGINGS

Sleeping Bed, Board and All Else is Supplied.

... Bath and a Well Equipped Laundry Where Lodgers Do Their Own Washing.

... was about 9 o'clock one evening I entered the London county woman's lodging house in Parker street, and by paying my sixpence to the clerk in the little office, received a ticket which entitled me to the use of the place and a bed all night. It is a red brick structure, and you turn down Parker street, down Perry Lane, it is impossible to miss it without noticing it, for it is the largest building in the little town.

... it was only 9 o'clock there was a party for bed, and furthermore I went to inspect the various rooms of the immense building, so followed others who had procured tickets and came into the huge kitchen. If I have never visited a kitchen in a woman's lodging house you have not had a sight. It is a case of help or go without. The Council have all the necessary utensils, as kettles, tea-pots, coffee pots, pans, enamelled mugs and plates, in the store you can purchase almost anything, from halfpenny packets of tea, coffee, or cocoa, to a farthing's worth of milk, a three-farthing water or a three halfpenny rasber, a set of studs for a farthing and a penny paper collar. It was surprising the adept manner in which the prepared their meals. Boiling water is always obtainable, and each has his own tea or coffee and cooks and vegetables as he wills.

... at one of the wooden tables at a bare but scrupulously clean and watched the 30 or 40 men were in the room cooking and eating their starchy meals. It was a noisy crowd. Many of them evidently knew better days, their delicate hands and white hands plainly showing that they were not of the working class.

... street lodging house may be described as the cheapest in the world. For your sixpence you can not only make any use of the kitchen and its numerous utensils, but you have also free access to the lavatories and a laundry in the former. Towels are provided but no soap. The foot baths are free. In the laundry there is a requisite for washing line, a mangle and mangling machine, and a heated oven for drying. When I saw a man was busy washing his shirt, and he assured me that had often washed his own shirt in it on again perfectly dry in half an hour. Mention may also be made of the barber shop, where you get your hair cut for the low price of 1/4d or a shave for a penny. You are permitted to the three lavatories every half hour from 7 p. m. until 11:30. When the bath opens, the house is nominally closed at 12:30, but admittance is obtained at the side door until 1 o'clock, and even later. I was told I made my way upstairs to some 40 other lodgers. When I pointed out my bed I was told to exclaim, "What a small bed! I remembered the price paid for it, and the additional fact that I was on the hunt for a little cubicle in which the men sleep about 6 ft. 6 in. in length and 4 ft. 8 in. in width, partitioned from each other by sheet iron, every man has a window to which he can open or close at will. With the exception of two the enclosure is absolutely bare.

... amount must anyone have gaped the mortified candidate. "If a man wants a locker he goes one down stairs, for which sixpence is made for the use of the latter in given up 4d. and for the modest sum may have a locker for any time. One individual kept for five years, and then returned key and received 4d. Boxes may be kept in the store, but no charge is made for them. The porters of the lodgers are garden porters and are up simply to tell the attendant and the time he wishes to. The method adopted of waking the unique. The partition at the end of the bed is about six feet long and can just glance over the man, when he wants to call the porters, hang the sleeper on the line, with a soft ball of wool on to the end of a lamp. By this device the man in the room is not disturbed. The man has to be up by 6 o'clock every day and 5 on Sunday.

... I made my identity known to the independent, Mr. C. Long, who elicited some facts about this poor man's hotel and its various boarders. The lodging house built about eight years ago cost of about \$22,000. It is however, on a self-supporting basis, the three large dormitories are all beds. All through the morning they are full, and even at night time, which is a slack

... with the ordinary lodging house, 800 men sleep there every night.

... A great number sleep in the same bed night after night. There is an old German at the lodging house who has slept in the same bed for the last seven years. In the large smoking room, with its library of some 200 volumes and newspaper stands containing copies of the principal daily papers, Mr. Long kindly chatted for some time about his numerous lodgers. "Even now," he said, "there are a number of lawyers sleeping here who once had good practices, and on one of the benches in the yard out there there is an auctioneer. Yes, it is here where the professional man often rubs shoulders with the hard-working mechanic.

... "If many of the men here now were to tell you their histories they would certainly form romantic reading. An individual once stayed here for two years, he conducted himself very well and to all appearances had seen better days. One day some of his friends found him and took him away in a carriage and pair. I often have inquired for missing relatives, and occasionally have been the means of restoring them.

... "But the drawback with such men is this: when once they have come down so low in the world they never aspire to anything higher. I have a man here now whose relatives send him 10s. a week and, on this he manages to live, in fact, it is unsafe to send him any more, for he only wastes it in drink. A good many remittances come here every week from friends and relatives of the men who lodge here.

... "During the winter months especially the smoking room is pretty full, and it is surprising what wonderful arguments the men bring up. It is then that one can pick out those whose education is better than the ordinary. On the whole, however, I have nothing to complain of about my lodgers; and I am sure our efforts are appreciated. Concerts are given every week during the winter months, and on Sunday night a religious service is held. Games are also provided after 3 p. m., such as chess, draughts and dominoes. Gambling of any kind is strictly prohibited. Strict discipline is enforced, and the men know they have to obey the rules or else they are ejected. Anyone, of course, can engage a bed and sleep here and no question is asked, only the applicant's name taken. About a fortnight ago, for instance, a gentleman came in here late one evening with a frock coat and silk hat and procured a ticket for a bed. I meant to have told him to be careful about his watch, but being busy missed him. Two days afterwards, however, I found out that he was a detective, and supposed he was watching some particular individual."—Tit-Bits

The Audience Was Spared.

... About eight out of ten men, one meets nowadays are thinking of putting up for the vestry elections, county council, or something, it is not surprising that a large proportion of these ambitious gentlemen are of the self-made variety that could not deliver an intelligible speech if they were to be hanged. The result is that the hard-up penny-a-liners are turning an honest penny by supplying these tongue-tied statesmen with ready-made campaign blunders.

... Some time ago there was a most enthusiastic meeting in a part of Birmingham for the purpose of introducing candidates for the vestry. A timid gentleman who was no orator was brought forward. He laid a voluminous written speech on the desk and made a start. He had got as far as "Ladies and Gentlemen," when a hungry looking party in a week before last shirt stood up in the front row and whispered: "How about that little account?" The orator coughed, colored, looked fixedly at the gallery, and strove to continue.

... "I say," continued the interrupter, more loudly, "you know what I told you—cash down."

... "If I'll see you in the morning," gasped the mortified candidate.

... "That won't do," replied the creditor, doggedly. "You can't play the morning dodge on me. I'm dead on my feet now. I am: You've got to settle up or shut up. Fork out that 45 on the spot, or not a word shall you say."

... "I haven't got that amount with me," murmured the distinguished speaker, fumbling in his clothes. "Just—just sit down, and I'll see you later."

... "Later be blowed," growled the orator, and before the amazed audience had recovered from their surprise he had mounted the platform, transferred the manuscript to his coat-tail pocket, and walked out.

... The crushed nominee took a back seat on the platform and wept like a child, while the gentlemen on the platform coughed vigorously to cover the confusion of their colleague.—Tit-Bits

Two Breakfasts.

... "I'm a confirmed dyspeptic; that's why I look so pale," said the city man, gazing almost enviously at the ruddy face of his old friend from the country who had called at his office.

... "What you need is simple country food, man," said his visitor, clapping him heartily on the shoulder. "Come and visit my wife, and me on the farm for a while, and we'll set you up. It's rich town living that's too much for you. Now, take breakfast for instance. All I have is two good cups of coffee, a couple of hot rolls, a bit of steak with a baked potato, some fresh muffins, and either cake

... or a bit of veal and ham pie to top off with. What do you have?"

... The town man looked at his red-cheeked friend, who stood waiting for the confirmation of his idea.

... "A cup of hot water and two slices of dry toast," he responded, soberly.

... "But if you think a simple diet like yours would help me, I will make one more attempt to be a healthy man."

... Fancy Xmas cards, exquisite designs.—Kilgore & Landahl's.

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GEN. CHAFFEE'S FIRST REPORT

Only Time Will Solve Philippine Problem.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The United States war department has made public the first annual report of Major General Chaffee, Military Governor of the Philippines. Chaffee sums up the situation in the Philippines, from a military point of view, by stating that the provinces of Batangas and Laguna, in Luzon, and the Islands of Samar, Mindoro, Cebu and Bohol, constitute an area now disturbed by an embodied force of insurgents. Owing to the physical character of the country to natural warfare of rebels, who are "Amigos" and foe in the self same hour; to the humanity of the troops, which is taken advantage of by the rebels and inhabitants who sympathize with them, and to the fear of assassination on part of those natives friendly disposed, if they give information to American forces, is due the prolongation of guerrilla warfare.

... Commenting on the plan of gradually replacing military with civil administration, Chaffee says:—"The withdrawal of interference with civil affairs does not mean withdrawal of troops from their stations to any considerable extent. On the contrary, this should not be done hastily, and, when undertaken, should be gradual and more in the nature of concentration than reduction of force, or abandonment of any considerable area of territory."

... He, therefore, recommends that there be no further material reduction of troops before January, 1903. Civil governments which are being organized, provincial and municipal, Chaffee says, are both new and untried, and there is but one certain and reliable method of ascertaining the progress of the Filipinos in self government, namely—observation by the army.

NEW STRIKE ON SULPHUR

Good Pay Discarded on No. 7 Friday Gulch.

Gold in paying quantities has been struck on Friday Gulch which comes into Sulphur creek at No. 3 below discovery. But little prospecting was done further than sink one hole to bedrock, the discoverer then hastening to town to record discovery in order that others might locate and record. From 15 to 20 claims have been already staked. Pans taken from the hole already put down go from 5 to 25 cents each.

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... We fit glasses. Pioneer drug store.

FIRST MAN OVER THE ICE

Arrived in Dawson From Outside Friday Night.

H. Motanier, a Chechaco Hill mine owner, is stopping at the Empire hotel resting up from a hazardous trip over the ice. He got in to Dawson late Friday and came the river alone and on foot. He left Whitehorse November the 10th with the mail team now on the way, but was compelled to leave that outfit above Selkirk, as the mail men made camp there for an indefinite period. He suffered no particular privations or hardships en route and reports the trail down from Stewart river a perfect boulevard.

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