

CITIZENS' MEETING

Incorporation Ordinance Picked to Pieces and Many Amendments Offered

There through the audience so as to not give the meeting too much of a sepulchral to a packed caucus...

The Ladue Assay Office

Prepared to Assay all kinds of Rock. We have the finest equipped assaying plant in the Yukon Territory...

The Ladue Co.

The Finest House in Dawson. All Modern Improvements.

LAYS TO LET. Gold Run, 1/2 mile below Dawson...

EMPIRE HOTEL

At J. L. Salk & Co. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

toes... any... McLENNAN, McFEELY & CO., Ltd.

Upon the meeting being called to order Dr. Alfred Thompson was placed in the chair with Alex. Macfarlane named as secretary...

The first objection raised to the bill was that clause pertaining to the qualifications of voters. It was suggested that section 18 be amended...

Small Boy Drives Piece of Glass Through His Hand

While a number of boys at the State's school were playing with a small mirror yesterday it was broken and in grabbing for the pieces Howard, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Heman, drove a piece of glass through his hand...

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

who, assisted by Dr. Sutherland, administered chloroform, removed the glass and dressed the wound. The boy suffered great pain from the time of the accident until the glass was removed.

THEATRICALS AT THE FORKS

Started This Morning. Sergeant Tweedle with Geo. St. Cyr, the insane prisoner, in charge, got away early this morning for the outside. A dog driver left with them...

Miners' free lunch at the Bank Saloon. Gunther's Allegretti, Lowney and Hayler candies at Gandolfo's.



THE CHIEF HAS RESIGNED—BUT HE STILL HANGS ON TO THE HAT.

A CALL TO ACTION.

The time has arrived when the tax payers and responsible business men of Dawson must come together and devise ways and means of protecting their interests against the onslaught of a clique of professional office seekers and agitators.

A well defined movement is on foot among this element to take advantage of the apathy now existing among those who are most heavily interested in the community, the object being to secure control of the machinery of local government for their own personal advantage.

LANTERNS NOT NOW REQUIRED

The schools of the city have very sensibly delayed the hour of opening in the morning until semi-daylight arrives. The Sisters' school now begins thuday at 9:30 and the public school at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

CLEVERLY DESIGNED

The Windows of the N. C. Co. Attracts Unusual Attention.

Jim Thornton in charge of the N. C. Co.'s dry goods department, has arranged a most attractive and originally designed window for his company in which countless handkerchiefs are artistically displayed.

THEATRICALS AT THE FORKS

The residents of the Forks are to be treated to a high class vaudeville entertainment this evening, a company consisting of Roy Southard, Carroll the equilibrist, Leotta Howard and Katherine Krieg having gone up this morning on a special stage.

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MAIL LEFT THIS MORNING

Post Office Does Land Office Business for Two Days. Yesterday and the day before were red letter days at the postoffice. The clerks had scarcely finished distributing the letters that arrived Tuesday...

DEPARTMENT CALLED OUT

Fire at the Corner of Eight Ave. and Harper Street.

A fire alarm was turned in this afternoon from box 31 which caused the department a merry chase up the hill as far as Eighth avenue, the fire being in cabin at the corner of Eighth avenue and Harper street...

ALASKA LIGHT HOUSES.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Improvements in the lighthouse service, including the coast of Washington, amounting to \$83,000, are recommended in the annual report of the secretary of the treasury.

OPEN UNTIL MIDNIGHT

Mail Will Leave Dawson Every Wednesday Morning.

Postmaster Hartman desires to inform the patrons of the Dawson postoffice that in the future mail will leave for the outside every Wednesday morning and that all mail dropped in the box either in the building or from the outside up to Tuesday midnight will be collected...

RECEIVED BY WIRE SKAGWAY STEAMERS

Two Within the Past 24 Hours Bring Freight and Passengers for Yukon

SACK OF OUT-GOING MAIL DISAPPEARS

White Pass Had Passenger Coach Filled This Morning

MOUNTED POLICE COMING

Horses Being Taken to Fortymile—'Kid' West Nears End of His Long Mushing Trip.

Skagway, Dec. 12.—The Cottage City arrived yesterday afternoon with thirty passengers and 100 tons of freight, about the half of which is for the Yukon. The steamer sailed on her return voyage last night.

One coach on this morning's train to Whitehorse was comfortably filled, the heaviest passenger list for many weeks.

Seventeen sacks of Dawson and lower river mail arrived last night in good condition. One sack from the shipment is missing, having been lost on the way.

On the train this morning were C. E. Barrett and W. J. Schuster of Seattle, and A. C. Rooge and E. C. Cowan of Davenport, Iowa, en route to Fortymile with teams.

Sanderson, a Dawson trader, arrived from the inside last night and 'Kid' West is expected tonight.

Dr. I. H. Moore of this place has returned from a visit to Pennsylvania where he interested considerable capital in Porcupine mines.

A detachment of Mounted Police arrived on the Cottage City in charge of Inspector Pelletier and Sergeant Cunningham. They are said to be for the Dawson post.

Ames Mercantile Co. Freezing Does Not Affect It. 4 Dozen One Pound Tins to the Case. ST. CHARLES MILK. \$8.00 PER CASE. Every Case Guaranteed.

The Klondike Nugget

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morning and find the community dominated by professional agitators and mischief makers.

A Skagway newspaper complains that the mounted police have taken a crazy man to Skagway and turned him loose. Skagway is a chronic kicker.

AGAINST THE MILITARY

Lawyer Corcoran of Nome, Says Money Was Accepted.

San Francisco, Nov. 5.—M. J. Corcoran was introduced by the respondents in the Nome contempt cases today to testify in their behalf.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1901.

\$50 Reward.

We will pay a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any one stealing copies of the Daily or Semi-Weekly Nugget from business houses or private residences, where same have been left by our carriers.

KLONDIKE NUGGET.

TIMBER SUPPLY.

Fears have been expressed at various times that the supply of timber available for the Dawson market will not last for any number of years.

It must be remembered, however, that the work thus far done, has been confined to the immediate banks of the rivers. In very few instances have loggers or men in search of firewood penetrated any distance from the banks.

There need be no uneasiness felt in respect to the timber supply. Millions of cords of splendid logs are awaiting the introduction of modern methods of logging.

The Seattle P.-I. is greatly agitated over the origin and use of the word "electrocuted."

The Boy Scold.

A Scotch laddie, delivering milk, was stopped the other day on his round by two police officers.

The resignation of Chief Stewart from the fire department recalls the fact that the resignations of all the men in the department were filed some time ago.

Our good neighbor the Sun extends the olive branch of peace and softly murmurs a hope that the newspapers of Dawson will be able, hereafter, to get along without quarreling with each other.

The sixpence was duly handed over, with the question: "Now, what does your employer put in the milk?"

Xmas cards are now on exhibition at O. Schuman's jewelry store to be given away to the school children of Dawson Saturday, Dec. 14, from 2 to 5 p. m.

Heavy Wool Skirts At \$5, \$7.50, \$10 Up.

...SILK SKIRTS... AT VERY LOW PRICES.

J. P. McLENNAN 233 FRONT STREET

A Yukon Song. The Nugget this year proposes to offer fifty dollars for a song. This Yukon territory, in the growth and prosperity of which every inhabitant takes the very deepest interest, has been celebrated the world over by newspapers and magazines, and books even, have been devoted to descriptions of its wonderful richness.

THE GOLDEN BOWL OPIUM DEN

And the Purposes to Which the Spiked Room Was Put.

It Contained the Secret of the Loss of Sir Richard Neville Wearing an Empty Sleeve.

I have often been asked how it came about that Sir Richard Neville possessed but one arm during the last twenty years of his life.

Those who were intimately acquainted with Sir Richard must have noticed the unhealthy appearance of his face, which was attributable to the fact that he was an excessive consumer of opium.

We were in Paris in 1874—had gone there to spend the season, and it was towards the end of our stay I perceived that Sir Richard had been partaking far too freely of the frightful narcotic.

One morning he did not make his appearance at the breakfast table, and though I was rather surprised at this I did not make inquiries.

Knowing the firm hold his weakness had taken upon him I began to fear that he had by some means got into one of the opium dens which at that time abounded in Paris.

Well, he did not appear at all the next morning, and I at once went and put the police in possession of the facts.

During the next two days I heard nothing of Sir Richard—the police had discovered nothing, although everything that was possible had been done.

On the third day after his disappearance I found myself in one of the lowest neighborhoods of Paris, outside the "Golden Bowl," one of the most notorious of Paris dens.

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smashed it and threw the broken pieces down the aperture, trusting to Providence that nobody was below who would give the alarm.

Nothing fresh happened, however, and with frenzied hands I tore the bricks from the ceiling.

At last I considered that the hole was large enough for our purpose; it was about 4 1/2 feet square, or rather longer than broad.

I then sat up and talked matters over with Sir Richard. We had been talking for about twenty minutes when a key was inserted in the lock.

At this moment a most unfortunate accident occurred. The door, directly he let go his hold, started to swing back with the key outside.

I tore off my braces and found the semi-conscious keeper. I then asked him which he would prefer.

He chose the latter and I unbound his legs, and taking a spike I held it at his forehead, the point just piercing his skin, from which trickled a drop or two of blood.

Thus we led the villain forth. After traversing numerous passages and halls we at last saw the glorious sunshine streaming under a door at the end of a passage.

For six months he had to keep to his bed, and that six months' forced abstinence broke his desire for opium, and I believe saved him from an early grave.

At the rate at which I judged it to be moving I reckoned it would take about five hours and a half before I should be impaled upon the murderous spikes.

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AMUSEMENTS THE AUDITORIUM. Ralph E. Cummings Week Ending Dec. 9. JIM, THE WESTERNER Monday and Thursday Ladies' Night

DAWSON LIQUOR CO. We have the Highest Grade and Finest Assortment of Liquors sold anywhere in the world.

Commercial to the Front. Two commercial gentlemen both travelling for safe-makers, met at an inn.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. PATULLO & RIDLEY - Attorneys, Notaries, Conveyancers, etc.

Bell & Robertson. Real Estate, Solicitors and Notaries Public.

SOCIETIES. THE REGULAR COMMUNICATION OF YUKON LODGE, No. 79, A. F. A. M.

B. A. DODGE STAGE LINE. Last Chance, Hilder and Doolittle.

F. S. DUNHAM'S THE FAMILY GROCER. Corner 2nd Ave. and 6th St.

"Hurry-Up Jobs" Done In a Manner To Surprise The Rush-Job Fiend.

Printing CLEAN, ORIGINAL, ARTISTIC WORK.

The Right Kind of Paper, Type, Design and Presswork.

To the Ladies. A most appropriate Birthday or Christmas gift to your husband, brother, friend or a friend's wife.

ANGLO-AMERICAN COMMERCIAL CO. Fine Cigars, Tobaccos and Souvenirs.

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LION TAMER'S EXP. The Revenge of Arati Dethroned. Locked His Successor in a the Most Vicious Lion Menagerie.

"I can conceive of no humbler or less noble action than that of the various kind of professional power, professional of the cruellest and meanest.

One of the party, a little, dark man, already notorious for getting information on all wanted a story.

"Well, perhaps I can give you all I know. I am a man and a merchant in a fair way.

"I am not always as I am at present. Once I was a square halpenny to my name and in my head the idea of ever getting on top of the world famous athletes.

"Allow me to proceed, sir, and the second traveller. 'Yes, the first was dead, but you wanted to know how he died, sir—'

One of the lions was Nero, a trick beast, clever and intelligent of an uncertain temper.

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Vertical advertisements on the far left edge of the page, including 'THE ESTERNER' and 'VER!'.

...idea of the mischief Nero had wrought until he tried to take up his work again, and found how he was quailing in the face of the quietest lion.

key was moving in the lock! Someone was coming in. I got ready for a tremendous shout, but my dry throat seemed ill able to utter it, and it died on my lips as I saw a mad face look in—Arati's face. He saw the lioness and, with a miraculous return of his old power, he made straight for her.

And oh! joy, he had repented of his awful deed. He had the red hot bars. He was again the fearless trainer. He applied the bars remorselessly to Maris. The lioness shrieked, whined, retreated. She was cowed. I forgave him on the spot for his late work and saw him belabor the beast and drive her toward the cages.

Tricks! Little did I dream of the full deviltry of Arati's deeds. I had got half way up the room when a sight met my eyes that absolutely froze me into ice. For the most vicious of the beasts, the most intractable of them all, Maris, the evil-natured lioness, whose cub had been removed from her only that week—Maris was out of her cage, the door of which stood wide.

WHERE LOVE IS NOT KNOWN

Instances of Where Men Have Married Out of Hatred

One Man Marries to Avenger's Last Brother, Another to Ward off Having a Step-mother.

For a man to marry a woman he hates simply out of a feeling of dejection appears a most unconscious thing. but it has occurred, though cases of the kind are exceedingly rare, and it is extremely difficult to possess oneself of the whole facts of such cases.

ROOSEVELT AND BOOKER

As Sized Up by the Great Editor of Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 31.—In a lengthy editorial in tomorrow's Courier-Journal Henry Watterson will discuss what he says will soon be known as "The Booker Washington incident."

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Curing Him of Smoking.

"It will only be necessary for you to drop about half a teaspoonful of the mixture into his cup of coffee each morning," the circular said.

At first the elder brother was inconsolable in the loss he had suffered, but after a time he astonished and even shocked his relatives and friends by paying obvious court to the young lady who was really responsible for his brother's death.

BARGAINS IN RUGS

See our window full of Manchurian Goat Rugs. (Size 3x5 feet) Only \$3.00 Each!

Goetzman's Magnificent Souvenir of the Klondike

IS NOW BEING CLOSED OUT AT \$2.50 EACH. This Work Is Without Exception the Finest Production Ever Published Showing Scenes of This Country.

Former Price \$5.00, NOW \$2.50. Goetzman's Photograph Studio. Corner First Avenue and Second Street.

Dawson Hardware Co., Ltd. Is the Place to Buy Your Fittings. OUR LINES ARE COMPLETE IN ALL SIZES.

Winter Time Table—Stage Lines. THE ORR & TUKEY CO., Ltd.

Hay and Oats For Sale. DAWSON WAREHOUSE CO.

Regina Hotel. J. W. Wilson, Prop. and Man. Dawson's Leading Hotel.

Pacific Coast Steamship Co. Affords a Complete Coastwise Service.

Alaska, Washington, California, Oregon and Mexico. Our boats are manned by the most skillful navigators.

Hicks & Thompson, Props. HICKS & THOMPSON STAGE LINE.

Winter Clothing High-Class, Honest Goods. Sargent & Pinsky.

Pacific Packing and Navigation Co. Successors to Pacific Steam Whaling Co.

Copper River and Cook's Inlet. YAKUTAT, ORCA, VALDEZ, HOMER.

By Using Long Distance Telephone. You are put in immediate communication with Bonanza.

Goetzman's Photograph Studio. Corner First Avenue and Second Street. Candles, nuts, etc., for the holidays.

