

TRIM Too Much Johnson... Cook's Inlet... Various small advertisements for local businesses.

WHAT MISS LESTER HAD ON... Or Rather, Didn't Have On, Shocked the Old Maid... Miss Tabitha Grey had not reached the age of forty-five years without acquiring an extensive and unfavorable knowledge of her own sex.

chain of evidence. They made a joke of it! What could the suggestion of boots—only boots—be, except a vulgar shameless jest? The ladies went in a body to the proprietor, and intimated that either they or the Lester party must forthwith leave the hotel.

on, as we say. Miss Lester regretted also, when I told her the news, that she had nothing on—the horse. Do you begin to understand, ladies? The ladies glanced at one another in some confusion. Miss Grey looked angry and suspicious.

BUSINESS MAN TO HIS SON... Who Thinks He Needs a Pleasure Trip to Europe... Dear Pierpont: Your letter of the seventh twits around the point a good deal like a setter pup chasing his tail.

instance of how habits rule a man's life. There is one excuse for every mistake a man can make, but only one. When a fellow makes the same mistake twice he's got to throw up both hands and own up to carelessness or cussedness.

range it can't hurt you. But for the present you will find yourself pretty busy trying to get into the winning class. Your affectionate father, JOHN GRAHAM. WHITEHORSE LOOKS GOOD

COAL! CHEAPER THAN WOOD. All Orders Promptly Filled. Klondike Mill Office. Telephone 94. B. A. DODGE STAGE LINE... OFFICE HOTEL, McDONALD

BAY CITY MARKET... Choicest Meats, Poultry, Fresh Fish and Game. Pacific Coast Steamship Co. Alaska, Washington, California, Oregon and Mexico. Regina Hotel. Dawson's Leading Hotel.

By Using Long Distance Telephone... Yukon Telephone Syn. Co. You are put in immediate communication with Bonanza, Eldorado, Humber, Dominion, Gold Run or Sulphur Creeks.

Will Increase Wages. Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—The Union Traction Company, which conducts every street car line in this city, employs upwards of 5,000 motormen and conductors.

Printing CLEAN, ORIGINAL, ARTISTIC WORK. Paper, Type, Design and Presswork. The Right Kind of Paper, Type, Design and Presswork.

Growing Like a Snowball Rolling Down Hill! That is the way the Nugget's circulation has increased since the subscription price was reduced to \$3.00 PER MONTH!

The Nugget Printery. Don't forget that the Nugget will be delivered at your door for the nominal sum of \$3.00 per month.

FUN AT THE AUDITORIUM

"Too Much Johnson" the Play This Week.

Bitner Company Appearing to Excellent Advantage Fine Cast and First-Class Specialties.

The play this week at the Auditorium is a disappointment. Not that "Too Much Johnson" is not a cleverly constructed comedy...

his imitation of the actor-author's drawl and other mannerisms is excellent. Mr. Bitner plays "Johnson," the proprietor of an extensive sugar and coffee plantation near Santiago, Cuba...

on the horizontal bars. The following is the cast: Mr. Augustus Billings—Mr. Cummings. Mrs. Augustus Billings, his wife—Miss Lovell.

Mons. Leon Dathis, a Franco-American gentleman, whose business is that of an importer of French wines from California—Mr. Southard.

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Vessel in Distress. Nanaimo, Dec. 7.—The collier Maria arrived here this morning from Los Angeles. Early yesterday morning, about 80 miles south of Cape Flat-tress, she passed a large vessel in distress. The vessel passed, a four masted steel one, was badly listed at an angle of about 45 degrees...

The residence of John Waddell, Extension, was completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The inmates escaped in their night clothes. The long distance telephone from Victoria is within half a mile of here.

Several accidents occurred on Gold Run and Dominion this week. J. Dodds, a miner employed on No. 12, missed his footing and fell down the shaft. He was brought to the surface and beyond sustaining a severe shock and a few slight bruises he was found to be as sound as a dollar.

Commencing Monday and Continuing One Week We will sell GENUINE LUBECK SLICED POTATOES for \$10.00 per Can. Cheaper than fresh potatoes. The Lubeck German Sliced Potatoes are the best evaporated potatoes in the world. Sole Agents for N. A. T. & T. Company, Alaska and Yukon Territory.

JOY ON THE CREEKS

Merrymaking Reported on Both Eldorado and Bonanza.

The most enjoyable affair of the New Year was the progressive whist party given by Miss Daring and Miss Langseth at the home of the former one evening last week. Five tables were filled and the merry game for points continued until 12 o'clock...

With the Bank.

Messrs. W. L. Gibson and M. V. H. Howard are two recent arrivals in Dawson. Both gentlemen will be attached to the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Teacher—"What is a kiss?"

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OVER THE DIVIDE..

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OLD PAPERS IN BUNDLES, FOR SALE AT THE NUGGET OFFICE FIVE CENTS A POUND.

Send Out A Klondike Present Goetzman's Souvenir FORMERLY \$5.00 NOW \$2.50...

The Rev. Geo. Pringle held divine service at the Central Hotel Sunday evening. He took for his text "Watch Me." The sermon was delivered in a very able and eloquent manner and was thoroughly appreciated by the large audience present.

A large delegation of Gold Run people left the creek on Monday to attend the social hop at the Williams road house at Ridge City, at the invitation of George and William Murray, the proprietors, where they were joined by a merry throng from Caribou, Hurker, Bonanza and Dawson.

Rumors of Peace. New York, Dec. 7.—Not for a long time has there been such optimistic feeling with regard to the war, says a London dispatch to the Tribune. For days past rumors of peace negotiations have been current in various quarters, and these have not been dispersed by Lord Kitchener's official confirmation of the report that a large number of Boers had been captured in the Transvaal.

A strike of no little importance has just been made on Gold Run and what has been puzzling miners and claim owners alike is now without doubt solved. As previously mentioned in these columns the Gold Run pay stopped on No. 48. Attention was then centred on the right limit hillside on No. 77. However, two miles distant the lead was again uncovered.

Mr. Coslett of No. 35 above Bonanza gave a social dance Friday night, January 10, to a few friends from that vicinity. There is a famine on the creeks—a calendar famine.

Messrs. T. F. Williams, of King Solomon's Hill, and N. G. Williams of Gold Hill are transacting business in town today. No. 8-Guy Gulch have also put in a new boiler.

Hutchinson & Ellison, of No. 13 Victoria Gulch, have put in a steam boiler.

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Northern Commercial Co. Everything for Everybody Highest Price Paid for Raw Furs

"Rejoice Ye Slumbering Mortals" the Era of Prosperity Is at Hand, DAWSON IS A QUARTZ CAMP! THE LONE STAR MINES ARE RICH IN GOLD Over 300,000 Shares Withdrawn Buy Now, Stock Will Rise Lone Star Mining and Milling Co. See Lew Craden, the Broker.

The Nu... Vol. 3 No. 1 FALLIN... "Kid" Commit... ful Agon... te... CAN'T STAND T... Reputable Me... Their... MACFARLAN... "Kids" Lose Th... Devil in Ge... Prominent... The disintegrated... mitter, which be... was given a free... by the Nugget's... full details in... of the one-man... sought to coerce... prospective candi... even received the... day the little ba... fuddled that th... way to turn h... themselves from... decay in which... Many of the m... kids' followers... with their forme... and a large num... fore affiliated w... ons that are ob... part in the ad... nounced their... loose entirely fr... porting the plat... the Taxpayers'... Madras, the son... of their mot... ers, handed in... night and has... the solid citizen... his principal... being his unwill... ward he is com... ere had given p... to Charles Mac... ago, it will be... get gave the p... made by the Ki... donald in excha... going the preser... their midst wou... oive the unan... entire Kid Com... was a political... sat's part, an... of the Nugget's... time could not... Cut and dried... held in Pionee... ago, the proceed... less affair were... columns. Mr. Ma... merely as a s...