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The New Paper.

Here we are. Now say it to our face.

You wonder why a weekly paper is called the "MORNING TIMES." We've been in the town for three weeks, fiddling around getting our type in shape, and have never seen the sun two hours high yet. Many a day we have missed our dinner waiting for the sun to get overhead. We get the impression somehow that Dawson is the town of perpetual daybreak, and we can't resist the temptation to call this a morning paper.

We don't like to begin apologizing for the appearance of this sheet, but it is due our readers to say that we hope to be able to print on white paper next spring. The Indian who tried to carry our paper over Chilkoot Pass had the misfortune to stub his toe which started him tobogganing down a declivity seven miles into Death Canyon. He did not rejoin the party.

We are indebted to Soapine Sam, our genial grocer, for the loan of a ream of wrapping paper on which to print this issue. We request our subscribers to return this paper to Sam after reading it as he needs it for wrapping canned peaches, of which he has a very fine brand for sale at remarkably low prices.

PERSONAL NUGGETS.

Yesterday's dog mail brings a letter from Clarence Barry, who went home in June to blow in his \$136,000. He has sold an option on his claim to a New York syndicate.

Go to Cheap Charlie's for Crash Suits and Linen Dusters at Alaska prices.

A syndicate of Chicago Politicians have formed a stock company to build a General Electric Balloon Line around this city. The incorporators are Hinky Dink, Bath House John, Buck McCluskey and Hop Sing (Confidential) We advice all parties to get in on the ground floor.

Mr. Braces Faro of Skinville, Cal., will open a bank about Sept. 1st over Dirty Dog saloon.

Go to Levy's Loan Bank, corner Pleurisey and Typhoid street for money on your life at usury rates.

Canned peaches at Cheap Charlie's, only \$1.40 per can.

Mrs. Blotter Palmer of Chicago visited here a few days last week on her way to the North Pole.

Scarfaced Sam, of Indian Creek, reports that his new dog has been quite sick for the past week and he has grave fears for his recovery. He was in town yesterday to consult Doc Deadeasy.

Pittsburg Phil is putting up a shack at the corner of Pneumonia avenue and Easy street.

Prayer meeting at Amazing Grade Chapel Wednesday night.

Parson Doolittle is conducting a series of poker parties at his residence on Castoria avenue.

Two gentlemen from Bonanza Creek shot all the windows out of the Hot Number Saloon, Sunday night. They departed without leaving their names.

Flannel shirts at Cheap Charlie's \$12.00, for this week only.

Cariboo steak, with onions, at the Greyhound Restaurant, \$3.

Col Sandwich Barnes has gone to the woods back of Indian Village to get out logs for his new opera house, which will be built on Broadway, near Red Shirt boulevard in the spring.

DO NOT DESPAIR.

Consult the

OLD DOCTOR

Whose patients sleep in every graveyard from Sitka to St. Michaels.



DR. O. B. DEADEASY,

Regular Graduate of the Ring-bone Veterinary College of Philadelphia.

Young, Middle-Aged and Old Men

suffering from the indiscretion of leaving home without an ample grub stake may be restored to manly vigor by consulting the Old Doctor and obtaining a prescription for a square meal. This eminent physician holds out no false hopes to any one, if he cannot cure you he will frankly tell you so and promptly kick you down stairs. Write today for his specific for gold fever, hunger and home sickness. Cures in 1 to 3 days. Price \$7 per bottle; 6 bottles for \$40.

NO PAY, NO CURE.

Bring the dust. Office hours, 10 to 10:30 a. m.

DR. DEADEASY,

Office over Dirty Dog saloon, 16 Sapolio St., DAWSON CITY.

KLONDIKE MORNING TIMES.

An Antidote for Gold-Fever.

Semi-Official Paper of Dawson City.

You have to read this paper quick or you won't believe all that's in it.

ALAS P. YORICK, EDITOR

Citizens of Dawson are expected to pay the full price of 5 cts. a copy for this paper, because they have the money. The poor folks of the States, who have not yet started for this Frosty Empire of Perpetual Sunrise will be allowed special rates as follows:

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Rhymes of the Klondike.

THE PASSING OF BARNABY.

Barney Stormer sallied forth
To play the towns of the frozen north;
But tho' he found no lack of gold,
His every audience was cold.

He tried to take the house by storm,
But all agreed he was not so warm;
And when he assumed a tragic air
They received him with an icy stare.

Said Barnaby then, "I've played and
lost;
I never met up with such a frost."
He packed his grip and started south,
And did a hot-foot on the ice
in the direction of the mighty
Yukon's picturesque and ample
mouth.

A DREAM.

"Alas," said the youth "and again alas!
That I ever came through the Chilkoot
Pass.

When the whiskey's bad and the dinner's
cold
What's the good of all this heap of gold?"

"Last night as I slept there came a
dream;
I stood knee-deep in yon gold-girt
stream;
And it changed, when thirst I sought
to slake,
To coffee, like mother used to make."

HE COMETH NOT.

From every section of the globe
They flock to join our ranks;
From every coast a mighty host,
To Klondike's golden banks.

Yet regretfully each eager face
Of these recruits we scan,
For we always find they've left be-
hind
The hot tamale man.

The Markets.

Corrected Weekly by the Aurora
Berealis Commission Co., 14 Arctic
Square, Dawson City.

Flour per oz.—65c.
Corn meal—2 lbs. for \$5.
Whisky per quart—\$16.
per drink—50c.
per half drink—35c.
Meats—Market steady; beef ruling
a trifle higher than last
week, but pork still being on
the hog. No sales less than
\$1.37 a pound. Cariboo
steak 85c.; Mule cutlet \$1.10.
Dog tenderloin \$2.40.
Dried Apples—60c a grab.
Beans—2c each.
Coal Oil—11c a smell.
Lemons—\$2 each; 3 for \$5.
Salt—1c per pinch.

**Circulation Books Open
to All.**

The KLONDIKE MORNING TIMES
can assert, without fear of success-
ful contradiction, that it has the
largest circulation of any paper
published at Dawson City. We
believe we should carry more ad-
vertisements of the root beer and
bicycle manufacturers of Philadel-
phia and St. Louis. If any of these
gentlemen will step into this office
we will cheerfully open our circula-
tion books and show them pre-
cisely what kind of a run they will
get for their money. Space in this
paper is sold as cheap as anything
else at Dawson. For a short time
only we will receive unobjection-
able advertisements at the nominal
price of sixty dollars per agate
line.

DAM THE KLONDIKE.

**Popular Movement on Foot
to Secure Water Power.**

A mass meeting was held at the
Forty Rod Saloon last night to
consider the question of construct-
ing a dam across the Klondike
river near this point for the pur-
pose of affording power for another
sawmill. No definite action was
taken, although it was the general
sense of the meeting that the Klon-
dike be dammed.

MALE HELP WANTED

FIVE clerks at the new shoe store. Apply
7 a. m. next November.
Foot, the #1 shoe man, 400 Easy street.

BOY to carry water. \$25 a week
and foundered. See Seattle Sam at
Claim 65, Bonanza Creek.

LOOK at the Tapioca House. Bring re-
ference and can-opener, \$18 a day to
begin.

RE-TOUCHER at once at the Pleasant
Look Photograph Gallery. 42 Easy
street.

DEALER. State experience and price.
Address Faro, care MORNING TIMES.

BARTENDER at High-Ball Thirst Palace.
Short hours and no cash register.
\$30 dollars a day to the right party.

FOUR men at La Due's sawmill. Nothing
to do but work. Pay \$15 a day and
three drinks.

LEADING man for stock company for
the Glad Hand Opera House, to open
next spring. Report for rehearsal Sun-
day. Call on Col. Sandwich Barnes,
Tapioca House.

Female Help Wanted

GIRL to do chores. Polar Pete, Claim
9, Indian Creek.

LADY correspondent wanted, Diamond
Dick, care Tapioca House. Dawson.

For Sale.

HALF-interest in the richest strike on
Bonanza Creek. Owner wants to go
home on next boat and get something to
eat. Parties with \$75,000 to \$100,000 call
at TIMES office Sunday morning. Ask
for Bony O'Hoolihan.

DOG, sound, gentle St. Bernard, trained
to work single or double. Weight
140 pounds. Will sell on a basis of \$2
a pound. Call at Barker Livery Kennels
63 Terrier street.

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used; make offer. Greyhound Rest-
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from St. Louis and suburbs. Lodg-
ing, \$1.00; with bed, \$7.00.

BIFF!

One Strike and Chilkoot Charley's Light Went Out.

Bloody Battle in the Dirty Dog Saloon Last Night.

MISCALLED HIS HAND.

BONANZA BILL HAPPENED TO BE IN A BAD HUMOR.

DEATH IN THE DIGGINGS.

A Cast-Iron Cuspidor Proves to be a Deadly Weapon in the Hands of a Bad Man from Circle City.
—Sensational Windup to a Red Hot Poker Game.

There was a hot time in the old town last night, as the frequenters of the Dirty Dog Saloon will testify.

In the course of a quiet little poker game there was a clash between Bonanza Bill, formerly of Circle City, and a half-breed Indian known in the diggings as Chilkoot Charley.

The stakes were large. Over two million dollars in nuggets glittered on the table when all players dropped out excepting Bill and Charley.

Charley finally weakened and called his antagonist.

Bonanza Bill proudly displayed a pair of fours.

"No good," said Charley, as he began to rake in the shining pot, "I've got sevens."

"Stop!" roared Bonanza, and with a quick movement he seized the cards from Chilkoot Charley's hand.

Charley had a pair of deuces only.

Piqued at the idea of being played for a good thing by a 1-2 breed

Indian, Bonanza Bill lost his temper and, seizing a cast iron cuspidor, he brought it down upon Charley's head with great emphasis. Skull and spit-box were both wrecked by the force of the collision.

The Indian was buried in a snow bank at the foot of Easy street at 2:30 a. m.

The affair is deeply regretted by our best citizens. Seldom has a similar tragedy cast such a gloom over a community. A cuspidor of the kind that was ruined last night is a rare article of bric-a-brac in this section and cannot be replaced except by a lavish outlay of money.

Mr. Yonson Olson, proprietor of the Dirty Dog establishment, is prostrated over the affair. He was not to be seen when the reporter called at the Olson residence on Red Shirt Boulevard this morning. His son, Y. Olson, Jr., responded to the ring of the bell.

"The blow almost killed father," sighed young Mr. Olson. "It was a fine cuspidor; lined with porcelain, and without a flaw in it. There is not another one like it this side of Seattle. Bonanza Bill has offered half the stakes won in the game to square the thing, but father is inconsolable and will not listen. He wants the entire pot."

The New Bank.

Dawson Prepares to cut Some ice in the World of Finance.

The news got around last night that a local banking company was being quietly organized and proposed to put up an imposing edifice at the corner of Broadway and Red Shirt Boulevard.



With characteristic enterprise the MORNING TIMES sent out its entire local staff to run down the story and determine whether it was a cold fact or a bar-room jolly.

It is true.

Dawson will have a bank.

Within three days the corner log of the new building will be laid.

The scheme is backed by Juneau Jack, bonanza king of claim 102. The institution will have a capital of \$4,000,000. Two hundred dollars of this will be kept in the bank for emergencies and the balance will remain for a time in the ground of Juneau Jack's claim, where it will always be available, as Jack says he can go out and dig up a few thousand whenever needed.

At great expense the MORNING TIMES has secured a fine hatchet-engraved cut of the new building showing the Broadway front.

D. C. & E. R. R.

Company Forming to Build a Road to the Coast.

Mr. Hungry Maguire, late of Seattle is endeavoring to interest a few of our citizens in a project to build a railroad from Dawson City to some point nearer civilization. As it has not yet been decided which direction the new road will take, it will be christened the Dawson City & Elsewhere R. R. Mr. Maguire is now ready to receive subscriptions for stock in the company. Speaking of subscriptions, the MORNING TIMES will be pleased to issue receipts for nuggets left at this office by persons who feel the need of a fearless and aggressive family news paper.

PROF, MUG CARVER

Has opened a

NEW BARBER-SHOP

In the rear of the TIMES-Building, corner of the Boulevard and Tomato Can Lane, Dawson City.

Shave \$1.50.

Close Shave, \$1.85.

Hair Cut, \$3.25.

Hair cut, United States style, \$4.00.

Polar Bear hair oil, \$1.00 a throw.

Every variety of safe and stylish barbering while you wait.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that we have patronized Prof. Carver regularly for three days and can testify that he is an artist in his line, totally unlike any we have ever encountered. No man can leave this handsomely appointed shop without feeling that he has had a close shave.—EDITOR MORNING TIMES.

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"TIMES" VOTING CONTEST.

The Most Popular Faro-Dealer Gets a Free Trip to Juneau.

We begin this week a series of voting contests to determine the most popular of our leading citizens engaged in various industries.

In this issue our readers are asked to name their favorite faro-dealer. The gentleman receiving the largest number of votes will be entitled to a trip to Juneau by the great scenic mountain route, via Chilkoot Pass. The successful candidate will be expected to furnish his own Indian guide, but all stimulants needed on the journey will be supplied free by the MORNING TIMES, so the trip will virtually be at the expense of this paper.

Cut out this coupon and send it to the counting room of the TIMES before sunset next October:

I vote for.....
 as the most popular faro. dealer in
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 Signed.....
 Address.....

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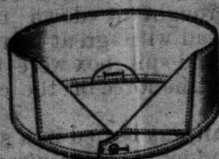
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 " " Irish Setters, \$1.75 "
 " " Spitz Yearlings, \$1.50 "
 " " Plain Dogs, 25 cents "

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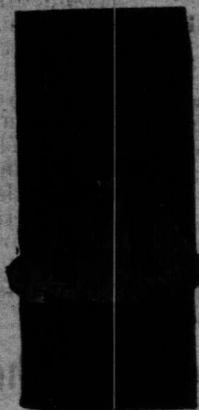
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Gents Undershirts	1.00 "
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Gents' Drawers	1.50 "
Ladies' Drawers	1.75 "
Men's Linen Suits	6.00 "
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Collars	40 "
Cuffs, per pair	80 "

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