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ful miner has lost all his property and

is several thousand dollars in the hole,

all through his venture in the steam-

Nels Peterson led the vanguard to the

Klondike in the rush of '97 and secured

good property on Skookum gulch. The sun of prosperity beamed brightly

upon him and in one year after his arrival he was classed in the list of

About that time the Boston & Alaska

S. S. Co., being involved in financial

difficulties, passed into the hands of a

receiver from whom Peterson purchased

the two steamers then called the Gov-

ernor Pingree and Philip B. Lowe, now

the Bonanza King and Eldorado, re-

spectively, paying \$20,000 in cash for

each steamer and in addition to the

purchase price, assuming a number of

accounts, causing the two steamers to

000 by the time he began to operate

Ask Your Dealer The old time friends of Nels Peter-For son, and there are many of them, will be sorry to learn that the once success-

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DAWSON, Y. T., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1900

perpendicular and is composed of eight He is well advanced for his age, gradtubes connected at top and bottom with uating from the highschool at 15, and a cone which separates the heat at the later taking a business course, includbottom and allows it to travel through ing shorthand and type writing. the many pipes of the radiator. By this method 4000 feet of heating surface anxiety to his parents, whose efforts to is exposed against, 2840 in an ordinary trace him have been so far unavailing. drum connection. The invention will be patented as it is expected that a will be gratefully acknowledged. Adremunerative business can be built up dress A. W. Henry, Swarthmore, Pa., in the manufacture of the improvement.

A Big Business.

The registered mail service has been very heavily patronized of late. A con-tinuous string of people has been in front of the window waiting in turn to send a Christmas greeting to the out-side. The amount of money order and registered mail business transacted by the local office has grown to such an extent as greetly to grown to money of the sector the territorial court for trial. extent as greatly to exceed many outside towns of much greater size than Dawson.

Fire at St. Mary's.

Last night at about 8 o'clock the fire alarm was sounded, the occasion being a blaze in the roof of St. Mary's hospital. The department responded on the double quick, taking the chemical engine up the steep grade to the burning building in a remarkably short space of time. A line of hose was also run out from engine house No. 1, and the flames were quenched but not before damage to the amount of \$200 had been done. The fire laddies deserve great praise for the rapid and skillful manner in which they handled the situation.

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øver the snub.

His unexplained absence is a great Any information concerning him U. S. A.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

Yesterday afternoon Earl Schlecht as before Magistrate McDonnel, The case of Jennie Jones, who has changed from Miss Lewis since her hearing yesterday, was again in court this morning for a continuation of the hearing of the charge of having created a disturbance at the Melbourne bar. Fred Breen was in the box in the character of a witness, but didn't seem character of a witness, but didn't seem to find anything amusing in the mat-ter. He testified that he had tried to get Miss Jones to go home; had even offered her the protection of his com-pany, but she "would none of it," and seeing that she was bent on remaining, he had left her to the fate which came upon her specific in the form of a upon her speedily in the form of a policeman, who locked her up. Jennie paid the \$50 and costs imposed by the court and departed hence.

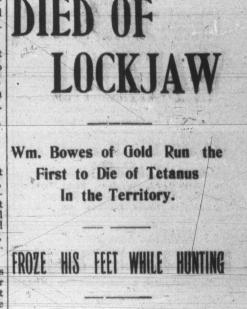
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First Over

The Ice

Harry A. Lawler, Chas. Coffee and Frank Roberts arrived yesterday from the outside, being the first party to come the entire distance from Whitethe emperor has declined to receive horse over the ice this season. They him owing to a previous engagement. left Seattle on November 11th and remained several days in Skagway before coming to Whitehorse. They traveled without dogs or baggage of any kind. All three wore parkeys and none of them suffered in the least from cold. They jogged along at a leisurely but steady pace and covered the trip from Whitehorse to Dawson in twelve days. They report the trail in very fine con-dition—much better than last year; and Mr. Lawler i ant



PRICE 25 CENTS

And Neglected Them Afterwards, Death Resulting

AT THE HOSPITAL YESTERDAY.

The Case Was a Peculiar One but No One In the Hospital Desires to See Another.

Yesterday morning there occurred at the Good Samaritan hospital the death of W. Bowes, a young miner from Gold Run, under very peculiar as well as the

most distressing circumstances. The first case of death as the result of lock-jaw, or tetanus, in the territory was recorded with his demise.

The deceased was brought down from Gold Run to the hospital on the first of the month, and was suffering at the time from very badly frozen feet. He had been out hunting, and got his feet wet; after this he walked three miles to the nearest house, where instead of having his moccasins, which were frozen hard, removed, he allowed them to remain on his feet, saying he was all right.

When brought to the hospital a few days after, it was seen at once that the feet could not be saved, but on the other hand they could not be amputated till a sufficient length of time had elapsed for demarkation between the dead and living tissues to take place, and while waiting for this to occur, gan-grene set in, and lock-jaw followed, though whether or not it was a genuine case of tetanus is not definitely known. Tetanus proper, strange as it may seem to the uninitiated, is due to a microbe coming from the earth, and just how this could be the case in this instance it is difficult to understand. Dr. McDonald told this morning how they fought the malady during the 36 hours prior to death with every means at their command, and, while the cas itself is a matter of professional in-terest, because of its rarity here, no one in the hospital has any desire to have another case of the same kind come un-der his observation, as the agony of the patient was something terrible to wit-Chloroform was used, but had no lasting or particular results. Flaxine is the proper remedy for this malady, is the proper remedy for this malady, but, as there never had been a case calling for its use before none was on hand. Wm. Bowes was a native of Eastern Canada, but hailed from West-minster, B. C., more recently, where he has a married sister, with whom his mother resides. He was 24 years of age and chmarried. The time has not yet been set for the funeral, as some of the deceased's friends have not yet been communicat-ed with. ed with.

Change of Time Table In & Tukey's Stage Line Telephone No. 8 hand after Monday, Oct. 22, 1900, will run DOUBLE LINE OF STAGES 104 FROM GRAND FORKS are Dawson, Office A. C. Co.'s Build-Co.'s Building. ROYAL MAIL

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There are lots of nice men and good fellows who know nothing about managing a fleet of steamers and Nels. Peterson is one of them. Under Peterson's ownership and management bad luck followed in the wake of both steamers, frequently overtaking them. Not being himself a practical man in that line, Peterson necessarily had to entrust much of his business to others with the result that matters went from bad to worse until the once prosperous and wealthy miner is now a bankrupt steamboat man, he having expended all of his money and much, more in his futile efforts to keep his business going. But it was useless. Bills piled up more rapidly than they could be paid, and the beginning of the end was made

yesterday when warrants for the seizure of both the "Flyer Line" steamers were issued out of the territorial court as mentioned in the Daily Nugget of vesterday.

Nels Peterson still owns some mining property in the district and it is the earnest wish of his many old friends that he may yet pull through and again earn the title, "a rich Klondiker.'

A New Invention.

Holmes, Miller & Co. have manufactured in their shop an unique radiator which when connected with an ordinary air-tight heater throws out a surprising amount of heat. The attachment stands

Jable

This company now has its STEAM HOIST in operation

to take sleighs with light or heavy loads intact from Bonanza Greek up to the Ridge Road, near McCarty's Road House.

good road is made from Grand Forks to the foot of the

hoist. To give the hoist a good test, all teams presenting themelves will be hoisted up for the week ending December 8

FREE OF CHARGE

He states that the Boers have yet 7000 men in the field, and agrees with Lord Roberts that 20,000 more troops are required.

London, Dec. 3, via Skagway, Dec.

9.-After continued ovations in France

Kruger planned a visit to Germany but

All Berlin papers took the same tone.

Kruger is much disheartened. Lon-

don newspapers are very enthusiastic

Boers Have 7,000 Men.

London, Dec. 3, via Skagway, Dec.

8.-Winston Churchill has returned.

Trains Colide.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 3, via Skagway, Dec. 8.-Two trains collided here today. Result, 20 dead, 60 injured.

Congress Meets.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 3, via Skagway, Dec. 8.-Congress meets tomorrow. There are no indications as to what the president's message will contain.

A B.'s Last Night.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Arctic Brotherhood last night when arrangements were put on foot for a series of entertainments to be given by the camp during the present winter. As there are a number of fine vocalists among the members, quartettes will be features of these entertainments. The committee on entertainment will submit a report at the next meeting.

Billy Thomas Returns.

Billy Thomas, who was mentioned in the Daily Nugget of Wednesday and in the Daily News of Thursday as having quietly departed several days previously for down the river, has returned, claiming to have been absent only on some private business and with no thought of leaving the country permanently. He was accompanied on his trip back up the river by Chas. Hansen, the magnate of Jack Wade.

Information Wanted.

Of Walter H. Henry, who left his home in Swarthmore, Delaware county, Pennsylvania, June 4th, 1900, with the supposed intention of getting on board sea-going vessel. He is 16 years old, 5 feet 3 inches tall, weight about 100 pounds. Brown hair, light blue eyes, small nose, freckled face. He is lefthanded, but writes with his right hand.

on this point as he made the trip in a year ago the latter part of this month. The roadhouses, Lawler says, are all well stocked for the entertainment of man and beast. He predicts a heavy travel over the ice from the outside, as the trip has been shorn of all the hardships which were once attached to it.

Meeker delivers fresh vegetables up reeks.

The Holborn Cafe for delicacies.

Lindemann the jeweler has removed to Monte Carlo building,

Eresh vaccine at Pioneer Drug Store.

Seagram, '83, at Rochester Bar.

Another Go.

Another Go. The coming boxing event at the Standard theaten on Friday next, De-cember 14, will be watched by mem-bers of the sporting fraternity with great interest. Frank Rafael, of San-Francisco, who recently boxed 10 rounds with Billy Carroll, has agreed to best the Colorado Kid in 10 rounds for a decision and a side bet at the aforesaid theater. As both men show confidence and determination, the affair is sure to be a "hot" one and it re-mains to be seen who's the best man. c8 mains to be seen who's the best man. c8

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Six varieties Meeker's.	fresh	vegetables
Large Africana	cigars	at Rochester

Outfitting at Meeker's.

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W. D. Davies, a farmer of Shipman, 111., who came to Dawson last fall, died at the Good Samaritan hospital this morning of heart failure.

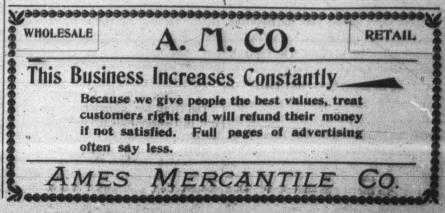
Cyrus Noble whisky. Rochester.

Shoff, the Dawson Dog Doctor, Pio neer Drug Store.

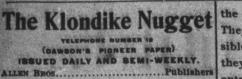
Table de hote dinners. The Holborn

Choice fresh potatoes at Meeker's.

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LETTERS And Small Packages can be sent to the Creeks by our corriers on the following days: Every Wednesday and Saturday to Eldorado and Bonanza; every Saturday to Hunker, Dominion, Gold Run, Sul ur, etc.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1900.

AN IMPORTANT ENTERPRISE.

In yesterday's issue of the Nugget full details were published respecting the intention of the Alaska Exploration Company to begin work in the early spring on the construction of a system of railways. It is proposed to extend a line up the Klondike a distance of twenty-two miles, to Coal creek, with branches running up Hunker and Bonanza creeks. The entire amounts to be expended will aggregate almost \$1,000,000.

This move on the part of an institution so thoroughly identified with the interests of the Klondike, and so well informed as to the probable future of the country as the A. E. Co. indicates very clearly the general feeling of confidence which is manifested by those who are most heavily interested in the development of our resources.

There is a distinct difference between an effort to interest outside capital in such an enterprise and the plain statement from the manager of a local concern that his company has determined to undertake the work. The-Alaska Exploration Company would not inaugurate an undertaking of such magnitude and involving so large an expenditure of money did they not feel thoroughly satisfied that there are yet years of work to be done on the creeks in this district, and a long life of business activity and prosperity in store for Dawson.

In reaching this conclusion, the company in question but voices the belief son?" of everyone who has taken the pains to investigate the actual condition of affairs in the territory. Compared to the known gold producing area the extent of ground already worked out is extremely small. It is quite true that much of the fabulously rich ground has been pretty thoroughly cleared up, but it is equally a fact that the amount of such ground was comparatively small. The fu prosperity of the territory at large will depend to a great extent upon the ticability of developing at a profit ex tensive areas of low grade ground now lying idle. This can only be brought about by a radical reduction in freight charges. Every decrease in rates of freighting to the creeks means an addition to the area of workable ground in the district. With the consummation of the plans of the Alaska Exploration Co. as outlined in yesterday's issue the question should be settled in such a manner that every foot of gold producing ground covered by the proposed railway line can be placed upon a working basis.

the blessings of civil liberty really are. They will be taught as rapidly as possible to govern themselves and when they have learned enough to justify entrusting them with the direction of their own affairs, they will be given every opportunity to prove their ability. In respect to civilization the Philippine islands will advance more in the coming four years than they have during the past five decades.

The other day a rumor became started in town to the effect that Skagway was burning down. Investigation proved the report to be without foundation, but not until it had been passed from hand to mouth over Dawson and sent on to the creeks, where it is probably being circulated yet. How anyone can be guilty of starting such silly rumors is difficult to see. They do no one any good and cause untold and useless worry and anxiety. The rumor starter should be headed down the river.-

The free reading room entertainments are among the events in Dawson which are looked toward to with much pleasure. The programs which have been rendered from time to time have served to develop a surprisingly large amount of talent.

We had an idea that the continuation of the prevailing cold weather was merely a coincidence. We are inclined now to think that it is in very grave danger of becoming a habit.

Chief Isaac and the X Ray.

A Klinkit Indian, educated and traveled, a useful member of society, one day not long since visited Moosehide to meet and converse with Chief Isaac. Isaac was at home and received his guest in as befitting a manner as the circumstances would admit of, but at the beginning of the interview a difficulty arose. The chief could not speak the Klinkit tongue, and his visitor was equally unfamiliar with the language of the chief.

After some time, however, an Indian was found who understood both languages, and then they got down to busi-

Isaac wanted to know of the things his guest had seen in his travels. The climate, the population, the extent of the cities-all about it, and the visit progressed swimmingly till the chief asked if his visitor had visited any towns larger than Dawson.

"Yes, many times larger," was the answer.

After considering the matter for a few minutes Isaac asked : "In these large towns, which you have seen, are the stores larger than the big stores of Daw-

"Ten times larger," said the visitor,

A Statement of Facts

William Shakespeare in all probability was the greatest student of human nature known in the world's history, When he wrote the few words : "The coat doth oft' proclaim the man ;" he said more than can be found in many sermons. The well dressed man is the successful man and his clothing is a reflection of his prosperity. A man is never poor who is well dressed, for he has credit in the opinion of the onlookers. So. gentlemen, dress up ! particularly now when the holidays are approach. ing. Call on us for correct advice

The Reliable Seattle Clothiers Copyright 1900. Opp. C. D. Co.'s Dock. THE STEIN-BLOCH CO

on the arrival of J. Y. Rochester, who STROLLER'S COLUMN has been in charge of the nortern gang working southward.

Away up somewhere at the headof 33 miles which the northern gang It was as bitter a fight against the

the end nature proved the stronger. Briefly told the story is this: On October 4th Mr. Rrodden, who was in the old advance guard said : charge of the southern party, wired to Mr. Charleson from the headwaters of the Naas, at a point distant 167 miles our squaws, whose tribe lived where north of Hazelton, "All wire strung and three miles of clearing done ahead. Start for Hazleton today." This meant simply that he had finished his section of the work to the Naas river, where he was to meet the northern party. He put a cross-section trail so that the northern party would recognize the dice in a box. Well, we got here at signs when they came along, and then went out.

On October 2 Mr. Rochester had sent the following wire to Mr. Charleson: "End-of-Wire, B. C., Oct. 2, 1900.

(Ningunsaw river.) "Line completed to this point on September 29. Three hundred miles from Atlin.

the past two weeks, and the remainder will scarcely hold out for another ten both of us would probably have been days; so find it impossible to go any cripples for life. further, and have decided to make my way back to Telegraph creek and try to get down Stikine river to Wrangel. drove us out of the tent with fire brands The men whom I sent out to locate

ing out east and down Naas river for a distance of about 40 miles from here. and could find no trace of Trodden.

"Under the circumstances and in or-

"In early days here and before we waters of the Naas river there is a gap knew anything about felt shoes, German socks, fleece-lined underwear and worked might and main to cover before sich, we didn't think nothing of being the early northern winter cut them off. frozen stiff as pokers clear up to our waists," said Jack McQuesten's old elements as ever was waged, and in partner one day this week in a certain saloon which is famous for its fortyrod brand of home brew. Continuing,

"Eighteen years ago about now me and Jack left Fortymile to come to see Klondike City now is. There was no thermometer in the country and there was no telling how cold it was, but it must have been 110 below zero if not more. All the way up the river our breaths froze into solid chunks, which fell and rattled around on the ice like last, both of us frozen plum to the waists and so hard a wild cat couldn't a scratched us. Never having been frozen much higher than the knees before, me and Jack were both sorter green about knowing what to do, so we very naturally supposed that the thawing out process would be not only slow but very painful. But the squaws "I have lost 70 pack animals within knew a trick or two that we had not learned, and but for their knowledge

"You ask what they did? Well, I'll tell you. Seeing our condition they and one of them herded us out in the Trodden returned yesterday after travel- | cold while the other went down to the river and cut two holes in the ice just big enough to put a man's body in. Then they took us down and dropped us in clear up to the arms, allowing der to save what pack animals I can, our bodies and legs to protrude through have decided to return. Have built into the water below. Then they put a cabin, stored all supplies and am leav- tent over us and built fires around to keep our upper works from freezing "I leave here tomorrow, and expect About every two hours through the to reach Telegraph creek in 10 or 12 night one of them would come down and fix up the fires and give us just a small nibble of dried salmon. Well, sir, they left us there for upwards of and his gang got back to Telegraph 16 hours and when they took us out we were thawed out until we were as mellow, plump and smooth as boiled wienerwursts, and in addition to being asgood as ever, we had each had a bath that lasted us for several months. What the early day squaws didn't know about thawing out a frozen man hain't since been learned." And the old man drew a piece of dried salmon from his pocket, held it to his nose and emitted a loving and caressing smile.

engines, pumps, etc. Special orden will receive prompt attention. Intend-ing buyers should see him concerning their needs for the coming season. cr

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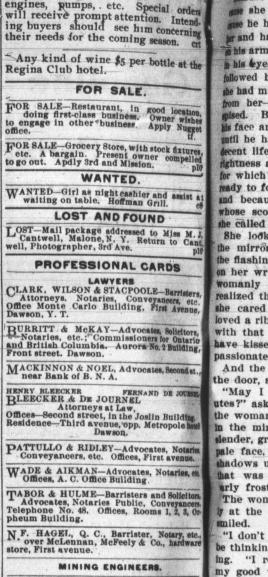
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N.F. HAGEL, Q. C., Barrister, Notary, etc. over McLennan, McFeely & Co., hardwar store, First avenue.

J. B. TYRRELL, mining engineer, has remove to Mission st., next door to public school.

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CIVILIZING THE PHILIPPINES.

The McKinley administration has now four years ahead in which to perfect and carry out its plan for restoring order and inaugurating a system of civil government in the Philippines. There will be much less difficulty to overcome in the future than there has been in the past. Aguinaldo and his followers have placed all their hopes upon the prospect that Bryan would be elected, and with the defeat of the lat-

thinking of the large department stores of the eastern cities.

When this statement was made known to him the chief became suspicious that he was being made the subject of a long distance jolly, and after thinking the matter over for a time conceived a cunning trap for his visitor, by means of which he would be sure to know if he were being trifled with under the guise of a joke.

"Do they light these very large cities in the winter time with little glasses, the same as they.do in Dawson?" he asked.

"Yes, they have little glasses which are mostly used inside, and they use larger lights in the streets. But they have also another kind of a light which they use to look inside of a man with, when he is sick or his bones get broken. They hold this light against the part they want to see inside of, and if there is a bullet there or if the bones are broken, or anything at all the matter, it becomes plain to see by the strong light."

That settled it with the chief. Here, he thought was a man who was born an Indian, yet came out of his way to tell him, Chief Isaacs, a lie, after the white man's manner of being funny. To him, Chief Isaacs, a lie, after the white man's manner of being funny. To show his marked disapproval of such things, and that he could not be stuffed by every one who dealt in Qriental pipe dreams, the chief arose and told his visitor in good English that it was about dinner time in Dawson and if about dinner time in Dawson, and if he didn't hurry back there his friend the white man would have the dishes washed and things put away till supper time. He also intimated that the next time he came to Mooasehide it would be well to bring with him one of those big lights so, that he could see just what damage had been done to his interior. The visitor left.

The Line to Dawson.

The Canadian government telegraph line to Dawson will not be finished this winter.

That is the bitterly disappointing ter there is no further likelihood of news which reached the city by Mr. organized resistance. The Filipinos J. B. Charleson, superintendent of Elegantly furnished rooms with elec-will begin shortly to understand what construction, and which was confirmed tric lights at the Regina Club hotek

ng two men in charge.

davs. Have had no reply to my telegram to you of 14th September." On the 15th of October Mr. Rochester

creek. Thence they came down the Stikine to Wrangel in canoes, and from Wrangel by the steamer Amur they arrived in Vancouver today.

By a careful comparison of notes it is that Mr. Trodden left his "endfound of-the-wire" at a point 167 miles north of Hazelton. Mr. Rochester's "end of-the-wire" is about 160 miles south of graph creek. The distance from graph creek to Hazleton is approxi-ely 360 miles so that the men bi ely 360 miles, so that the gap be-en is 33 miles in length. It is needma to say that in that country of magcent distances 33 miles may mean a d deal more. It is a land of terrifyni g precipices. Morasses of vast extent ad glaciers of unknown size are other features of the landscape.

"As to there being an overlap," said Superintendent Charleson this morn-Superintendent Charleson this morn-ing, "I am able to say positively that no overlap exists. Our men worked heroically to get through but were beaten by the climate and the difficul-ties of the trail. I am, of course, deep-ly disappointed at not getting through, but I have not a word of blame for the men. No overlap was possible as Ro-chester was to work up the Naas river chester was to work up the Naas river and could in no possible manner have assed Mr. Trodden's end of the wire. have every hope that we will be able to establish a team service over the gap for this winter so that messages may go through with little or no delay."

Among the men who came down on the Amur today was Archie McCulloch, who has visited both ends of the wire, teaming poles. He places the gap as even less than the estimate of Mr. Charleson.-VancouverProvince, Oct. 29.

Flashlight powder at Goetzman's.

Goetzman makes the crack photos of log teams

Films of all kinds at Goetzman's. Mumm's, Pomerey or Perinet champagnes \$5 per bottle at the Regina Club

*** "No," said Dr. C. H. Wells, the dentist, "I am not taking any part in any Christams tree business this year, as my last experience in that line was not such as would justify me in going in to it again."

When asked the nature of the experience that had disgusted him with the time-honored custom of having Christmas trees he said :

"Last year I was beguiled into assisting with a Christmas tree, and, in order that my own name would be called out, I bought a dozen handkerchiefs, a fountain pen and a smoking jacket and had them put on the tree for myself.

"Well, when it came to divesting the tree of its fruit, the man who read off the names was a poor reader, with the result that Dr. Wills got all my presents. Of course, I couldn't say anything, so I had' nothing else to do but sit there and see another man loaded down with presents I had bought for myself and all because the chump who was reading off the names could not distinguish between an "e" and an

To the Outside.

Mr. P. G. Wells, engineer for the A. E. Co., will leave for the outside about January 1st for a new stock of boilers,



G. Vernon, Pro

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THE DAILY KLONDIKE NUGGET: DAWSON, Y. T., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1900



THE HARD WOMAN IN WHIT

y of Early Love, Marriage and a Husband's Weakness for Something He Did Not Have.

The woman in white had passed through a most triumphant day and was weary. She tossed her hat to a hed, her gloves and fan to a chair, and she herself dropped into the great rillow rocker-a mass of fluffy white draperles, her deerlike head, with its gown of red brown hair, lifted above the foam. The woman in white had been younger, but she had never before been so beautiful.

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cause she had won him-and beshe had no right to him. Bee he had once scorned and flouted and had passed her with his wife his arm and a look of cold contempt his eyes, and because now he had blowed her for days and days, and the had made him sue for a kind word from her-her, the scorned and desed. Because she had laughed in his face and had baited and lured him until he had thrown to the winds his ecent life and all the long years of upightness and the position among men for which he had struggled, and was ready to follow her to the world's end, and because he was the one man whose scorn had cut deep into what she called her soul!

She looked at the radiant thing in the mirror and laughed and turned the flashing bracelet about and around on her wrist, and a something almost womanly came into her face as she realized that it was not the diamonds she cared for-no! She would have loved a ribbon if he had given it to her with that look on his face and would have kissed it as she did this, with a passionate delight.

And the woman in gray, standing in the door, saw her kissing the bracelet. "May I talk with you a few minutes?" asked the woman in gray; and the woman in white saw her reflection in the mirror. What she saw was a dender, gray clad woman, with a pale, pale face, and dark eyes with darker hadows under them, and brown hair hat was beginning to whiten with arly frost.

The woman in white stared insolenty at the reflection in the mirror and smiled.

"I don't know what my servants can be thinking of," she said without turning. "I really have nothing for you, my good woman. Perhaps if you go down some of my people will show you the way out."

"But I must see you for a little while," said the woman in gray, puting aside the insult and coming slownearer, and there was a deadly stilless/about her as she drew a chair for-

"Oh, you cold blooded woman!" she devised a system which competied evcried, clasping her hands above the shining coil of her hair. "You icy wives that go your round of what you call 'duties,' and sew on buttons and have good dinners and sit at the head of the table, as interesting as that the door of the private office at head-Dresden shepherdess, month after month and year after year, and then are shocked and outraged when he meets a flesh and blood woman and loves her! What kind of life will he have? Why, he will learn for the first time that he is alive! What right have women like you to talk about lovewomen who give a man up the first time he looks another way! Why, I would make myself the most beautiful and most attractive creature in the

world to him, so that he could never even look at another woman-and then. if he looked, I would not go away and leave him. I would kill him!"

She clutched the paper knife in her right hand, and lifted the left hand and kissed again the flashing circlet on her wrist.

The woman in gray looked at her, and the sight was branded on her. memory. When she spoke again, it was in lower tones. Her eyes were fixed on a ring-a loose, loose ring that she was turning around on her finger. "Perhaps we were mistaken about having loved each other," she said absently, as though she were talking to herself. "We were both so young, and so ignorant. We were married earlier than we had intended-because my mother died, and I was left alone, and was such an unprotected childand so we were married, and we agreed that we were to study together, because we were both so ambitiousfor him. And perhaps I couldn't have kept pace with him, at my best, but I had to take in sewing to help him along, so I hadn't much time-and in a little while he was away beyond me. I have never caught up with him since, but I have always gone on studying, so that I wouldn't quite disagrace him when he became a distinguished man." The woman in gray stopped to put a delicate and tremulous hand 'to her

throat. "When he was studying law," she

went on presently, "his eyes were troubling him, and so I read aloud to him for many hours every day. Sometimes I almost wished his eyes would fail a little more-a great deal more-so that he could be more dependent on me. for I was very young and ignorant then, and, you see, I thought I loved him!"

The woman in white did not speak. She was sitting quite still, as though she were a marble woman.

"And even away back at the first," the woman in gray went on in that desolate self communing, "when we were ignorant boy and girl together, we had quite settled it with ourselves that he was to be a distinguished man. We even made a little play of it, telling one another that people would one day point out with pride the poor little house where we had lived and where we had so much trouble paying the rent, and then we would laugh so merrily. Oh, where has the laughter all gone? And so we went on looking forward always to the day when he would be famous and working and planning for it, and I always pictured myself so proud-so proud of his triumphs! We

ery one who went on business to General Banks to procure a ticket from a member of the staff, the presentation of which at the door gained his admission. One day a burly colonel came to quarters and requested that his name be given to the general.

"Have you a ticket?" he was asked. "A ticket!" echoed the colonel, with scorn. "No, sir, I haven't."

"You can't enter here without one," was the reply. "Sir." said the colonel, "when Gen-

eral Banks becomes a puppet show, and I have 25 cents to spare, I'll buy a ticket to see him, not before." He was admitted.

WHY SHE DIDN'T SING.

Superstition Kept Her From Becoming a Prima Donna.

"I have come across a great deal of foolishness of varying degrees and' kinds in my life," said the man who teaches singing, "but in all my born days I never before met anybody as hopelessly feeble minded as a young woman I have been taking an interest in lately. She is a stenographer by occupation, and I happened to hear her hum a popular song one day when I was in her employer's office. Of course the production of her tones was all wrong, but her voice was as soft as velvet and big and deep and clear as a cathedral bell. It was a voice such as a teacher doesn't get a chance to work on twice in a lifetime.

"I went to her and asked her to let me try her voice. It proved to be better than I had hoped. It was magnificent. I wanted her to begin studying at once. She had no money, but I didn't want money for bringing out a voice like that. She hadn't much time either, and she told me she was too tired to sing in the evenings after working all day. I told her to get up early and practice an hour or two before breakfast. I thought she looked odd when I told her to do it, but she didn't say she wouldn't.

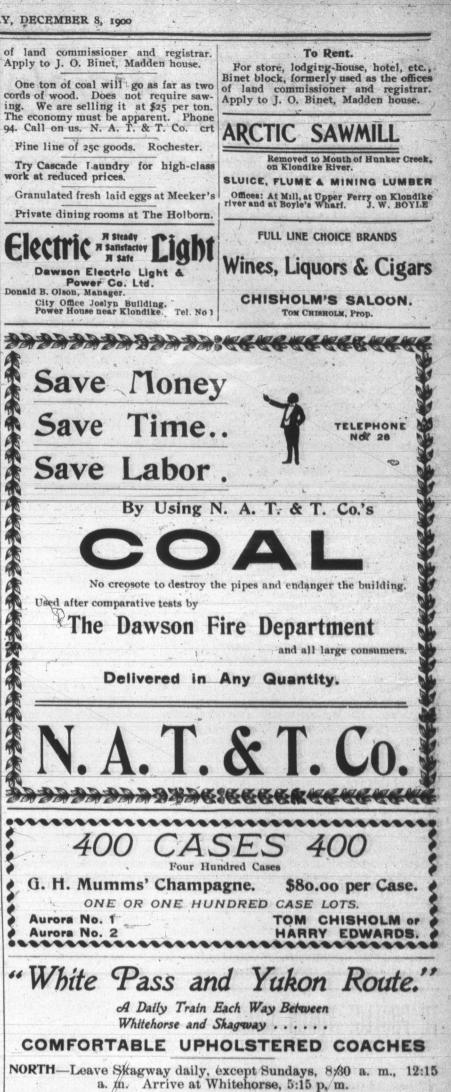
"Weeks passed, and her method continued as bad as ever. I couldn't understand it. Each lesson found her just where the preceding one left her. At last one day I asked her if she were she wouldn't practice before breakfast flushed and then broke down. She said she hadn't dared to sing before breakfast because it is bad luck.

"'Sing before you eat, cry before you sleep,' is the saying, and that idiot of a girl believed it so implicitly that she wouldn't practice before breakfast even for the sake of that glorious voice of hers, and as before breakfast was the only time she had to practice the result was-well, I gave her up. She'll live and die a stenographer when she might be a prima donna, and it will serve her precisely right. She has sacrificed her future to an idiotic superstition,"-Washington Post.



How One Was Started In the National Zoo at Washington.

In The Century Ernest Seton-Thompson, who used to be known as "Wolf" Thompson from his familiarity with this particular form, of wild animal, tells how he started a wolf serenade at the National zoo in Washington.



wayd and sat down in it. Then they boked at each other-the woman in may and the woman in white.

"I think perhaps you know me," said the woman in gray. "No doubt people have pointed me out to you as the wife of-of"-

"They have," said the woman in white haughtily, taking up a steel paer knife from the table near at hand playing with it. "To what do 1 the honor of this visit?"

The woman in gray looked at the paer knife and smiled wearily.

"You mistake me," she said. "Some omen might have thought of that. But you will live. See! Tomorrow 1 upon a long journey, and 1 knew hat I must see you face to face before I went."

"What possible interest can I have in our plans for traveling?" cried the oman in white contemptuously. Pray consult your dressmaker instead and tell her for me that she should be tilled if she ever dresses you in gray again. It is not becoming."

"You are bitter," said the woman in ray, "and we have so little time, and we are so near the tragedies of both our lives. A little while ago I was bitter against you, too, but now I am too. and to be very bitter. I see how past memedy it is. I am not here to beg you to be merciful. Even if you wished, ou couldn't give me back what I have

Well, you have had your chance!" cried the woman in white. "And you have lost it! Who but yourself is to blame?"

The woman in white had thrown prudence to the winds with that eech, and now rage and jealousy and olent triumph were curiously blended in the beautiful face and flushed in red glow from the eyes.

Yes-I have lost it," said the woman in gray. "And having learned this, ist all doubt, I would not try to keep him if I could. I am going away, and he shall live his life in peace. I have rely come to ask you what kind of life it is going to be.

The woman in white threw herself ck in her chair and raised her beautiful arms above her head.

cold blooded women feel deeply sometimes and think long thoughts! And now he has won the honors we dreamed of, and tomorrow I am going on a long journey!"

She slowly rose, and the mapple woman in white saw for the first time that she had a little package in the thin hand...

"I have something to leave with you," said the woman in gray, "something to give you. See, it is a little bundle of letters. He wrote them during my mother's illness. They are the letters of an undeveloped and ignorant boy to a poor little girl. I have cherished them a long time, but I give them to you now, because-because they have already gone out of my life."

An hour afterward the woman in white found that she had been alone for a long time and that the last of the poor little letters was open in her hand. A withered rose had dropped from it and lay in her lap among the folds of fluffy white. The air was filled with the fragrance of the little old time rose, which seemed to be part of the old time boyish love that was dead as the rose. Once, long ago, in her life also

The radiant face of the woman in white was pale and old and weary looking as she tied the letters in the packet again and laid this penciled line upon them:

"Do not go on the long journey, for I go on a journey of my own." Then she slipped the bracelet into its velvet case and sealed and addressed it and called a servant to go on two errands. "I am going away tonight, John," she said as his foot hesitated on the stair. "Send Susan up to pack."

And then she stood in the middle of the room, her head drooped, pressing back something that tried to come to her eyes.

"And now for new fields," she said despairingly, "and the life in them"--St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

He Was Admitted.

Fortunately when red tape comes in contact with common sense it is red tape which goes to the wall. As good story is told of a military official who

While making these notes among the animals of the Washington zoo I used to go at all hours to see them. Late one evening I sat down with some friends by the wolf cages in the light of a full moon. I said, "Let us see whether they have forgotten the music of the west." I put up my hands to my mouth and howled the hunting song of the pack. The first to respond was a coyote from the plains. He remembered the wild music that used to mean pickings for him. . He put up his muzzle and "yap yapped" and howled. Next an old wolf from Colorado came running out. looked and listened earnestly, and, raising her snout to the proper angle, she took up the wild strain. Then all the others came running out and joined in, each according to his voice, but all singing that wild wolf hunting song, howling and yelling, rolling and swelling, high and low, in the cadence of the hills. They sang me their song of the west, the west;

They set all my feelings aglow; They stirred up my heart with their artless art And their song of the long ago.

Again and again they raised the cry and sang in chorus till the whole moonlit wood around was ringing with the grim refrain-until the inhabitans in the near city must have thought all the beasts broken loose. But at length their clamor died away, and the wolves returned, slunk back to their dens, silently, sadly, I thought, as though they realized that they could indeed join in the hunting song as of old, but their hunting days were forever done.

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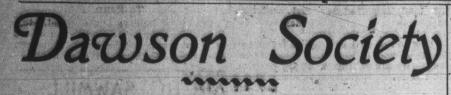
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must have a breathing spell; hence the mer. quietness of the past week. There were several club parties, and several other clubs that thought best to postpone their social dance until next week.

There was the usual number of quiet home affairs, which after all are fully as enjoyable as those given on a grander scale.

The first of the week Mrs. O. Finstad entertained a party of friends at her elegant home on Second street. She was assisted by her husband, Mr. Hammond, T. S. Branson, Peter Steil, her elegant home on Second street. She was assisted by her husband, Mr. O. Finstad, the well-known capitalist and mine owner, and her daughter Miss Seminary, Several of Dawson's best musicians were there. Mr. Arthur Boyle rendered a number of fine selections on the piano, also accompanied himself in several songs, among them "The Ship Will Tack," and "Daddy." Mr. Boyle has a fine baritons voice, and like all true musicians is a great lover of his art.

Mr. Roland Sutherland, a young gentleman possessed of a wonderous deep and musical basso voice, sang the "Ar-mor Bearer," the "Sentinel," and "A Dream," to the well rendered accompaniment of Miss Emma Burt.

Mr. Sutherland is not only the possor of a fine voice, but has also the onderful gitt of story-telling. The first words that greeted the little party on entering the spacious parlors of Mrs. Finstad were those uttered by Mr. utherland in praise of his wonderfuland Mr. and Mrs. Bryan related several a big hall was completed at that place, praise of that remarkable cat. He told for dancing and general public use. the serving of a most delicious lunch. cated in a manner seldom excelled, by At each repetition the cat grew, and a ball which the best people of the the fur lengthened, and when at last the good nights were said to the charm-and the Forks attended. An elegant (c). And he is also liable in every the good nights were said to the charm- and the Forks attended. An elegant ing host and hostess, and the guests supper was served at midnight, Mesdrew their warm wraps about them dames Stanley and Worden acting in with a shiver, it was not so much in the capacity of hostesses. Dancing fear of the cold as of that dreadful continued until the following morning. Sutherland cat.

land Sutherland, Mr. Geo. McMillan, lowed in the snow.

After the race comes the rest. After | Mr. A. L. Smith, Mr. J. M. Dormer, St. Andrew's ball the society people Mrs. Belle Dormer, Master Jack Dor-

> The third dance given by the Bon Ami Social Club was a great success, every one present thoroughly enjoying themselves. Those present were :

Miss Edyth McMillin, R. J. Dillon Miss Marcia Latimer, G. B. Parsons, Miss Millicent Latimer, Geo. M. Allen, R.

E. Taylor, R. A. Grimes, G.E. Daniel, R. P. Berry, Mrs. J. Blaker, J. Blaker, Mrs. Orr, Ernest M. Whalley, Miss O'Brien, A. H. James, A. Vogee, Thos. Emima Burt, an accomplished young Brown, R. H. Prichard, M. J. Hume, lady recently graduated from Mills James Hume, Mrs. Drame, John A. Brown, R. H. Prichard, M. J. Hume, Mullen, Miss Burt, M. McMullen, J. J. Chisholm, J. H. Hatten, John C. Lilly, Miss Soggey, J. A. Coleman, Mrs. L. Pond, Geo. Brimstone, Mrs. Brimston, Miss Beedy, B. Pollock.

> The Terpsichorean Club will give a dance next Friday evening in McDonald hall.

This will be the club's first dance in several weeks, and is looked forward to with much pleasure by its friends and members.

e given another of the Public Library free socials so much enjoyed of late. Among other features of note will be a song by Mr. Chas. McDonald, one of eggs. Dawson's social favorites.

Sam-Stanley-and-Charles-Wordenville on 25 and 26 Eldorado is becoming one gora cat. Mr. McGovern told a cat of the most pretentious places in the ory, and Mr. McMillan a tea story, district outside of Dawson. Recently antation stories, still after each and being the joint production and propery one Mr. Sutherland chanted the erty of an association which erected it

In going from the Forks out to the hall Those present were Mr. and Mrs. the stage overturned and spilled out Bryan, Mr. Arthur Boyle, Mr. J. R. the occupants who were not injured McGovern, Mr. J. Chisholm, Mr. Ro- further than by being effectually wal-

be lawfully taken: (a). By Indians who are inhabitants of the Yukon territory. But this exception does not apply to buffalo, bison, or musk oxen during the close seasons for these beasts;

(b). By explorers, surveyors or travelers, who are engaged in any ex ploration, survey or other examination of the territory, and are in actual need of the beasts, birds or eggs for food ;

(c). By any person who has a permit to do so granted under the subsequent provisions of this act.

7. None of the contrivances for taking or killing wild fowl, known as batteries, swivel guns or sunken punts, shall be used at any time of the year, to take, destroy, or kill any of the birds mentioned in this act, or any other species of wild fowl.

8. None of the beasts and birds mentioned in this act shall be taken or killed, at any time of the year by the use of poison or poisonous substances.

9. No dogs shall be used at any time of the year for hunting, taking, running, killing, injuring or in any, way molesting musk oxen, buffalo and bison, or during the close, any of the other beasts or any of the birds mentioned in this act.

10. No one shall enter into any contract or agreement with, or employ any Indian or other person, whether such Indian is an inhabitant of the country to which this act applies or not, to This coming Monday evening will hunt, kill or take, contrary to the provisions of this act, any of the beasts or birds mentioned in this act, or to take contrary to such provisions, any

> 11. Everyone is guilty of an offence who violates any of the foregoing provisions of this act and is liable on summary conviction thereof, to a penalty as follows:

(a). For the violation of any provisons with regard to musk oxen, buffalo or bison, elk, wapiti, or moose, cariboo, deer, mountain sheep and mouncat stories after each song, and during the serving of a most delicious lunch. Last Thursday night the hall was dedi-tated in a manner seldom excelled, by (b). And for the violation as to any other of the provisions of this act to

> case to pay the cost of conviction. 14. Offences against this act may be summarily tried before any of the following authorities:

(a). Any judge of the territorial court of the Yukon territory.

(b). Any justice of the peace in and for the Yukon territory.
(c). Any commissioned officer of the Northwest Mounted police.
(d). Any game guardian appointed under this ordinance.

15. Any beast, bird, or eggs in re-spect of which or of any part of which, any conviction has been made under this ordinance, shall be held to be thereby confiscated, and the authority (d). No one person will have the right to kill during the same season, more than three of each of the different beasts, following, towit; Elk or



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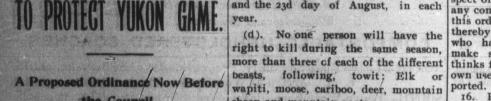
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and the 23d day of August, in each year. (d). No one person will have the

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The following is the proposed game the above share of the person or per-ordinance which, having passed its showing the name of the person or per-ordinance which, having passed its showing the name of the person or persecond reading before the Yukon coun- sons, from whom it was so purchased, cil, will be up for final reading and the quantity and kind purchased, and

birds mentioned in this act are therein Police shall be ex-officio game, guarddescribed include their young, and | ians under this ordinance, and the commales and females.

(b). The time fixed with respect to from whom it called in this act "the close season" for that beast or bird.

aken, killed, shot at, wounded, in fured, or molested in any way, at any time of the year until the first day of conviction to a penalty not exceeding -, 1901.

3. Except as hereinafter provided, the following beasts and birds shall not be hunted, taken, killed, shot at, vounded, injured or molested in any way during the following times of it expedient or necessary so to do, alter year, respectively:

(a). Elk or wapiti, moose, cariboo, deer, mountain sheep or mountain goats, between the first day of February and the first day of November, in above mentioned, or in the nest of any each year.

heasants and prairie chickens between at any time of the year. he 15th day of December and the 15th 6. Notwithstanding

(e). Any person who shall kill any of the above beasts for sale, will be bound to report himself at the first

Mounted Police detachment on his way to Dawson or the creeks, and to declare his name, the number of beasts killed, and the place where he killed them.

(f). Any person purchasing meat of The following is the proposed game the above beasts will keep a register

obable passage at the next meeting: also the date of purchase. The names by which the beasts and (g). All members of the mounted

missioner in council may appoint other (a). The expression "game guard-ian" means a game guardian appointed under the subsequent provisions of this son, at any time, found in the posses-sion of same to star, when, where and

sion of game to state when, where and obtained, and, my beast or bird by section two or whenever he has reason to suspect that three, or by the commissioner in coun- any person is in the possession of cil under section four of this act, is game, he will have the right to inspect any bag, vehicle or other means of transportation in which he may sup-2. Except as hereinafter provided, pose it to be, and any person refusing, buffalo and bison shall not be hunted, molesting, or obstructing the said game molesting, or obstructing the said game guardian in the accomplishment of

and costs, and in default of payment to imprisonment not exceeding -days.

4. The commissioner in council may from time to time when de deems any of the times fixed by sections 2 and 3 of this act.

5. Except as hereinafter provided, no eggs in the nests of any of the birds

(b). Grouse, partridge, ptarmigans, taken destoyed, injured, or molested

anything

(c). Wild swans, wild ducks and beasts and birds mentioned in these ild geese, snipes, sand pipers and sections may be lawfully hunted, taken anes, between the 1st day of January or killed, and eggs of any of the birds

16. Possession as follows namely:(a). Possession at any time of the year of a buffalo or bison, dead or alive, or of any part of a buffalo or bison; or

(b). Possession at any time of year of eggs of any of the birds mentioned in this ordinance, or of eggs of any other species of wild fowl; or

other species of wild fowl; or (c). Possession during the close sea-son of any other beast mentioned in this ordinance, or any part of any such beast, or of any birds mentioned n sec-tion 3 shall be deemed prime facia evidence of the killing or taking of the beast, bird, or eggs, as the case may be contrary to the provisions of this ordinance. this ordinance.

18. Any game guardian reason to suspect that a breach of the provisions of this ordinance has been committed, or that any beast, bird or eggs in respect of which such a breach has been committed, s likely a breach has been committed, is likely to be in any tent, or in any premises, or on board any vessel, or at any other place, may by warrant under his hand, authorize any constable to enter and search any such place, and if found, to seize any such beast, bird or eggs, or any such part of any beast or bird, to be dealt with afferwards according to be dealt with afterwards according to the provisions of this ordinance.

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