

# THE ATLIN CLAIM.

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### MINERAL LOCATIONS.

Aug. 11.—W. A. Simpson—Bes-sie, 9 miles SE from head of Tory Inlet.

R. Burke—Dellie.

L. B. Harris—Arctic.

W. W. Fenn—Columbia.

J. A. Fenn—Birch.

T. Mitchell—Anda.

Ben Myers—Dome.

John McKeown—Bristle.

Thos. McKeown—Canyon.

Thos. McKeown—Bonanza.

All the above are located nine miles SE from head of Tory Inlet.

A. B. Groeper—Victoria, 4 miles from Atlin.

Aug. 13.—E. M. Clay—No-see-em, Monro Mountain.

Thos. Scott—Lincoln, between Wright and Alder.

A. W. Bristol—Big Island, bet. Wright and Alder.

Aug. 15.—Jeff Halferty—Deer, 9 miles south from Tory Inlet.

J. H. Diers—Dundee.

R. Tjaiks—Cameo.

Ernest Martin—Colorado.

H. C. Diers—Crag.

L. Forrester—Castle.

C. A. Diers—Belle.

C. W. Bennett—Bear.

R. Patrick—Benton.

The above 8 claims are located 9 miles south of Tory Inlet.

M. E. Hitchcock—Hohenzollern, 8 miles south of Golden Gate.

F. C. Harriman—New York, 8 miles south of Golden Gate.

H. O. Peterson—Alpha, 9 miles south of Tory Inlet.

Thos. Marks—Argo.

H. C. Diers—Atha.

A. B. Lewis—Atlinto.

J. H. Diers—Amur.

Chas. A. Diers—Denver.

T. R. Tjaiks—Alaska.

Ludwig Lundelin—Boss.

The above seven are located nine miles south of Tory Inlet.

W. W. Grime—London, 5 miles SE from Atlin.

C. D. Mason—Victoria, 5 miles SE from Atlin.

L. Thompson—P. L. S., 5 miles SE from Atlin.

### BOUND FOR CIRCLE CITY.

Quite a number of our old residents are preening their wings and preparing for a flight to scenes and pastures new. Down the Yukon seems to be the favorite direction. Amongst others may be named Dr. G. Lewis and W. R. Dockrill, who intend starting next Saturday for Circle City. Fred. Fortin, Syd Aitken and George Rice, the last-named one of the best known and most successful hotel men in the north, are going to look up that city also, and possibly may push on to the Tanana country, from which good mining reports are being consistently received. We wish them all success in their new spheres of influence, and, if Atlin does not

pull up soon, some of their present neighbors may drop in on some of our departing friends in their new homes some day soon and see what they have got in their bean pots.

### FAREWELL BANQUET

Tendered to A. W. Shiels at Hotel Grand on the Eve of His Departure for the Coast.

On Monday evening, at the Grand Hotel, a complimentary banquet was tendered to Archie W. Shiels, Esq., late manager for the British America Corporation's Atlin branch, previous to his departure for Vancouver. Punctually at eight o'clock the chair was taken by Gold Commissioner Graham, the guest of the evening sitting on his right. Twenty-six gentlemen sat down to the table. The menu was first-class and fully up to the best traditions of the Grand. After the abundance of good things was done ample justice to, the chairman proposed the Queen, followed by, Our Guest. In a few well-chosen sentences the speaker rendered testimony to the high esteem in which Mr. Shiels is universally held here and the regret occasioned by his departure. Mr. Shiels, in responding, said he was sorry to have to leave such pleasant associations and the many warm friends he had made here. On going to the coast any thing he could do to advance the district's interests he would cheerfully do. Toasts and speeches followed in rapid succession until the party broke up about 12 o'clock.

On the following afternoon Mr. Shiels left by the Scotia and the wharf was crowded with friends to see him off.

### A NEAT ESTABLISHMENT.

Jules Eggert & Son, the Swiss watchmakers, have now got their commodious establishment on First St. in full running order. A full line of all the latest, up-to-date machinery required for a manufacturing jeweller is in place. A very pleasant and instructive visit can be made by any one so inclined, the proprietors courteously showing and explaining the uses of the various machines, which are really very wonderful in their operations. Whilst the visitor waits he can have a nickel run out into a ribbon a couple of feet long or drawn into a wire of indeterminate length. A complete smelting outfit forms part of the plant and customers can have

any imaginable article of tasteful and artistic jewelry manufactured from gold of their own mining. Nugget chains, bracelets and brooches are made a specialty of by the firm, and many handsome products in this line have been turned out. The establishment is compact and complete even to the optical department and is a credit to the town.

### THE BOULDER NUGGET

To Be Shipped to Paris, Where it Will Be Placed on Exhibition.

M. Janne de Lamare has just returned from a three days' trip to the Lamare Syndicate Hydraulic mine on Boulder Creek. During M. Lamare's visit to Paris, where the stock of the Syndicate is mostly held, Mr. Christopher, the well-known mining manager, assumed full charge of the construction work, which is now completed, to M. Lamare's complete satisfaction.

Boulder Creek has been showing up well lately. The individual miners report very favorably of their gold returns and the finding of a nugget weighing 48 oz. 12 dwt. by Messrs. Clarke and Sutherland, in the vicinity of the property of the Syndicate, makes a record for the district which is sure to be beaten when the hydraulic giants get to work. This nugget was on exhibition at the Bank of Halifax for some days. It is clean cut, without any quartz, and is a solid, compact piece about the size of a clenched fist.

The nugget will be sent to Paris shortly, where the shareholders in the Lamare syndicate will no doubt view it with extreme interest, coming as it does from the creek on which their mine lies. Accompanying the same on its long trip will be photographs of the men who uncovered it, their depositions and likewise the deposition of the Gold Commissioner, Mr. Graham, as evidence of its having been taken from Boulder Creek, Atlin District. These will be published in M. Lamare's journal, in Paris, at no distant date, and will doubtless serve to dispel any suspicion that may arise as to its having come from Dawson, or any other mining camp outside of Atlin.

Our mining reporter intends paying a special visit to Boulder on Monday and a full description of the creek and mining operations thereon will appear in our next.

### AT NICKERSON'S.

Preserved figs, mango preserve, Cross & Blackwell's jams, French peas, mushrooms, anchovies in oil, pate de foie gras, potted shrimps, lobsters and crabs, Roquefort and Melare's cheese, Lipton's teas, quail on toast, Cadbury's chocolates, Christie's and Peck & Frean's biscuits. Tobacco at cut rates. Best one bit cigars in town.

### A TWENTY-STAMP MILL

To Be Installed on the Engineer Group on Taku Arm.

From the Engineer on Taku Arm, comes the cheering intelligence that prospects are so favorable that the company have decided to install a 20-stamp mill as a starter. In a conversation with Mr. Faull, who has just visited the locality and who is most favorably impressed with what he saw, we learn that the Engineer possesses two ledges, one of the enormous width of 72 feet, clear, mineralized quartz from side to side, the other is a distinct vein of apparently the same quality and 15 feet across from wall to wall. One assay from chippings across the large ledge gave \$30 per ton in gold. If this rate could only be maintained, then the Engineer, with its vast bulk of ore, would be the banner mine of the world. Rich telluride ore occurs in places. Samples of this, when roasted, show speckled all over with points of gold quite visible to the naked eye. Should this property live up to half its present promise and be worked for all it is worth, it will give permanent employment to hundreds of men and scores, perhaps hundreds, of stamps, and a live, prosperous town on Taku Arm will follow as a matter of course.

### GOLD-RUN

Locators on the new rush at Gold Run are being granted lay-overs until the end of September. Water is very troublesome in the deep ground at this time of the year, and Gold Run is essentially a drifting proposition. When the frosts set in, work will be vigorously prosecuted, and a large number of men will find profitable employment during the long winter months.

### MONRO MOUNTAIN.

The Imperial group on Monro Mountain still keeps on shipping good ore to the Anaconda stamp mill. The drift to tap the ledge at the 120 foot level has discovered a large body of good quartz, as expected. With such a guarantee of quality and permanence the agent for the Nirrod Syndicate, Mr. Fetherstonhaugh, is making arrangements to put up a 10-stamp mill at the Falls on Pine Creek. A road has been built to the proposed mill site, giving an easy grade for the transit of ore.

### IMPORTANT DEAL.

Messrs. Dr. Troughton, E. Ridd, and the Dixon Bros., have bought out the entire buildings, stock and machinery of the Atlin Lake Lumber Company. They propose to run the mill on up-to-date lines, Mr. Ridd managing the mechanical, Dr. Troughton the financial and N. Dixon the logging part of the business. We trust they will meet with success in their new venture.



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It says little for our local Lib-  
eral-Conservatives, claimed by some  
to form two-thirds of the electoral  
list in this young and tolerably  
rich camp, that they will not be  
able to send a delegate to the con-  
vention to be held at New West-  
minster on the 31st inst., to perfect  
plans for the coming Dominion  
election. Around the time of the  
late Provincial election great talk  
of organization was made, but ev-  
erybody's business was nobody's  
special business, and the whole  
thing was allowed to die out of  
mind, when presto, the call comes  
to send one delegate down and  
finds the northern section of Cas-  
siar totally unprepared to do so.  
The only consolation the Liberal-  
Conservatives can derive from this  
chaotic state of matters is that their  
opponents are apparently in the  
same position, six of one and half  
a dozen of the other. It will be a  
great advertisement for Atlin when  
the roll of electoral districts is cal-  
led at the convention and Atlin-  
Bennett is reached, to find the re-  
sponse—absent!

A case which is now probably  
attracting much attention in B. C.  
is that of Williams v. The B. A. C.,  
and is likely to prove very remun-  
erative to the legal fraternity. The  
plaintiff claims \$602,620 and inter-  
est at 6 per cent. from June, 1898,  
on the grounds that he was one of  
the original shareholders in the Le  
Roi Co., and one of the majority  
who agreed to sell, and did sell,  
their shares to the British America  
Corporation at \$5, on the distinct  
understanding that they should re-  
ceive the same amount for their  
shares as the minority if the B. A.  
C. should succeed in acquiring their  
interest. This they eventually suc-  
ceeded in doing, but, it is alleged, at  
an increased price of \$2.30 per share.  
As Mr. Williams was the holder of  
262,009 shares, he is of opinion that  
he is entitled to the additional sum  
of \$2.30 on each share, and hence  
the present action. The other  
majority shareholders are said to be  
watching the case, and no doubt  
that the shareholders in the B. A.  
C. will also feel some concern in  
a matter which greatly affects  
their pockets.—B. C. Review, July.

## FORMALLY OPENED.

With Concert, Ball and Supper the  
Handsomeness of the new Provincial Gov-  
ernment Buildings Are Opened to  
the Public.

Despite the persistent rain and  
sogginess of the weather, the for-  
mal opening of the new Govern-  
ment buildings brought out every-  
body who claims to be anybody,  
and at the starting hour the hall  
appointed for the concert was filled  
to overflowing. Three stage loads  
found their way down from Pine  
and added to the already vast as-  
semblage. For some time the Gold  
Commissioner and his deputies,

aided by the deft fingers of lady  
volunteers, have been at work dec-  
orating the hall and the result at-  
tained was charming. Flags taste-  
fully festooned around the room  
and a liberal display of Chinese  
lanterns, transformed it into a thing  
of beauty. At 9 o'clock Mr. Gra-  
ham opened proceedings by an al-  
together too brief speech. A long  
concert followed, in which nearly  
all of the old talent and a good  
deal of the new presented their  
specialties to an appreciative and  
applauding audience. All the old  
performers are too well known to re-  
quire any particular notice in this  
connection, suffice it to say they  
were up to their usual high stan-  
dard. Those who appeared for the  
first time before an Atlin audience  
were Mrs. E. M. N. Woods, who  
played a piano solo in a style artis-  
tic to a degree. Little Miss Pill-  
man proved herself quite an elocu-  
tionist, possessing a winning man-  
ner and a thorough grasp of the  
meaning of her part. Mr. Des  
Brisay sang a couple of songs in  
good style as did also Mr. Van  
Welt. The latter gentleman would  
be a first-rate catch for one of our  
local choirs, as he possesses a bass  
voice of imposing volume and  
which shows considerable training.  
Her mairiel, Cot pless her, was  
there with the pipes, "and made  
them skirl, till roof and rafters a'  
did dirr," evoking many a "hooh"  
from the enthusiastic Scotchmen  
present. Mr. Henning gave the  
audience a taste of his quality as a  
guitarist as did Mr. Lear as a man-  
dolinist. Both scored successes.  
Mr. Brackett kindly gave a choice  
lot of selections on his immense  
Edison gramophone. It was a re-  
velation to many present and formed  
a very agreeable feature of the en-  
tertainment. Messrs. McFeely and  
Lecapellain wound up the concert  
part with their never-to-be-suffi-  
ciently admired rendition of the  
cake walk. The costuming of  
Mr. McFeely was superb and was  
gotten up under the supervision of  
Mrs. J. H. Brownlee.

After the concert a bounteous  
lunch was served and the hall  
cleared for the light fantastic. Ten  
numbers were on the programme,  
which was faithfully gone through  
with. After a hearty vote of thanks  
to Mr. Graham and his staff for the  
pleasant time had, each took off  
his several way, resolved to meet  
some other day, and voting their  
hosts jolly good fellows, everyone.  
Which nobody can deny.

## FROM THE CAPE.

Mr. W. G. Paxton, is in receipt  
of another letter from his brother,  
Sergt. Paxton, whom our readers  
may recollect was wounded early  
in the Boer war. He is now in  
sound health and on duty again.  
The letter is dated Talana Hill,  
Dundee, 2nd June, and shows some  
sidelights on affairs at the front.  
We quote: "Gertie (his sweet-  
heart) and I arranged to write each  
other in the most commonplace  
way so the censors couldn't get  
much fun out our letters, even if  
they read them through."

Sunday, 3rd June—Roberts is in  
Johannesburg. Hooray; the be-  
ginning of the end, "Sic transit

C. CHRISTOPHER,  
President.

A. C. HIRSCHFELD,  
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gloria (?) Oompauli! Thank God!  
We had service here this morning.  
I have heard some ministers in my  
time, but for absolute, irresponsible,  
damned, idiotic vaporing, recom-  
mend me to the minister of Dun-  
dee, Natal. He didn't even have  
brains enough to tell us to sit down  
while he yelped. There are a lot  
of Boer prisoners in town and we  
may have the chance to escort the  
beasts to Durban.

Tuesday, 5th.—We had the offi-  
ces to sleep in and collared some  
mattresses. It felt funny to sleep  
on one again. The prisoners were  
a queer mixed lot, any age from 17  
to 70, and all sorts and conditions  
of dress. One or two were rather  
respectable looking fellows, appa-  
rently well-to-do farmers. They  
are fearfully loyal! One old fellow  
told us he was 72, and that his  
father came from Dalkeith, near  
Edinburgh, and had fought at  
Waterloo as an officer of the British  
army! The old fellow was fright-  
fully indignant at being arrested."

The London directors of the  
Bank of British North America  
have decided to close the Bennett  
branch, but it will take some time  
to do so on account of so many of  
the depositors being out in the  
mountains prospecting and mining.  
After the business is wound up Mr.  
Belt will go to Rossland, and Mr.  
Ward to Vancouver.—White Horse  
Star, Aug. 8.

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## Application to Prospect for Coal.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after  
date I intend to apply to the Chief Commis-  
sioner of Lands and Works for permission  
to prospect for coal on the following de-  
scribed tract of land, situate in the Hazelton  
sub-division of the district of Cassiar: Com-  
mencing at a stake marked "M. McP., N. E.  
corner post," thence south 80 chains; thence  
west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence  
east 80 chains to point of commencement,  
and containing 640 acres more or less.

M. McPATTER

Manager Jubilee Mining & Development Co.  
Dated Atlin, B. C., 21st July, 1900.

## APPLICATION FOR LAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after  
date I intend to apply to the Commissioner  
of Lands and Works for permission to lease  
5 (five) acres of land for garden purposes,  
situate on the north side of Pine Creek,  
about two and a half miles from its mouth,  
commencing at stake marked No. 1, running  
easterly 202 yards to stake No. 2, near to Pine  
Creek; thence northerly 120 yards to stake  
No. 3; thence westerly 202 yards to stake No.  
4; thence southerly 120 yards to place of com-  
mencement.  
H. A. BAXTER.  
Atlin, B. C., Aug. 11, 1900.

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SATURDAY, AUG. 18, 1900.

# GROCERY SALE

**B. H. C. STOCK.**

Our bargain sale in groceries commences on

## Monday, 20th Inst.

**AT OUR OWN STORE,  
CORNER 1st AND TRAYNOR STS.**

Last week we advertised a slaughter sale in dry goods, and the best evidence that we kept our word lies in the liberal patronage we received. We expected to take two weeks to close the stock out; we did it in four days.

While not promising a slaughter sale in groceries we will give bargains in every line.

**Prices will be badly cut.**

We have over \$35,000 in Groceries in our Store. It is too much for Atlin and we have got to reduce it.

**Come and See Us**

**and**

**Lay in Your Fall and Winter Supplies**

This sale will last for three weeks only. Don't overlook the snaps to be had.

**BLACKETT & CO.**  
IRON STORE.



# **"THE CLAIM" Agency in Discovery is at Taylor's Store.**

## **PICKED UP HERE AND THERE.**

Church of England services will be held at corner Trainor and Third streets on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church hold services in the A. B. Hall, Second Street. Morning services at 10:30; evening services 7:30. Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Rev. G. Pringle, Minister.

One of the best articles for good health is a wholesome loaf of bread at 12 cents, and a first-class meal for 50 cents at the Pioneer Bakery.

If you want to have fresh soda water on hand, come and get a Sparklet, at Fortin and Lecapellain's, the druggists. Soda water made instantly.

Wednesday morning, the 14th, showed the first snow of the season on the mountain range over the lake.

Ma. Doelker, of the People's Meat Market, has fitted up a large ice chest for fish and made arrangements by which the people on the creeks can have daily supplies of toothsome trout, and delicious whitefish delivered by wagon right at their cabins. Mr. Doelker's enterprise will be appreciated and a large business is sure to follow.

The once flourishing Bennett is rushing to rapid oblivion. The railway warehouses are being pulled down preparatory to removal to White Horse. The Sun has ceased to throw its refulgent beams around—at 15 cents a beam, and now the Bank of B. N. A. is leaving the deserted hamlet.

As will be seen from our third page, Mr. St. Clair Blackett proposes giving the people a benefit in the way of cheap groceries next week, at his iron store, corner of First and Trainor. He will present the large stock which he purchased from the B. A. C. The slaughter sale which Mr. Blackett held during the present week was an immense success, the seller more than fulfilling his promise of selling goods at less than coast prices, as every one who was lucky enough to buy can testify. Whilst groceries are more staple than dry goods and notions, yet Mr. Blackett's promise to make a cut satisfactory to all, can, in the light of his past record, be entirely depended on.

Baker & Tennant are turning out a large number of scows for the Dawson trip.

The Atlin Football club met with a severe defeat at the hands, or rather the feet of the Pines, on Saturday last, at the grounds of the latter, the score being three to nil. The game was closer contested than the score would seem to indicate, and some really good all-round play was developed on both sides.

At the ball given at Pine last week for the benefit of the private hospital established there, the handsome amount of \$160 was realized and handed over to the trustees of the institution.

The reports from the alleged alluvial strike at the Tooche are not of a very encouraging nature. Fine gold everywhere, but not enough to pay for working, seems to about size the situation up.

On Spruce Creek, from 5 to 15

above discovery, very good gold is being taken out from the ground which was generally deemed worthless by last summer's so-called miners.

Go to Cummings & Richardson's for gents' furnishings, boots and shoes, First street.

The committee of the Atlin Literary Society hereby gratefully acknowledge the receipt of \$30 from J. D. Graham, Esq., being the entire profits from the sale of programmes at the opening of the new Government buildings on the 14th inst.

Mr. Clute, Customs Inspector, arrived in Atlin yesterday.

We regret to have to announce the decease at Nome, of acute pneumonia, of Mr. Floorman. The deceased was well-known in Atlin, having been in here with his family last summer. He was the original locator of the Anaconda mine.

Eric Halverson, who has been in the hospital since last winter, having had his foot amputated as a result of frost-bite, will shortly leave that institution. A visit will be made to each of the creeks for the purpose of collecting a fund to give the poor fellow a start. F. C. Mow, at has just returned from Boulder Creek and handed over \$22.50 which he collected there. C. L. Waite will canvass the other creeks on the same charitable mission.

## **ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.**

On Wednesday evening next, the 22nd, at the A. B. Hall, Mrs. Mary E. Hitchcock, will present to the Atlin public her first talk on northern matters. The subject will be "From San Francisco to the Klondyke via St. Michaels," and will be illustrated by numerous lantern views, from photographs, depicting life and scenery along the route. This will be the first of a series of illustrated lectures which the talented authoress purposes giving at intervals. From the criticisms of the coast papers on these entertainments we can assure those attending a most enjoyable and instructive evening. Tickets are only 50 cents and half-price for children. Apart from the undoubted great merits of the entertainment itself, and the universally recognized ability of the lecturer, the fact that the proceeds will be donated to the Church of England building fund should induce every one to attend.

## **AT THE GRAND.**

John Saul, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Skinner, Vancouver; W. F. Mallock, E. C. Hawkins, John Hislop, Geo. D. Smith, Skagway; W. H. Barfoot, A. M. Tyn-dall, S. H. Graves, England.

## **THAT TUG-OF-WAR.**

The long-talked of match between the French and Scotch teams of heavy weights for \$100, came off in McDonald's hall, Pine, on Saturday evening. The terms were 18 inches pull, on cleats, five minutes straight, six men a side. The contest was desperate, the sous of the heather securing at the start an advantage of six inches. The Gauls

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hauled like demons to get this back, but the motto of the Scotch was: "What we have we'll hold," and hold it they did, although the French pulled until each of them saw more stars than the firmament contained. This settled the question of superiority, at all events for the time being, and the cannie laddies raked in the bawbees they were out for.

A Dominion election is set for October. A covention of B. C. Conservatives will meet in New Westminster on the 31st inst.

## **THAT CANOE MISHAP.**

By Taku when the sun was low,  
The river rushed with steady flow  
The icy stream was none too slow,  
Atlinite rolling rapidly

But, little daunted by the scene  
The anglers anchored in the stream,  
Of danger they did little dream  
Or any sore calamity.

Right nobly they their rods did ply,  
The wary fish rose to the fly,  
A score at least were caught to die  
In nerveless despondency.

But like a flash when least expected  
All hands were in the stream ejected,  
And by the boiling flood directed  
Swept down to sure eternity.

But guided by an unseen hand,  
They struggled safely to the land,  
And lying panting, softly d-d  
All men and things abundantly.

Weary and wet they homeward came  
Without their boots, without their game,  
Anticipating doubtful fame  
Unwelcome jocularity.

A moral is, in places I woen  
To those who anchor in a stream;  
Don't wear gum-boots, and don't be keen,  
But weigh your anchor carefully.

## **Certificates of Improvement.**

### **MINERAL CLAIMS**

"Lucky Liverpool," "Nanaimo," "Paris Exhibition," "Unknown," "Transit Fraction," "Sultana Fraction," "Imperial," "Nimrod," mineral claims, situate in the Atlin Lake Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located: On Mouro Mountain, about 4 miles north-east of Atlin.

Take notice that I, J. H. Brownlee, agent for Thomas H. Jones, Free Miners' certificate No. 50791A; Wm. Moore, Free Miners' certificate No. 90167; James Stokes, Free Miners' certificate No. 90169; W. E. Hamilton, Free Miners' certificate No. 2355 special, and R. D. Fetherstonhugh, Free Miners' certificate No. B28256, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.  
J. H. BROWNLEE.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1930.

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