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THE FIRE.

The well-known "Kootenay Hotel" building unfortunately caught fire or the fire was first noticed at about 11-30 a.m. on Monday, the 24 th. inst.

The cause of the trouble is not known but it appears to have originated and indeed was confined to the upper floor of the building, the new roof but recently erected being entirely consumed. Willing hands helped the ever popular Jack Byrom to remove his large stock of liquors and cigars as well as the billiard tables and furniture from the burning building with the result that a very large proportion of the portable effects were saved. At the same time every effort was made to extinguish the flames. After about an hour's work the fire was brought unter control.

Some $2,000 worth of damage has been done to the building which we regret to learn was not insured.

There was danger for some time of the fire spreading to adjoining property and Mr. A. S. Cross accordingly took the precaution of moving out the stock from his store.

"Jack" was burnt out but he was by no means floored. Within three hours he had re-established his business in the Northern Hotel which he has held since last spring under lease but which has lately been unoccupied and was attending to the wants of his many friends in his usual cheerful way. In sporting parlance Jack "hadn't turned a hair."

Apropos of this subject we have much pleasure in publishing the following letters:

The Editor, Atlin Claim.

Dear Sir,

I wish to offer most sincere thanks to my many friends in Atlin for the very effective aid they rendered in saving my "Kootenay Hotel" and its contents from entire destruction by fire on the 24 th. inst. If it had not been for the strenuous and unsparing efforts of the gentlemen who assisted on the occasion my loss would have been very serious.

Yours truly,

J. S. Byrom.

The Editor, Atlin Claim.

Dear Sir;

Through the columns of your valuable paper I wish to thank most cordially the good people who assisted me in removing my stock during the late fire and in returning it again, with comparatively no loss and in fact very little inconvenience.

Yours truly

A. S. Cross.

WILL REBUILD.

Jack Byrom has let the contract for re-building "The Kootenay" to Mr. George Findlay; we understand Jack will re-occupy the premises in about six weeks, meanwhile things are humming at the "Northern."

NOTICE.

The meanest thieves in town are those who take the fire pails, no less than twelve were missing after the last fire. Anyone having them will do well to return same to the Fire Department.

GREAT CAMP.

J. H. Russell, owner of the brewery at Atlin and interested in mining property there, was a passenger on last night's train on his way to Seattle where he will purchase machinery for his plant. He is an enthusiastic believer in the future of Atlin, and thinks a government mint should be established there.

"This year Atlin, which was supposed to be barren of gold, has surprised the world, and next season the output will equal all expectations," said he.

"Much machinery is going in this winter and there is not a creek that will not be extensively developed next year.

"Large companies with plenty of capital are now taking hold of Atlin and the result will be startling.

"To-day Atlin is the best camp in the world. Among the 1500 people in the district this winter there is not a poor man.

"The question of the government mint being established at Atlin has been raised and we will work toward that end.

"The brewery business has been good, the only drawback being that with our limited means we were not able to supply the demand."

Mr. Russell will return through Skagway some time in Februrary with a shipment of machinery which will be taken in over the ice. —Daily Alaskan

TO MINING MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS.

The Atlin district is fast becoming a very important mining country and is a large buyer of Hydraulic, Quartz and Dredging machinery. If you want to be in the swim Advertise in "THE CLAIM."

OTTER CREEK.

Although very little attention has been directed toward this creek, good work is nevertheless being done above the second canyon, where Messrs. Carmichael, Moran and Vaughan are drifting into the benches with most encouraging results; already a tunnel of 75 feet has been driven on bed rock and the intention is to continue it to a distance of 300 feet, the average depth of the gravel is 50 feet.

The gentlemen above mentioned control twelve hydraulic leases and have an exceptionally good supply of water, with a grade sufficient to give them a fall of 300 feet in about two miles.

DAWSON STRICKEN PNEUMONIA EPIDEMIC.

Dawson, Dec. 18.—Dawson is stricken with a terrible epidemic of pneumonia. There have been five deaths in as many days from the dread malady and others are suffering from it. People are greatly worried. Typhoid is also epidemic, but it is subsiding and it is generally believed that the worst is over.

The smallpox has about disappeared. There are now only two smallpox patients in the entire district. Five thousand vaccine points were received to-day and it is announced that compulsory vaccination to include every man, woman and child in the city and on the creeks is to proceed at once. Twenty-five hundred points were received some time ago.—Daily Alaskan.

CANADIAN GOLD IN SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—A careful estimate of the total yield of gold from Klondike and Alaska, including Nome, for the present year has been compiled by a smelting company, acting in conjunction with the statistician of the San Francisco mint. The amount aggregates $25,724,223,81, divided as follows:

Klondike	$21,358,229,17
Nome	4,367,894,64

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HOCKEY.

A return match between J. H. Gillard's and F. E. McFeely's sides was played on the afternoon of the 22 nd. and a good fast game resulted in a win for Gillard's team by one goal to none.

On Christmas Day another game was played between the same sides with Deaks in place of Mr. Pringle. At the call of time neither side had scored but on continuing for another quarter of an hour Mc. Feely's side scored one goal and thus ended the match.

Mr. N. Wheeling refereed in both games and gave such satisfaction to both sides that he is still alive and in sound health.

THE TANANA STRIKE.

If later details should confirm the Dawson report of a very rich strike on the Tanana, and there is no reason to believe they will not, the result will be a great thing for Skgaway. The merchants of this city are in a position to supply the points on the American side of the line in the Yukon and give better satisfaction than those of any other point. They can fill orders quicker and give better goods than any city on the Sound or elsewhere.

White Pass & Yukon officials have said that should the trade justify such action the Canadian Development company will place a line through bonded carriers on the run from White Horse to lower Yukon points. If the population at Tanana and other Yukon districts shall increase sufficiently, the trade will be there that would warrant such service as a matter of course. If the details of the new strike at Tanana prove the first rumors of its richness to be correct, there need be no further delay in making plans for the through services, because the population will be there by the time the rivers open for steamer service.

There is more encouragement to Skagwayans in the situation at the present time than at any time in the previous history of the city. With the Porcupine trade secured the development of Big Salmon and the Stewart river countries, the steady but sure growth of Dawson and Atlin, the future of Skagway is assured. Now, as a fitting climax to these certainties, comes the news of a great strike on the American Yukon, which is naturally tributary to Skagway as the Porcupine or White Pass. This city will surely be the largest in the North.—Daily Alaskan.

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Before the next issue of "THE CLAIM" can reach our subscribers a new year will have begun and we take this opportunity of wishing one and all A Happy New Year—a year of true prosperity. **1901** will be the third year of this Camp's existence and promises to be one of great development along many lines. Though we, knowing the mineral resources of the Atlin district, may have been impatient at the apparent lack of interest hitherto shown by the outside investor, still the fact remains that the progress made by the best mining camps of the Continent has been slow: the history of Cripple Creek and of Kootenay shows this. But in time—and we venture to say but a short time—our District will excite the attention it deserves. Capital will be eager to find investments here and Atlin will soon be as well known to the World as Coolgardie is to-day.

The following letter appeared in the New York Engineering and Mining Journal, of the 17th November last.

Many of our readers will remember Mr. E. P. Spalding M. E. who spent considerable time in the spring and summer of the present year in examining hydraulic and other mining properties in this district.

The examinations made by Mr. Spalding while here were very thorough and prolonged and his opinion of the prospects for successful mining in this Camp, published for the first time in this letter, is valuable.

Sir: In your last notice of the "Famous Gold Nuggets of the World," on page 513 of the November 3rd issue, you say: "Contrary to general belief, Alaska and Yukon has produced no large nuggets."

Strictly speaking this may be so, but the Atlin district in British Columbia produces many fair sized nuggets and has, to my certain knowledge produced at least two that may fairly be called large.

While in the Atlin district recently, examining hydraulic propositions, it was my good fortune to see these two nuggets, which I photographed. One of these was picked up on a bench claim just below discovery on Pine Creek, July 21st, 1900, and weighs 29 ounces 10 pennyweights 11 grains, valued at $472. The other was picked up on Discovery Claim Boulder Creek, about August 1st, 1900, and weighs 48 ounces 12 pennyweights, valued at $778 Both of these nuggets were absolutely free of quartz or other rock.

It a is notable fact that nearly every Creek in the district produces nothing but coarse gold, which is very easily saved in the riffles without the aid of quicksilver. In fact there seems to be little, if any, fine or flour gold in the gold-bearing gravels of this district, and, so far as my observations went, no methods for saving such gold are employed.

Permit me to say, while on this subject, that if the real facts with regards to this field were known and unterstood more fully by American capital and mining men, they would very soon embrace the opportunities that exist there. In no field that I know of personally, are the opportunities for large and long operations in hydraulic and dredge mining as good as in the Atlin District.

In my opinion the District will prove a permanent and very profitable producer of the noble metal for many years from its alluvial deposits alone. Besides these the outlook for quartz mining is very promising. Gold, silver, lead and copper have been found in paying quantities under certain conditions, and as rapidly as the necessary capital can be secured development will be prosecuted on many claims of real surface merit.

E. P. Spalding.

Chicago, Nov. 8th, 1900

[Our reference to the absence of nuggets from Alaska and the Yukon was not intended to cover the Atlin country. We have heretofore spoken of nuggets from that district, and published an illustration of one in our issue of August 19th, 1899, page 215.—Editor, E. & M. J.]

LOWER PINE CREEK TUNNEL.

This undertaking of co-operative prospecting on the "Race Horse" group of hydraulic leases near town is a local enterprise from start to finish.—The idea of taking up the ground for hydraulic and dredging purposes, and of thoroughly prospecting it, was conceived by the pioneers of the Camp—by the men who have withstood the battle and the breeze of both winter and summer —and their success is well merited.

Every dollar expended in developing this property, and it now runs into the thousands, has been provided locally in Atlin town. None of the contributors will claim to be capitalists, nor even well fixed.

The co-owners of the "Race Horse" group and the co-workers who are now developing the property are typical representatives of a genuine mining spirit that should pervade every crevice in Atlin. Such spirit goes far to make up for the lack of outside capital that has been a hindrance to the Camp up to the present.

This party of enterprising workers are preparing the way for capital to come into the Camp, and to install a plant on a well prospected property that will bring handsome returns to the investors and will be a source of pride to the town.

Most of the readers of the "Claim" are familiar with the successful prospecting carried on last winter under the direction of Mr. Mackintosh.

By sinking on what he allowed to be an old channel of Pine, he got "pay" averaging 18 cents per cubic yard for a height of 10 feet above bed-rock, 10 feet of pipe clay overlying the "pay" and 8 to 10 feet of loose gravel on top of the clay again. The next operation was to

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survey the four creek leases and twelve bench leases and prepare maps. Engineering plans and reports were made by Brownlee and Lowry, and, during the summer the property was inspected by the representatives of both English and American investors, also by two practical dredge operators, who considered the "Race Horse" group the best property in the Camp for dredging purposes.

Encouraged by the foregoing, arrangements were entered into with W. H. T. Olive to continue the prospecting by driving a tunnel from bed-rock on Pine Creek, just below Mc. Kee Creek bridge, to one of Mackintosh's pay shafts 1200 ft. upstream. The tunnel is now driven about 150 feet, including a short open cut, and with encouraging prospects.

It is anticipated that the "pay" underlying the clay will be struck at less than 100 feet ahead. It is the intention to fully prospect the extent of the pay gravel, and this will take all winter. In this connection tunnelling, drifting and sinking are being carried on successfully elsewhere in this Camp, during these winter months, and there are more men at work now than this time last year. To all such good hearty toilers, and particularly to the "Pine Creek Tunnel Syndicate." "THE CLAIM" wishes every success.

PINE CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.

You should have been there to see the decorations in Mc. Donald's Hall and the laden tables in the dining room. You should have been there to partake of the splendid old fashioned supper, prepared by the ladies of Pine and Gold Run to satisfy the hunger of the men on claim and trail, and remind them of old days. You should have been there to hear the songs and recitations and especially the address of welcome to the pastor and people, bachelors and married folk, read by our "one little girl" Lorrie Knittel. And you should have been there to hear the cheers for Miss Mc. Donald when her gift of 20 pies to the bachelors was announced. To James Stables M. L. A. the chairman of the Committee, and to those who so willingly and well seconded his plans and efforts to make this Festival what it was—a great success.—the utmost praise is due. It was a good clean wholesome festival from start to finish—so say all of us—Atlin people Pine City people and all the people.

But do you know we were about to forget the Tree. It was a notable tree, laden from topmost branchlet to the ground with useful gifts a gift for every one, from the minister who got a cap big enough for even his big head, and the best black tie in the camp, and a pair of fine gauntlets and a doyley for his wife and the leg and claw of the biggest of Stuart's turkeys, down to the babies in arms whose parents went home laden with babies gifts.

The following is the programme.

Pine City Christmas Eve 1900.

1 Prayer by "Chairman" - - Rev J. Pringle.
2 Singing - - Joy to the World the Lord is come.
3 Address of welcome - - - Loreen Knittle.
4 Reply and Remarks - - Rev. J. Pringle.
5 Instrumental - Pine City orchestra.
6 Reading - - - - - - Mr. Miller.
7 Song - - - - Mr. John Munro.
8 Duet - - Mrs. Blackett and Mr. Lumsden.
9 Recitation - - - Loreen Knittle.
10 Dialogue - Teacher and school boys.
11 Song - - - Maggie Mc. Donald
12 Dialogue - Nigger and White man. - - Woods and Munro.
13 Song - - James Stables M. L. A.
14 Instrumental - - - - Pine City Orchestra.
15 Reading - - - - Mr. Geo, Polly Tableau.
16 Expectation, Meditation, Devotion, Reflection Hopefulness, Simplicity.

ATLIN CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.

This is the brief story of another Christmas festival similar in some ways to that at Pine, dissimilar in others. There are about 30 children in Atlin, the majority of them girls, there are just one girl and four boys in Pine, so that there the older people did most, had to. In Atlin the old people got well out of it. The Rev. F. L. Stevenson made remarks here and there and kept the people on the alert, as a good chairman always does; and James Stables M. L. A. gave a short and happy address. But it was after all a children's programme. The Carols and drills, and other songs took the audience of grown up people captive and carried them away to other days and other scenes.

There was a song by Maggie Mc. Donald, a recitation by Walter Blackett, a recitation by Eleanor Wollaston and another by Ethel Pillman. The children gave evidence of being carefully trained. It was remarked by more than one or two in the audience, that every word in song and recitation could be distinctly heard in the remotest corner of the church.

Two friends had purchashed and given the committee, for the children, the whole stock of toys etc. in town and the children were bubbling over with expectation and were not disappointed.

Mr. Pringle at the close of the entertainment expressed the thanks of all to Messrs. Byrom and Wrong for their kindness.

The evening closed with games by the children, in which some of the older people showed that at least they were growing old gracefully and had lost little of the spirit or sprightliness of earlier days.

The last Christmas of the 19 th. century will never be forgotten by those who enjoyed its festivities in the Atlin District.

The Atlin City programme follows.

Programme.

1 Hymn - - - Hark the Herald Angels sing.
2 Prayer - - - - - Rev J. Pringle.
3 Chairman's remarks.
4 Hymn - - The first Nowell by the Children.
5 Musical Drill.
6 Song - - - Christmas Time by Miss. Maggie Mc. Donald.
7 Recitation - - - Queer Boy This by Walter Blackett.
8 Motion Song - by little children.
9 Recitation - - - Who'sa fraid in the dark. by Miss. N. Wollaston.
10 Hymn - - Carol sweetly carol. by The children.
11 Recitation - - Harry's Christmas message. by Miss. E. Pillman.
12 Remarks by J. Stables M L A
13 Hymn - - - - - - Once in Royal David's City. by The children.

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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 any teaming done call on Andy Duncan. Leave orders at Vancouver Hotel.

The penny post will, if possible, be introduced in the Colony of Victoria on January 1st.

The Atlin Mining Co., capital £75,000, has been registered to adopt an agreement with the Nimrod Syndicate.

The chairman of the Bank of Africa states that, owing to the stoppage of the Transvaal gold mines, the world's supply of raw gold has diminished by £15,000,000 during the past year.

For a good steel range, go to Jimmy Regan.

Big Jack got pretty well marked at the fire and possibly afterwards, if you don't believe it, go and examine his "phiz" at the Metropole.

Mr Gilroy had a hard trip back to Atlin from Tacoma, it took him 21 days, five days delay in Skagway on account of stormy weather, four days at Log Cabin and then another four days at Taku before being able to cross Lake Atlin. He had to camp one night by a brush fire with the thermometer at 40 below.

Mr. Gilroy left his son in school at Parkland, Wash.

Jack Kirkland may not be a professional fire chief, but he is so good that there is very little difference. That we could not have a better man in the place was shown at the "Kootenay Hotel" fire on the 24 th. inst.

For blacksmith's coal, iron pick steel and drills go to Jimmy Regan.

We regret to announce that Mrs. Donovan, formerly of Atlin, died in Seattle of heart disease.

The pool and billiard tournaments, postponed on account of the fire will be played off next week at the "Northern."

Cassiar Jack claims to have a bonanza on 4 above on Wright, it is a quartz proposition.

Atlin must be very free from "bad characters" the holidays are over, there are lots of sore heads, but no Court was held.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

The statistics of the Exposition, which have just been finished, show that the total number of persons who entered the grounds was 48, 130,301.

JUST WHAT SHE SAID.

Mamma—Why did you let him kiss you?

Daughter—Well he was so nice he asked me—

Mamma—But haven t I told you you must learn to say 'No?"

Daughter—That's what I did say. He asked me if I'd be very angry if he kissed me.—Pdiladelphia Press.

LOST. Three keys, tied together with a string.

Return to, Claim office.

THE RINK MOURNS.

The Professor says: That the "Rink Syndicate" hired him, fired him and hired him again on the same day, then he resigned; he is not sure of his position, but is still in the "rink."

Fire balloons are at a premium.

"But these are holiday times."

The last heard of the Professor was that he was being mourned by his many friends at the Metropole, the expense for candles and whisky is unprintable. We understand that the Professor has hired Dixon's team to remove his account from the Bank of Halifax to the Bank of Commerce.

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NOTICE is hereby given that in one month from date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria B. C., to purchase 320 acres of land at the mouth of Bear Creek west side of the Chilcat River District of Cassiar, 80 chains long by 40 chains wide, initial post is on an island in the Chilkat River.

Dated, this sixteenth day of October, 1900, at Bear Creek B. C.

JOHN IRVING,
Locater.

NOTICE is hereby given that in one month from date I intend applying to Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria B.C., to purchase 320 acres of land, situate at the mouth of Bear Creek, District of Cassiar, B. C., 80 chains in length by 40 chains wide.

The said land is situate on the East side of the Chilcat River: Commencing from near mouth Bear Creek, initial post is on an island in the Chilcat River.

Dated this 8th., day of October, 1900, at Bear Creek B. C.

ROBERT PATRICK,
Locator.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain a railway of standard or narrow guage to be operated by steam, electricity or any other motive power, for the carrying of passengers and freight, from a point at or near the junction of the Chilcat and Klabini River; thence westerly along the Klabini River and northerly in the general direction of the Dalton Trail, some point not less than five miles from the Provincial boundary in the District of Cassiar, Province aforesaid; and build and operate tramways in connection therewith; with power to construct, operate, and maintain branch lines and all necessary bridges, roads, ways, ferries, and other works: and to build, own and maintain wharves and docks in connection therewith and with power to build, acquire, own, equip and maintain steam and other vessels and boats, and operate the same on any navigable waters within the Province; and with power to build, equip operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches: and to generate electricity for supply of light, heat and power, and for all and every other purpose mentioned in Sections 80, 81, 82, and 83 of the 'Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," and to do everything necessary and incidental to the carrying out of all or any of the objects referred to in the said sections: and to build, own and maintain saw-mills: and with power to expropriate lands for the purposes of the company, and to acquire lands, houses, privileges or other aids from any Government, municipal corporation, or other person or bodies: and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using and on all freight passing over any such roads, railways, tramways, ferries, wharves and vessels owned or operated by the company and with power to make traffic or other arrangements with railway, steamboat or other companies: and for all other usual, necessary or incidental rights, powers or priveleges in that behalf.

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