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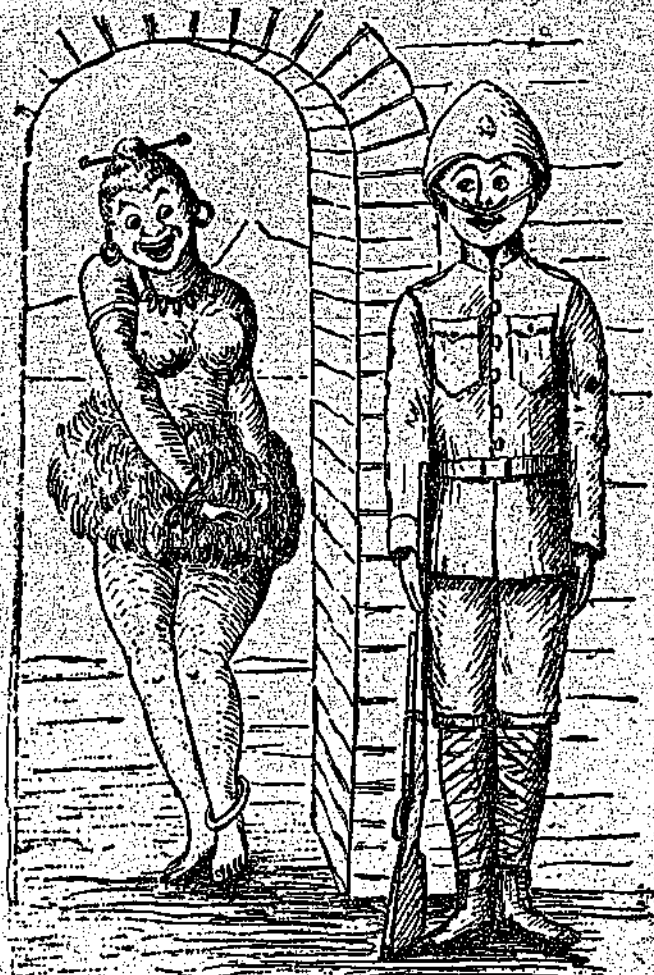
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ACCIDENT AT JUNCTION

Early on Tuesday morning, D. H. McDonald, the carrier, with his well-known grey team, set out for Spruce with a full load of groceries for various people there. Since high water, the bridge over Pine at the Junction has been in a very shaky condition, but other teams having crossed lately, Mr. McDonald thought he would risk it also, but the bucket can go to the well just once too often, and so it was in this case. On reaching the centre span,

the structure collapsed into the fast-running stream. The driver himself fortunately landed on some wreck which stood fast. One of the gallant greys was caught under the wreckage and incontinently drowned, the other, on help arriving, was rescued. The groceries and other ictas aboard were swept down stream and entirely lost, but the wagon was recovered in a damaged condition. There is considerable difference of opinion as to who is responsible, the majority inclining to the belief that the Government ought to shoulder the loss.

TRIBULATIONS OF A TOMMY.



*In Southern Isles where Beauty smiles,
With no clothes on to mention,
It would me please to be "At Ease"
In place of this d— "Attention"
H. B. C.
With apologies to "Leslies Weekly"*

Dockrill & Co. have sent out for sets of lacrosse sticks and now Canada's national game will be in order.

Atlin Restaurant, Pearl street, now running full blast. Open till midnight, Fone & Sammons.

HORRIBLE MASSACRE

**Chinese Fiends Butcher Ministers,
Momen and Children and
Then Apply the Torch.**

**Peking Reeks With Carnage and
All the Northern Provinces
Ablaze With Insurrection.**

Skagway, July 13, London, July 7.—The massacre of foreign ministers, women, children and guards at Peking, after 18 hours' hopeless resistance, confirmed, says a despatch from Shanghai, July 6th, received in London to-day. When the ammunition and food was exhausted the Chinese fiends closed up on the legation and butchered all. They then set fire to the building and the remains of the victims were consumed in one horrible holocaust.

Japan is urging England to put a large army in the field, which she will support.

Prince Tuan butchered 4,000 Chinese for petitioning him to control the orgy of blood and pacify his followers. Peking reeks with carnage. All the Northern Provinces are ablaze with insurrection, and the ruthless thirst for blood is aroused. Murders are occurring everywhere and always accompanied by outrages and incendiarism. Latest reports from Che Foo say that there is no longer any doubt that disaster has overtaken the Russian force, 3,000 of which left Tientsin for Peking June 11th.

Lloyd's war rates on cargoes bound for China are double ordinary.

Japan has 22,000 troops on Chinese soil. It is generally agreed that Japan will make the fight, the European nations sharing the expense, although other nations are sending reinforcements forward. England is strongly supporting Japan. The situation is serious at Monkden. The British Consul and Cossacks are defending the Danish mission, while the Japanese and Russians are hurrying to their assistance. It is doubtful if they can arrive in time to save the place.

London, July 7.—Buller has arrived at Pretoria. De Witt's force is surrounded and it is only a question of time until he surrenders. Reitz surrendered to the Yeomanry and Derbyshire soldiers, who are now at Acton Holme, bound for Ladysmith.

Philadelphia, July 8.—Cramp's shipyard was visited to-day by a \$200,000 fire.

Victoria, B. C., July 7.—The SS. Tartar will sail from Vancouver about July 11th with 1500 marines for China, accompanied by the cruiser Arethusa.

The Bank of Commerce and the Bank of British Columbia amalgamate. This will become effective about Sept. 1. The Bank of Commerce capitalization will then be ten million dollars.

Latest reports say that all the steamers from Nome will be quarantined at Port Townsend before being allowed to proceed to their destination. Typhoid fever and small-pox at Nome are spreading and the place is greatly overdone.

BOULDER CREEK.

Our correspondent reports that the Janne de Lamare Hydraulic Syndicate has 30 men employed under the management of Mr. C. Christopher, and that the ditch is nearly completed. The pressure box has been erected, a pipe way cleared to the creek and a trestle being put up to carry the pipe. The pipe is nearly all on the ground and the remainder is daily arriving. Unless any unforeseen circumstances intervene, piping will be commenced on the 20th inst. and another heavy producer will be added to swell the district's gold returns.

On the creek, from 12 above to 20 below, all hands are sluicing and making money. There are no homeward-bounders amongst them, but we understand nearly all are taking out good wages and over.

The wagon road is good, what there is of it, but the miners think the Government should supplement it by running a trail up as far as discovery claim.

MUNRO MOUNTAIN.

The Nimrod Syndicate has had a clean-up at the Anaconda mill of about 100 tons of ore from the Naimo group on Munro mountain, which they have under bond. Whilst the exact amount of gold recovered has not transpired, yet we are warranted in saying that it was completely satisfactory. The syndicate are now putting in a drift to cut the ledge 125 feet below the present workings.

TO SURVEY THRON GULCH.

Livingston Thompson, C. E., P. L. S., has arrived in and started the practice of his profession, with temporary offices on upper Pearl avenue. Mr. Thompson is now engaged surveying the Thron Gulch group of hydraulics, the property of Messrs. Clifford, Irving, Bateman and others. By late advices from Mr. Bateman, at present in London, the group has been bonded for half a million and active development work is expected to take place soon.

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The Taku railway is fast getting into shape. The rolling stock, composed of four new cars, each of ten tons' capacity, having arrived. A passenger coach is also due, as is the engine, the shrill whistle of which will soon be reverberating from our mountains and valleys, making us feel as if we are really in touch with civilization.

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Whilst the eyes of the civilized world are earnestly fixed on the momentous and unexpected events which are now transpiring in the Celestial Kingdom, there seems to be a general ignorance prevailing regarding the causes which have led up to the present terrible condition of affairs. It has all come around so suddenly that the general run of people wonder what it's all about. It means, apparently, something like—China for the Chinese and defiance to all the world.

The Chinese are the most exclusive people mentioned in history. They want nothing to do with the outside world and only crave to be left entirely to themselves, even going to the enormous trouble and expense of raising the famous wall to keep out the inland barbarians. But they could not raise a wall along the coast to keep the sea-going "foreign devils" out, and parts of their sea-board territory have been seized by the British, French, Russians and Germans. Added to all this, and worst of all, was the introduction of large numbers of Christian missionaries who have been proselytizing energetically for years. At every place which could be reached, there was the missionary preaching the, to them, absurd and demoralizing doctrines that women were possessed of souls and other such damnable heresies. Children were being taken away from their parents and taught of strange gods at the missions, and, altogether, the Flowery Kingdom was getting in a bad way. To counteract this, a society was instituted some years ago under a name which has been Anglicised for convenience into the "Boxers." This society is a patriotic one, and aims at running all foreigners out of the country. The Empress Dowager, who is all potent in China, is with the movement hand and glove. The German forcible occupation of Kiau Chau and late Russian encroachments have demonstrated to the patriots the necessity of immediate action, and hence the present outbreak.

To judge impassively in any quarrel, it is a good plan to look at it from the other fellow's point of view, to put yourself in his place, as it were. To the Chinese "all coons are alike" and come under the general category of "foreign devils." Personally, the white man and his ways are as distasteful to the Chinaman as his are to us. The Chinaman also is proud and claims that his ancient so-called civilization and religion are superior to that of the foreign devils in every way. Now, just suppose that we here in Canada, for instance, were invaded by hundreds upon hundreds of Chinese missionaries using every means in their power to subvert Christianity. Also, suppose in addition that China sent warships and troops over and occupied Es-

quimalt, Nanaimo and Vancouver without so much as "by your leave," what would Canadians do about it? Why, we would do exactly what the Chinese Boxers are doing to-day and call it the highest patriotism. Nevertheless, the Chinese as a nation must go under. They are blocking one of nature's greatest laws—the law of progression. Every nation now-a-days must fall in and travel with the procession or else get run over by the band wagon.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday saw many visitors to the different creeks and benches, representation time having arrived. The difference from last season was very striking. Then, it was ten men to one claim; now there seems to be more claims than hands to man them. As a result, Atlin is now, without doubt, the most prosperous mining camp in the Province. No man need be idle who is fit and willing to work. Lots of payable claims can be had for the recording or on easy lays, whilst the hydraulic companies are always open to engage men at wages from four dollars a day upwards. Domestic help in the hotels is very scarce, and any moderately handy woman can readily command from \$60 to \$75 per month and board at that class of work. A cheerful, hopeful tone pervades all classes. Our permanent resources, hydraulic and quartz mines, are showing up beyond all reasonable anticipations, and, taken altogether, the merganser dangles at a considerable altitude. Wha's like us? Deal a yin!

As far as has been ascertained the true bed rock in Nome tundra districts is a soft sand stone or mica schist, and is encountered at depths varying from 20 to 60 feet. Overlying this, in alternate stratas of various thicknesses are found the formations in order herewith presented: Surface covered with tundra moss and grass; dark brown or black peat; blue clay; gray sand and gravel; fine ruby sand carrying metallic gold; blue clay; white sand; gravel and sand; gray sand with cross bedding; gray gravel; gray sand and gravel; ruby and black sand with metallic gold; yellow sand; loam and clay; fine gray gravel and sand; coarse gray gravel and sand; fine gray sand with some gold; loam and arenaceous blue clay; gray sand and gravel; yellow and blue clay; gray sand and gravel; yellow and blue clay; yellow sand; gray gravel and sand; gray sand; ruby sand and black sand with gold; loam and clay; bedrock.

WHITE HORSE TRIBUNE.

The new and thriving town of White Horse will soon have a paper of its own. Mr. R. Burde, late city editor of the Province, and Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, also of the Province, having transported there the entire plant of the defunct Atlin Globe, and hope to be able to make the first issue appear by the middle of the present month. The paper will be called the White Horse Tribune, and will appear weekly, four-page six-column.

Both gentlemen are brilliant writers and will surely make the

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AND STILL ANOTHER

The Northern Star, P. F. Schar Schmidt, editor and proprietor, and A. M. Rousseau, business manager, will make its appearance at White Horse next week.—Bennett, Sun, July 7.

CAN ANYBODY BEAT THIS?

A party of men were talking one evening of the wonders they had seen, but a Yankee who was present yawned even at the most exciting tale. At length one of the talkers sneeringly said that of course he would know of things more wonderful.

"Waal," drawled the Yankee, "I just do. But we don't heed them in Ameriky."

"You mean Niagara Falls, and the Mammoth Cave and such things?"

"Bah!" was the exclamation. "We don't count caves, nor waterfalls, nor burning mountains, nor boiling springs, though we can beat creation with them. Say did you ever hear of the petrified forest in Arizona?—hundred of thousands of acres of stone forests?"

"And the trees standing?"

"Waal, I should say so; not only standing but all in leaf, and some in blossom, and others full of nuts and other fruit, all turned into stone."

"And I suppose there were birds in the trees?" said one sarcastically.

"Birds! No end of birds, sir, all of the most beautiful plumage, and all turned into stone. Even the nests in the trees, and the eggs in them, were petrified in the most wonderful manner you ever saw. I see some of you fellows doubt me. Waal, all I have to say is that I'll take you there to prove it. I'll tell you what I saw last time I was in the petrified forest. There was a hunter who must have been in the forest when the petrification took place, for he was petrified too, and there he stood, as straight as you please, with a petrified gun to his shoulder taking aim at a petrified bird. Why, all was so natural that you could see the shot and the smoke coming out of the muzzle of the—"

"I've got you there!," interrupted one. "The law of gravitation would have brought down the shot."

"So it would," said the Yankee;

but then, stranger, the funny thing was, the law of gravitation was petrified too, and so it couldn't work!"

Alex. Gibson was awarded \$1500 damages by a Skagway jury last week against the C. P. N. Co. for a broken leg caused by a sling loaded with hay from one of the company's steamers falling on him while working on a wharf at Skagway.—Alaskan.

The royalties collected in the Yukon as shown by the parliamentary returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, amounted to \$598,943. For six months from June 30 to December 31, 1899, the collections were \$293,205.

Skagway church people last week sent \$132 to the famine sufferers of India.

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CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

Report of Shareholders' Meeting Held in Toronto, June 19th, 1900.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Bank of Commerce was held in the Banking House, Toronto, on the 19th ult., a large number of shareholders being present. The President, Mr. George A. Cox, was requested to take the chair, and Mr. J. H. Plummer, the Assistant General Manager, read the report of the directors as follows:

The directors beg to present to the shareholders the 33rd annual report, covering the year ending 31st May, 1900, together with the usual statement of assets and liabilities:

The balance at credit of profit and loss account, brought forward from last year, was \$ 53,738 53
The net profits for the year ending 31st May, after providing for all bad and doubtful debts, amounted to 766,582 52

Making in all \$ 822,321 05

Which has been appropriated as follows:
Dividends No. 65 and 66, at seven per cent. per annum \$420,000 00
Transferred to the rest account 250,000 00
Written off Bank Premises 100,000 00
Transferred to Pension Fund 10,000 00
Grant to National Patriotic Fund 5,000 00
Grant to fund for relief of sufferers by Ottawa fire 2,500 00
Balance carried forward 94,821 05

The usual careful revaluation of the entire assets of the Bank has been made, and all bad and doubtful debts have been amply provided for.

The profits of the year have been unusually large, permitting an addition to the Reserve Fund of \$250,000, and further reduction of \$100,000 in the Bank Premises account. A similar appropriation to the Bank Premises account was made last year, and the Bank has thus out of profits paid largely for the extensive building operations of the last two years.

During the year the Bank has opened Branches as follows: At Fort Frances, Ont., a point on the Ontario and Rainy River Railway, destined to become of commercial importance; at Fort Steele, an office worked in connection with our Cranbrook office, in the East Kootenay District of British Columbia; at White Horse in the Yukon Territory, being the terminus of the White Pass and Yukon Railway Company; and at Seattle, in the State of Washington, a city intimately connected with the trade along the Pacific Coast.

The various branches, agencies, and departments of the Bank have been inspected during the year.

The directors have again pleasure in recording their appreciation of the efficiency and zeal with which their respective duties have been performed by the officers of the Bank.

GEO. A. COX,
President.

Toronto, June 9, 1900.

DOMINION DAY AT PINE.

Favored by the finest sort of weather, the celebration at Pine last Saturday was a success from start to finish. The weather was in fact nearly too tropical for comfort. At a conservative calculation over 600 people attended the sports. The Atlin delegates showed up in force,

and the stages were crowded so that very many had to hoof it along the dusty highway. This they did cheerfully. An astonishing number of ladies were present, their bright summer dresses and gay parasols adding much to the brilliancy of the scene. Just why the sports should have been contested on the hot glaring street, when a nice little clearing, with ample sitting accommodation convenient, lay within a stone's throw, is a question for the initiated to answer. As the shades of evening fell a good many of the boys seemed to be suffering from well, say mild sunstroke, but a better tempered, easy-going crowd was surely never gathered together. Owing to the delay in getting the tug-of-war settled it was a quarter past five ere the ball commenced at the Nugget Hotel Hall. A jolly crowd attended and made the most of it until Sunday morning. We will not say that they clipped just a few minutes from the sacred day, as the best of watches, such as ours is, are a little uncertain in these latitudes. The contested events and their results were:

Putting 16-lb. shot—Leatherdale and McLennan, tie.
Throwing 56-lb. weight—Kirkland 1, Bannerman 2.
100-yards race—Plinder 1, Lecapellain 2.
8 ran. Won by 2 feet. Time 11 seconds.
Gold Panning Contest—R. A. Lambert 1, time 33 secs.; McAulay 2, time 1 min. 3 secs.; 4 entries.
Quarter-mile race—Plinder 1, Lecapellain 2, Bourne 3, time 48 sec. Plinder won by 5 yards. Only one foot between 2nd and 3rd man. Special prize given Bourne for his game effort.
Tossing Cobber—McLennan 1, Bannerman 2.
Running Long Jump—Johnson 1, Lecapellain 2.
120-yards hurdle race—Plinder 1, Lecapellain 2.
Pole Vaulting—Johnson 1, Nelson 2.
Horse Race—Norman Rant 1, Teddy Rant 2.
Running High Jump—Plinder 1, Cartmel 2.

The Association Football match, Pine vs. Atlin, was won by a score of five goals to one. The Atlinites were completely outplayed and showed no combination work worthy of the name. Stewart and Owens were the bright particular stars of the Pines, but all played well.

In the tug-of-war the Spruce Creek team beat Brackett's team after a hard pull. The Scotch team beat D. Hastie's team in 2 minutes. Final Scotch team beat Spruce Creek and won. The names of the winners are: Mitchell, McNairn, Douglas, McKay, Kirkland, McLennan (anchor), James Coutts, captain.

THE ENGINEER GROUP.

Great Excitement at Skagway on the Placing of Stock on the Market—A Long Row of Buyers Anxious to Invest.

We learn that Skagway is very much excited over the prospects of the Engineer Group Mining Co. on Taku Arm. The "Alaskan" of the 9th says: "There was considerable excitement through the city yesterday from the news that the Engineer Group had been examined by expert De Roux and pronounced a great deposit of rich ore. The owners of the property placed on sale a block of 30,000 shares of treasury stock at 10 cents a share, and sold it all in four hours.

"The news of the richness of the property spread so rapidly, and people became so anxious to buy,

C. CHRISTOPHER,
President.

A. C. HIRSCHFELD,
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that purchasers had to stand in a row at the office. When the block was sold the sales were closed, but the demand still held good. Some predicted the price would immediately go to 25 cents, and the company positively refused to sell more at 15 cents. An application for 30,000 shares was also refused. The sales made yesterday were simply to get money for further development.

According to the expert's opinion, the deposit is not a low grade free milling ore, but that it is a very rich tellurium. The company was recently incorporated under the laws of British Columbia, with a capital of half a million. Mayor Hislop, of Skagway, is President, and the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Skagway, is treasurer. Mr. Ryan, late manager of the famous Le Roi, will take charge of developing.

The Brackett hydraulic on Willow creek is steadily piping night and day. Whilst the amount of gold won is not made public, it is an open secret that returns are away up in G.

The government cable from St. Michaels to Nome, a distance of 135 miles, is expected to be laid this summer. This cable will have connection with the telegraph line from Valdez, via Ft. Egbert and the Yukon.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the British Yukon Mining, Trading and Transportation Company, have in compliance with Chapter 92, Sec. 5, Revised Statutes of Canada, made application to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for permission to build, erect and maintain the following described works or structures, namely: One draw-span bridge, for use of the railway now being constructed by the above-named company, said bridge to be located across the stream at outlet of Lake Bennett, known as Upper Caribou Crossing, Yukon Territory. And the said company have also deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa the maps or plans showing the said works and structures.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church hold services in the A. B. Hall, Second Street. Morning service at 10:30; evening service 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.

Go to Foley's for pitch, oakum, paint and oils, brushes, nails. Canvas from 32 to 72 inches wide.

He's lost that worried look since dining at the Atlin Restaurant.

The Rev. Father Morgan, of New Westminster, is on a pastoral visit to the district and will remain for about six weeks. Services will be held to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. in the old post-office, at foot of Pearl Avenue, and on the following Sunday at Pine. The rev. gentleman is the guest of F. E. McFeely.

Mrs. C. Christopher has been enjoying a couple of weeks of camping out life on Boulder Creek with the most happy results. The health-laden breezes of that elevated section tone up the nerves like harp-strings and plant the roses on erst-while pale cheeks.

Japanese napkins, bar straws, bar sugar, fresh lemons at Foley's, First street.

Judge E. M. N. Woods hears Small Debts cases in Discovery every Saturday.

Mr. Dominic Burns, the well-known butcher, accompanied by Mr. G. Graham, his auditor, arrived in last week. They brought in 15 fat hogs and 25 cattle for the Atlin branch, which is run under the efficient management of W. H. Jeffery. Mr. Burns informs us that he had 180 head of cattle on the way to Dawson. Mr. Graham will stay about two months dividing his time between the Burns' establishments at Atlin, Bennett and White Horse.

Mr. James Stables, our brand new and entirely worthy M. P. P., left for Victoria on Wednesday, 2nd inst., to attend the session of the British Columbia Legislature, where, we are sure, he will give a good account of himself and render our district yeoman service. Many friends attended to see Mr. Stables off and wish him godspeed in his new and responsible office. He carries with him the solid good wishes of every elector in Atlin district, irrespective of party.

George Findley, of Portage la Prairie, arrived in last week. Mr. Findley passed the winter at his home in Manitoba and returns to look after his interests here. He has several quartz locations and is quite hopeful of coming out on top.

J. W. L. McCraney left for his home in Vancouver on Tuesday last. The old gentleman's health has not been of the best lately and he has concluded that his comfortable home, is, under the circumstances, to be preferred to camp life. We much regret Mr. McCraney's departure and hope his health will soon regain its normal

state. In any case his return to Atlin is very uncertain.

Thomas Watts, lately in the employ of the Godfrey Hardware Co., whilst engaged in the construction of the telephone extension to Birch Creek, had the misfortune to fall from a pole on Monday last and suffered some internal injury. It is to be hoped a few days' rest will see Tom a-foot again.

Go to Foley's for corned beef in bulk, Vienna sausage, stewed kidneys, grape nut food, germea, ox and sheep tongues, McLaren's cheese, honey, mince meat, Agen's fresh butter, and an unlimited variety of delicacies.

Late London, Eng., advices state that Mr. Bateman, who was well known here last season and who went to the old country to place Atlin properties, is now an inmate of a London hospital, having undergone a serious operation for some stomach trouble.

We welcome back to Atlin the ever-cheerful J. H. Brownlee and his daughter Eva. They look most uncommonly well after their long outing and report having enjoyed themselves immensely. Mr. Brownlee did good missionary work in talking up Atlin's resources whilst in San Francisco and the other coast cities.

A meeting of all parties interested in the starting of a public reading room and place of resort, will be held in the Episcopal Church tent on Tuesday evening at 8:30. full attendance is requested.

Early on Tuesday morning some one feloniously made an entrance into P. Burns' storage tent on First street by slitting it open, and got away with four sacks of oats.

The Pen Dugwig Hydraulic, on Wright creek, commenced piping on the 4th of July. It is rather late in the season to secure an abundant water supply, but enough can be done to demonstrate to the shareholders the value of their grounds. All necessary arrangements will be perfected for an ample amount of water for next spring, assuring a full season's run. To Mr. Christopher and his staff great credit is due for difficulties surmounted.

On Wright creek the claims from 4 to 30 above are all being worked with satisfactory results and in several instances rich pay-dirt is being found. On claim 17 above, amongst other gold washed out last week were three pieces of \$32, \$98 and \$114 respectively.

The return association football match, Pine v. Atlin, will be played at Atlin this afternoon, on the club grounds, a short distance out on the McKee trail. The Pines have consented to play and a slashing good game is expected. Time 3 o'clock.

ARRIVALS AT THE GRAND.

F. E. Blunck and son, Miss O. Blunck, Davenport, Iowa; T. H. Griffith, Seattle; Jas. McCloskey, Juneau; C. L. M. Jones, Vancouver; Bert Boddy, Everett, Wash.; Arthur Copeland, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Mabel Clair Bentzien, White Horse; Rev. Father Morgan, New Westminster; J. A. Fall, Dawson; E. P. Spaulding, Baker City, Or.

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FOURTH OF JULY.

By reason of everyone being busy on the creeks and unwilling to lose a day, owing to the shortness of the mining season, the list of handsome prizes hung up by the Fourth of July Sports Committee did not attract a very large concourse of visitors and competitors. The weather was most favorable, but the sports were not managed with that thoroughness which have marked other athletic displays here. The tug-of-war between the Scotch and French teams, on which all interest was centred, did not come off. Both teams were present, but the prizes offered, in their opinions, were not worth the struggle to be endured in winning them. Honor and glory didn't count, apparently, and the match was declared off. Three light teams, however, didn't disdain the day of small things, and pulled like Trojans for the nugget pins the heavyweight teams despised, and now Mr. Fortin and his tough team wear them on their manly little bosoms. The football match, Pine v. Atlin, did not come off owing to the latter's not having a suitable piece of ground, at least that was the ostensible reason, but some ill-natured people hint that the awful hammering the Atlins got from the Pines on Dominion Day had something to do with it.

The ball in the A. B. Hall in the evening was fairly attended and much enjoyed by all who were present. The orchestra of five mandolins and guitars discoursed the sweetest of music in the finest of style.

The prize winners are as follows:
Putting 16-lb. shot—Fraser 1, McLennan 2.
Throwing 56-lb. weight—Kirkland 1, McLennan 2.
100 yards race—Lecapellain 1, Pinder 2.
Hurdle race—Pinder 1, Lecapellain 2.
50 yards dash—Pinder 1, Lecapellain 2.
Hop, step and jump—Johnson 1, Pinder 2.
Long jump—Johnson 1, Lecapellain 2.
High jump—Pinder 1, Carty 2.
So-called fat man's race—Sammons 1.
Pole vaulting—Owens 1, Johnson 2.
220 yards dash—Pinder 1, Le-

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that claim-owners are required to make their returns of gold taken from their claims up to the 30th June, 1900, and pay the tax on the same forthwith. The attention of all claim-owners is called to Posters (Tax on Mines and Minerals). Penalties are imposed for not complying with the requirements of the Assessor.

J. D. GRAHAM,

Assessor and Collector.

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Walking greasy pole—J. Kirkland 1.

COURT NEWS.

SMALL DEBTS COURT.

The following cases were disposed of during the week. Judge Woods presiding:

Taylor v. Bourne & Carty—Judgment for \$10.
Doherty v. Morrison—Judgment for \$42 and costs.
Lewis v. O'Connor—Judgment for \$100.
Galarno v. McKay—Judgment for \$28.
Morrison v. Brooks—Judgment for \$20.

CRIMINAL COURT, JULY 6TH.

Regina v. Hemmings. This was a case of assault with a revolver with intent to do bodily harm. Guilty, and fined \$100 and costs.

Attorney-General Eberts has written to the Registrar of the Court here for a list of cases which have to be tried in the Supreme and County Courts. The said list was forwarded by last mail.