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Notwithstanding that sluicing on Spruce creek has practically ceased for the season, considerable activity still prevails in that section of the creek lying between 85 and 130 below, in which vicinity upwards of a hundred miners purpose wintering. Summer operations here proved extremely profitable to the great majority of those engaged in working out their creek and bench claims and attention has again centered in the high runs under the hills, which promise equally rich returns to their owners from winter drifting.

Our representative has just returned from a flying visit to this section of the district and reports some twenty-five tunnels well under way and every one cheerful over the winter's prospects.

The north hill side from 88 to 101, below, which has already been drifted in for several seasons, will be still further prospected. The following claim owners being hard at work, either breaking new ground or continuing last winter's development:

No. 88. The Marquess' outfit, working 3 men.

No. 90. Ward and Hall, 3 men.

No. 92. Anderson Brothers.

Fraction. Pieman and Fitzgerald.

No. 93. Snead and Smailles, 3 men.

No. 94. Meltzer and brother.

No. 98. Henderson and Kyle.

No. 99. Swanson and partner.

No. 100. Bell and outfit, 3 men.

101. Cariboo Jim and outfit, 3 men.

Hill and partner will further develop Pacey's claim on a lay, and Bennett expects to open up No. 95 in the course of the next few weeks.

On the south side of the creek the ground formerly owned by the Klondike Development Co., will be actively worked by the present owners, four tunnels being already well under way, viz.:

No. 100. Jennings and Bodine.

No. 101. McCulloch and partner on a lay from Picketts.

No. 101. Ford, Rapport and partners, on a lay from Picketts.

No. 102. Marment and Hampton, on a lay from Deslippes.

All the above are being run into the old channel without timbering, the cement nature of the gravel rendering lagging unnecessary.

Below the turn at No. 110, the more recent concentration of the "old run," which seems to have

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ATLIN'S OUTPUT.

The Working Season Ends With Satisfactory Returns.

Estimated Clean-up Equal to That of Last Year, Possibly Better --Report by Creeks.

With the near approach of winter and the steady migration of miners from the camp, it is a natural question to ask, what has been the outcome for the work performed during the working season of 1901? It is to be remembered that, owing to the long continued cold weather at the early part of the season, active work was delayed fully a month, then much of the first work done, was washed out by the high water in July.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining absolute returns from the individual miners of what they have won, the reckoning of the year's output of placer gold becomes more or less a matter of guess work, but our calculations, backed by the opinions of those in a position to keep account of the mining output, it is estimated that not less than $600,000 would be within the mark, at a conservative figure. It is unfortunate that we cannot give the amounts won from the different creeks, but an inference may be drawn from Boulder creek, which, for the season—a very short one, too—has yielded fully $150,000. Deducting this from $600,000, gives a balance of $450,000 to be divided among Pine, Willow, Spruce and McKee creeks. As far as we can ascertain, individual miners paid royalty to the Government upon, approximately, 12,120 ounces, distributed as follows:

Creeks.	1901.	1900
Pine and Willow	5330	4918
Spruce	2308	1699
Boulder	2640	1916
McKee	1013	1733
Wright	283	1068
Graham	103	19
Otter	143	122
Gold Run	31	
Birch	270	15
Total	12,120	11,490

We cannot, of course, guarantee the accuracy of the figures for this year, because the official reports have not yet been made public, but there will not be a discrepancy of more than a few ounces.

It may be explained that the difference in the official returns of the royalty paid on McKee creek last year and this year, is chiefly owing to the fact that the Atlin Mining Company owns all the good ground on the creek with one or two exceptions, and the company, being practically in an initiatory stage, had not reached the good ground.

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SATURDAY, OCT. 26th, 1901.

To those who kindly furnished ore samples for the Atlin Mineral Exhibit at Victoria, it may be pleasing to learn of the disposition of these samples. The following letter was received by Mr. Hirschfeld just before he left Victoria:

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 9, 1901.

SIR:—I beg to take the earliest opportunity of expressing the thanks of the Government for your donation to the Mineral Museum of a large number of mineral specimens from the Atlin country, recently exhibited at the Victoria Exhibition.

This contribution will go a long way towards completing the collection of specimens from that vicinity at present in the Museum, and, I trust, will materially assist in attracting the attention of capital to your district.—I have the honour to be, Sir, etc.,

D. M. EBERTS,
Acting Minister of Mines.

LAST week a rumour reached Atlin that the C. P. N. Co.'s fine steamer, "Hating," had gone on the rocks near Vancouver. Owing to the telegraphic communication being cut off, confirmation of the report could not be had, and no mention was made in our last issue. Unfortunately, the report was too true, and the last mail brought full details of the accident. In a dense fog, but in the calmest of seas, on Saturday afternoon, 12th inst., the steamer went ashore at Tucker bay, a small inlet in the island-dotted northern section of the Gulf of Georgia. There was no commotion of any kind after the ship struck, and the passengers were all safely landed on the shore of Lasquetti island, at the entrance to Sabine strait. From information just received from Atlinites who left Skagway on the Hating, they describe their treatment by the Captain and officers as "a most perfect picnic," and everything that could be done for the comfort of the passengers was done. They reached Vancouver the following afternoon. From latest accounts it was expected that the steamer would be got off the rocks and immediately repaired. The highest praise has been given the officers of the ship, and it is stated that the accident, under the circumstances, was unavoidable. We shall be glad to hear that the steamer will resume her run again before the close of the season.

This mail brings us also the report of a mishap to the Cottage City, owned by the P. C. S. S. Co., which was being towed south by the Dirigo, and so reported at Skagway on the 17th on the arrival of the Humboldt.

FINANCIAL SUCCESS.

The First Alaskan Railroad a Paying Concern.

Facts and Figures From the Directors' Report of the W. P. & Y. Ry.

The White Pass & Yukon Railroad is so closely identified in its operations with the Atlin district that the following extract from the the report of the Directors may not be amiss. The operating report covers the year ending December 31st, 1900: The company's railroad line included 41 miles—Skagway to Bennett—for five months, January 1st to May 31st; 77.75 miles for 2 1-2 months, June 1st to August 15th; 112.25 miles—Skagway to White Horse—August 16th to December 31st; the average for the year being about 75 miles. The earnings of the road were, from passengers, $250,861; freight, $1,773,750; miscellaneous, $59,720; total, $2,084,331, or $27.653 per mile. The working expenses were $743,945 or 35.7 per cent of the gross earnings. As might be expected, maintenance of way charges were high, amounting to $316,747, or 15.7 per cent of the gross earnings; over 30 per cent of this total —$97,561—was for keeping the line clear of snow and ice. In addition to the working expenses there was paid for general, legal and miscellaneous charges $202,593 and for interest on local mortgages $102,773. The total payments were thus $1,143,311, leaving a net balance of $1,035,020.

The traffic statement in the report, to which we have added the average rates, is as follows:
Passengers carried, 21,029, average haul, 69.09 miles, at an average rate of 17,27 cents per mile. 33,473 tons of freight were carried over an average of 80.61 miles, and at an average cost of 65.74 cents per mile.

The average load hauled per loaded car was 12.25 tons. The equipment consisted of 15 locomotives, 11 passenger cars, 211 freight cars, 5 snow-plows, 1 derrick and 1 steam shovel; 2 locomotives, 4 passenger cars and 54 freight cars were under construction.

The report says, "The prospects of business appear excellent, but it is not possible to make an accurate comparison between the earnings of this year and those of last, as until August 15th last year only part of the line was open. From January 1st until July 14th of this year the gross earnings have been $1,069,765, being an increase of $310,532 over the gross earnings for the same period of last year."

It is stated that Mr. E. C. Hawkins, late Manager of the W. P. & Y. Ry., has lately become interested in other Alaskan transportation schemes, and he resigned his position in order to devote his time and energies to these. Much of the success which the railroad has met with is due to Mr. Hawkin's careful management.

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Among the outgoing passengers on the last boat was Mr. William Taylor, who has this season so ably filled the position of Local Agent for the White Pass & Yukon Ry. Mr. Taylor leaves to accept a lucrative position on the Northern Pacific Railroad at Walla Walla, Wash. That Mr. Taylor's services have been appreciated by the business men of Atlin, the following letter clearly shows:

Atlin, B.C., Oct. 22, '01.

W. TAYLOR, Esq.,
Agent, W. P. & Y. Ry.,
Atlin, B.C.

DEAR SIR:—Learning that you are about to leave us to take up a more important and remunerative position, we beg to congratulate you on your success and to express our keen appreciation of your courtesy and ability in the administration of the office of which you have been in charge during the present season.

As a small token of the esteem in which you are held by the business men of Atlin, we beg to present you on their behalf with these cuff links, and to express the hope that your present change may lead to further promotion and emoluments.

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For the Bank of Commerce,
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

EDWARD J. THAIN, of Atlin, Esquire, Mining Recorder, to perform the duties of the under-mentioned offices during the absence upon leave of Mr. J. D. Graham, S. M., namely:—

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NOTICE is hereby given that W. Von Rykum and M. L. Platmauer, of the town of Discovery, Atlin district, trading under the name of Champion & Co., Merchants, have, by Deed of Assignment, made in pursuance of the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, dated Fourteenth October, instant, and executed on that day, assigned all their and each of their personal property, real estate, credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution upon H. E. Symmons, of said town, upon trust for the benefit of their creditors.

Dated at Atlin, B. C., this fourteenth day of October, A. D. 1901.

H. E. SYMMONS, Assignee.

NOTICE.

"ROCK OF AGES" Mineral Claim, situated at Discovery Camp, Pine Creek.

TO J. H. MALLALEU AND W. HOLLINGSWORTH OR OTHER THEIR AGENT OR AGENTS:

WE, the undersigned, W. G. Mitchell, and F. A. Wise, part owners of the above mineral claim, hereby give notice to the above-named J. H. Mallaleu and W. Hollingsworth or other their Agent or Agents, that we do hereby request the said J. H. Mallaleu and W. Hollingsworth to contribute their share of the assessment work done on the said claim, viz.: Two years' assessment work and survey, from May 22nd, 1899, amounting to the sum of $250. Unless the said amount be paid to us on or before the 12th day of January next we shall proceed under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the Mineral Amendment Act, 1900, repealing Section 11 of Cap. 45 of the Statutes of 1899.

W. G. MITCHELL.
F. A. WISE.

Atlin, B. C., Oct. 12th, 1901. se-7-3m

PART IV.

WATER CLAUSES CONSOLIDATION ACT, 1897."

(1.) This is to certify that the "Pine Creek Power Company, Limited," established with the object of carrying on the business of a "power company" within the meaning of Part IV. of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," in the Atlin District, Province of British Columbia, and incorporated on the 28th day of June, 1901, has submitted its undertaking to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for approval, and that the said undertaking, as shown by the documents and plan filed, has been approved, and that the same is as follows:—

To make available water for the working of a large area of placer mining ground which is at present unworkable. Beginning at a point approximately 18,000 feet above the Discovery Claim, on Pine creek, to be known as "point of diversion of water," and proceeding thence westerly along Pine creek to its mouth, and extending laterally on either side of Pine creek so as to embrace the Pine creek water-shed, the Sunrise Gulch, Twin Gulch, and the lower portion of Spruce creek below the Discovery Claim, embracing that part known locally as the "Stevendyke."

That for this purpose the Company will acquire by purchase three thousand five hundred miners' inches of water, to be diverted from Pine creek, using the present channel of Pine creek to the point of diversion, 18,000 feet above Discovery Claim, and thence by ditch and flume along the north side of Pine Creek to and below the Sunrise Gulch, and thence by a system of steel pipe line to reach Pine Creek at and along parts approximately 9,500 feet below the intake, and again at the Discovery Claim 18,000 feet below the intake, and again at Sunrise Gulch 26,000 feet below the intake. To siphon across Pine Creek with a 30-inch steel pipe line approximately 8,000 feet above the Discovery Claim, and thence by ditch and flumes along the south side approximately three miles and to return all of the said water into Pine Creek at an elevation below the intake varying from 85 feet to 400 feet.

(2) And this is further to certify that the Company propose to begin their undertaking by extending the ditches and pipe lines.

(3) And this is further to certify that the amount of the capital of the Company, which will be duly subscribed and paid up before the Company commences the installation of additions, or exercises any of the powers of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," Part IV, in that behalf, is hereby fixed at the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00), and the further amount of capital to be subscribed and paid up, above the cost of the first mentioned portion in respect of the remainder of the undertaking, before the same is commenced, shall be fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00).

(4) And this is further to certify that the time within which the said capital, namely, fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00,) is to be subscribed is fixed at three months from the date hereof, and the time within which the said undertaking and works are to be commenced is fixed at six months from the date hereof, and the date by which all the proposed undertaking shall be in operation is fixed at two years from the date hereof.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1901.

J. D. PRENTICE,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA PROVINCIAL COMPANY

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the "Societe Miniere de la Colombie Britannique" has this day been registered as an Extra Provincial Company, under the "Companies' Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in Paris, France.

The amount of the capital of the Company is 600,000 francs, divided into 6000 shares of 100 francs each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate in the Town of Atlin, and Emile Janne de Lamare, explorer, whose address is Atlin aforesaid, is the attorney for the company.

The time of the existence of the company is fifty years.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of August, one thousand nine hundred and one.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The following are the objects for which the company has been established:—

Exploration, options and purchase of all mineral concessions, gold or otherwise, in Alaska and the Klondike, and more particularly in the Atlin District, British Columbia; the development of the said concessions; the option by concession or purchase of all industrial enterprises, commercial or agricultural, the sale or exchange of said concessions or properties; the publication and sale of circulars, reviews or papers treating interesting questions in the above named regions; the organisation of affiliated societies for all undertakings of the above-mentioned nature; the sharing the said societies, or in others to be formed or already existing; the sale, purchase and exchange of all minerals or gold-bearing mineral matter, silver, copper and other metals; the forming of the means of transport of merchandise or passengers in Alaska Klondike and British Columbia; and all other industrial, commercial, agricultural or financial operations which could directly or indirectly be incident to the principal objects of the Society

NOTICE.

"ANNA MABEL" and "VICTORIA" Mineral Claims, situate about 3½ miles north of Atlin.

TO J. S. FERGUSON OR OTHER HIS AGENT OR AGENTS:

I, the undersigned, Patrick Donovan, part owner of the above mineral claims, hereby give notice to the above named J. S. Ferguson or other his Agent or Agents, that I do hereby request the said J. S. Ferguson to contribute his share of assessment work done on the said claims, viz.: one year's assessment work from 11th August and 8th September, 1900, respectively, amounting to the sum of $200. Unless the said amount be paid to me on or before the 23rd day of November next I shall proceed, under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the mineral Amendment Act, 1900, repealing Section 11 of Cap. 45 of the Statutes of 1899.

PATRICK DONOVAN.

Atlin, B. C., August 24th, 1901. An24-3m

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Rev. F. L. Stephenson, Rector.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church hold services in the Church on Second Street. Morning service at 11 evening service, 7:30 Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Rev. J. Russell, Minister. Free Reading Room, to which all are welcome.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The publishers beg to announce that arrangements have been made with the Dominion Government Telegraph Service, whereby it is made possible for us to give the public an excellent service during the winter. The Press Rate has been reduced from .05 to .01 cent per word. This reduction affords us the opportunity of materially increasing the number of despatches within the amount stated in previous issues. Our present subscribers and supporters will be doing good to themselves by each sending us a new subscriber. Look for the first "Telegraphic Bulletin" within the next two weeks.

The subscription rates are within the reach of all, and are as follows:

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Editor Hirschfeld took his friends by surprise by dropping into town on Wednesday last. During his sojourn in the "sunny south" he got into a big mining deal and preferred being on the spot when it was ready for consummation. He says he was "royally" received on the coast, but Atlin is a pretty good place after all.

J. St. Clair Blackett has returned from a three week trip to the coast.

Wall-paper at Fraser & Co.'s.

Fred Wrong is getting broken in to use a pick—not a tooth-pick—this winter.

Furnished rooms to rent—apply Hotel Northern.

"G. B." chocolates at Dockrill & Bourne's.

The Monro mountain mill is shut down until enough ore is blocked out on the Mother Lode to keep it running steadily.

WALL PAPER:—House-keepers and others are hereby advised that Fraser & Co. have a considerable stock of wall-paper on hand, which will be sold very cheap to clear.

Dr. P. F. Scharschmidt, is a visitor to Atlin this week. He has come to relieve Mr. Taylor, the local agent of the W. P. & Y. Ry.

The Ven. The Bishop of Selkirk came in this morning.

Jeff Butler will assume the duties of Agent in succession to Mr. Taylor, till the close of navigation.

Get your friends to subscribe for "The Atlin Telegraphic Bulletin,"—twice a week — See publishers' notice above.

Just received—A full and complete line of holiday goods.—E. L. Pillman & Co.

SPRUCE CREEK.

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followed the south side benches in this neighborhood, is being actively opened up by the following outfits, many of whom are still busy getting out their winter's supply of timbering, preparatory to drifting:

No. 112. Gibson and Spencer.

No. 123. Brown, McCrimmon, Wrong and Smith.

No. 124. Wilkinson, Stokes and Stebbings.

No. 125. Blondeau, Manning, Yeomans and Gould.

No. 126. Fergusson and Walker.

No. 127. Myers, McPherson and Anderson.

In the vicinity of Discovery claim there will also be a large amount of work done during the winter, among those working their own ground being the Cassidy Brothers, Aiken and Marshall.

Make no date for the evening of 30th inst. Ireland, political, industrial and educational, will be dealt with by Rev. J. Russell that evening.

GIANT POWDER:—Fraser & Co., having acquired the stock of Giant Powder, etc., formerly handled by F. E. McFeely & Co., are prepared to dispose of the stock on hand at the same or even lower figures than were formerly asked.

Storey brought in one of the biggest booms of cordwood that has ever come in to Atlin.—Little fear of a wood famine this winter.

"Milkmaid" brand condensed milk at Fraser & Co.'s — best for infants and young children.

During last week and this over a hundred miners have taken Marshall's "express" across the lake. —Cheaper than railroad fares, and walking is pretty good this time of year.

Copies of the new Placer Act of 1901, consolidated with the Acts of 1898 and 1899, for sale at the CLAIM Office.

For lounges and mattresses, go to J. D. Durie, next to Kirkland Hotel, Atlin.

Giant Powder at Fraser & Co.'s.

There is more solid comfort in a cup of Blue Ribbon Tea than in a gallon of most beverages.

F. T. Hamshaw made a flying trip from New York to Atlin to report on hydraulic properties on McKee creek. He left on Sunday last, it is understood, favorably impressed.

Avoid all aches and pains by taking a Thermal bath at the Troy Laundry.

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W. H. Hile, who has been so favorably impressed with the outlook of quartz mining in the district, left for the outside on Sunday last. He will return next year, but may have men to work on the properties he has acquired this winter.

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Mrs. Henning has so far recovered from her wounds that she left the hospital this week.

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