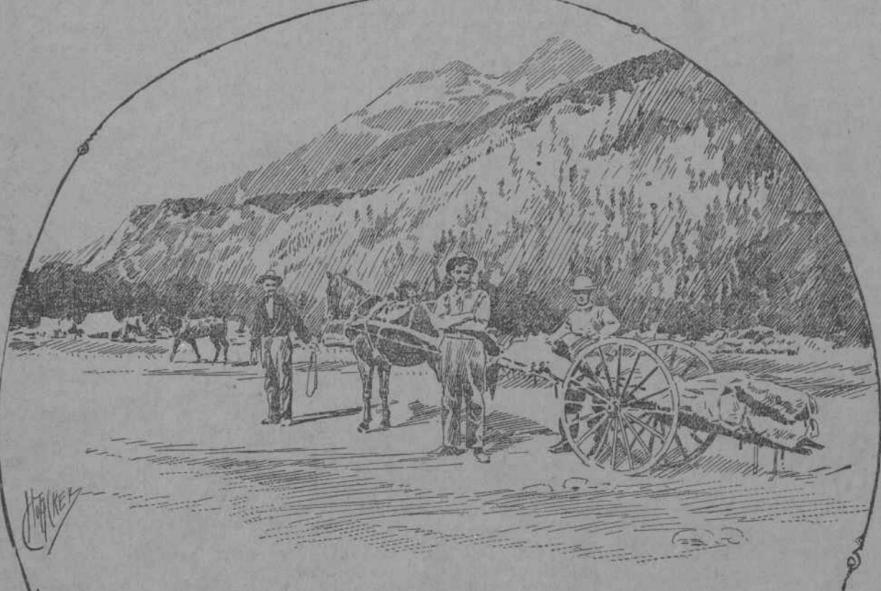


FROST CUTS OFF THE KLONDYKE MINERS ON THE TRAIL.

Lake Bennett Has Begun to Freeze, There Is No Time to Build Boats, the Favorable Winds Have Changed and the Yukon Is Closed Until the Prospectors Can Go Down on Sleds.



A Fortune on Wheels—Saguay Horse and Cart that Make \$200 a Day.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6.—The Capitona, like the majority of the steamers from the North recently, brought several discouraged prospectors who had abandoned the attempt to get into the Klondyke country over the mountains. When they left Skaguay the trail was still closed and guarded by armed men pending the result of an experiment to cut off three miles of hard climbing by blowing out a mountain peak. Two tons of dynamite had been brought from Juneau, and the point at which the blasting is to be done is where the ridge has to climb at an angle of about 45 degrees and descended on the other side at a similar grade. The plan adopted is to blast out a portion of the side of the cliff which overhangs the river so as to allow of the trail being cut around the steep bluff, and if this is successful a very difficult climb of several miles will be saved. The closing of the trail was decided upon by the miners' committee in order to allow the work to proceed without interruption and also by the fact that Porcupine ridge is now everywhere undermined by explosives.

Frank Moore, an old-timer, who has spent many years in the lake country, came down as a passenger by the Capitona. He says that no one who attempts the trip down Lake Bennett after the tenth of the month has the least chance of getting through, as the prevailing winds, which to that date are southerly, change from, and for weeks a northerly wind, against which boats can make no progress, prevails.

Lake Bennett Freezing.
Equally alarming information as to the condition of the lake is contained in a letter from Dr. Joseph D. Wilson, brought down by the steamer Queen. His report is that Lake Bennett has already begun to freeze along its shores, although not sufficient as yet to suspend traffic. Miners reaching the lakes may yet secure news by buying them, or, if they go into the woods and bring out a certain number of logs, lumber enough is furnished them. The time is at present too short, however, for any one to construct boats and stand a chance of getting down the river before it freezes over, and the difficulties of the journey have during the past fortnight again been intensified by continuous rain.

According to other advices from Skaguay to hand, an agitation has been started there to have the Alien Labor law locally amended. The movement has been caused by the British-Yukon Company, of which the Duke of Teck is at present the head, taking men from the Yukon to erect their buildings and wharves. The meeting was called for the evening of the 5th, at which resolutions were to be adopted to be forwarded to Washington City.

The mad cruise of the river boat Eugene, which bade defiance to the British customs officers at Unalaska last week, and sailed for St. Michael's with the tug Hope in hot but ineffective pursuit, has come to an end abruptly and in a manner quite as dramatic as the seizure and escape.

Captain Lewis of the Eugene. It will be remembered, fully expected the big steamer Bristol to pick him up in a convoy which he had consigned Deputy Collector Rowe to the territorial and ran to sea to save a heavy fine, but Captain McIntyre,

never been opened up for settlement. The only inhabitants are Indians and Hudson Bay traders, and they are few.

AN ERA OF GOLD.
An Expert Predicts a Chain of Mining Camps from Cape Horn to St. Michael's.

Denver, Col., Sept. 6.—"We are on the verge of a great mining era," remarked

WAWA PROVES RICH.
Quartz Running from \$50 to \$300 Per Ton Found in the New Ontario Region.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 6.—A special investigation of the newly discovered gold territory at Lake Wawa, Ontario, appears to confirm the first reports of its richness. A town called Wawa City has been laid out in one of the narrow passes which lead to Lake Wawa from the landing place on the shore of Lake Superior, which is but six miles from the gold discoveries.

As to the gold discoveries developing to anything like the indications given, it can be said that quartz has been found that assays over \$300 a ton. It is found not in one section, but in different places extending over several thousand acres.

Quartz has been found containing free gold in chunks as big as kernels of wheat in its pure form, which does not have to be subjected to a chemical process to free it from the rock. Prospectors every day are finding specimens that assay \$50 a ton. Probably one hundred prospectors are working in the hills.

Another party of twenty-five reached there yesterday afternoon. Several thousand acres have already been claimed, but there are all kinds of disputes about priority of claims, and nobody can tell who will get a patent from the Government. The country where discoveries were made has

of the Bristol, was taking no chances. He saw the possibility of being outlived himself if he assisted the runaway, and so he declined to give the Eugene a line until Collector Milne defined his liability. The Collector, yielding to the representations of the mine men here, that the Eugene would of a certainty prove a coffin to all on board if she was not picked up, gave the Bristol the desired permission.

The Bristol then made speed and took up the river boat just as the latter was passing through Seymour Narrows, about half way between Cape Scott and the lower end of Queen Charlotte Sound, which is particularly rough water at all seasons of the year. A heavy blow from southeast sprung the Eugene's timbers and she commenced to leak badly. The passengers, miners bound for Dawson City, not caring to further jeopardize their lives, held a meeting and decided to go no further. Captain Lewis, knowing that to return to a British port would entail a severe penalty upon himself and his vessel, decided that he would keep on to St. Michael's.

Then the miners mutilated and took possession of the ship, and Captain McIntyre, of the Bristol, being appointed to conduct her a charter for St. Michael's. Captain Powers had to proceed home for orders, however, and reached Vancouver this morning with the Bristol. The Bristol, by trip blocked by the Eugene's disablement, is now returning home.

RETURNS WITH \$10,000.

An Ansonia Man Has the Cash, but Advises People to Stay Away During the Winter.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 6.—Ferdinand Tobler, of Ansonia, has just returned from the Klondyke with \$10,000 in cash. He left Alaska June 20 and says he is going back in the Spring. He thinks there will be a famine there before Spring, and advises people to stay away during the winter.

Tobler went to Alaska three years ago and a half ago and located on a claim on Davis Creek, 100 miles from the Klondyke. He promised well, and being offered \$10,000 for it he closed the deal. He says it will be a terrible winter there, as there is not near enough food to feed the crowds rushing in.

NEWBURG CYCLE RACES.

Newburg, Sept. 6.—Four thousand persons witnessed the Newburg Wheelmen's races at Ramsdell Park today. The winners were:

One Mile, Norick—Le Grande Pellet. Time, 2 min. 41.2-5 sec.

Half Mile, Handicap—W. A. Ladue, of Cold Springs (scratch). Time, 1 min. 3 sec.

Orange County Championship, one mile—H. K. Bird, Newburg. Time, 2 min. 28 sec.

Triplet, one mile—Kings County Wheelmen. Time, 2 min. 5-3-3 sec.

One Mile, Open—W. A. Ladue. Time, 2 min. 21 sec.

One Mile, 2-30 Class—H. K. Bird. Time, 2 min. 21.2-2 sec.

One Mile, Handicap—W. J. Mooney, Rahway, N. J.

One Mile, Tandem—E. A. Thomas and W. J. Oakley, Newburg. Time, 2 min. 18.2-3 sec.

Multiple Race, one mile—Triplet, Newburg Wheelmen, won. Time, 2 min. 1-5-5 sec.

Another cup and saucer sensation at Vantine's.

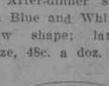
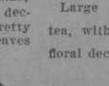
ONE MILLION JAPANESE CUPS AND SAUCERS go on sale to-day. People who attended our great sale of cups and saucers last February will know what to expect when we say that the phenomenally low prices which then prevailed will be duplicated to-day. This is all the more surprising when you consider that the Dingley Bill, recently become a law, increases the cost of these goods fully one-fourth.

Instead of holding these cups and saucers for the higher prices which are sure to come quickly we prefer to advertise Vantine's by selling at

36c., 48c., 70c., 95c., \$1.10, 1.35, 1.50, 1.65, 1.75, 2.25, 3.25, 3.85, 4.50, 5.00 and up to 17.50 a doz.

The goods are mostly in those delightfully artistic patterns and designs which have made Japanese porcelains famous all over the world.

Here are the particulars of a few of the many Cups and Saucers included in the sale:

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| 36c. a doz. | 85c. a doz. | 95c. a doz. | \$1.35 a doz. |
| After-dinner size in Blue and White; low shape; large size, 48c. a doz. | After-dinner size; thin white china, with blue and white decorations; lovely Japanese designs. | After-dinner size; fine Tokyo ware, decorated with pretty designs of leaves and flowers. | Large size; flat tea, with handsome floral decorations. |
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| \$3.25 a doz. | \$3.85 a doz. | \$4.50 a doz. | \$5.00 a doz. |
| Coffee cup and saucer, with pink border and fine floral decorations; fine quality of china. | Tea cup and saucer; fancy shape; yellow ground, with lovely floral decorations; extra fine quality. | After-dinner size; fancy shape; artistic light pink ground, decorated with green decorated with leaves and flowers; also of floral designs; very attractive. | Low tea shape; extra fine quality. |

If these cups and saucers were made in Europe or America the prices would be several times as much. Wages are low in Japan.

CUPS AND SAUCERS UP TO \$4.00 A DOZEN ARE SOLD IN ORIGINAL PACKAGES OF ONE DOZEN ONLY. AT OVER \$4.00 A DOZEN, THEY WILL BE SOLD IN HALF DOZEN LOTS, OR 10 PER CENT EXTRA IF BOUGHT IN 1-4 DOZEN LOTS.

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AUTUMN DAYS AT WANAMAKER'S

Queen Summer has abdicated her throne, and Prince Autumn reigns supreme. The Store is his loyal subject, and great stocks of Autumn merchandise are now here in recognition of his advent. To be sure, they rub elbows with the last lingering lot of Summer goods, but these are marked for an early departure.

This is our first Autumn in New York. We have a record to make, and have set about it with an earnestness of purpose and a hearty good will that augurs well for the future. The wise folks of New York and the vicinage will keep in touch with our doings. They will have a deep personal interest in our maturing plans.

Reception day in the DRESS GOODS STORE.

We've been taking a census of the new-comers. More than 2,300 separate and distinct styles of colored Dress Goods, exclusive of the Black Stuffs, have arrived here within the past five days, and are ready for inspection to-day. Incoming European steamers will augment this stock, and every day some new designs or fabrics will be ready for a first look.

Intelligent and unbiased criticism places this Dress Goods stock at the top. We have good reasons to believe that it is not matched on either side of the Atlantic, with the exception of its duplicate in our Philadelphia Store. A vast army of handsome patterns are here exclusively.

We anticipated the present tariff, placed our orders for imported Fall Dress Goods early last Spring, and landed them here in advance of the new law. The result, our retail prices are as low, in some cases lower, than present wholesale prices. A strong statement, but an absolute fact.

AT 50c A YARD

Fancy figured Chevrots
Silk mixed fancy Chevrots
Two-toned Armures
Two-toned Diagonal
Silk mixed Suits
Two-toned striped Armures
Mixed figured Epinglins
Boucle cloth Suits
Etamine Serge Storm Serge
Matelasse Chevrots Heather Chevrots

AT 65c A YARD

Two-toned fabric with mohair figures
Fancy chevrot
Fancy chevrot zebeline
Figured diagonal suit
Fancy chevrot
Matelasse armures
Granite chevrots

AT 75c A YARD

Silk and wool plaid poplins
Silk and wool figured Armures
Brocade epinglins
Fancy chevrot
Basket weave chevrot
Fancy chevrot
Two-toned diagonal
Satin prunelle
Granite chevrot

AT 85c A YARD

Novelty figured chevrot
Fancy chevrot
Fancy basket weave chevrot
Figured two-toned granite

AT \$1 A YARD

Fancy basket weave chevrot
Mohair figured armure
Two colored chevrot
Novelty Bonnette chevrot
Silk and wool armures
Silk figured velours
Fancy figured chevrot tricotine
Silk and wool figured novelty
Silk and wool novelty brilliants
Matelasse granites
Camelion poplins
Camel's hair
Granite chevrot

AT \$1.25 A YARD

Check Tailor Cloths
Check Granite Chevrot
Fancy stripe Chevrot
Fancy camel's hair Chevrot
Illuminated sharkskin chevrot
Illuminated granite chevrot
Fancy chevrot
Mohair illuminated chevrot
Fancy mohair figured chevrot
Silk and wool plaid velours
Novelty figured velours

AT \$1.50 A YARD

Matelasse Novelty Epingline
Brocade Epingline
Matelasse Velours
Mohair Matelasse
Matelasse Armure Epingline
Silk and wool Velours
Chameleon Poplins
Astrakhan bordered Armure Chevrot
Mohair bordered Foule
Two-toned Epingline
Cassimere Covert
Two-toned Diagonal Covert Cloth
Check Suits Chevrot
Silk and wool figured Novelty
Silk and wool Matelasse Velours
Satin Prunelle
Corkscrew Diagonal
Whipcord Covert Cloth
Mohair Granite Chevrot

AT \$1.75 A YARD

Whipcord Covert Cloth
Armure worsted Chevrot
Chevrot Prunelle
Drap d'Ete
Novelty Chevrots Broadcloths

Home again! and almost the first thought is of making the rooms look more home-like by having the window and doorway draperies arranged. Then comes the knowledge that some of the old Curtains need replacing.

The Autumn stocks of Upholstery Goods are here. More



to come, to be sure, but present assortments are large.

Strikingly handsome Curtains of Brussels Point Lace at \$15 a pair. New designs.

One of the season's novelties is a Curtain of Irish Point Lace in Renaissance effect, ivory tinted. These are priced at \$12.75 a pair, and will command admiration.

Dainty Curtains of muslin at \$3 a pair. Two especially attractive designs—one with embroidered wreaths, the other with daisies.

Silk Derby Curtains, in a handsome pattern exclusively our own, 14 colors, \$12 a pair.

Tapestry Curtains, in beautiful designs, at \$7.50 a pair. They are just right for living or dining rooms. Couch covers to match at \$4 each.

Our Linen Chief is more than a good judge of Linens—he is a stickler for artistic designs in all sorts of Table Damasks. He is not satisfied with the conventional patterns usually found in various stocks—they are too common property. The result is an immense assortment of beautiful designs made for Wanamaker's only. Women who care for fine Table Linen appreciate this exclusive prettiness.

Then, nowhere else are good Linens sold so cheaply as at Wanamaker's. We have no patent on goodness or price; but our methods of gathering Linens place us in a position to offer all-flax Linens at retail, as cheaply as most merchants can buy them at wholesale.

Another style, with hand-embroidered corners, edged with lace footing, here at 25c.

Others, with Valenciennes lace insertion, and edged with Point d'Esprit lace footing, at 75c and \$1.

Others more costly, of course, but that's another story.

Certain lots of Dresses and Coats for cool days and school GIRLS days at prices that make the buying easy. Big price reductions to square stocks. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

One, two and three-piece Wash Suits, at ONE DOLLAR. Values in the lot up to \$6. Fabrics are crash, percale, lawn, dimity, striped galatea and organdy. Dresses are neatly trimmed with embroidery or braid.

One-piece Dresses of all-wool novelty fabrics, in plaids, at \$1, instead of \$2.50. Tastefully braided.

Other Dresses, of all-wool fabrics, in bright plaids, fancy checks and mixed goods, at \$2.50 and \$3. Should be \$5 and \$6.

These Dresses have fancy collars and are neatly braided.

Coats of broadcloth, serges and fancy mixed fabrics, at \$1.50, \$2.75 and \$4; worth \$3 to \$6.50. They have sailor collars, and are beautifully braided.

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This splendid collection represents the best product of the Silk-making world. Scores of beautiful designs made especially for Wanamaker's. Exclusive elegance that will command the attention of all women interested in Dress Silks.

A brief list of new-comers:

NEW EVENING SILKS
French Coraline, 6 beautiful shades, at 85c
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For Vestings, crocheted blocks, 9 styles, at \$1.35.

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Rich Satin Luxor, French, black, at \$1.25 to \$3.50. Beautiful goods and as soft to the touch as a butterfly's wings.

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Plain black Taffetas, French, rich qualities, \$1 to \$2.50.

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It concerns Women's Handkerchiefs, and like other ruling fashions, it came from Paris.

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