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AN OPEN LETTER
To MOTHERS.

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March 8, 1897. Samuel Pitcher M.D.

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KLONDIKE TIPS.

A Few Facts for Would-be Alaskan Gold Hunters.

From the Philadelphia Record.

The first discovery of gold on the Klondike was made in the middle of August, 1896, by George Cormack.

The only way into and out of the Klondike in winter is by way of Junea.

The steamer which leaves St. Michaels now will reach the Klondike in September.

The only way to live is to imitate the Indians in dress and habit.

It is useless to wear leather or gum boots. Good moccasins are absolutely necessary.

The colder it is the better the traveling. When it is very cold there is no wind, and the wind is hard to bear.

Indian guides are necessary to go ahead of the dogs and prepare the camp for night.

In the summer the sun rises early and sets late, and there are only a few hours when it is not shining directly on Alaska.

In the winter the sun shines for a short time each day.

In summer the weather is warm and tent life is comfortable.

The winter lasts nine months.

By steamer it costs $150 to go from San Francisco to Dawson City.

Dogs are worth their weight in gold. A good long-haired dog sells from $150 to $200.

Skates might be used to good advantage at times.

The Yukon River is closed by ice from November to the last of May.

On the Klondike the thermometer goes as low as sixty degrees below zero.

There is a great variety of berries to be found all through the country in summer. Game is very scarce.

Vegetables of the hardier sort can be raised.

Stock can be kept by using care in providing abundantly with feed by ensilage or curing natural grass hay and by housing them in winter.

In summer abundance of fine grass can be found near the rivers.

Gold was first discovered in the vicinity of Sitka by Frank Mahoney, Edward Doyle and William Dunlap, 1873.

Of the seven trading stations in the Yukon district, five are located upon the river bank.

The first American traders to engage in the Yukon trade were members of the Western Union Telegraph expedition.

With the first breath of spring the up-river people prepare for their annual meeting with their friends from the outside world.

Supplies are purchased chiefly in California, and carried from there to St. Michaels.

The Yukon is navigable for a 250-ton steamer for a distance of 1,600 miles.

At a distance of 600 miles from the ocean the Yukon River is more than a mile wide.

The Klondike mining region is in the latitude of Iceland and lower Greenland.

The longitude of St. Michaels is farther west than that of Honolulu.

Condition of County Jail and Alms-House.—Mr. R. S. Griffith, president, and Rev. W. C. Stoudenmire, general agent of the Maryland Prisoners' Aid Association, have recently visited the Kent county jail and almshouse and made the following report: "We found four prisoners, one of them a white man. They were all awaiting trial. The charge against the white man was an attempt to commit suicide. The jail is in very good condition, under the management of Mr. James A. Casey, the sheriff of Kent county. Religious services are frequently held in the institution. The small number of inmates in this jail was accounted for by Mr. M. V. Pinkind, the assistant warden, by the fact that local option law is being enforced in Kent county. At the almshouse of Kent county we found twenty-seven inmates—eight colored and six white men, eight colored and four white women, and one colored child. Fourteen of this number are insane or feeble-minded. Monthly religious services are held here. There is a farm in connection with this institution of three hundred acres, cared for and cultivated by Mr. J. T. Blackiston. The superintendent, Mr. Joshua Bryan, and his wife keep this institution is very good condition, and there is nothing left undone for the comfort of the inmates."

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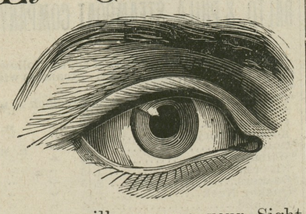

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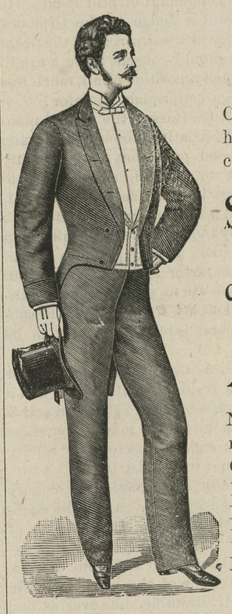

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