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# GOLD! GOLD! GOLD! IN GUILFORD HILLS

Veterans From the Klondike  
Open Their Eyes.

## FENTRESS MINE VISITED

Out West, Said one of the Prospectors, This  
Would Cause one of the Greatest Stampedes for the Mines Ever  
Seen.

(Special to the News and Observer.)  
Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 20.—One of the heartiest and happiest groups of gentlemen seen here in many a day was a party of New Yorkers who sat at dinner at the Guilford Hotel here last night.

It was a party of old California, Colorado and Klondike gold hunters, who had just returned from an investigation and expert examination of the Fentress gold mines, located twelve miles from Greensboro, and operated by a New York syndicate known as the Fentress Mining Co., of which Henry J. Dexter, of New York city, is president; James V. Bruyn, treasurer; William W. Green, Ph. D., of Columbia School of Mines, general manager; Robt. D. Douglass, ex-Attorney General of North Carolina, special counsel.

This company has been operating for two years an old mine that was abandoned at the outbreak of the war, forty years ago, and the special party present at the Guilford tonight were old-timers in the gold diggings, who had come down South to investigate the wonderful stories told within their circles of the success which had attended the search for gold in this section. They came here Saturday night and have spent the week in the country.

In the party were noted Messrs. Ira M. Black, W. N. Cory, Addison Dredrick, W. J. Green, Dr. F. S. Betts, Joseph DeGraff, Clarence Schonmaker and Jas. V. Bruyn, of Kingston, N. Y.; Albert Vedder, of Schenectady, and William V. Dreyer, of New York city.

An effort was made to ascertain from Treasurer Bruyn the significance of this visit, but he was too reserved and business-like to give more than an expression of the gratification it had been to him to open wide the eyes of his friends who had seen gold sights before, but who, said he, "confess that since coming here they realize that the half had not been told them."

"Now, my friend," said Mr. W. J. Green, in reply to a request for his opinion, "all I've got to say is that after ten years' experience in the Black Hills and other great mining regions, and from what I have found out here in your country almost under your nose, out yonder at that Fentress mine, if it was out West, there would be armed guards at the clean-ups and not a soul would be admitted in the shafts without a pass and full registration on the mine register."

This sounded goldish sure enough, and with a persistence worthy of the cause, better information was mined from the cavernous depths of the nine years' gold mining experience of Mr. Joseph DeGraff, who spent his life and retired with a fortune from the gold fields of California and Colorado. He said:

"By invitation of my friends here I was prevailed upon to take this trip. We went out Monday to the Fentress mine and descended the two principal shafts, one 80, one 150 feet, both in the gold vein. From the latter shaft the incline down the vein is 240 feet, making 600 feet in all. We looked over several lesser shafts. Every one of us is enthusiastic over what we saw and consider it one of the grandest propositions of our whole experience. Why, sir, I believe it to be a true fissure vein, richer in gold ore as it goes down. Why, mill runs and assays from the lowest, or 600 foot level, show \$40.00 in gold to the ton. And I'll tell you the vein at this level is 13 foot thick, and I believe if a new shaft of 700 feet is sunk further away it will show the vein to be at least 24 foot thick. You just can't tell how wide that vein is, for it spreads out just like a blanket, for I found that wherever the levels have been pushed to the right or left they continue in one of the veins. It is more like a coal mine than any gold proposition I ever run up against. Why, out West the formation of the ore veins is on edge, and if such a mine as I have just been lifted from were discovered out there, it would cause the wildest excitement and the greatest stampede ever heard of in this county. This outcrop extends over acres and my opinion is it extends for miles."

"That is not all, either. I found that the old company who operated the mine before the war only worked for copper. Why, they did not even hoist the gold ores, and there are hundreds of thousands of tons of these ores heaped up in the different levels already for hoisting without a pick put to them. These ores alone would average \$5.00 per ton in mill runs and could keep 20 stamps busy

for years if not another ton of ore was mined."

"You are indeed enthusiastic, Mr. Green," this chronicler ventured to remark.  
"Not without cause, sir," the grizzled gold warrior retorted. "Why, sir, this company is organized with a capital of one million dollars. Why, sir, there has already been expended, first and last, I am satisfied, half a million dollars in sinking shafts and loosening up gold ores in the mines to get out the copper. And there are only five stamps at work out there now. Why, sir, out West, that property would have been incorporated for every cent of fifty million of dollars and fifty days; and this nice town you have got here would have fifty thousand prospectors herded in the hotels here and in tents looking for locations. I'm coming back myself, sir, and I expect before twelve months to see a dozen mines along this vein and at the one I have been in all this week I expect to see 25 stamps, with steam hoists, air compresses and all the modern machinery for turning out the yellow boys."

To hear this from a man thoroughly learned in the gold production industry, from the ground up; commencing with a pick at fourteen and stopping with a fortune at 55 sufficient to sate the appetite even for gold hunting; from one entirely disinterested in the properties discussed—a stranger to the community—is calculated to make the staid and steady going people here prick up their speculative ears and go themselves to wooing the fickle goddess. And they'll do it, never fear, for there has been a sublimely subtle atmospheric influence palpable in this section of North Carolina for years, that has been accompanied with all the indications of gold fever. It is within the range of probability that the time is not far away, when tremendous developments will fan the spirit of venture into a seething flame of excited and exuberant accomplishment.

And Greensboro will ride the yellow crested billow like a Neptune commanding it.

ANDREW JOYNER.

## MAY ESTABLISH AN ALIBI

Jenkins, Charged With Assault on Mrs. Spivey on Trial.

(Special to News and Observer.)  
Asheville, N. C., Nov. 20.—Gus Jenkins was arraigned this morning in the Superior court on the charge of having committed a criminal assault on Mrs. Spivey Fairview. Mrs. Spivey's identification of the negro was complete, and the fact was testified of his having come to her home while her children were away, and of his having threatened her with an axe. Sheriff Lee, the next witness, said that when Mrs. Spivey first saw Jenkins at the jail she expressed the opinion that the right man had been taken, and said that if she had a pistol she would kill him.

One negro friend of Jenkins testified that he attended a dance with the prisoner in Lincolnton about the time the crime was committed, while a woman testified that she went to church with him about the same time at that place. This afternoon the defense made a move that surprised a number of people by introducing as a witness Butler Herndon, of Lincolnton, who said that he was the father of the defendant. It was then shown that the defendant's name was not Gus Jenkins, but Reddy Herndon, and according to the testimony of his father, he was at home until such a short time prior to the time the crime was committed, that he could not possibly have been in the vicinity of Fairview. Herndon does not look like a full blooded negro.

Edward S. Hewitt, son of ex-Mayor Hewitt, of New York, has, with an expert mining engineer, been prospecting in this section for mineral. The Hewitts are the principal owners of the Trenton Iron Works, the largest of the kind in this country prospecting for iron ore beds to develop.

President Roosevelt was met by a large crowd at the station here this afternoon. The train only stayed five minutes.

Division Superintendent Loyall of the Southern railroad, said today that according to present plans Asheville is to have one of the finest depots in the South in a short time.

At Montreat the condition of Evangelist Weston R. Gales is greatly alarming his friends. His condition appeared to give promise of recovery until late last night when there was a sudden change for the worse.

The new proprietor of the Kenilworth Inn, Joseph Gazzam, of Philadelphia, who yesterday purchased the hotel at public auction, contemplates notable improvements.

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# ITS WORK WIDENS

Calls for Establishing New  
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Aggressive Campaign Planned—Boards of  
Church Government Elected—Closing  
Exercises of the Synod.

(Special to the News and Observer.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Nov. 20.—The Moravian Synod closed today. The last session opened at 9 o'clock with an earnest service of prayer and praise, conducted by Mr. Clarence Crist. Dr. Clewell spoke on the approaching sesqui-centennial of Wachovia, to be celebrated in November, 1903. An animated discussion was held with regard to the widening out of the Southern Moravian Church, in view of the fact that calls are coming for the establishment of new Moravian churches in sections hitherto unoccupied by the denomination. A number of resolutions were adopted with regard to an aggressive campaign for the next three years along the lines of foreign mission interest.

By special order of the synod the half hour from 10:30 to 11 o'clock was devoted to a discussion of the sesqui-centennial.

At eleven o'clock the balloting commenced for the two boards which shall for the next three years be charged with government of the Southern Moravian Church. Result of ballot: Provincial Elders' Conference, Bishop Rondthaler, James E. Hall, John W. Fries; Financial Board, Dr. Strickland, W. T. Vogler and H. A. Pfuhl.

The closing exercises of the synod were a touching occasion. According to the time-honored custom of many years the members, after prayer and a hymn, extended to one another the right-hand of fellowship and the synod was declared adjourned sine die.

## Robbery of a Saloon.

(Special to News and Observer.)

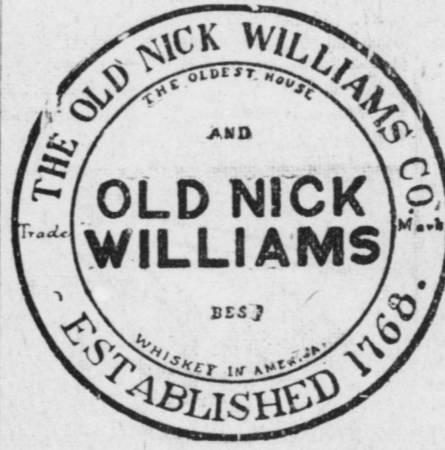
Durham, N. C., Nov. 20.—The saloon of J. W. Sykes, in this city, was entered last night between 10 o'clock and midnight, by a rear window. In making his rounds, Policeman Faucette discovered that a window pane was broken out, and this led to the discovery that the place had been robbed. The thief or thieves secured between \$20 and \$30. They also took about eight pints of whiskey, two silver watches, a gold watch and a ring were not molested. Two white men are under suspicion, but up to this writing the evidence against them is not tangible.

The Durham Hebrew Congregation Company has been incorporated. The officers are M. Greenberg, president; E. Cohen, vice-president, and J. W. Jacobson, secretary and treasurer. The company is organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the Hebrew religion, burying the dead, etc. The congregation has been in existence for some years, but never before incorporated.

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