

TO HEAR HEAT AND COLD

An Ingenious Apparatus to Determine Temperature by Sound.

MAKING A TEST IN THE ARCTIC

Usefulness of Instrument in Hotels, Public Buildings and in War Ship Machinery-Construction and Operation.

It is now possible to hear heat and cold. Dr. George C. Whipple, biologist of Brooklyn, has recently invented an electrical instrument by means of which the various ranges of temperature may be heard in an ordinary telephone receiver.

The apparatus is very simple in construction. In external appearance it is like an ordinary electric battery box, such as is used in sick rooms.

It may seem strange that heat and cold may be heard as well as felt. To be accurate it is the presence of heat or cold acting on the bare coil of wire which causes an electric current to set up a buzzing in the telephone.



ENGINEER NOTING TEMPERATURE OF ROOMS IN MASSACHUSETTS STATE HOUSE BY ELECTRIC THERMOMETER.

mechanical thermometer, is marked with figures representing degrees of temperature above and below zero. Let us suppose, for instance, that we are to listen to the temperature of a coil of wire.

Dr. Whipple tried the instrument the other day in a room, the temperature of which was about sixty degrees. The correspondent placed the telephone to his ear and heard a loud buzzing.

These experiments illustrate the great usefulness of the instrument. It is not necessary that the bare coil mentioned above should be in that precise form.

The instrument is now being used in cold storage warehouses to ascertain the temperature of the various rooms without opening them.

MISERY IN THE KLONDIKE

Pathetic Picture of a Journey of Three Hundred Miles in Midwinter.

PORTLAND MAN'S VIVID STORY OF THE TRIP

H. W. Sheridan Saw Hundreds of Craft Crowded with Starving Men All Trying to Reach Fort Yukon Before the River Closed.

H. W. Sheridan, a Portland man, contributes a description of the journey he made with three thousand men down the Yukon river in search of food and life.

The writer of 1897 and 1898 will mark an epoch in the history of the Yukon basin, he says. "The stories of the fabulous richness of her mines had set the outside world in a fever of excitement."

"The situation soon made itself apparent to us in the charge of the food supplies, as well as to those that were depending on them for their winter's supply."

Food Supply Very Low. "As soon as those that were unprovided with a winter's outfit of food fully understood that their only hope was to reach Fort Yukon before the stampee became almost a panic."

of them opposes to an electric current a resistance which changes radically when surrounded by different temperatures.

STRANGER THAN FICTION.

A Horse that Was Swallowed Alive by a Hair from Its Own Tail.

From the southern home of Senator Quay comes the following letter to the Baltimore American from a veracious correspondent:

"Being an ex-soldier and having only fifteen months to serve to acquire a title to a quarter section of land, I went to Florida in 1885 to put my plans into execution."

"Well, to make a long story short, we killed the snake and cut him open and my friend's horse tumbled out. We thought the horse was dead until he commenced to move and soon ran around all right and my friend rode him home."

Rich Copper Mines in Alaska. CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—P. B. Wear, a member of the North American Trading and Transportation company, who returned from the Klondike territory, said that copper has been discovered on the American side of the gold territory and the veins that have been discovered are so richly experienced miners express the belief that copper will make Alaska as good as gold has done before many years have gone by.

THE MEN, MAKING THEIR WAY TO THE NORTH

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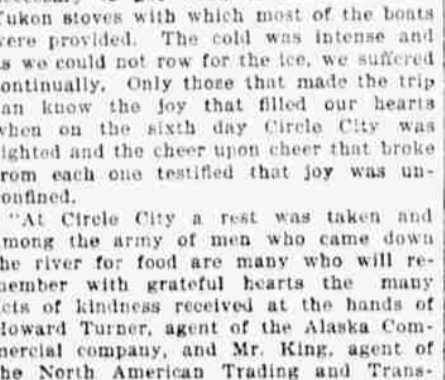
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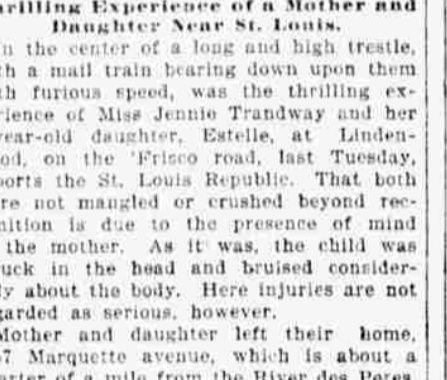
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