

LA BELLE NOT EATING

Appetite Has Entirely Deserted Him

Has Not Taken a Mouthful Since Friday Evening Just Before His Sentence.

Edward La Belle, the condemned murderer under sentence of death, has eaten scarcely a mouthful since last Friday evening when he was condemned to suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

The regular detail for the death watch was arranged Saturday and until he is led forth to his execution he will be constantly under the eyes of either Constable Brackall, Constable Macaulay or Constable Carter, the hours being four on and eight off.

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COUNCIL MEETING

Regular Session on Thursday is Probably Postponed.

Thursday next, November 6, is the regular day for the meeting of the Yukon council, but the chances are that the meeting will not assemble for the lack of anything particular to do.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—The transport Dix, which arrived from Manila several days ago, is to be retained in the service.

"Janette, I'm afraid you are a vain little wife. You gaze into your mirror so much."

Cholera Stricken Transport San Francisco, Oct. 10.—During the trip of the transport Sherman from Manila to this port, thirteen deaths occurred, among them that of Major Charles Bonestel, 23rd Infantry.

Billy: "Your dad has given up smokin', hasn't he?" Johnny: "Yes. How'd you know?" Billy: "I seen 'im kickin' the dog."

In Great Britain the yearly loss of wages through ill-health is about eleven millions sterling, and it is estimated that 46 per cent. of those who start in business fail. March is considered the slackest month for business.

The observatory at the summit of Mount Aetna, 9,076 feet above sea level, is stated to be the highest inhabited spot in Europe.

There are today in Canada some 9,000 cheese factories, with an annual aggregate output of 18,000,000 pounds of cheese, or an average of about 9,000 pounds per factory.

It costs on an average \$40 to put out a fire in London and \$138 to extinguish one in New York.

TOMORROW THE DAY

Nominations Must be Made by 2 O'clock.

Tomorrow, November 4, is nomination day and after 2 o'clock in the afternoon it will be definitely known who will be the aspirants for parliamentary honors.

Road Work Ended

The territorial road work for the year is all ended and the men engaged are all in with the exception of those on the Boucher creek trail and their arrival is anticipated almost any day.

Is Healthy

New York, Oct. 1.—Quarantine season against Cuban ports has been called off by Health Officer Doty.

Mr. Doty said: "At the outset of the season I felt that the great improvement in sanitation in Cuba warranted a relaxation of the rules in former years."

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"From official reports to me by Dr. Carlos Finley, the chief sanitary officer of Cuba, there are many reasons to believe that there have been no cases of yellow fever this summer that have originated there."

One More Favor

A young country squire, who had just returned from his 'Varsity proud of the only subject he had mastered—wrestling—came riding across a young ploughman in the fields, whom he condescendingly invited to have a bout with him.

"Can I do anything more for you, sir?" asked the ploughman.

"No-o, thanks, except you might throw my horse over now."

At a recent police-court sitting a man was fined forty shillings and costs for assaulting a policeman.

"And," were the concluding words of the professor's lecture to the medical students, "do not promise too much. I knew a physician of real ability who covered himself with ridicule and obloquy by promising a patient, whose legs he had just amputated, that he would have him on his feet within two weeks."

Special power of attorney forms to be at the Nugget office.

\$50 Reward Stolen Sunday, June 8th, one maltese dog, very dark grey, white breast, light chops, light grey stripe running from point of nose up between eyes, front legs white, hind feet white, extreme tip of tail white, curly light color, always carries tail curled over back or left side, nose very small like a fox or coon. I will pay the above reward for any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the thief and recovery of dog.

Answers to name of Prince. F. J. HEMEN. Klondike Nugget.

LA FRANCE COMING

Passed Selkirk at One O'Clock

Ice Running All Along the River. The Close up is a Question of Days Only.

The river is running heavily with ice today and the big drop in the thermometer has brought forward the belief that the close up will not be greatly behind that of last year—if any at all.

Reports have been received from a number of places up the river all going to show that the end of the open season is now a matter of days only.

The Hootaliqua is now spitting ice for the first time and the river at the upper end will rapidly choke up in consequence.

The steamer Crimmon, La France and Thistle are still on the river, and all are battling sturdily with the ice. The Crimmon and Thistle are both in Lake Le Barge while the La France with the incoming mail and several barges had reached Selkirk on her downward voyage at 1 p. m. today.

It is not likely under any circumstances that the river will again be clear of ice.

WINTER IS HERE

Below Zero for First Time This Winter.

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The thermometer went to zero last night, and Major Cutbert, who is new to the country, as soon as he got up this morning went to see Acting-Governor Major Wood about it.

Both May Resign

London, Oct. 2.—Negotiations concerning the Ausgleich or act of union between Austria and Hungary, have been proceeding for the last few days at Vienna between Austrian and Hungarian ministers and under the personal supervision of Emperor Francis Joseph.

New York, Oct. 1.—Members of the Board of Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, at a meeting here, have mapped out a campaign in the interests of temperance.

A general appeal will be made to hierarchies and clergy of the United States in behalf of total abstinence. Lecture bureaus will be established, and a new board, to be known as the national committee, will be selected from the most prominent temperance workers.

Flooding the Rink

The fire department was rung up this afternoon and took its hose cart to the new athletic building. It was not a case of fire but they coupled up the hose and in a short time flooded the two rinks. It is believed that tomorrow the association will have the finest skating surface ever seen in this city.

His Father—"You can't expect to do much peevish mit a man if his brices are reasonable." "Hey—" "You can't."

The Nugget's stock of job printing materials is the best that ever came to Dawson.

ROSS MEETING

There will be two Ross meetings tonight, one at the Ogilvie bridge and the other at 33 above on Bonanza. At both of these meetings there will be good speakers present and the issues of the campaign will be discussed in a straight-from-the-shoulder manner.

Tomorrow night there will be a grand demonstration at the A. B. hall to ratify Mr. Ross' nomination. This meeting will be fully as important as that of last Thursday and a big attendance is anticipated.

BEING TRANSCRIBED

Evidence in the La Belle Case Sent to Ottawa.

Court Stenographer George Craig is busily engaged today in transcribing the voluminous evidence taken in the La Belle case, a task that will occupy the greater part of a week as the testimony covers 350 pages of typewriting paper running three and a half folios to the page making a total of 122,500 words.

Rehearsal Tuesday Evening

A general rehearsal of the Dawson Amateur Operatic Society will be held in St. Andrews hall tomorrow evening (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock sharp. This will be the only rehearsal held this week on account of the Choral Society's concert on Thursday evening.

At one of the largest firms in Ireland, as most of the clerks reside in the suburbs, a certain amount of time is allowed for them arriving at the office in the morning.

One morning the first one to arrive wrote in the words as his excuse, "Wife ill, twins," and to the utter amazement of the chief the extraordinary explanation was promptly "dittoed" all the way down the list.

Stealing Firewood

A lady waited upon Mr. Justice Macaulay this morning and entered a suit against men who were cutting wood on No. 105 and 104 Bonanza and selling it. She had no lawyer, she said, and in fact she did not need one.

Limitations of the Rights of Miners May Come Up

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St. John, N. B., Oct. 5.—At Salmon river, St. John county, today Ernest Gilchrist, aged twelve, shot and killed his brother, aged eleven years. They were playing with a gun, and did not know it was loaded.

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RESIGNS POSITION

Will Enter Firm of Emil Stauff

T. D. Pattullo, After Three Years Service Leaves Gold Commissioner's Office.

The many friends of Mr. T. Dufferin Pattullo learned with regret on Saturday last that he had handed in his resignation as chief clerk of the gold commissioner's office, such to take effect on December 1. Contrary to the statement made in an unreliable morning paper that Mr. Pattullo had the step he has taken in contemplation for several months, the fact of the matter is that 48 hours before his resignation was in the hands of Acting Commissioner Major Wood he had no idea of leaving the service.

In the departure of Mr. Pattullo from the gold commissioner's office that department will lose its most efficient employe. No one has ever been connected with the office who has had more varied experience in the mining department or was more thoroughly conversant with its every detail.

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SWELL OVERCOATS OF THE SEASON

Are broad shouldered, rather loose fitting garments with vertical instead of straight pockets and small plain rounded cuffs. The fabrics from which these Coats are made are Principally of the Rough Faced Variety—such as Heavy Cheviots and Worsted - Vicuna in Oxford Gray, Cambridge Gray, Olive, Brown and Black. The acme of perfection and fashion are embodied in the Overcoats we are handling this season.

Prices Range From \$15 to \$35 We also have a full line of Fur-lined Coats with genuine Otter Collar and Cuffs; also Fur-trimmed Coats as well as all Fur garments. Prices Range From \$25 to \$150

HERSHBERG & CO., Clothiers and Furnishers

PHAETON REPLACED

At Esquimault by a Modern Ship

Special to the Daily Nugget. Victoria, Nov. 3.—The cruiser Phaeton has been replaced by the more modern Flora, and will leave Devonport for Esquimault on the eleventh instant.

The Cruiser Flora Which Takes Her Place is Now En Route.

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BAIL FORFEITED

Prominent Chicagoan Skips the Country.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Captain Edward Williams, identified with the bribery offences in connection with the Masonic Temple tax conspiracy, has disappeared and bail of \$12,500 has been forfeited. Fugitive warrants were issued.

Memorial Chapel.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Simsbury, Conn., Nov. 1.—Bishop Brewster today dedicated the memorial chapel at Westminster school, Simsbury, given by Secretary and Mrs. Hay in memory of their son, Adelbert.

HEAVY FORGERIES

Force Big Firm of Grain Dealers Into Bankruptcy.

Special to the Daily Nugget. New Orleans, Nov. 1.—F. J. Olden, one of the largest grain exporters in the United States, announces that his firm, having headquarters at New Orleans, has been forced into liquidation. Forgeries aggregating \$175,000 are said to have brought about the firm's predicament.

Fatal Injuries

Special to the Daily Nugget. Stoney Mountain, Man., Nov. 1.—M. Williams received fatal injuries as the result of an accidental explosion at Stoney Mountain.

The Great Northern "FLYER" LEAVES SEATTLE FOR ST. PAUL EVERY DAY AT 8:00 P. M. A Solid Vestibule Train With All Modern Equipments. For further particulars and folders address the GENERAL OFFICE - SEATTLE, WASH.

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