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DAWSON, Y. T., THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1901

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TO SHELVE BULLER

He Has Been Offered Command of British Troops in North America

WHICH POSITION IS NOW VACANT.

George Q. Cannon, Famous Mormon Apostle, Dead.

CHINESE CLAIMS VERY LARGE.

Amounting to Three Hundred Million Dollars—Not Able to Pay—Aguinaldo's Acts Cause Comment.

Halifax, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—An attempt has been made to force Gen. Buller by offering him the command of the British troops in North America, which position is now

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vacant. It is not known whether or not the offer will be accepted.

Mormon Apostle Dead.

Monterey, Cal., April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—George Q. Cannon, the famous apostle of the Mormon church, is dead, aged 69 years.

Gold Bars Recovered.

Bremen, April 12, via Skagway, April 18.—The gold bars valued at \$16,000 and supposed to have been stolen from the vessel Kaiser Wilhelm de Grosse, were found by the steamer's steward where they had been hidden behind a cornice.

Heavy Chinese Claims.

Washington, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—The Chinese indemnity claims submitted by all the powers aggregate \$300,000,000. The state department thinks the amount should not have exceeded \$200,000,000 for even that is more than China will have ability to pay. The claim of the United States is \$25,000,000. While the amount is not stated, Britain's claim is said to be comparatively reasonable.

Aguinaldo's Game.

New York, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—Aguinaldo's delay in issuing a manifesto advising general surrender of the Filipinos is causing a great deal of comment.

SATURDAY NIGHT

Another Jollification Will be Enjoyed at the Zero Club.

The Zero Club will entertain next Saturday night. All members are allowed to invite one friend and as the club list is now more than 100 and as every member who is in Dawson will attend, a large gathering is looked for. Commissioner Reas, by virtue of his position, is an honorary member of the club, consequently on this occasion he will be tendered an informal reception as it is understood he will be present. The Zero Club is now the only gentleman's club in Dawson, the Regina being a thing of the past.

Family Night.

This is family night at the Standard theater and the play which will be presented, "My Partner," is one of the best yet produced by the management of this popular resort. Seats should be secured early as "standing room only" will be the apportionment of late arrivals without seats.

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PURSUED 25 YEARS

After Which He is Acquitted of Charge of Plunder.

Evanston, Wyo., April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—Harry Lyons, alias Harry Teer, has been acquitted after a most sensational trial of the charge of murdering John Wheeling 25 years ago, since which time and until his capture a short time ago Lyons has been chased all over the globe. The account of his travels, as related by himself on the witness stand, is more strange than fiction. The verdict of not guilty meets general approval.

Last Stage Billed.

Skagway, April 18.—It is officially announced that the last stage of the season will leave Whitehorse for Dawson on Saturday the 20th.

ONE YEAR FOR ROSENFELD.

Increased His Time by Being Over-Fresh in Court.

Less than an hour was consumed in Judge Dugas' court this morning in the trial, conviction and sentence to one year at hard labor of Jacob Rosenfeld on the charge of having on the 14th of last month obtained from Mrs. Mary E. Scott of the Stockholm baths \$50 on various false representations, one of which was that he was a brother of Uncle Hoffman, another that he owned several stores in town; that he had plenty of money at the Bank of B. N. A., and that at that particular time, which was after banking hours, he needed the amount obtained to treat "some prominent peezees unt professional men," who had carried him around on a silver salver the previous night.

On these representations Mrs. Scott had accommodated him with a loan of \$50 until the following day, but later developments had proven Rosenfeld, alias "Uncle Joe Hoffman," to be a fraud and a bilk.

The evidence of the prosecution was of a most convicting nature and to which Rosenfeld only attempted to reply by making a broad statement defamatory to the character of the principal witness who then and there branded it as a malicious lie. The prominent men with whom the prisoner claimed to have hob-nobbed testified that they did not even know him.

In passing sentence Judge Dugas said it had been in his mind after hearing the very incriminating evidence to give the prisoner six months, but in view of the fact that he, in addition to having been proven a rascal had, by the charge made by himself also proven him to be malicious and a coward, he would sentence him to a period of one year at hard labor.

So far as baths of the Stockholm variety are concerned, "Uncle Joe" will not indulge in any for some time to come.

Pitched Battle.

Gillett, Col., April 3.—A pitched battle occurred between City Marshal McBeth and two masked holdups in which Albert Tilsdale, one of the hold-ups, was killed, his partner, whose name is unknown, wounded, and McBeth slightly injured. The two men after holding up a saloon, retreated to the door, while firing their revolvers.

McBeth heard the firing and ran through the back door of the saloon and began firing. The robbers returned the fire which lasted several minutes. Tilsdale was shot through the body and died shortly afterward. His partner escaped with a ball in his shoulder.

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JIM HILL EXPANDING

Will Spend \$100,000,000 in Improvements This Year.

St. Paul, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—It is officially announced that the Great Northern Ry. Co. will spend \$100,000,000 this year in bettering its condition and reaching out for increased business. Seattle will be made the terminus of the China Mutual Steamship line, steamers for which are now being constructed.

Johnson Declines.

Indianapolis, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—Tom L. Johnson, a millionaire of the Henry George school of ideas, has declined the nomination tendered him by the Single Taxers for the presidency in 1904.

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ANOTHER ALASKA FLEET

Millionaire Lyman C. Smith to Enter the Field.

Seattle, April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—Millionaire Lyman C. Smith of Syracuse, has incorporated a company with a cash operating capital of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of putting on a line of steamers between Seattle and the Hawaiian islands; also another line between Seattle and Alaskan points.

Not Mentioned in Papers.

Skagway, April 18.—No mention is found in outside papers of Sharkey's challenge or acceptance to meet Slavin in Dawson.

The Easter Recess.

London, April 3.—Parliament has risen for the Easter recess after a session more satisfactory to the opposition than to the government. The record of business is meagre, but that is a small matter in comparison, but that is lack of energy and judgment with which the house of commons has been led.

The continuance of Lord Salisbury in power for many weeks is doubted by some of the most experienced parliamentary heads. There are rumors that he has sought to offer his resignation before his departure for Beaulieu and that A. J. Balfour would be found in the upper house when parliament re-assembles. Another version is that nothing will be done for a fortnight, and that Lord Salisbury may consent to remain in office until the close of the session if his health improves in the Riviera.

There was no lack of gossip in the smoking room of the house of commons during the closing hours, but the only points on which there was a general agreement were that the government had been on a downward grade since the king's speech was read and that a stronger leader than Mr. Balfour was needed in the commons.

Notice, Banquet Committee.

All members of the banquet committee who have not as yet turned in their account for the sale of tickets are requested to report at once to J. F. McLennan, chairman of the finance committee. A meeting is called for the general committee tomorrow at 5 p. m. at the Board of Trade rooms, when the reports of sub-committees will be received and the business wound up.

Sunday dinners particularly excellent at McDonald's Cafe.

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KENTUCKY BLOOD

Copiously Spilled in Fight Between Sheriff's Posse and Desperadoes

ON MOUNTAIN TOP NEAR WHITESBURG

Gang Had Robbed and Murdered Woman and Son.

THREE HUNDRED SHOTS FIRED

Government Troops Ordered Out, But Not Needed—Firing Heard Twelve Miles Away.

Whitesburg, Ky., April 13, via Skagway, April 18.—Two men are dead and two wounded as the result of a pitched battle fought today between Sheriff Wright and a strong posse of deputies and five desperadoes on a mountain top near this place and where the gang had fortified itself. The desperadoes had robbed and murdered Mrs. Jennie Hull and son, after which they burned both bodies by firing the house.

In the battle which was heard twelve miles away three hundred shots were fired. Young Wright, one of the killed and a nephew of the sheriff, joined the posse a month ago to avenge the death of his father who is supposed to have been murdered by the same gang. The other man killed was Isaac Millard. The entire gang was captured and is now in jail. There is strong talk of wholesale lynching but the sheriff and his posse will make every effort to protect the prisoners.

When the firing on the mountain was heard in the valley below it was feared the posse had been defeated and a message was sent to the governor at Frankfort asking for troops which were at once dispatched but whose services were not required.

(Whitesburg, Ky., is in the Cumberland mountains about 100 miles north from Chattanooga, Tenn., and near the line of the Cincinnati Southern railroad. It was in the same locality that the notorious Taylor brothers surprised and murdered a sheriff and his entire posse, 10 all six men, the night of September 13th, 1882, on which eventful night the writer who was detained in the mountains by a railroad wreck within four miles of where the battle was fought distinctly heard the firing.)

Proposed Bench Show.

A public meeting is called for tonight at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the Board of Trade to discuss the particulars of the proposed bench show. The committee will be present and cordially invites all interested in this matter to be present tonight and give their moral support to the enterprise and assist in making it a success.

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