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WELL KNOWN IN DAWSON

Mrs. Blake, Who Proposed Establishing a Home for Miners in This City, Found Dead—Was a Bride of One Week. Had Unfortunate Experience.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Vancouver, March 3.—Mrs. Blake, who spent some time in the Yukon in connection with a chimerical scheme for the establishment of a miners' home, was married last Tuesday to Wm. Gowdy, a rancher of Ladner. Yesterday the bride was found dead. It is alleged of heart disease, though a coroner's jury is investigating.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY

Receiving Attention of City Council

And Board of Control—Delegation to Wait on Yukon Council.

The erection and maintenance of the Carnegie library building is now a live subject with the city council as well as the board of control of the present library.

At the meeting of the council a week ago a delegation from the council consisting of his worship Mayor McLennan, Alderman Johnson and City Attorney Donaghy, with the addition of Mr. R. W. Shannon, president of the board of control of the public library, was named to wait upon the Yukon council to ascertain to what extent the council will assist in the furnishing and maintenance of the library.

The present appropriation from the Yukon council is \$2500 and a like amount is granted by the city council for the support of the present library. This amount is barely sufficient to defray expenses of the present library and it is considered to be far below the estimated cost of stocking and maintaining the new building when completed.

The delegation will wait on the Yukon council at its first meeting. No scheme of organization for the new library has as yet been formed and the probabilities are that it will be some time before any plans are formulated. The city council has the matter in hand and a member of the council told a representative of the Nugget a few days ago that a special committee would be appointed from the council to superintend the erection of the building. After the building is completed then the matter of organization will be taken up.

The board of control of the present library have received from Vancouver the gist of a bylaw being passed for the organization of the Carnegie library at that place and yesterday afternoon held a meeting to discuss the matter. It was decided to take no action until the arrival of further information on the subject from Vancouver and Victoria, both of which cities have a Carnegie library and are at the present time engaged in the formulation of schemes for their organization.

Library Concert Tonight

The Free Public Library will give a free concert at the library building tonight. This concert promises to be one of the best of its kind given in Dawson this winter and it is sure to have a large attendance. There will be quite a lengthy program, those taking part being numbered among Dawson's leading entertainers.

Admission is entirely free but a collection will be taken simply to defray the expenses incident to the concert.

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IS CONFIRMED Hon. F. T. Congdon is Now Governor.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Ottawa, March 3.—The appointment of Hon. Fred T. Congdon as Yukon Commissioner has been confirmed. Mr. Congdon will leave for Dawson at once.

All Strike Chicago—March 3.—All union employes of the Chicago gas companies are on strike.

CHARTER AMENDED

Such is the Desire of the City Council

Will Ask the Yukon Council to Make Certain Alterations Outlined.

There are several amendments to the city charter that are desired by the present council and the members propose at an early date to confer with the members of the Yukon council with a view toward getting their ideas upon the matter. The question was brought up at the council meeting last night upon a motion by Ryan which also incorporated the changes that were desired. The motion was to the effect that the members of the council constitute themselves a special committee on legislation for the purpose of considering the desired amendments to the Dawson city charter and the assessment act, and special amendments along the lines that were laid out. The following are the points touched upon by the motion though before the meeting is arranged it is likely that others will be added.

- 1. Providing for an appeal from the assessment appeal court to a judge of the territorial court.
2. Providing for the entry upon the assessment roll by the assessor at the time of making the assessment the nationality of the person assessed.
3. Providing for the printing and publication of the voters' list for the city both before and after the revision of the same.
4. Providing for an appeal from the court of revision of the voters' list to a judge of the territorial court.
5. Reducing the amount of income exempt from assessment from \$2000 to \$1000.
6. Providing that resident lease holders in the city, being British subjects paying a rental of not less than \$250 per annum be qualified to vote at an election of mayor and aldermen.
7. Providing that the ballot paper for the election of mayor be a separate paper from that for the election of aldermen.
And that this committee do report to this council and draft a memorial to the Yukon council embodying the legislation desired.
The date of the proposed conference with the Yukon council has not as yet been determined, much depending upon the date of the next meeting of the territorial body. In the event of no meeting being called for some time the members of the city council will endeavor to meet such members of the Yukon council as are at present in the city and talk over the matter informally with them. There is but little doubt but that the Yukon council will accede to the desires of the city fathers with reference to the amendments desired.

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POPE'S JUBILEE

Attended With Great Eclat in Rome

Special to the Daily Nugget. Rome, March 3.—Pope Leo's jubilee was celebrated with great eclat at Rome today. Seventy thousand people attended the picturesque and impressive ceremonies.

INSURANCE COMPANIES

Robbed of Enormous Sums of Money

Records of Deaths Are Falsified. Frauds to the Amount of \$1,000,000.

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, March 3.—Falsification of death records in the Bureau of Vital Statistics has enabled a million dollars to be fraudulently collected from insurance companies. An investigation has been ordered.

DIED OF DIPHTHERIA

Rossland Hero Succumbs at Spokane

Gained Fame by Throwing His Arms Into Cogwheels and Stopping a Windlass

Special to the Daily Nugget. Spokane, March 3.—James Harnsworth, a Rossland mining man, who won fame and a Royal Humane Society medal by stopping a runaway windlass by throwing his arm in the cogs, died yesterday at Spokane of diphtheria.

AMERICAN DENTIST

Has Been Ordered to Leave Saxony

Alleged to Have Had Improper Relations With Former Crown Princess.

Special to the Daily Nugget. New York, March 3.—It is reported that L. A. O'Brien, an American dentist, has been ordered to leave Saxony on account of alleged improper relations with former Crown Princess Louise. The princess is now at Lindau and is expecting the birth of a child.

GEN. BOOTH.

Plans Established of International University

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, March 3.—General Booth plans the establishment of an international university for the training of rescuers of humanity.

Offer Declined London, March 3.—Great Britain has declined to buy the proffered Chilean and Argentine warships.

ESCAPED FROM JAIL

Grand Larceny Prisoner Gains Freedom

Sheriff's Wife Prevents Jail Delivery at the Point of a Revolver

Special to the Daily Nugget. Olympia, March 3.—Chas. F. Benson, a grand larceny prisoner, escaped from the Olympia jail after killing Jailor Morell. Mrs. Jesse Mills, wife of the sheriff, with a revolver prevented a general delivery of prisoners.

SULPHUR IS LIVELY

Operations Progressing Favorably

Ronald Morrison Finds Good Pay on New Claim—Miners Are Doing Well.

Ronald Morrison has prospected No. 35 below on Sulphur with very satisfactory results. This claim is one of Mr. Morrison's recent purchases and up to this winter no work of any kind had been done on it. The outcome of prospecting so far shows a large body of pay dirt which pans from 47 cents in the gravel to one dollar on bedrock. Mr. Morrison has proved himself to be one of the best miners in the country, having had a long and successful experience in Colorado. Right here on Sulphur creek he has worked ground that averaged only one and a half cents to the pan and realized therefrom a net profit that is surprising. At a time, too, when the cost of provisions, fuel and labor—Mr. Morrison always pays the highest wages—was far in excess of what it is now, and the pernicious royalty tax had to be paid. But Mr. Morrison is a miner and there is of his wide experience but a small number in the Yukon.

On 64 below Messrs. Leblanc and Boude have drifted from the bottom of a thirty-five foot shaft a distance of forty feet toward the left limit and have found good pay all the way. This pay dirt is several feet deep. These enterprising boys have decided to secure a plant at once and continue their successful operations. They have no idea how far they may yet have to drift before the breadth of this immense pay streak is determined.

A. Miller is working 39 below. He has large dumps and fair pay. This claim is owned by Mrs. Anteau. On 124 below James Meece has been working all winter with four men. He has a good plant in operation. His dirt averages well and he has decided to continue the work through the summer with a larger force of men.

Both 32 and 53 below are proving banner claims. Mohr & Coy on 33 have a good plant in operation with four men working faithfully and have out as good-sized dumps as can be found on the lower end.

In the eighties below, where Mr. Corium and others have been prospecting, enough work has been done to determine that this part of the creek has a very wide body of fair average pay dirt, in many places as deep as seven feet. Similar results have been obtained in the nineties below.

As far as Lower Sulphur is concerned there remains not the shadow of a doubt that it will yet be one of the great gold producers of this country. Its destiny is as inevitably fixed as the star that beckons northward the steady march of civilization.

BIG FIRE.

Portland Firms Are the Heavy Losers

Special to the Daily Nugget. Portland, Ore., March 3.—A hundred and fifty thousand dollar fire occurred in this city this morning. Lipman, Wolfe & Co. and T. Kum & Co. are the principal losers.

MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION

Charged Against Carrie Nation

Special to the Daily Nugget. San Francisco, March 3.—Carrie Nation has been arrested in San Francisco for malicious destruction of property on complaint of a saloon keeper in whose premises she broke a bottle of whisky.

PROVINCIAL ASSOCIATION

Adopts a Resolution of Much Importance

Special to the Daily Nugget. Victoria, March 3.—The Provincial Miners Association unanimously advocates issuing crown grants for placer claims instead of leases. They have also named a committee to mediate in the Fernie strike, the government to pay the expenses involved.

GOVERNMENT OF FRANCE

Will be Well Represented at St. Louis

Special to the Daily Nugget. Paris, March 3.—The French government has promised an adequate national representation at the St. Louis fair. Many souvenirs of Napoleon will be sent. Automobiles will monopolize the manufactures exhibit.

CASE ENLARGED

Wm. Greeniel to Prepare Statement of Accounts

Wm. Greeniel was put upon his preliminary hearing before Mr. Justice Macaulay in the police court this morning on the complaint sworn out by Louis Briere, charging Greeniel with having defrauded Briere out of cigars to the amount of \$260.

Greeniel is a commission broker and had taken the cigars from Briere to sell in commission. Greeniel had sold the cigars but had failed to refund the price of them to Briere. The defendant said that he had sold the goods on credit and had not received the money. He was willing to make out a statement of the accounts and to assign them in favor of the informant.

The justice adjourned the case for a week and ordered Greeniel to make out his statement and have it in court at the end of that time.

CONGRESS WILL ADJOURN.

Session Expires by Limitation Tomorrow. Both Houses to Sit Continuously Until Important Legislation Has Been All Completed.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Washington, March 3.—Congress expires by limitation tomorrow. Both houses will sit continuously from nine tonight until nine Wednesday morning to finish bills under consideration. The Panama Canal Co. has formally accepted the U. S. proposal for an extension of the option. It therefore does not matter whether congress ratifies the treaty or not.

HAS SURRENDERED

Gen. Regalado Hands Over Salvador Presidency

Special to the Daily Nugget. San Salvador, March 3.—General Regalado has surrendered the presidency of Salvador to Gen. Pascaon, who was elected Feb. 19th. It was the first peaceful change of administration in fifty years.

REPAIRING THE ROAD

Force of Men at Work on the Klondike

Special to the Daily Nugget. Washington, March 3.—The Alaska boundary treaty was ratified this morning.

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Alderman Lalonde, chairman of the standing committee on works, streets and property, announced to the members of the city council last night that in accordance with the power that had been granted his committee by the council they had begun the work of repairing the road leading around the bluff to the Ogilvie bridge where the same had been eaten away last summer by the high water of the Klondike. A force of fifteen men under the direction of Dan McLennan began work yesterday morning and just as fast as more men can be employed to an advantage the force will be increased, it being the intention of the committee to have the work completed before the ice goes out and any possible damage can be done by the rapid rise of the water.

A contract has been entered into for sufficient lumber to construct 1600 linear feet of cribbing having a face of from 20 to 30 feet, and 1/2 cords of long wood have also been arranged for to be used in constructing ties. A blacksmith has been engaged to sharpen tools and cut spikes and the work will be prosecuted with as much vigor as is possible.

At the time the question of repairing the road first came before the council it was suggested by one of the members that if the territorial council were approached in the proper manner some very substantial assistance might be anticipated from that quarter. It is understood that Acting Commissioner Wood has already been sounded on the question and while he has not committed himself absolutely there is little or no doubt whatsoever but that the territory will come off liberally in defraying the expenses. The road is the only outlet from the city to the creeks and as such is much more used by the territorial residents than by those strictly residing within the limits of the city.

The work is being entirely done by day's labor and a rough estimate of the cost placed it at \$3000.

GEO. DICK IS GUILTY

Convicted of Stealing Diamonds

Jury Required Only Few Moments to Reach Decision—Sentence Tomorrow.

George Dick has been found guilty of the theft of a diamond ring from the residence of R. A. Kalenborn and it required the jury but five minutes to come to a decision. The case was called this morning at 11 o'clock and by the hour of adjournment the evidence was all in with the partial exception of one witness.

The jury was quickly empanelled, the crown exhausting four challenges, excusing Frank Tills, T. Ross Moulton, J. A. Donald and F. S. Long. The jury selected consisted of W. S. Gibson, J. E. Bergman, Frank G. Cameron, S. W. H. Smith, F. G. Bheker, and Robert Moncrief.

The charge was read to the jury and Crown Prosecutor Patallo followed with a short address reviewing the case and stating the facts connecting the prisoner with the charge which the crown expected to be able to prove. On the evening of the theft Mrs. Kalenborn had gone to the skating rink leaving her jewelry at home in a purse concealed beneath a handkerchief case lying on top of a folding bed. She returned about 11 o'clock, but did not discover her loss until the following day at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. Kalenborn was the first witness. Resides at 216 Third avenue and is the wife of Rudolf Alexis Kalenborn. Ring was handed to witness and after careful examination was positive in her identification of it. Had been given her a year ago last August by her then fiancé and was a betrothal ring. Witness then the ring on her finger and described minutely the way in which the identification was made. The evidence was not shaken in the least in the cross examination.

R. A. Kalenborn was likewise positive in his identification of the ring. First saw it in August of 1901 when he had purchased it from J. L. Sale as an engagement ring for his fiancée at a cost of \$250. The stone weighs exactly two carats and was ordered especially by Mr. Sale from the importer for the witness. Mrs. Kalenborn had worn the ring continuously from the date of its presentation to the night of its disappearance.

John L. Sale has had 17 years experience in the jewelry and diamond business. Sent for the stone for Mr. Kalenborn and the ring, was made in witness' shop. Positive as to its identification as upon its arrival witness had examined it very carefully with a glass. Stone was sweet and had been set and the ring made by Adolf Soliman, a workman in the shop of witness. Expert witness was given as to the manner in which the brilliant had been cut, the manner in which the ring had been made and the stone set so that identification was complete. The value of the stone was \$275. Mr. Kalenborn had paid for it \$242.50.

Adolf Soliman, the maker of the ring, was likewise positive as to the identity of his workmanship and gave expert evidence to that effect. Dick took the stand in his own behalf and swore that the ring had been given him by Flossie D'Ately on Christmas, '99, at the time he begs a number of the town station. He followed the various fortunes of the ring for the past three years and told quite a good story, but the jury evidently placed but little credence in it. Dick will come up for sentence tomorrow morning.