## ils Of Wreck

ked Crew of the Alpha Reached Vancouver by Str. Joan.

the Splendid Bravery derson, the Quarter. master.

odies Recovered From k Are Again Lost in the Sea.

Dec. 21.—The shipwrecked steamer Alpha arrived in oday on the steamer Joan in a destitute condition and offering from the effects

le experience.

n, one of the wrecked crew, mping it around the world ney that he might write a experiences, gave the followicane; the rain was flying in eets. At 6:15 Captain York, what seemed like a presented all hands in the engine and by. At 6:30 the Japanese orted light ahead, starboard

Wilkinson and two others were ge and two quartermasters wheel. The Jananese again is a lighthouse. Then Caprain and to get rattled at the thought and tanger, and shouted hard to the immediately hard to port e several confusing orders. his was the cause of the boat answer her helm, I could not last the command came to engines, but it was too late, with terrific force, and every-a wild rush for the deck. e Japs intense excitement pre-ne whites were mostly cool. of the sea was terrific and broke

to be lowered over the star-This was done; he hung to w. This was done; he hung to
of the anchor a minute, then
o the darkness. Immediately a
ve rolled over where he had disand all thought him drownes.
aint cry was heard. It was Anwho had made the rocks above
tugging at the line. He got it
nd held it taut. The first to go
vas Ernest Gough, late editor of
kan Miner. The line was then

hung to the line and slowly made ay to the rocks. When 26 had they urged the nine men still to the rigging to cross on the life ut those on board seemed afraid it. Mr. Sam Barber started to go went a short distance and then back. The 26 men spent the the lighthouse. In the morning out the smokestack and masts of were above water.

p were above water. he following day at 1 in the after-Hornby Island was reached, and rd brothers living there loaned cht to the shipwrecked crew, who goodbye to kindhearted Wm. Mc-Jap Bay they were hailed and the bodies of three men. The were those of Purser Barber, Engineer Murray and McKay, a The following morning the ent to Denman's Island for the Misfortune, however, followed at and second officers, who were ng the launch, for in attempting the boat containing the bodies, set her, and the bodies sank, and ared will never be recovered.

URDERER CONFESSES.

lled a Widow and Her Young Son

gton, Ky., Dec. 21.—Samuel Vanagton, Ky., Dec. 21.—samuel vanday confessed to the murder and of Mrs. Mina Hall, a widow, and year-old son Charles, at the mounmlet of Boone's Fork, on Novemh last. Vanover lived at the Hall in last. Vanover fived at the rain and on his testimony Solomon and Fleming were arrested, indicted rder and narrowly escaped lynch-anover had \$400, part of the property of his crime, sewed in his clothes be confessed.

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Taylor vs. Jensen is a case arising out of a \$234 J. & J. Taylor safe. This particular money-box had travelled around quite a lot. Messrs, J. W. Sinclair, Andernach and others had kept their treasures in it before it reached their treasures in it before it reached the Dawson hotel, where Mr. Jensen took it over with the other fittings and furnishings of the house. Under this

conditional sale contract the safe company's agent is now attempting to re-

Decidination is included that the following the following

anxious. She had but one dory, manned by Messrs. Hansen and Jackson, both of

New Westminster, and the bad weather of the past fortnight would probably stop her fishing. The coast up there offers abundance of good coves for anchorage, and in one of these it is hoped that the little steamer has found shelter from the severe storms that have



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# having been sold should, in the opinion of some of the returned Klondikers, give an impetus to prospecting. The crown sales in Dawson, but recently concluded, brought \$60,000, and for this 13,000 receipts \$60,000, and for this 13,000 receipts \$60,000.