

# DAWSON IS ALREADY INCORPORATED

## The Voters Have Only to Determine Which Form of Government They Prefer—The Coming Election Will Not Decide For or Against Incorporation, but Will Simply Determine Whether the Taxpayers Are in Favor of an Elective Mayor and Council or a Commission Appointed by the Governor of the Territory—In Either Case the Incorporation Ordinance Will Not Be Affected Business Men, Property Owners and Wage Earners Favor Appointive Commission.

A strong effort has been made by the so-called incorporation committee to create the impression that the voters will be called upon at the election which is to occur on Jan. 9, Dawson is to all intents and purposes to decide for or against the incorporation ordinance. They are seeking by every means within their power to lead the tax-payers to the belief that in order to secure incorporation they must decide in favor of an elective mayor and council. Their argument is that if the voters determine to place the control of affairs in the hands of an appointed commission, that the commissioners so appointed will not be restricted by the incorporation ordinance and when that mayor or council or whether the voters prefer to leave the matter in the hands of a commission to be appointed by the governor. Should the latter alternative be determined upon, the commissioners who will be appointed will be given the same powers as will be enjoyed by the mayor and council if a decision in favor of that style of government is reached. A more definite understanding of the situation is reached among the taxpayers they are relying to the support of the commission idea.

### AFFECTING REPRESENTATION

#### Of Crown Claims Bought at Auction a Year Ago.

#### Time Has Been Extended to One Year After Approval and Filing of the Official Survey.

From Saturday's to Monday's Daily. An order in council has recently been received from Ottawa which will have the effect of setting at rest the minds of a great many people who have been anxious to know the result of the public auction of such land July 1, 1902. At the time of the sale an order in council was issued by the government which was such as to provide that the land which had been purchased at the public auction should be surveyed and the survey should be completed within a certain period of time. The order in council provided that the survey should be completed within a certain period of time. The order in council provided that the survey should be completed within a certain period of time.

### DAWSON AND BOSTON EQUAL

#### That Both Will Witness Same Drama Next Week.

#### "Arizona" Delights New Yorkers for 35 Consecutive Weeks Will Cast Local Company.

From Saturday and Monday's Daily. "The return of the conqueror" is the very proper phrase in which is announced the return to the Tremont Theatre for a month, beginning Monday, Dec. 2, of Augustus Thomas' excellent American drama, "Arizona." For "Arizona" has surely won the laurels not only in Boston, where it delighted crowded houses for four weeks before last, but in New York, in which it has achieved two separate "runs" aggregating 35 weeks almost within the year.

"Arizona" is buoyantly and enthusiastically American, wonderfully human in motive, tone and characterization. Its scenes are laid in the picturesque Southwest, and the people are hearty, healthy, wholesome and of that breezy section of the national domain.—Boston Herald, Nov. 24.

The people of Dawson will next week be permitted to enjoy the same entertainment that will delight Bostonians at the same time, as Manager Bitner will present the famous drama at the Auditorium each night. There are sixteen people in the cast and so far as presentation of the play is concerned it will equal that in "Burrville." For one week, at least, Dawson will be the equal of the eastern city.

#### Will Not Affect Canada.

Montreal, Nov. 15.—"The spirit of the day in the United States appears to be consolidation," said Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific today, speaking of the big railway deal.

"With what object?" "For the purpose of regulating rates and of securing the operation of the railroad properties involved on what is considered a more economical basis."

"Will it affect Canada?" "No, why should it?" "Or the Canadian Pacific Railway?" "There is no reason why it should have any effect upon the Canadian Pacific, our methods and motives are quite different from those covering the properties involved in the consolidation."

"Will it have a beneficial effect?" "If the objects are attained of economizing management and of establishing stability in rates, it will be beneficial. I don't think there is anything else to be said about it, the objects are very fully explained in the dispatch."

The views of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy were, to a certain extent, endorsed by Mr. J. E. Dalrymple, assistant to the general manager of the Grand Trunk railway.

"There is not very much to be said on the subject," said Mr. Dalrymple, "except that the community of interests idea seems to be becoming very popular with the railroads of the United States."

"What is the object?" "Economizing the revenues of the lines interested."

"Will it be beneficial in your opinion?" "Certainly if it can bring about stability of rates. If such were the result, it would be welcomed by the Grand Trunk."

"Will it affect Canada?" "It will only affect Canadian railroads in haulage of American traffic. It will be a good thing for them to a certain extent, if the result of the various combinations brings about a better state of affairs in the matter of rates. Then the Canadian lines will enjoy the proportion of the increased revenue from their haulage of American traffic."

Scott's Co. cert. The tickets for the Scotch concert to be held in St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening next, are going off with great rapidity, and a crowded house is already assured. Mr. Seare has spared no pains in making the programme to be submitted one of the most attractive ever presented to a Dawson audience, and there will not be a dull moment the whole evening. A special feature will be the introduction of one of Edison's latest improved phonographs. The male quartette which appears earlier in the evening will sing into the instrument in the presence of the audience, and the record thus secured will be immediately re-produced. Tickets for the concert may be obtained at Orling & Rogers, J. P. McLennan's, D. Milne's, Reid & Co's, or the stamp window at the post-office. The price has been fixed at one dollar.

### HOBSON GETS THE CLAIM

#### While Anderson Gets What is Left and Pays Costs.

A decision has just been handed down by Gold Commissioner Speller involving the title to some claims on the right fork of Last Chance which were recently re-located. The plaintiff in the action was Thomas G. Anderson, the defendants being M. Lapstrom and H. Hobson. The gold commissioner's decision is as follows:

"It appears from the evidence that the defendant Anderson staked 250 feet adjoining the lower end of claim No. 15 on the right fork of Last Chance creek upon the 10th day of May last, between 8 and 11 o'clock in the afternoon, and applied for record upon the 17th day of May."

"The defendant Lapstrom staked the ground that he describes as No. 14 on the right fork of Last Chance on the 10th day of May at about 12.30 in the afternoon. He states his lower post was about 250 feet from the upper post of claim No. 12."

"The defendant Hobson staked what he describes as the upper half of claim No. 13 on the right fork of Last Chance on the 7th day of May last and applied for record on the 10th day of May. He states in his evidence that his lower stake was about 250 feet from the upper stake of claim No. 12, evidently covering the same ground as the defendant Lapstrom."

"I must hold, however, that the latter stake must be dismissed with costs. Mr. Hobson is entitled to that portion of the claim located by him allowed him by the regulations, namely 250 feet, provided he staked that amount. If there is any ground lying between the Hobson location and claim No. 12 that is covered by the staves of the defendant Lapstrom and defendant is entitled to a grant for said ground. And if any of the ground between the Hobson claim and claim No. 12 is within the location of either of the defendants within the location posts of the plaintiff, he is entitled to a grant for and ground."

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#### Jury Disagreed.

New York, Dec. 6.—Herman Treutz, 18 years old, has been placed in jail in the Richmond county court at Richmond on an indictment charging him with manslaughter in that he was responsible for and aided in the death of Ida Dupuy, 16 years of age, his sweetheart. The jury disagreed and was discharged. It is not likely that he will be tried again.

Treutz and the girl were in love and wanted to be married. This was forbidden because of their ages. On July 22 they left their home in Freshkills, Richmond borough and spent that afternoon and evening at Midland beach.

There their money became exhausted and they feared to go home. In their plight they went to the fishing and oyster sloop James K. Park, belonging to Austin Dupuy, father of the girl. They were found there late in the night of July 31. Both were wounded and the girl's wounds were mortal. Treutz, on the stand said he was not in the cabin when the girl shot herself.

About dark he went on the deck for a smoke. He was there about five minutes when he heard a shot in the cabin and dropping down found the girl with a bullet hole in her neck. He did not know whether she committed suicide or shot herself accidentally.

#### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Regina Hotel, Dec. 27th.—Mrs. Margaret Selix, Dawson, A. S. Goldsmith, Grand Forks, A. E. Pretty, Grand Forks.



WHERE THE GOVERNMENT PATRONAGE REALLY GOES, THE SUN GETS ONLY THE TAILINGS.

### THEY WERE SURROUNDED, DR. BROWNE INTERVIEWED, THEY RUSHED AND DANCED

#### Six British Soldiers Killed and Several Wounded.

London, Nov. 15.—A British soldier, Lord Kitchener's aide, has been killed today in a battle with the Boers. The Boers were surprised by the British troops on the 14th of November at a place near the Orange River Colony. The British troops were surprised by the Boers on the 14th of November at a place near the Orange River Colony. The British troops were surprised by the Boers on the 14th of November at a place near the Orange River Colony.

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#### Famous Clambake.

The good old-fashioned clambake has long before Christopher Columbus set sail this way it was a popular dish in this country. It was certainly on the bill of fare during the stone age.

Recent investigations of peculiar life in the shape of sea shells along the Massachusetts coast have developed an interesting fact that each mound marks the spot where a clambake was held in the days of long ago.

The contents of each mound consisted of all descriptions of game, fowl, fish, and other food. The clambake was a popular dish in this country. It was certainly on the bill of fare during the stone age.

### THEY KNEW ALL ABOUT IT

#### The Skewey Conspiracy Was Not a Secret to Ottawa.

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