

## NEVINS VS. BULYEA ET AL.

Decided By Gold Commissioner Senkler This Morning.

Three Protest Cases Were Instituted Today, Which Involve Title to Valuable Claims.

Commissioner Senkler has decided the case of Nevins vs. Smith and Bulyea. The property affected is the hillside, left limit, opposite the upper half of 3 below upper discovery on Dominion. The decision is as follows: "At the hearing of this case the original locator was added as a party defendant. Upon the evidence being heard, the relocators withdrew from the case, it being apparent that the representation work had been done under the original location. A renewal grant shall therefore issue upon application to the owners under the original location."

Alfred Williams has filed a protest suit against C. J. Mulkey, George O'Brien, and Hugh Ferne. The ground involved is a fractional creek claim, numbered 585 below discovery on Sulphur. The hearing of the case has been fixed for April 7th.

C. J. Ekman has entered a protest against Humboldt Gates and Fred Hutchinson. The plaintiff alleges that he is the owner of the hillside on the right limit, opposite the upper half of No. 28 Eldorado; that the defendants, who own said creek claim, No. 28, are trespassing upon said adjoining hillside. The hearing has been set for April 9th.

A protest action has been filed by Henry Piece and W. H. Lucas vs. William Heath and H. L. Thomas. The suit involves a dispute regarding the boundaries of the hillside, left limit, opposite the lower half of 6 above on Last Chance. The case will be tried on April 12th.

### Territorial Court.

The trial of civil cases was resumed by Justice Dugas in the territorial court this morning. The first action was an appeal from the police magistrate. The title of the case was Edwin C. McDonald and Frank W. Dunham vs. James L. Condron. The plaintiffs sued the defendant for about \$300, claimed as wages for work and labor performed on a Dominion creek claim. The case was dismissed, and the costs, including a counsel fee amounting to \$30, were taxed against the plaintiffs.

The plaintiffs in *Herring et al. vs. Ripstein et al.*, were non-suited by order of Justice Dugas.

The case of the Williams Mill Company vs. Dr. Isidore Bourke and Mary Bourke is now on trial. The action is for the recovery of about \$6200, alleged to be due for lumber and materials furnished to defendants by the plaintiff. Messrs. Pattullo & Ridley represent the plaintiffs. Messrs. Burrill & McKay are retained by defendant Mary Bourke. Doctor Bourke appears in propria persona. The action will not be concluded before this evening.

The next case on the peremptory list is that of *Eulund vs. La Fond*.

### For K. P. Smoker.

The executive committee of the K. of P. Social Club met last night and arranged a program for the smoker to be given in McDonald hall next Thursday evening. A number of good speakers and also good singers have volunteered their aid. Mr. J. L. Timmins is to look after the lunch, which insures satisfaction in that line. A little punch and a good time is in sight; all K. of P. are invited to be present.

Frank E. Davis and J. Cockburn, of the Yukon field force, were appointed a committee on decoration.

### Go at 'Em.

A government official recently received the following letter, and has given it to the Daily Nugget for publication:

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3, 1900.  
To \_\_\_\_\_, Dawson City, Yukon Territory.

Dear Sir: Two fun-loving girls in quest of adventure desire to correspond with a couple of your venturesome Klondikers. They must be well-respected citizens, not too old; we would prefer them on the sunny side of 40. Of course we do not care for untold wealth, but we would like them to have a few golden nuggets, just so they could describe the experience to us. We fully realize how unusual and unconventional this way may seem to you; but if you know of two lonely men who would care to receive our letters, and would enlighten us upon the Klondike regions, in return for the same, we request you to show them this letter and tell them how much we would appreciate their letters. And if you do not know of anyone and there is a newspaper in the town, you might hand this to the editor and let him publish our wants and wishes through all the land. By the way, I suppose you understand we do not wish to have our eyes scratched out by irate wives, so none but single men need answer. A speedy reply will be much appreciated by yours truly,  
MARION BLAKE,  
HAZEL BROOKS,  
Care of General Delivery, Kansas City, Mo.  
Now, here's a chance for the boys.

### Weather Report.

The minimum temperature last night was 15 degrees above zero.

At 9 o'clock this morning the official instrument recorded 17 degrees above.

At noon, the thermometer recorded 35 degrees above.

### POLICE COURT NEWS.

Never was more convincing evidence submitted before a court than was produced before Police Magistrate Perry this morning. While coming down Hunker with a prisoner at an early hour this morning, Constable Cameron of the N. W. M. P. force, met two teamsters, William Norman and Dennis Kennedy, each of whom was driving a pair of horses, and in each team one of the animals was in an unfit condition to work. The constable brought the men and horses back to the city, and in court this morning the former were arraigned on the charge of working horses in an unfit condition. As the trial of the first man, Norman, progressed the court became aware that the horse in question was in the royal stable just across the alley from the court room, and ordered that the animal be led out in front of the courthouse door, which order was obeyed. It is not a prevarication to say that for all the weight entrusted by that horse to his right fore leg, he could have tread on eggs with that foot with perfect safety to the eggs. It was evidence which could not be controverted, and a fine of \$50 and costs, or one month at hard labor, was imposed. Norman was returned to the guardhouse where he would be permitted to communicate with friends, whom he said would get the money in his behalf.

The same thing was gone through with in the case of the other man, Dennis Kennedy. His horse also was paraded for judicial inspection, and was, if such a thing be possible, in even worse condition than the other. On the right hind leg of Kennedy's horse is a lump which, on inspection, causes a person to wonder whether the lump is a portion of the horse, or the horse a portion of the lump. In walking the animal put no weight whatever on that particular leg. Kennedy was fined \$50 and costs, which he paid. In imposing the fines on the two men Major Perry, horrified with what he had just witnessed regarding the horses which these fellows were endeavoring to force service from, took occasion to state that he is determined to make odious the cruel and inhuman practice of abusing horses, and that the full limit of the law will hereafter be meted to such flagrant offenders, and for this offense the full limit is, without the option of paying a fine, six months at hard labor—half a year on the royal woodpile.

Samuel Summerville instituted suit against James Mathews, a Dawson restaurant keeper, for \$25 alleged to be due as wages.

The case of the Queen against Hugh A. Matheson, charged with threatening to burn the property and person of Mary Kennedy, was set for hearing at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The case of the Queen vs. Hugh Deering, charged by W. V. Tukey with having attempted to steal hay to the value of \$800, was dismissed.

### BURSTED SCHEME.

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and even as far on his journey as Victoria and Vancouver, he expressed to newspaper men the same sentiment with which he had been imbued here; but as he journeyed eastward towards Ottawa his Yukon enthusiasm oozed out like booze from an uncorked bottle and when he reached the Dominion capital he said "the laws as they now apply to the Yukon are right and just," or words to that effect. The colonel made a second trip to Dawson, reaching here some time last summer; but as it was once said of Rome, "Her glory has departed," so was it with the linguistic colonel on his second arrival here, as he was still looked upon as a good fellow, but a pronounced false alarm. The old residents of Dawson and those who know him best will be least surprised on learning of the failure of the company of his creation.—ED.)

### Germany's Naval Proposals.

Berlin, Feb. 9.—On the resumption of the debate on the navy bill in the reichstag today, Count Von Arnim, in behalf of the imperialists, said they favored the bill.

The secretary of the interior, Count Von Posadowsky-Wehner, emphasized the necessity of an increase of the fleet so as to adequately protect the enormously increasing shipping trade of Germany, and said the bill had been unanimously approved by the federal government.

Herr Richter, the Radical leader, in opposing the bill, insinuated that the British seizure of German ships was brought about opportunely, in order to

support the navy bill, as was, he claimed, the attempt on the life of Emperor William prior to the introduction of the anti-revolutionary bill. Constitutional and financial considerations, Herr Richter continued, rendered it impossible for the Radicals to approve of the bill.

### First Gun of the Campaign.

Spokane, Feb. 27.—The Democratic state central committee has been called for the first meeting of the campaign of 1900 in Spokane on April 13, 1900. The following notices are being sent out today by Secretary Thomas Maloney to the members of the committee throughout the state:

Spokane, Feb. 27.

"Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the Democratic state central committee to be held at No. 15 Jamies building,

Spokane, Wash., at 2 p. m., of April 13, 1900, for the purpose of fixing upon the date and selecting a place at which a Democratic state convention shall be held for the purpose of appointing delegates and alternates to represent the Democracy of this state in the national Democratic convention, to be held at Kansas City, Mo., on July 4 next, and to transact such other business as may be deemed necessary and expedient. By order of

"H. T. JONES, Chairman."

Thomas Maloney, secretary; F. M. Baum, of Okanogan; D. W. Yeargrin, of Ferry; E. C. Million, of Skagit, and Fred Baldwin, of Spokane county, have been appointed to fill vacancies in their respective counties. The calling of the state committee to meet April 13 will bring the Democrats here on the day that the Democracy "dollar dinner" is to be held in honor of the anniversary of Jefferson's birthday.

### Claims Recorded.

Elmer McKinley recorded this morning the hillside claim, left limit, opposite the upper half of No. 72 below on Sulphur.

A grant was issued today to J. V. Vallancourt for the hillside claim, right limit, opposite the lower half of 48 below on Sulphur.

William E. Turner has recorded a quartz claim, located on Henry creek, a tributary of Hunker.

### Dawson Water Works.

The Dawson Water Company has succeeded in reopening its well, located on the bank of the Klondike river. The hydrants around town are not yet in working order; but water may be secured from the large tank which is situated near the well.

### For the Outside.

Mr. J. H. Holme, manager of J. H. Holme & Co., leaves tomorrow for an extended trip outside. Mr. Holme will go east and visit Ottawa and the other principal cities of Canada. He will return at the opening of navigation, bringing with him a \$50,000 stock of hardware, steam fittings and miners supplies. He has already secured a location on First avenue for the big establishment which he will conduct upon his return.

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Mrs. Fancher's ladies' spring goods have arrived. Call and inspect. c20

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the commissioner in council of Yukon territory for an ordinance to ratify and confirm the letters patent issued on the 14th day of October, 1898, by William Ogilvie, Esq., commissioner of Yukon territory, to the Dawson Electric Light and Power Company, Limited, or for the incorporation of the said company for the purposes and objects specified in said letters patent.

And for a grant to the said corporation of the exclusive right and privilege of laying or fixing wires, and supplying and furnishing, by electricity, light, heat and power, within the limits of the City of Dawson, and of Klondike City, and lands adjacent thereto, subject to such restrictions, terms and conditions as may be approved, and to confirm and ratify a certain trust deed of the said company, dated 22d June, 1899.

And to increase the capital stock of the said company to \$150,000.

And to grant to the said corporation power to issue debenture bonds, and other securities, and to acquire, hold and sell real and personal property, and to grant all other powers and privileges incidental to such undertakings or any of them, and with all usual powers and privileges.

Dated at Dawson, Yukon territory, this 19th day of February, 1900.

WHITE & MCCAUL,  
c3-19 Advocates for the Applicants.

### For the Lenten Season.

Mackerel, salmon bellies, bricks of codfish, kippered herring, Oollkins, lobsters, shrimps, crabs, anchovies,

sardines, young mackerel in oil, clams and Bluepoint oysters. Royal Grocery, Second ave.

### LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold sack, containing dust, valued at between \$50 and \$65. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—A dark yellow dog, between mastiff and hound; has a large claw on one hind leg; name, Duke; \$10 reward for return. Notify Ed Hering, Nugget office, or 27 below upper, Dominion. c24

LOST—Brown russet pocketbook, containing miners' license and papers; lost between 76 below Bonanza and Klondike bridge. Charles Schaefer. Leave at this office for reward. c21

LOST—By Henry Baatz, large, black morocco pocketbook, or wallet, containing his lodge papers of Masons, Odd Fellows and Eagles, and recording papers. Finder may have the money in pocketbook and \$50 more in cash, now on deposit with cashier at Dominion station, to which place he shall return it.

### PROFESSIONAL CARDS

#### MINING ENGINEERS.

RUFUS BUCK—Plans and surveys of underground workings. Third avenue, opposite Dr. Bourke's Hospital.

L. NELTAND, C. E.—Underground surveys, Reports furnished on mining properties and hydraulic concessions. Office, Room 1, Dawson City Hotel.

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TYRRELL & GREEN—Mining Engineers and Dominion Land Surveyors. Office, Harper st., Dawson.

#### ASSAYERS.

JOHN B. WARDEN, F. I. C.—Assayer for Bank of British North America. Gold dust melted and assayed. Assays made of quartz and black sand. Analyses of ores and coal.

#### LAWYERS

WADE & AIKMAN—Advocates, Notaries, etc. Office, A. C. office Building, Dawson.

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ALEX HOWDEN—Barrister, Solicitor, Advocate, etc. Criminal & Mining Law, Room 21 A. C. Co's office Block.

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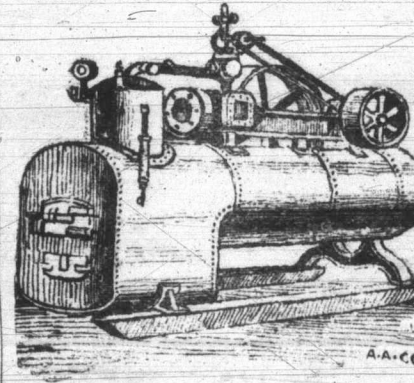
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