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NEW SCHOOLS EDWARD LA BELLE ON WITNESS STAND FOR CREEKS

What the News Claims to Have Done

Schools at 30 Below on Bonanza and on Bear to Open Monday.

The News received information yes terday morning that a number of niners desired the ridge road to be kept open during the coming winter, and it concludes its account of the ecision of the government to keep

very satisfactory result.' The facts are that the miners on

Sulphur and all the other creeks to which the ridge road is of service, got up a petition upon the subject of fore.

tition was drawn by Mr. Barwell, down the lake on the ice and walked It was not decided on the spur of the have forgotten. agament nor on the suggestion of the "When I arrived here I went to

needed a school. what the Clarke organ says. The fact is that a petition was sent from son. pere early in Sentember, nearly two Schools Ross went to the creek to investigate. His report upon the ubject is dated September 15th. In this he states that he found the pop- Yukon for about a month, and then ulation scattered along the creek, went back to Mr. Lamar and worked being no center where he could the nucleus for a school. The iren on the creek were between 27 above and 5 below, and there were only ten of school age. Of these ary, 1901. two had their tickets purchased for oints outside this territory, and to others are too young to attend. It would be necessary to establish school about 11a above discovery and there was a very suitable building at that point for a school house. it it was not advisable to open one for so few children as it would thus lish a precedent which it would

be difficult to conform to on all the worked there until May." present

The new school at 30 below on Bonanza will be open Monday or Tues-day next. The building is completed about seventeen scholers new school on Bear creek will

take him to Whitehorse. He said he particulars. had never worked with a pick and

(Continued from page 1.) ore ask the witness to raise his voice and speak louder, so that what he said could be reported. that of his learned friend would be

reported anyhow. Then Mr. Hagel retorted that the courtesies heretofore shown to the press had not been remarkable "any-Then Mr. Hagel said to the witness

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questions. If the note and how his work my way to whitehorse. I went did not appear worried but was very trying to hasten the consumption of Montana. It was 1 o'clock when of Queen and Second avenue. We had on the on the boat two or three days before ford Silton but he said he had all nervous and often smiled sardonical- something he was burning. He took the morning session adjourned. us. I had never known the man be pocket and gave to me which would

only leave \$15 for me to pay, the Aickets being \$40. I asked him where

the engineer and surveyor, and was on until the ice was gone when we said he had a favor to ask of me. He ok the necessary time to investi- Beraud, Victor Fournier, Noe Ler- name.' I asked him why and he regate and decide what should be done. oux, and another man whose name I plied that perhaps the police or de-

covered that the people of Sulphur and prospecting his claim. Then I a favor to change my name on acand knew nothing of him having done anything wrong and as I was equally "I next worked on 28 Eldorado I ago. Superintendent of got a wood contract; and I had as wanted for and not knowing the pospartner Louis Boulieu, who had worked with me in Vancouver. Af-

Gay gulch, with a man who worked with me named St. Francois. He was burt and was negative. He was burt and with me named St. Francois. He was burt and with me named St. Francois. He was burt and be owed him. We met again at 2 of English and the other man prob-blankets and put them in the boat. As soon as he was out of the way I be a great deal more places of their clahs. There all the owed him. We met again at 2 of English and the other man prob-blankets and put them in the boat. As soon as he was out of the way I be a great deal more places of their clahs. There all the owed him. We met again at 2 of English and the other man prob-because - my head was - I did not he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 of lock and got our things together he owed him. We met again at 2 he ower that lock us all he ower that lock us all he ower that lock us all he ower places of the ower places of the second he ower that lock us all he ower places of the second he ower that lock us all he ower places of the second he ower that lock us all he ower places of the second he ower that lock us all he ower places of the second he ower that lock us all he ow "After this I took a lay on No. 2, hotel to pay him a bill of \$5 he said was my partner. He was hurt and I brought him to Dawson to the hospital. I did not strike pay on Canadians. I attended to the num-to the text and hid behind one corn-to the text and hid behind one corn-Gay gulch so went to work for Stanley & Worden. After this I to having his bag gone through and shall be being of our boat and to the con-stable gave the names of our party, stable gave the name of the stable gave the name of our party, stable gave the name of the stable gave the name $\mathbf{v}^{\prime\prime}\mathbf{A}$ short time after that I came officer and I saw inside the lining

the Madden house. I went to Tom carried the revolver and he said he Witness then detailed their trip then got up again and I fired again. Lamar the same man far whom I had brought it with him from Nome. down the river, where they stopped, when he rolled over dead. In order went to the bank and then came back at the stomach to make sure of it I shot Bouthillet. When he change. Fournier had all "The dinner was him. I was broke and asked him to the the boat had left I counted up all went ashore and made some pur- te a third time. Then I dragged the change in his hand and was ent from here tomorrow There will give me work at something where I my mohey and found I had \$180 and chases at the road house and store could earn my grub. He gave me my ticket. employment at one of the tables and

be opened on Monday, and will I worked there three weeks. I had

and then he said he wanted me to the crown with reference to the same back from the water. I had been walking slowly looking for game "One day while we were stopping probably fifteen minutes when

shovel and he never would. Once at at Whitehorse I went back to the heard a shot coming from the direct whitehorse he said he could either tent and found Fournier cleaning his tion of the camp followed about sev walk or beat his way to Skagway revolver. On asking him what he en or eight seconds later by another. and from there he could work his was doing he merely replied 'noth- With the last shot I heard a yell way to Seattle shoveling coal as he ing !' Later, he said there was one (which the witness imitated) and way to Seattle shoveling coal as he ing !' Later, he said there was one (which the winness initiated) and had done once before. He said he thing we had forgotten which we immediately afterward another shot he said could be reported. Mr. Congdon said a courtesy like had a friend in Seattle with whom ought to have on our down trip and as though to stop the yell. he had left a fine double barrelled that was a rifle, referring to the other shots followed, there being five shotgun that he would easily get \$40 moose we had seen an our way up, in all." (Fournier laughed audibly for and he would refund the money and saying that moose meat always as the description of the murder was

to me as soon as we arrived at Seat- found a ready sale in Dawson and being given.) tle. I told him I would see about it also that the rifle could be sold here. Witness then gave his feelings upand as I had known him a couple of for a good price. I went up town on the realization of the possibility years I decided to help him out. and found a rifle at Rook Bros. of a murder or murders being comwhich I purchased and also several mitted and stated that for a time he

Then Mr. Hagei said to the whether impressively: "Do you know that "The next day I met him in Bin-man who stands in the box where et's saloon and he asked me to take at another place." was afraid to return to camp. He wheth I purchased and also several boxes of cartridges which I secured at another place." "The next day I met him in Binman who stands in the box where et s saloon and he asked me to take you have been standing these past a walk when he asked me the same few days?'' was paralyzed with fear and remain-upestion again in regard to taking up to this time the face of Four-ed where he was for an hour or more

then was living with Mr. Dube. We the evidence of La Belle most intent- he could see what was going on and

plied to this and other I determined to see if I could not anever comments, rubbing his lace one side of a large life he had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven "I, did not, know his work my way to Whitehorse. I went and blowing his nose vigorously. He stirring it up with a stick as though time afterward "pawned at Butte, her home. I met her at the corner camp.

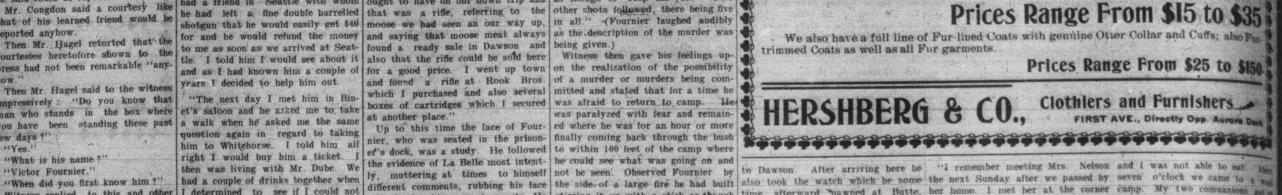
the road open in these words : $\int_{\text{News this morning, with the above}} \frac{\text{on the boat two or three days before the men he needed. I met Fournier the men he needed. I met Fournier the state and nervous and often sinted saloon, we had a drink when we being given the state morning, with the above the men he needed all the boat second-the state and the men he needed. I met fournier the state morning in front of the subscription of the authorities by the men he needed. I met fournier the state morning in front of the subscription of the subs$ "Don't forget any of it." The witness continued '

Fournier had an opportunity he said done."

of Mrs. Nelson. Shortly before ar- threw them in the river."

my ticket. "The fourth day out the captain stopped the boat in order to take a I worked there three weeks. I had never done such work before and put it all together I never worked at it over five weeks and never for any out the captain of the boat in order to take a shot at a moose we saw on the thillette was a devout Catholic and it appears that Fournier, who seems that fournier is that fournier is that the set of the set o

VERCOATS OF SWELL O Are broad shouldered, rather loose fitting garments with vertical instead of straight poel The fabrics from which these Coals are made are Pr and small plain rounded cuffs. the Rough Faced Variety - such as Heavy Cheviots and Worsted Vicuna in Oxford (Cambridge Gray, Olive, Brown and Black. The acme of perfection and fashion are emb in the Overcoats we are handling this season



"When did you first know him ?" had a couple of drinks together when 'y, muscering at chas to minisch out the sole of a large fire he had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seven o'clock we came to a we had built also took the watch which he some the next Sunday after we passed by seve a walk on Third avenue and we went A small boat containing training into a restaurant and had ice cream, men came down the Then she left me ho go into a store stayed for a little while and a

passed on About eight o'rier was traveling on the boat second- the Sideboard saloon, we had a drink purchase of the gun was being given ness finally made his presence known noon than it was in the morning. At this point there was another came to the tent of an part class and he was firstclass. He and when F again told him I would heard us talking French in the sec-buy him a ticket to Whitehorse he ondelass and he came down stairs to pulled a \$20 and \$5 bill out of his box and with rare sarcasm hissed, that there were no other men. "I asked him if it was possible the stand and Mr. Hagel asked him evidence in regard to what the with went up to the American adda

"Monday evening 'I was at the that he had murdered those men and how soon after they left the island ness had stated outside. the provide and sent it in weeks ago, but the News only heard of it yesterday when it was acted upon. The per six of us Frenchmen. We tition was drawn by Mr. Barwell. We ten ained in Skagway a couple fickets being \$40. I asked him where and sent it in weeks ago, but the News only heard of it yesterday when it was acted upon. The per six of us Frenchmen. We took a walk together and head the came when it was drawn by Mr. Barwell.

go down with us. They were Bou- ed him what he had done with his the days after the murder thillette, Constantine and Beaudoin, gun and he said he fiad thrown it in "We landed at Louisetown and went Mr. Hagel said he was certainly wrnt on for Circle Criv the engineer and surveyor, and was on until the ice was gone when we said he had a ray of to ask of the river, indicating with his hand. to a saloon near the Klondike trying to do right, and his lordship about filleen or twenty and new that we had no test as a bout filleen or twenty and new that he had the river, indicating with his hand. to a saloon near the Klondike trying to do right, and his lordship ter that. We had no test as a bout filleen or twenty and we we we here we also we were to say a bridge. Fournier was with me but I responded, 'I quite understand that to bedtar and the authorities, but they word and then told me what he had went alone to Sicotte's sale. Si- you will take all the advantage you ing but a double-barrelled the responded to go at once and 1 took the river. Sicotte's sale a sale of the responded to go at once and 1 took the river. Sicotte's sale a sale of the responded to go at once and 1 took and the told me what he had the cotte was not there. I did not leave can get No other baggage. I had my a Fournier had a double-harrelief a

plied that perhaps the police or de routher had an opportunity he said tectives might be looking for him to me that as we were going backs. The witness' recital of the cold anything there. That night about 10 The examination being continued nave lorgotten. "When I arrived here I went to work for Mr. Lamar on Ora Grand in case he was wanted would be News. Some few days ago the News dis-some few days ago the News dis-treek and Eldorado, digging holes incidents. He also asked me as think I had spent my money drink-the court recail the state incident of the day. The stillness of to a saloon. I left it there for two output the first and the first of days with his blankets. I At least that is gans axs. The fact weeks and after that came to Daw- had not seen him for eight months in the fact the day afwished in regard to my name. The heavy breathing of Fournier and the to leave them there a day or two. ter we left here. We stopped the first three men came from the station uneasy shifting of his feet. Here is We took the things to Sicotte's cab night at Fortymile I was going by with their baggage, Bouthillette hav- what Fournier is said to have told in There were two Frenchmen there my right name then 1 gave that

> Constantine a canvas bag. When I sent you away I got up said I might leave them on the bunk. what name Fournier gave. We went sible consequences of changing my Constantine a carvas bag. When I sent you away I got up We got a push cart and took the to Eagle to get work on the Valdes ter this I herded cattle across the went to the ticket office and I engers he told them there were three blankets and rolled them up. Beau whole of the things in it. I left my railroad. I heard about that coming

bought two tickets for Whitehorse of us, I having previously arranged doin went out and at the same time tifle there. I had not seen Sicotte down the river from Whitehorse. signing for him as he could not with a Mr. Mack to go down with us Bouthillette started to get up. I got yet. I met him later in Binet's and that as he did not speak a word Beaudoin to the camp to get the was three or fowt days after we ar- Dave LeBland's boat. Canadians I attended to the num-bering of our boat and to the con-er. Beaudoin hearing the shot came Labbe's. He took me there to pay "We then went to Circle City the

This is how the matter stands at to town where I learned to play a big revolver and a belt of cart-

A meeting of Ross supporters will be held in the

At 4 o'clock Crown Press Congdon Began cross-examising in Belle, who sticks closely to the I do not know , their mames. They name at Fortymile. I do not know of his evidence. Hochey Teams Share At a meeting of the board of a rottors of the Amateur Athler "We did not find that work a sociation last hight it was det went back to Mr. Lamar and worked on Ora Grand creek for two months and a half until December. Then I went to work for wages on No. 3 and 4 Gay gulch, and worked until Febru-ary, 1901. That was at noon. I went to din-ner and Fournier, went to Labbe's plied there were five of us Canadians some brush for the fire and then sent his cabin. I cannot give the date. It beau and Fournier. We went in match, to assist in paying the

gun. We had these things uter a

La Belle was still under even

tion by Mr. Hagel'at the time etc.

left Dawson "

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retarded the forming of level cinks hat one could cold dat a

fell with the cry of 'Jesu Marie.' He pieces of paper money down. Labbe City. I was sick there since eleven. Twenty-five names of mes and the bulletin board, to "The dinnet was taken in the hoat at the next meeting.

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Mr. Calderhead has, received a let-

get a boat started. He says he ald have loaded a boat with pas

"There was no obstacle to naviga tion at this point for over a week after Oct. 31, when the Lewes rive need to throw out small must There was practically no ice in sight here of any moment until after the first week in November. The Nora passed down Nov. 5.

"As long as it remains cloudy, a: today, navigation will not be blocked. It was 17 degrees above zero at 7:30 a.m. today, being 8 degree warmer than yesterday."

on a lay on Dominion and had not associated with Fournier before that. I finally took the lay on Dominion

Mr. Calderhead has received a tet-ter from H. H. Pitts, of Selkirk, under date of the 34th, as to the state of the river at this time last year. Mr. Pitts says "Keeping a weather record and condition of navigation for some sev-en years past, I have given the cap-tain of the "Thistle' a short extract pertaining to this time of year, in cluding last fall and this fall, up to date.

N. Co walked up on the beach i.e we began but I succeeded in obtain when I awoke I found my pants on gun was passed to him and he fired from Dawson, arriving here Nov. 2t ing credit at a store in that vicinity, the ground and upon counting my three shots but failed to get anyfrom Dawson, arriving here Nov. 21 last fail. I came up on the last boat the Ora, arriving here Oct. 27. Dod rich told me that after the Ora left Dawson Oct. 24 he was besieged on all sides, by persons wishing to get at sides, by persons wishing to get

to Whitehorse, to use his influence to ceeds of the lay I paid the store exception of the \$3 change he had Witness with the aid of a sketch keeper \$400 and had 22 ounces in taken at the time I bought him the explained at great detail she ardust when I arrived in Dawson which pair of pants. Then I decided to go I took to the Bank of Commerce for back to Dawson as I found I would assay. I secured an advance of \$50 not have a cent by the time I reach-on the deposit of my dust and also ed home if I went on. I told Four-"After supper we all went to bed, left \$84 in the bank for a debt that nier I was going no further and he four of us lying side by side cro I owed. After the assay was made a few days later I received from the bank a balance of \$233. That was on May 31. The first I saw Fourni-er after coming to town was on June 3 in front of the Labbe saloon." 3 in front of the Labbe saloon.". back, immediately and he suggested what in hell the noises were that he A lengthy argument here ensued that we get a small boat and go in heard on the island al l night, but between Crown Prosecutor Congdon it instead of paying steamer fare. A they were sufficient to keep him and counsel for the defense as to the boat would not cost over \$20 he awake all night and he was sure admissibility of the various conver- said and all the grub we needed was there was game on the island.

sations had between the witness and a few dollars' worth. If a polling of us had heard anything and Four-

A DAWSON MAN'S DREAM. He dreamed he died and svent to haven. St. Peter was showing hin the beauties of heaven. They pessal a lady chained to a post. He asked, "Why do you keep her chained "Sti-peter replied." We have to or she would go back. She is from Dawson and used to buy all her groceries will satisfy her: Muditorium—Way Down East. The Nugget's stock of job printing to Dawson.

over five weeks and never for any man excepting Mr. Lamar. During the three weeks I was working for Mr. Lamar. I met Fournier who was different house. I think it was at the old Savoy. I was waiting for a man at that time to go in with me on a lay on Dominion and had not I did so, paying for the fournier suggested that I duy a pair of wear and I did so, paying for

A. B. Hall this evening to "which all supp OF CESSIONS opposition are invited to be present. A special reserve tion of seats in the balcony has been made for ladies and their escorts to whom a special invitation is extended in

ROSS MEETING

