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MAY BE BLOOD SHED IN THE GOLD FIELDS

Men Employed by Guggenheims Fighting for Right of Way--Their Opponents Appeal to U. S. Government for Protection.

SEATTLE, Wn., July 3--A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Valdez, Alaska, tells of the preparations for armed conflict between the Copper river and Northern railway forces and the Alaska-Pacific railway men at Katalla. The Copper river railroad, which is known throughout Alaska as the Guggenheim proposition, aiming to tap the Copper river district, is attempting to cross the right of way of the Alaska-Pacific company, known as the Bruner line, which also aims for the Copper River District by way of Lake Charlotte. The Bruner people have applied to Governor Hoggatt of Alaska for the protection of the United States troops, alleging that the Guggenheim forces contemplate an attack upon them. Authorities at Valdez admit that the situation is serious.

TAFT WILL SPEND THE SUMMER AT MURRAY BAY

United States Presidential "Probability" Will Take His Vacation Far from the Madding Crowd--A Mosquito Report.

(From Our Regular Correspondent) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27--Secretary Taft has returned to Washington and will settle down to work on the mass of material that has accumulated during his trip to the west and his visit to his presidential campaign headquarters at Sagamore Hill. He came here direct from New Haven after attending the Yale commencement and after completing his work here he will go to Murray Bay, Canada, to spend the summer with his family until September when he starts on his trip to the Philippines. The report that he is spending the summer at the Taft home is not credited by his friends here who declare that the popular secretary is more popular than ever and that his prestige will be greatly increased when he returns to the Philippines after having personally directed the first efforts at self government of the islands. It is also believed that he will undertake diplomatic negotiations with Japan this also will add to his reputation in this country. So confident are his friends that he will get the nomination they are letting his boom rest awhile and the active work will not be undertaken until December when the national republican committee meets and when Mr. Taft will have returned from his trip to the Orient. It is said that the president does not favor active work in the campaign before next fall believing as General Charles has said, that "early homecoming is a boom" but that Mr. Taft is still the favorite there can be no doubt even though it is so persistently rumored that affection for Taft is always reports, it is easy to see, emanate from the opponents of the administration and may be taken with much salt.

MARCONI SERVICE IN GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE MONTREAL, July 3--(Special)--Hugh Allan of the Allan Line today made a statement regarding complaints against the Marconi service. Mr. Allan took the ground that the dispute between Supt. Doure of the government telegraph service and the Marconi people should not be allowed to interfere with the efficiency of the service. It is stated that the Marconi stations in the Gulf are not working yet, with great disadvantage to the steamship companies, while some of the government telegraph lines are giving no service.

MONTREAL STOCKS MONTREAL, July 3--(Special)--Despite tight money the stock market continues strong in tone. The outlook seems much more cheerful and with a return of easier money and given the same bright aspect there is no reason to doubt that prices would rally with a rush. There were transactions in Rio Bonds at 73 7/8; Detroit, 66 1/2 to 67; Montreal, 91 1/2; Montreal Street Ry., 299; Mackay 47 1/2 and Dom. Iron, 24. The impression in the market is that the Ross buying is over for the present, the recent purchases having given that party all the stock necessary for their purposes of control.

CAPTURED BY RAISULI TANGIER, July 3--Kaid General Sir Harry MacLean, commander of the Sultan's body guard, has been made a prisoner by Raisuli, the bandit chief, and will be held as a hostage by the latter until the Sultan agrees to pardon Raisuli on his own terms.

SENATOR KING IN OTTAWA OTTAWA, July 3--(Special)--Senator King of New Brunswick is here today on departmental business.

FORESTERS PAY A HIGH TRIBUTE TO E. P. EASTMAN THEIR HIGH TREASURER

On His Retirement From Office After 23 Years Service He is Granted a Gratuity and Recommended for Grand Cross of Merit.

The High Court of New Brunswick, I. O. F., resumed its session at this morning with H. C. R. Woods in the chair. A special committee on resolutions relative to the death of the late Supreme Chief Ranger, Dr. E. P. Eastman, M. N. Cockburn and A. M. Belding were appointed. The high court heard with great respect the high chief statement that E. P. Eastman, so long high treasurer of the court, and who was present, was compelled to give up the office. The chief spoke in fitting terms the court regretted, and appointed J. V. Russell assistant treasurer for this session. Mr. Eastman has been treasurer of high court for twenty-three years. M. N. Cockburn, R. H. Davis and C. King reported as the committee on petitions and appeals that no grievances existed among the courts in any part of the jurisdiction. Appreciation was expressed of the very efficient work done by the officers in the past year. Prizes to courts which had won them were presented to delegates from the Tomah, Seaside, Berry's Mills, Quanguon, Progress and Squatook, by P. H. C. R. A. W. Macrae. These courts had won the prizes by adding to their membership. Mr. Macrae paid a tribute to these courts, and mentioned D. Bradley and J. A. Brooks of St. John as especially active in this city. Mr. Macrae expressed the hope that the example of these courts would encourage others in the very necessary propagation work of the order. The delegates were warmly applauded as they received the checks for the prizes which were in cash. Mr. Macrae regretted that there were no companion courts on the list, and hoped to see this state of things remedied. Checks had already been issued to Courts City Camp, Dumbarton, Keswick and George for similar prizes. St. Mary's, Andover and Sunbury, are also probably entitled to them, although this was not yet quite clear to the high executive.

AN INTERESTING DISCUSSION R. A. Borden, for the committee on constitution and laws, submitted their report. They were and should be kept in mind to supreme court that sub-section of Sec. 189 be amended so as to permit the payment of a gratuity of \$200 as a token of the high court's appreciation of his faithful labors in the interests of Forestry. Mr. Borden supported the report in a brief speech, contending that the various benefits were separate one should not be forfeited by acceptance of another. They were and should be kept independent. The report was taken up section by section. A. W. Macrae declared with regard to the total disability benefit the rates would have to be increased. As far as the fund benefit was concerned, it might very well be continued, but there are hundreds of members on the total disability list, and to triple or quadruple the rates is to put those totally and permanently disabled on the sick and funeral benefit list. If the word "sick" were omitted and only "funeral" used he would not oppose the resolution. D. G. Lingley suggested that Mr. Macrae move an amendment omitting the words "sick benefit."

HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE H. C. R.--H. W. Woods. P. H. C. R.--D. G. Lingley. H. W. C. R.--Reverly Steeves. H. T. E.--P. Eastman. H. Physician--J. D. Lawson. H. Counsellor--R. B. Hansen. HIGH AUDITORS J. V. Russell, Thos. Murray. APPOINTED OFFICERS H. O.--Rev. B. H. Thomas. H. J. S.--R. M. Grindlay. H. Organist--Prof. H. G. Perry. H. S. W.--J. W. Smith. H. J. W.--Samuel Thorne. H. M.--Frank Allingham.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM IS CRITICAL Mr. Hiram Hornbeam is attending the Foresters' high court. He is one of the older members of the order, and attendance at high court is an annual dispensation with him. He was in the city on the Sunday school picnic in the Settlement, and fell ill. From a long and somewhat careful study of the constitution Hiram is in a position to be somewhat critical at times, and he discussed yesterday an amended group of young members on the general subject of constitutional procedure. This morning he was in a somewhat combative mood. "By Hen!" he said to the Times new reporter. "He said to the Times new reporter, 'I call'te we kin show you some paper with talkin' about. Well--I guess I'll go an' do a little canvassin' now. Did you know I'm goin' run for high senior beside? I am--By Hen!'"

COLLINS' FATE NOW HANGS IN BALANCE

The Case Was Given to the Jury This Morning--Chief Justice Tuck Charges Strongly Against the Prisoner--Sharp Passages With Mr. McKeown.

MONTCTON, July 3--(Special)--The Solicitor General continued summing up of the crown's case to the jury in the Collins murder trial today. He pointed out that Collins on the stand had admitted that he had done practically everything that was charged against him except the striking of the fatal blow. The Solicitor General's address occupied the time till 10.46 Judge Tuck in charging the jury said the case had been admirably tried on both sides. The prisoner's counsel had left nothing undone that could be done and that no amount of money would have improved the defence. The judge charged rather against the prisoner. Mr. McKeown arose when the judge had finished and said "Your honor could you not have charged more favorably to the prisoner regarding the watch?" The judge replied "What did you wish me to do Mr. McKeown?" Mr. McKeown: "I have no hesitation in saying your honor that you have charged much harder against the prisoner than Judge Gregory did at the former trial." His Honor: "I may have spoken in loud voice perhaps." Mr. McKeown: "I did not touch upon the watch Your Honor, but the learned Solicitor General went into the watch fully and you seemed to me to have strengthened his argument." The Judge: "I did what I thought was right in the matter." The Solicitor General objects to Mr. McKeown making any further remarks or any address in the presence of the jury. Mr. McKeown: "I did not touch upon the watch." His Honor: "Then you ought to have done so." The Solicitor General: "I protest against a further address by Mr. McKeown." His Honor: "I have the right as chief justice sitting here, to have the last words to the jury. Sit down Mr. McKeown you ought not to persist in your remarks." The Chief Justice then turned to the jury and said: "Gentlemen, after you go to your juryroom you cannot be separated or go to your boarding places for your meals but if you fail to agree on a verdict by one o'clock I will make arrangements with the Sheriff that food will be supplied you. The constables were then sworn and the jury retired at 12 noon.

MONCTON MEN WOULD NOT WORK IN HALIFAX

MONTCTON, N. B., July 3 (Special)--The strikers, but rather than do so several I. C. R. employes, it is stated, have refused to obey orders, and have been suspended. Two young men, one employed in handling baggage at the depot here and the other employed about the I. C. R. office building in the capacity of a janitor, it is understood were sent to Halifax this week. Upon arriving there and learning the situation they immediately returned to Moncton. The result of this refusal to obey orders was thus suspended. It is stated that the men not the only cases where an effort has been made to get I. C. R. employes here to go to Halifax to take the places of the striking freight handlers, but when the situation was learned the employes refused and were also placed under suspension. The management has been asked by Halifax board of trade to relieve the situation in reference to congested freight.

ST. JOHN LUMBERMEN BUY UNMARKED LOGS

FREDERICTON, July 3--(Special)--The annual sale of unmarked logs rafted at the booms, was held at the office of A. F. Randolph and Sons, this morning. The spruce was bid in by Charles Miller for \$125 per thousand. John A. Morrison got the pine at \$9.70. Hilary Drexel bought the hemlock for \$5.50 and the cedar for \$6.70. Purchasers will get all the no mark and mix mark logs to come through the booms this season.

STEAMER DAMAGED MONTREAL, July 3--(Special)--The Richelieu & Ontario steamer Prescott, while trying to make a landing at the foot of the Lachine canal last night, ran into the lock and smashed it. The Prescott was then carried back by the water and collided with the steam barge Hansons of the Pittsburg and Erie Coal Company, which sank with a load of pulpwood. The Prescott was badly damaged and will have to be repaired. In the meantime her place will be taken by the Rapidis King.

THE LEADERS WON BRISLEY, Eng., July 3--The Leander crew, as anticipated, won an easy victory over the London Rowing club today in the first heat for the grand challenge cup. Leander led all the way. Time, 7 minutes 33 seconds.

EXPORTS TO UNITED STATES SHOW GRATIFYING INCREASE

Returns for Quarter Endig June 30 Show Large Gain Over Corresponding Quarter Last Year.

Table showing valuation of exports to the United States for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, compared with the corresponding quarter for 1906. The table lists various commodities such as Agricultural seeders, Hides, and Lumber, with their respective values in dollars and cents. The total value for the quarter ending June 30, 1907, is \$706,224.34, compared with \$633,139.64 for the same quarter in 1906, showing a gain of \$73,084.70.