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Notice... ambetta mineral claims... Trail Creek Mining Dis... Kootenay District... On the south slope of... that I, N. F. Townsend... for Charles E. Bryant... certificate No. B 4293, in... from the date hereof... the mining recorder for... improvements, for the... of a crown grant of... eral claims... take notice that action... 37, must be commenced... nance of such certificate... 19th day of January, A...

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IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

Life Buoy Wreckage Let-tered "H. M. S. Con-dor," Found.

Also a White Board Bear-the Name of "Al-tavela."

VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—Thomas Deasy, ex-chief of the Victoria fire department, who was offered the position as chief of the Dawson department, has declined the position. Price Ellison, M. P. P., of Vernon, has purchased R. P. Rithet's thoroughbred stallion Broadbrim, which is now racing in California. Mr. Ellison breeds horses for the British army.

In connection with the proposed combine of British Columbia salmon canneries, it is officially announced that the canneries on the Fraser and northern rivers owned or controlled by Messrs. Rithet & Co. have been put in, but C. F. Todd and other Victoria owners of canneries have declined to enter the combine.

Judge Walkem has been appointed a commissioner to inquire into the charges made in the legislature by Smith Curtis against Premier Duns-muir in connection with the sale of the E. & N. Railway company to Messrs. MacKenzie and Mann. A white board, bearing the name "Altavela" in dark paint; a piece of a ship's boat with the name "Nanies"; a large gangplank, painted; a life-buoy lettered "H. M. S. Con-dor," and two cases of canned salmon, unmarked, are included in a lot of wreckage which has lately been washed ashore at Dead Lee Point, about six miles north of Skidgate, Queen Charlotte islands. The news of this discovery is contained in a letter to Abraham E. Smith, United States consul, from Wm. Russ of Skidgate, written under date of March 8th.

The finding of a name board of the Altavela would seem to indicate that the well known Norwegian ship has either met with disaster or had a struggle with the elements. She received her cargo at the Hastings mills, Vancouver, and passed out to sea on the 8th of last month, bound for Ostend, Belgium. There were 956,449 feet of lumber aboard, valued at \$725. The ship loaded on account of the British Columbia Mills Timber & Trading Co., owners of the mill. She was doubtless driven by some of the terrific southwest winds prevailing shortly after she went to sea. Captain Gledwell, a Norwegian skipper, and a crew of upwards of 20 men were aboard, a number of whom are believed to have shipped on the vessel at Vancouver. The Altavela is a fine ship, and belonged to a fleet of 19 vessels owned by Johnson, Johan Co. of Christiania. She was an iron vessel, built at Glasgow in 1888.

The name "Nanies," given on the ship's boat referred to, cannot be located in shipping directories. The gangplank alluded to may have belonged to the Con-dor, and as for the salmon there is a possibility that this wreckage came from the Red Rock. The letter states that on neither boxes or tins were any marks by which they could be identified. In connection with the salmon cases found some time ago it might be stated that salmon so marked was shipped on the Beedchale as well as the Red Rock.

There can no longer be doubt that H. M. S. Con-dor has gone to the bottom of the ocean with all on board her. There have been several cases of this kind in the records of the navy. In 1878 the Eurycle, homeward bound from Bermuda, went down near the Isle of Wight, not a man of her 300 being saved; and in 1890 the Atalanta, with 245 on board, sailed from Bermuda never again to be heard of. There have been naval disasters where more lives were lost than in connection with either of these referred to, but there were in connection with them survivors who came home to tell their tales. In the case of the Con-dor and the Atalanta not even the day of the loss can be set down.

APPLICATION DISMISSED. Question Goes Over on Its Merits to Next Full Court. (Special to the Miner.) VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—The full court has dismissed the application to have the injunction restraining the V. V. & E. quashed. Judge Irving dissenting. The question therefore goes over on its merits to the next full court.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

D. H. Fawcett of Nelson Leaves a Wife and Several Children. (Special to the Miner.) NELSON, B. C., March 26.—A telegram was received tonight by the chief of police from Twohey Bros. contractors, notifying him that D. H. Fawcett of Nelson, had been accidentally killed at Elkko, and asking him to inform the family. Fawcett had been engaged in teaming and a short time ago went to East Kootenay to work on the construction of the railway from Elkko to the boundary. He leaves a wife and family of small children.

SAME LOCAL RATES.

Steamed Dolphin Can Call at Vancouver for Cattle. VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—Representatives of the steamship companies having steamers on the Alaska route, held a meeting here today. It decided to permit the Dolphin, as well as the City of Seattle, to call at Vancouver for cattle on her way north. They decided upon the same local rates as last year, and left the through tariff to the White Pass and Yukon to publish.

BULLOCK EXECUTED

THE CONDEMNED MAN DIES APPARENTLY WITHOUT ANY REMORSE. MADE NO STATEMENT, FURTHER THAN TO DECLARE HIS INNOCENCE. FORT SASKATCHEWAN, March 26.—C. B. Bullock was executed at the N. W. M. P. barracks this morning for the murder of Leon Stainon on April 28 last. Death was instantaneous.

The condemned man made no statement, slowly shaking his head when asked on the scaffold if he had anything to say. Rev. A. Aldridge, Methodist minister here, who has visited the prisoner daily since his confinement, was with him half an hour before the execution. While he listened attentively to all the counsel of his spiritual adviser, the prisoner showed no outward evidence of remorse, and stoutly protested his innocence to the last.

The trap was arranged in the second floor of the carpenter shop at the barracks, giving a drop of six feet. As Rev. Mr. Aldridge concluded reading the Lord's prayer the lever was pulled, and the condemned man shot downward. No movement indicated the presence of life after the trap was sprung. The executioner was Captain D. F. Einkly of Oranosa.

GRAND FORKS.

Mountain and Stream Club Organized in the Smelter City. (Special to the Miner.) GRAND FORKS, B. C., March 25.—The Grand Forks Mountain and Stream club has been organized, with the following board of directors: L. A. Manly, N. B. W. Hodges, H. N. Galer, Dr. Northrop and Fred Clark. The officers are: Honorable president, S. H. C. Miner; president, L. A. Manly; vice-president, A. E. W. Hodges; secretary, Fred Clark; assistant secretary, W. A. Harkin.

The club has leased from the Granby company the fishing privileges of Smelter lake, which will be improved and cleaned of debris. Its objects will be the preservation of the fish and game of the district and the enforcement of the laws relating thereto. It is proposed to erect a club and boat house at the lake. The city aldermen last night voted themselves salaries, varying in amount according to the importance of the chairmanships held by the various incumbents. The salaries range from \$50 to Alderman Harvey, chairman of the board of works, to \$150 for the two aldermen without portfolios. Mayor Holland declined to accept a salary, and his action is being warmly commended.

The capacity of the ore bins at the Granby smelter is being increased to an additional 3000 tons, bringing the capacity up to 13,000 tons. This is the second enlargement within the past six months. The new briquetting plant of the Granby smelter is working satisfactorily. Briquettes are being made without any lime save what is in the dust. They are so hard that they are sent direct to the furnace. Ordinarily they would have to be mixed with from 3 to 5 per cent of slack lime, and then dried for 24 hours before being dumped into the furnace. The advantage enjoyed by the Granby ores is the large quantity of lime they contain. The Jewel mine, Long lake camp, is shipping 30 tons of ore to the Granby smelter daily.

D. C. CAMERON NOMINATED

Protest Filed Against the Election of D. A. Stewart. WINNIPEG, Man., March 27.—The Liberals of the new Ontario constituency of Fort William and Lake of the Woods met in convention at Rat Portage today and nominated D. C. Cameron, of Rat Portage, as candidate for the Ontario legislature. A protest was filed today in the courts against the election of D. A. Stewart, Liberal member for Lisgar. The petition is filed on behalf of Richardson, one of the defeated candidates, and makes charges of bribery and corruption.

THE PRINCESS RADZIWILL

Accused of Forgery--Said Cecil Rhodes Signed Notes. CAPE TOWN, March 27.—The hearing of the charges against Princess Radzi-will (who is accused of forgery in connection with notes purporting to have been signed by Cecil Rhodes), was resumed today.

Bail in 2,500 Pounds Furnished--Committed for Trial.

The princess, who was apparently in good health and spirits, testified in her own behalf. She was committed for trial. Bail in £2500 was furnished by her and two securities.

The evidence submitted by the prosecution showed that last August Princess Radzi-will received two telegrams from Capetown to Kentworth, Cape Colony, purporting to be from B. A. Hawley, consul for the British Chartered South African company. The princess subsequently bribed a junior clerk in the telegraph office at Kentworth for 10 shillings to insert London as the office of the origin of these telegrams. She then showed the messages to a firm of attorneys as cablegrams from the solicitor of Mr. Rhodes. This was done with the object of securing a low rate of discount on a bill for £2000.

Mr. Rhodes cabled advertisements to South Africa papers, in which he repudiated his signature to all the bills, but Princess Radziwill afterwards attempted to discount notes for £3000 and £6000. The indictment against the princess includes 17 counts for forgery and fraud and a charge of contravention of the telegraph act.

GOLD CANNOT BUY.

John D. Rockefeller Loses Hair, Eyebrows and Mustache. NEW YORK, March 27.—John D. Rockefeller, the richest man in the world, is as bald as a billiard ball. His hair, mustache and eyebrows have vanished within a comparatively short period. "Alopecia," a rare disease, about which medical men know but little, is responsible for the affliction, which is supposed to be the result of nervous dyspepsia. Rockefeller's hair has been abundant, except on the top of his head. Not long ago it began to fall out in patches and nothing seemed to stop the loss. Then his eyebrows and his mustache were sacrificed. The change in his appearance is startling, and many of his best friends fail to recognize him when they meet. Most of Rockefeller's time is now spent in Lakewood, as it is supposed the pine country will be beneficial to him. His menu consists principally of milk and crackers. He takes a great deal of light exercise.

USUAL HALF YEARLY DIVIDEND.

LONDON, March 28.—The Bank of England at its semi-annual meeting declared the usual half-yearly dividend of 5 per cent. The profits for the six months to February 28 were £738,898. This shows unusually large profits. In the preceding half-year the bank's profits were £719,404; in the half-year ending with February, 1901, they were £725,596; in that ending September 30, 1900, they were £736,149; in the February half of the same fiscal year, £778,569. The Bank has paid 10 per cent annual dividends ever since 1896. In that year it paid 8 1/2 per cent; in 1895, when it earned about £200,000 less than it is now earning, it paid 8 1/4 per cent. The bank stock now sells in London at 334 1/2; a year ago it sold at 340; at this time in 1895 it brought 332.

BEFORE THE EUREKA CLUB.

Joe Gans Landed a Right Hook to the Jaw. BALTIMORE, Md., March 27.—Joe Gans of Baltimore, lightweight, knocked out Jack Bennett of McKeesport tonight in the fifth round of what was to have been a 20-round bout before the Eureka Athletic club. Bennett had cornered Gans in the fourth round, but Gans outgambled him. When the fifth round was about half over Gans landed a right hook to the jaw, which knocked Bennett senseless. Charlie White of New York acted as referee and one of the biggest crowds of the season saw the fight.

THE THREADGOLD CONCESSION.

Yukon Delegates Had an Interview With Laurier and Sifton. (Special to the Miner.) VICTORIA, B. C., March 27.—The Yukon delegation about the Threadgold concession had an interview today with Laurier and Sifton. The premier afterwards entertained them to luncheon at the Rideau club. Those at luncheon besides the delegates were Sifton, Fitzpatrick and Ralph Smith. It is understood that a bill will be introduced this session, giving representation in the Dominion parliament to Yukon.

Cecil Rhodes.

Fifteen Thousand Persons Viewed Remains at Groot Schuur. CAPE TOWN, March 29.—Fifteen thousand persons viewed the remains of Cecil Rhodes at Groot Schuur today. For seven hours an uninterrupted stream of those who wished to view the body moved by the casket.

"GOD SAVE THE KING"

Canadian Night at the Military Tournament, New York. NEW YORK, March 28.—This was a Canadian night at the military tournament, and the troops were reviewed by the Hon. F. W. Borden, Canadian minister of militia and defence.

The Box of Honor Decorated with British Flags.

The program included the Forty-eighth High School exhibition, drill, rough riding by Troop C, N. G., New York, the landing drill and battle exercises by the First battalion of naval militia. The music was by the Second Cavalry, the drill and driving exhibition by the Fourth Battery, Field Artillery, U. S. A., and the popular exhibition of the pontoon bridge building.

The exhibition musical drill of the Canadian militiamen received applause. Before coming to the Garden the legislative officers of the military athletic league entertained the Canadian visitors at the lawyers' club. The guests included Lord Aymer, Adjutant General Maud, Col. Pellatt, Col. Charles E. Turner and Major Robertson.

This party, including Dr. Borden's wife and General McLeer, Col. Barnes of the Twenty-third regiment and Lieutenant Colonel Brady of the same regiment, sat in the reviewing box. The results of the athletic events were: Two hundred and twenty yards hurdle, military championship, finally won by H. Arnold. Twenty-second regiment engineers; time 28 1/5.

Eight hundred and eighty yards run, handicap, finally won by H. Valentine. Twenty-third regiment, 45 yards; time 2:04 1/5. One mile bicycle race, handicap, finally won by H. C. Rampton. Forty-seventh regiment, 30 yards; time 2:59 2/5.

Tug of war, won by First naval battalion, N. G., New York, from the Twelfth regiment by six feet. One mile relay race, scratch, won by Twenty-second regiment team; time 3:35 1/5. Two mile bicycle race, military championship, finally won by W. G. Frank. Twenty-second regiment engineers; time 6:25 3/5.

THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Adjourned Until a Week From Monday—Redistribution Considered. (Special to the Miner.) VICTORIA, B. C., March 27.—The house adjourned this afternoon until a week from Monday. The Redistribution Bill was considered on the report and a change was made by incorporating Squamish-Pemberton. Measures now in Lillooet, in Richmond. The estimates are expected to be taken up and night sittings commenced immediately upon resumption after recess.

The opposition have given notice that two motions, in which the E. & N. are concerned, asking for a select committee of the house to inquire if the provision in the Dominion statutes which provided that coal on lands granted to the E. & N. by the Dominion should be supplied by the imperial, provincial and Dominion government, and the Dominion government and the Canadian railway, with terminus on the Pacific coast, at the same price as to American railways and corporations. Others asked for a test case to see if the government cannot exact royalties on the E. & N. land grant.

MURDERED A WOMAN.

Was Found Dead on the Floor in Pool of Blood. JELICO Tenn., March 28.—Mrs. Green Older was murdered at her home at Saxton, Kentucky, eight miles north of Jellico, last night, by an unknown man, who escaped. Mr. and Mrs. Older returned from church services about 9 o'clock. Mrs. Older entered the house while Mr. Older went to the hen house in the rear. A moment later he heard his wife scream, and running to the front door saw an unknown man disappear. Older ran into the house and found his wife dead on the floor in a pool of blood. She had been brained by an ax, which was lying by her side. The citizens are organizing.

TREATED 7900 TONS OF ORE.

Granby Smelter Will Blow in Fourth Furnace on Monday. GRAND FORKS, B. C., March 28.—During the week ended today the Granby smelter treated 7900 tons of ore. Total treated to date, 353,825 tons. The fourth furnace will be blown on Monday. A. C. Flumerfelt, assistant general manager of the Granby company, left today for Montreal.

GRAND FORKS.

Jay P. Graves, General Manager of the Granby Company, Talks. (Special to the Miner.) GRAND FORKS, B. C., March 28.—Jay P. Graves, general manager of the Granby company, left today for Spokane after a week's stay in the Boundary, during which he inspected the Granby mines at Phoenix and the company's smelter in this city. He said to your correspondent: "We are getting estimates of the cost of installing a larger compressor plant to be operated either by electricity or steam. The character of the motor power will be determined as soon as various estimates are figured out. If electricity should be utilized we will buy power from the Cascade Power company, whose plant at Cascade is in an advanced stage of completion. After the order is given six months will elapse before the plant is delivered. We will then be enabled to increase our output to 2000 tons daily. The equipment will have sufficient capacity to not only operate the drills, but the hoist, pumps, etc. Our policy is to plan a long way ahead. We now have sufficient ore to occupy our smelter continuously for a period of between 15 and 20 years. Withal development will be prosecuted as continuously in the future as in the past.

PROSPEROUS PHOENIX.

The Boundary Mines Have Established a New Record. (Special to the Miner.) PHOENIX, B. C., March 28.—The Boundary mines have established a new record again this week for ore shipments, the total being 10,409 tons as follows: Granby Mines—7,741 tons. Mother Lode—2,368 tons. Golden Crown—90 tons. Jewel—210 tons. Total for 1902—98,866 tons.

A BIG INCREASE.

Customs Revenue for Canada for March Totals \$2,923,307. (Special to the Miner.) VICTORIA, B. C., March 29.—The customs revenue for Canada for March totals \$2,923,307, an increase of \$283,182 over the same month of 1901. For the nine months now past of the current fiscal year there is an increase in customs collections of \$1,958,592 over the same period of the preceding twelve months.

All the tenders are now in for the building of a new wooden steamer for the C. P. N. Co., to run between Victoria and northern British Columbia. It is estimated that she will cost about \$150,000. She will be finished in hard wood. A big stevedoring company has been formed, among those interested being Alex. McDermott of Victoria and Vancouver; Captain J. S. Gibson of Chemainus and another Vancouver firm. The company will practically control the stevedoring business on the British Columbia coast.

VICTORIA NEWS.

Protest Entered Against the Election of Colonel Prior. VICTORIA, B. C., March 29.—A protest has been entered against the election of Colonel Prior, minister of mines. The usual charges of bribery and corruption are made. The British ship Pengwyn has been placed on berth at Liverpool for Victoria. She is the seventh cargo ship either on her way or loading in the United Kingdom ports for Victoria. There are about 30 ships en route here, most of them in ballast to load lumber for or for orders.

Advice received from the west coast state that good progress is being made in the operations to float the sealing schooner Fawn, which is on Catalina island. GREENSHIELDS ABSOLVED. Chamberlain Says He Did Not Act in Dual Capacity. (Special to the Miner.) VICTORIA, B. C., March 29.—Wells and Greenshields were cross-examined at the commission today. Judge Walkem said he absolved Greenshields from the charge of acting in a dual capacity in the railway negotiations.

ENCYCICAL LETTER.

The Pope Reiterates Teachings Promulgated to Catholic World. ROME, March 29.—The pope today published a long encyclical letter, the tone of which suggests a substantial recommendation. After thanking God for prolonging his life, his holiness reiterates once more the teachings he has already promulgated to the Catholic world. He deplores the renewed attacks on the church and the recent errors of humanity, instigating divorce, and pictures the present condition of present society as having drifted into a state of anarchy. He entreats the people to return to Christ and the Roman pontiff as the only source whence the world can hope to obtain peace and salvation.

JEFFRIES VS. FITZSIMMONS.

Charleston Makes a Big Bid for the Prize Fight. NEW YORK, March 29.—J. C. Jaudon, representing the Charleston exposition, has posted a certified check for \$5,000 as a guarantee of the offer of a purse of \$26,000 for the Fitzsimmons-Jeffries fight. Charleston's offer is of 75 per cent. of the gross receipts with \$25,000 guaranteed to the fighters as a minimum sum. A formal tender covering the offer was made and consideration of it with the other bids when they are opened on April was asked. Jaudon said today that he was positive there would be no interference with the fight. His plan is to have a daylight contest within the exposition grounds on any day between May 15th and June 1st.

HE FOUGHT SINGLE-HANDED

Refused to Throw Down His Arms--Was Killed. THE FIGHT OF THE TWENTY-FOUR WITH THE BOERS. PRETORIA, March 28.—From the first prisoners captured it was learned that General Delarey himself was outside the actual cordon in the engagement of March 24th, when the British captured over a hundred prisoners and recovered three guns and two pom-poms. Delarey had slept some distance westward, but Liebenberg, Kemp and other Boer commanders were inside the column of troops. The first body, consisting of about 500 Boers, sighted at ten o'clock in the morning, March 24th, retreated at full speed for a gap between the British columns. A race for the opening ensued. The British mounted infantry, which had already ridden upwards of fifty miles, pressed their tired horses until they gave out, when the men jumped off and raced forward on foot. Some of the mounted men, however, were able to gallop right into the gap just ahead of the Boers, whom they met with a warm fire. These troops also succeeded in driving back another body of 300 Boers, who were forced to desert the guns they had captured from the Von Donop convoy in February. The Boers tried to get through several openings, but on each occasion were forced to double back, until they ultimately found a gap and passed out of the British lines within sight of Klerksdorp. Night fell before the pursuing column could overtake the Boers.

Five Canadians who fell out of their column; tried to work their way back, were surrounded by a Boer force and made a splendid defence, but finally their case was hopeless. Four of the Canadians surrendered. The fifth, however, indignantly refused to throw down his arms, and continued a single-handed fight until he was killed. This was regarded as one of the most interesting incidents of the day.

PRETORIA, March 28.—An instance of the resourcefulness of the Boers was given by Liebenberg and several other men. Taking advantage of the confusion of the drive he and his followers assumed a formation similar to that of a British column, and moving close to one of the numerous gaps in the British lines, succeeded in reaching this opening before their route was detected and got safely away. The guns captured from Von Donop's convoy were brilliantly recaptured by the Scottish Horse, who charged up to the muzzles of the artillery and rode the Boer gunners off their feet before the latter had a chance to fire.

PASSENGER RATES.

Go Into Effect March 31--Summer Season Lengthened. NEW YORK, March 29.—Local agents of the English and continental steamship lines received notice today that the agreement on the minimum of passenger rates which was fully effected last week on the other side will go into effect Monday, March 31st. The agreement contains a provision lengthening the summer season. There are about 30 ships en route here, most of them in ballast to load lumber for or for orders.

ISLAND OF JAMAICA.

Chamberlain Says He Cannot Consent to New Constitution. KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 29.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, replying to a memorial from the members of the legislature, says that, with all good will towards the people of Jamaica and their representatives, he cannot consent to the new constitution until the existing conditions have been given a fair and adequate trial and by common consent have been found wanting. General disappointment is expressed over Mr. Chamberlain's reply.

THREE MEN KILLED.

Two Washah Freight Trains Collide--Disabused Orders. JARVIS, Ont., March 28.—Two Washah freight trains running over the Grand Trunk tracks collided near here this morning. Engineers Charlton and McGill and brakeman McDonald of St. Thomas, Ont., were instantly killed. The accident was caused by the engineer of the eastbound train not obeying orders to stop at this station. A large number of loaded cars on both trains were wrecked and the loss to the company will be heavy.

MINES CONSOLIDATED.

The Daily West and Quincey Mining Companies of Utah. SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 28.—The Daily West and Quincey mining companies, two of the largest properties in the state, are to be consolidated. The properties of the two companies practically adjoin each other. Litigation involving millions of dollars between the companies is brought to an end by the consolidation.

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