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MERCILESS EXAMINATION

Mrs. Burdick is Subjected to Severe Cross Questioning - Explained Her Relations With Pennell Since 1901 - No Evidence Was Brought Out to Prove Her Guilt.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Buffalo, March 25. - Mrs. Burdick underwent a merciless examination during the inquest over her husband's body. She was forced to tell of her relations with Pennell since he first made love to her in 1901, of the di-

QUIET WAS RESTORED

In San Domingo by the Arrival of Ships

Ministers Have Taken Refuge in American Consulate - Commerce is Dead.

Special to the Daily Nugget. Washington, March 25. - A report has been received announcing that quiet has been restored in San Domingo by warships in port. Minister of War Richardo was captured by rebels. The other ministers sought refuge in the U. S. consulate. There has been severe fighting at Lavoga. Commerce is at a standstill. President Vasquez has been driven from the island.

Hotel Burned. Cape May, N. J., March 25. - The Marine Villa hotel at Cape May was destroyed by fire with a loss of \$60,000.

Dawson Rifles, Attention. This company will begin its regular weekly drill on Thursday evening this week, instead of Friday as formerly ordered, at 8 o'clock sharp at the A. B. hall. Hereafter the weekly drills will be held on Friday evening of each week.

New members who apply on Thursday evening next will be enrolled, and all members of the company must be present on that evening in uniform.

The company badge and crest has been authorized by the department of militia, consisting of a gilt maple leaf, on which is mounted a garber (labeled "Dawson Rifles, Canada"), surmounted by the Tudor crown, within the garter a Yukon gold pan with pick and shovel crossed, underneath which is the motto "Usque Ad Boream."

Ask your grocer for Swift's bacon.

EASTER HATS. Spring Skirts, Blouses, Neckwear, etc. JUST IN. SUMMERS & ORRELL, 112 SECOND AVENUE.

Good Dry Wood! A. J. PRUDHOMME, 211 Harper St., No. Free Library. Phone 214-A.

Electric Lights Summer Rates. April 1 to Sept. 30, 1903. Business Places... Half night (burning to midnight only) \$ .75 per week. All night (if burning after midnight) 1.25 per week. Service on meter, rates as at present. Residences... Service on meter as at present, minimum charge reduced to \$5 per month, and meter rent \$1 per month. Flat rate—first light \$4.50 with each additional light \$3.00 per month. Power furnished in town or on creeks. Rates on application. Dawson Electric Light & Power Co., Ltd. J. A. WILLIAMS, President. H. W. CARR, Manager.

Lumber! Lumber! ARCTIC SAWMILL. All Kinds of Dimension Rough and Dressed Lumber. Mining, Sluice and Flume Lumber a Specialty. Office at Mill - Klondike River at Mouth of Bear Creek. Telephone - Mouth of Bear. City Office - Boyle's Wharf, Front St., Dawson.

DENY RUMOR

Railroad Magnates Did Not Go Into Scheme. Special to the Daily Nugget. New York, March 25. - Officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad stoutly deny that their company has entered the Rockefeller-Morgan combination to secure control of the New York Central.

Fatal Fight. Special to the Daily Nugget. Oxnard, Cal., March 24. - During a fight at Oxnard, Cal., between Japanese and Mexican laborers 200 shots were exchanged. Two Mexicans were killed and another was severely hurt. Two Japanese were painfully injured.

AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Governor of Lower California Dies. Special to the Daily Nugget. London, March 25. - The Irish land bill introduced in the British commons this afternoon proposes a free grant of sixty million dollars for the purchase of land by tenants. A credit scheme is also propounded by which five hundred millions can be lent to settlers at 3 1/2 per cent. The annual charge to the nation by the flotation of the new loan will be \$1,950,000. The government attaches greater importance to the credit plan than to the cash operation. The new legislation it is hoped will promote peace and content in Ireland. The house was crowded by interested listeners who assembled to hear Irish Secretary Wyndham's speech.

Turned His Office Over to Successor Only a Few Days Before. Special to the Daily Nugget. San Francisco, March 25. - Former Governor Abraham Aronson died at Esenada after a few hours illness. It was only a few days ago that he turned over the governorship of the northern district of Lower California to his successor, Col. Vega.

Stops Betting. Dallas, March 25. - Texas has passed a bill to prohibit betting on horse races.

PASSENGER STAGES. Two Arrived Yesterday and One Today With Full Lists. Stages are coming into Dawson almost daily how each bringing full loads of passengers. Yesterday two Arrived - one Merchants and one White Pass, and this morning another White Pass stage arrived. No first-class mail was on either of the White-Pass stages but the Merchants brought a small consignment of second-class mail.

The passengers brought in by the Merchants stage were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jacobs, Mrs. A. DeGraf, Nick Conroy, Walter Nauau, E. Middlecott, M. A. Stewart, R. H. Henry, W. C. J. Bartels, A. Swanson, T. S. Brazil, J. Jackson, E. Jacobs.

The passengers arriving on the White Pass stage last night were: E. M. Lengle, W. N. Brown, Geo. DeLeon, Capt. Sinclair, A. Nerland, Mrs. McCormick, F. Cook, John Shaw, E. G. Gibson, H. M. McGinley, P. Satterly.

This morning's stage brought - D. A. Shindler, C. K. Snell, W. T. Bush, Ed. McMillen, Wm. Growley, wife and child, Wm. Moore, G. W. Adams, M. H. Nay, Eric Anderson, W. S. Nay, T. Bennett, F. Medack.

A White Pass stage arrived this afternoon with 140 pounds of mail and the following passengers: W. M. Long, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Birch, Miss Birch, W. S. Shaw, W. Shaw, S. McDonald, M. McDonald, H. Morrison, Joseph Strive.

Japs Are Entertaining. Vancouver, Feb. 18. - One of the latest enterprises in the Japanese in British Columbia have engaged in is making herring guano. This industry is in the experimental stage yet, but they have made several shipments to their native land. The herring run of the Nanaimo harbor is famed all over the coast. The Japs are catching the herring, and have set up at Departure Bay a sort of makeshift plant for taking the fish oil from the herring, and they have a crude process of turning the refuse fish into fertilizer. Their process is not perfect yet, but the article is considered good enough to ship to Japan to be used on the orange groves there.

Shindler Blows Back. D. A. Shindler, the hardware man, returned to Dawson this morning after a several months trip to the outside. Mr. Shindler has traveled considerably during his vacation and finds business conditions generally good. He looks in excellent health and says he is glad to return to Dawson.

Swift's Bacon always gives satisfaction. Job Printing at Nugget office. Swift's Bacon has no equal.

INTRODUCED IN COMMONS

Land Bill Proposed to Help Ireland. A Credit Scheme is Advanced by Which Assistance May be Given.

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DAUGHTER'S DEATH

Causes Paris Banker to Lose His Mind. Special to the Daily Nugget. Paris, March 25. - C. H. Davis manager of the Paris bank of Thomas Cook & Sons, has disappeared. His "mind" is supposed to have been unbalanced in consequence of the death of his daughter.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

Climax to Charges of Immorality. Sir Hector McDonald Said to Have Taken His Own Life.

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, March 25. - The London Evening News announces in a Paris despatch that Sir Hector McDonald has committed suicide. This is the climax to charges of immorality against that famous soldier who rose from the ranks. The charges have caused a tremendous sensation. That the hero of a dozen fights in India, the Sudan and the Transvaal should come to so ignoble an end without clearing up the horrible charges makes his death all the more deplorable.

WEATHER REPORT. From Points Along River Show Moderate Temperature.

The weather report of this morning shows considerable variation in the temperature at the various stations. With the exception of Big Salmon, which reported zero, the temperature is mild and the atmosphere clear on the upper river, while at Dawson and Fortymile it was a little colder. The sun has caused the temperature to rise at Dawson and at noon today it was 20 above.

Atlin, clear, calm, 10 above. Lebarge, clear, south wind, 10 above. Hootalingua, clear, calm, 12 above. Big Salmon, clear, calm, zero. Yukon Crossing, cloudy, calm, 20 above. Selkirk, cloudy, calm, 18 above. Selwyn, cloudy, south wind, 20 above. Stewart, cloudy, calm, 24 above. Ogilvie, cloudy, calm, 12 above. Dawson, cloudy, calm, zero. Fortymile, cloudy, calm, 2 below.

Wm. Barrett Laid Up. Wm. Barrett, the Third Avenue merchant, met with an accident Monday evening which will confine him to his room for a couple of weeks. Mr. Barrett has entered the hand ball tournament and was one of the first players and it was while playing for the first point he accidentally fell over some obstruction and sprained his ankle. The sprain is more severe than it was thought at first and Mr. Barrett will be disabled for such a length of time he has decided to withdraw from the first series as not to retard the games. He expects to be able to play again in a couple of weeks and then he will show hand ballers a few tricks in the game.

Off for Tanana. Mr. Jack Patton, the night watchman, and John Menhart, the boy who was reported some time ago as being frozen to death on Deane creek but who returned safely to Dawson, left this morning for the Tanana. They are taking a good outfit and are well prepared for the trip.

This fisher seems to be contentions, said the stranger, noting the long row of angles perched upon the creek bank. "Yes, it's contagious all right," said the man who had been fishing four hours without a nibble. "I catch 'em." "New England Home-lead."

The maiden fair now reasons thus: "I'm gayly flirt and be a little wicked - just a wee. Wee, wee, wee - you see. Ere very long it will be Lent. I'll have so much time to repent." - Chicago Record-Herald.

Swift's Winchester Bacon at all first class grocers. The Nugget's stock of job printing materials is the best that ever came to Dawson. Job Printing at Nugget office.

STOCK EXCHANGE EXCITED

By Reason of Fear That Consols Will Go Down Into Eighties - Banks May Be Compelled to Reorganize and Get Out New Balances. Usually Above Ninety.

Special to the Daily Nugget. London, March 25. - Consternation reigns on the London Stock Exchange by the possibility of consols going down into the eighties. The price fell to 40 this morning. Bankers have always written down their consols

POTTER'S FIELD

Claims Man Once the Rival of Armour's. Etzeta Dead. Panama, March 25. - General Etzeta, former president of Salvador and one of the most conspicuous figures of South America, died penniless.

ACUTE PHASE

Reached in the Strike at Cripple Creek. Cripple Creek, March 25. - The strike situation in Cripple Creek is assuming an acute phase. It is said that every mine in the district with the exception of three will be closed in the next twenty-four hours.

Ice Breaking. Montreal, March 25. - Navigation is opening on the St. Lawrence and the great lakes. The ice is very rotten.

OPERA ERMINIE

By the Dawson Amateur Operatic Society. The first rehearsal of Jack Johnson's useful and popular opera "Erminie" will be held in St. Andrew's hall tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is particularly requested. The opera will be produced during the latter part of May, and rehearsals will be held every Monday and Thursday evening. A general business meeting of the society will be held immediately after the rehearsal tomorrow evening. All the members of the society are requested to bring back the costumes and scores used in the recent production of "Pirates of Penzance."

Dominion Notes. Nick Sullivan, an old timer, is back on Dominion shaking hands with his acquaintances. He is interested in No. 2 below lower discovery.

A. Keirig of 8 below upper Dominion recently returned from a winter vacation in California. Henry Hata is in town having new machinery for his claim No. 8 below lower.

Hay and oats at rock bottom prices for cash at Barrett's. Phone No. 1. Power of Attorney Blank for the Tanana-Nugget Office.

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Spring Clothing. SWELL SUITS, OVERCOATS AND TROUSERS.

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SEVERELY FROZEN

At Bartlett Has Arrived in Dawson. Member of Firm of Bartlett Bros. En Route to Attend Trial of Mike in Seattle.

Al Bartlett, who was well known in Dawson during the early days having been interested in the firm of Bartlett Bros., one of the first freighting and packing concerns of the north, arrived in Dawson last evening from the lower river where he has been engaged in prospecting and wood contracting for the last three years.

Mr. Bartlett is located at the mouth of the Tanana river where he has just completed a large wood contract for Port Gibson. He is on his way to Seattle to attend the trial of his brother Mike Bartlett, who is charged with the murder of his wife, which is to be heard next month.

Mr. Bartlett first heard of his brother's trouble on the 2nd of January and he was at the time up in the wood camp. He immediately started to come out but he met with a spell of extremely cold weather and was so severely frozen as to nearly lose his life. He was rescued and taken back to camp and it was five weeks before he could start out again.

Mr. Bartlett says that he has not been at the scene of the new strike but sent his partner Henry O'Brien into the diggings last fall. He heard from him continually up to the time he left and all the reports he sent out were to the effect that the Tanana would be a good camp. Mr. Bartlett has secured seven claims in the district and also a town lot at Fairbanks and one at Chena. He says he has every reason to believe his claims are good ones. He will be in Dawson for several days before starting for the outside.

Small Boys Will Play. The small boys will have another inning at hockey tonight at the D. A. A. rink. When the Klondike Cycle team and Avery's team will play for the junior championship. The game will commence at 8:15 and will be a warm go.

Fresh Rex Bacon. Barrett's. Third attorney. Phone No. 1. Swift's Bacon lot sale everywhere.

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KLONDIKE NUGGET. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1913.

LYING AS USUAL.

The News is amusing itself by republishing cartoons that appeared in the Nugget "knocking" the government before the Nugget was "bought off," and the Nugget is busily engaged in explaining. No explanation is needed. Everyone understands it was simply the sale of an established policy and all the honor of an opposition sheet for a few pieces of government printing.

The foregoing is taken from the editorial columns of the Sun, designated as a newspaper "by courtesy and presumed" to be the mouthpiece of the government. The paragraph is in accord with the average utterances of that sheet and under ordinary circumstances would be given no attention.

The Nugget feels called upon, however, to refer to the matter briefly, by reason of the fact that the charge contained in the Sun's editorial constitutes a slur upon certain high officials in the territory who in the very nature of things cannot speak a word in their own defense.

Nevertheless, the Sun charges the gentlemen concerned with making use of government patronage for purposes of bribery. The charge is a grave one and emanating from the government paper even though that paper is universally repudiated in official circles, should be given attention.

The Sun has laid a blanket charge against the local representatives of the government which if true would warrant a cancellation of their commissions. If not true, the Sun is branded for all time as a slanderer and wilful maligner of character.

The Sun knows perfectly well that its foolish charges are absolutely false—it will not make those charges definite because it can not. But purely to vent a little spite on a competitor the government organ is willing to stigmatize the characters of the very men who furnish the patronage that keeps the moribund Sun from actual dissolution.

Without government patronage the Sun could not live a single day in view of which fact, the uncalled for, cowardly, false and malicious slur that it has cast upon local officials seems well nigh inexplicable.

KEEP THE WORK UP. Good work has already been performed in prosecuting the fight against Treadgold. Letters and messages have been sent to the government from influential sources through

out the territory and outside assistance is rapidly being enlisted. The telegram received by the elected members of the Yukon council published in yesterday's issue of the Nugget indicates that the efforts of the community are having effect and that it is the expectation of the government to satisfy the demands of the people. With this encouragement already received, it stands the community in hand to press upon parliament the fact that absolute nullification of the Treadgold concession will alone satisfy the people.

When it is thoroughly realized at Ottawa that the whole territory is a unit on the question and that the absolute conviction prevails throughout the camp that the Treadgold grants constitute a menace to the peace and prosperity of the whole country, there is reason to believe that the desired action will be taken.

Mr. Ross is again at Ottawa and the protests of the community backed by all the facts, and figures obtainable should be in his hands at the earliest possible moment.

Now that the anti-Treadgold movement is in full swing, the good work should continue until the whole of Canada is informed with respect to the injury that would be worked to the community by the threatening action.

A puppet-wail went up from the news of last evening because connecting telegrams have been sent to Ottawa by two representative organizations, both having the same end in view. The News' regrets are purely of a crocodile character.

The people of this territory must stand firmly together shoulder to shoulder and impress upon the government the necessity of remedial legislation. It is no time for petty dissensions. The situation has resolved itself into a case of hanging together or hanging separately.

Occasionally the Sun produces an editorial which shows a deep knowledge of the subject discussed. The gambling editorial of a few days since furnished a case in point and the discussion of the harem question in this morning's issue showed the writer to be entirely en rapport.

Twenty-One Square Miles. Halifax, March 3.—An American syndicate whose headquarters are at Boston, have just secured an option on an extensive coal property in Nova Scotia. The areas bonded comprise twenty-one square miles in the Springhill coal basin, beginning at a point about five miles from the present workings of the Cumberland Coal & Railway Company and adjoining the areas of the latter. The price is \$100,000. These areas are as yet undeveloped. The owners, T. R. Guy and J. A. Johnson of Halifax are confident that the main basin, the seams of which aggregate forty feet in thickness, will be struck through the American syndicate has secured aly drills, and will be at work on the areas in two weeks. The Geological Survey of Canada has thoroughly explored this section of country, and last summer Mr. Hugh Fletcher, one of the experts of that service, traced the famous Barlow seam into these areas. It is expected that the main basin of the Springhill seam, one of the most extensive in Nova Scotia, will be struck not very far from the surface. Nova Scotia mined last year 1,328,000 tons of coal, an increase over 1901 of \$49,000 tons. Of this aggregate Cumberland produced half a million tons.

Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office.

WASH GOODS. I am showing a very large line of the latest styles in FOUULARDS, GINGHAMS, LINENS, PERCALES, LINENS, &c.

New Embroideries, Laces, Insertions, &c. J. P. McLENNAN. 233 FRONT ST. Phone 101-B. Agent for Standard Patterns.

Murphy Returns. Councilman George Murphy returned to Dawson Monday evening from Seattle, where he has been since the early part of January. Mr. Murphy traveled along the coast visiting the principal cities and says that they are in a most prosperous condition.

The Northern Pacific Railway is to build a tunnel under Seattle at an expense of \$9,000,000, which will further advance that city. Everett, Vancouver and other cities are feeling the effects of the good times. The lumber industry is particularly good, made so by the large amount of building that is being done. Prices on lumber have jumped nearly one hundred per cent, and it is hard at that for the mills to supply the demand. Everybody is so busy that politics have been forced to a back seat.

Mr. Murphy looks hale and hearty and says he is glad to get back to Dawson again. Mrs. Murphy and son returned with him.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. W. C. Leake and Mrs. Celene arrived on the stage Monday night and are stopping at the Regina.

According to late advice Mr. Justice Dugas left Montreal on the 10th inst. and unless unduly delayed at Ottawa will arrive within a very few days.

Among the arrivals on the last stage were Mons. A. Tarut accompanied by Mme. Tarut and maid M. Janet is associate manager of the syndicate to purchase with M. Pajard.

Mr. Justice Craig rendered judgment yesterday morning in the case of Heaver vs. DeSoucy, the findings being practically the same as in the case of Palmer vs. DeSoucy. The case of Cole vs. Monerief, an inter-leave issue, was heard yesterday.

Win. D. Gross, the well known merchant tailor, has returned to Dawson bringing with him a full line of spring goods which he will shortly open for inspection. Mr. Gross has secured the best stock to be had in the eastern markets and is prepared for a big business this spring.

Mr. Charles Snell, a well known young man who was formerly in the employ of the McLennan & McEwey Hardware Co. but who went outside last July, is returning to Dawson and will enter the service of the Yukon Hardware Co., the successors of the former firm. Mr. Snell has a reputation as a lacrosse player and all round sportsman and will add materially to the strength of the team which he secures his services. His many friends will be pleased to welcome him back.

Police Court. Sam McDonald, proprietor of the McDonald saloon on Third avenue, was in the police court this morning charged with selling liquor to Angus McDonald, an interdicted person.

The defendant stated that he had sold five or six bottles of liquor to Angus, who said it was to be used as medicine as there was sickness in his family. Mrs. Angus McDonald, who had the information, stated that her husband had bought the whisky for his own use and had indulged in it freely. His lordship reserved his decision.

J. E. Pickering, of the firm of Rouse & Co., was charged with stealing a bucket of water from one of the taps of the Dawson Water & Power Co. The evidence showed that the tap was open at the time he drew the water and that it was not necessary to use the key which Rouse & Co. purchased from the water company. The case was therefore dismissed.

Meat Advances. Seattle, March 24.—The price of meat has materially advanced at all Puget Sound points.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply at 323 Fourth avenue, between Duke and Albert streets. Call morning.

Mr. D. A. Shindler, the well-known hardware merchant, is expected to arrive in Dawson by tonight's stage.

Barrett will receive on Tuesday 250 cases of eggs from the outside, before buying the old stock see him.

STRIKE ON C. P. R.

Will Work Hardship Merchants of Dawson

The strike of the freight handlers and longshoremen of the Canadian Pacific Railway is liable to work considerable hardship on the merchants of Dawson. A letter received in Dawson this morning states that in Vancouver the merchants and clerks are compelled to drive their own teams for delivering goods to the transportation company and also to load them onto the boats. The teamsters, longshoremen and freight handlers refuse absolutely to handle a pound of freight and there are now 75 to 100 cars of goods for the north at the sheds of the C.P.R. waiting to be transferred to the boats.

From Poverty to Wealth. Hartford, Conn., March 6.—Some fifteen years ago Alfred and Joseph Ladue, French Canadian brothers, came here from Dangda, eventually going into business on Morgan street. Both were well educated, their schooling having been looked after by an uncle of means. Their business venture was only indifferently successful. Alfred later became a bartender and has followed that vocation since. When Homer Lefebvre bought the place at No. 88 Front street, Alfred engaged with him and is still holding the position of head bartender. Joe did not retain his ambition, as the brother did, drifting about the ward like a leaf in the wind, caring for little beyond the satisfaction of temporary desires.

Recently the old uncle who had educated the boys and prepared them for useful business lives died at his home in Canada, and due time the brothers were notified that by his will each would receive a comfortable fortune—\$25,000 apiece. Both went up to the old home a couple of weeks ago to get a closer realization of their good luck, returning here the latter part of last week. Each drew \$2,500 on account, and, although Alfred is attending to business at the old stand, their friends have been made aware that they are just now on the sunny side of the game, and their health has been drunk many times by the frequenters of Hartford's Tenderloin—the Ward—and at the expense of the lucky Canadians. It will be the merriest kind of a Christmas season for the brothers and their friends.

Meeting Opposer. Berlin, March 3.—Chancellor von Buelow is meeting with strong opposition in the bundsrath to the proposed repeal of the anti-Jesuit law. The bundsrath, whose sessions are private, has been debating the question for two days. This upper house in the German parliament has fifty-eight members, appointed by the government, of the confederated states. Twenty-four of the members are in favor of repealing the law, twenty-eight are opposed to it, and six are doubtful. The chief has aroused the most lively domestic interest.

Still Hard Ground. Queenston, March 3.—The Dominion liner Merion, from Boston for Liverpool, went aground near Rock Point last Sunday and was still fast. The weather has moderated, but three tugs which made another attempt today to release the vessel failed to do so, and more powerful tugs have been ordered to the scene from Liverpool. The officers of the Merion believe there is every probability of the ship being saved, although it is feared that the rock has pierced her bottom forward. All the passengers have been removed and have proceeded to Liverpool by way of Dublin.

The temperature is on the rise again today. The minimum for the 24 hours prior to 9 o'clock this morning was 8 below and the maximum was 11 above. At noon today the thermometer in the shade registered 10 above while in the sun it was considerably above thawing.

Mr. J. P. McLennan, the well known First avenue merchant, received this morning by express a fine assortment of wash goods, silk waists, jackets, etc.

Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office. Job Printing at Nugget office.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

Will be Given by Newspaper Woman

Miss Marie Jousseye Completes Her Labors in Dawson and Will Soon Leave. Miss Marie Jousseye who represents the Anglo-American Press syndicate has about completed her labors in Dawson and is preparing to return to England.

She has been here since last August and has spent 3 months on the creeks gathering information relative to actual conditions in this camp. She goes to London with the object in view of giving an illustrated lecture based upon her experiences and observations in the Klondike and certainly she has an abundance of material with which to work.

In addition to the descriptive matter which will constitute the basis of her lectures, she has secured a vast quantity of photos and ink drawings representing almost every conceivable phase of the miner's life. She has views showing all the processes of conducting mining operations from the old wood fire plan of thawing up to the big hydraulic plants, a number of which are now in operation. There are scenes in shafts, drifts and tunnels, pictures of miners rocking and panning, drawings showing the various formations encountered in the different districts and a splendid sketch of the deep shaft on Eldorado. The gusher is also given a prominent place in the views.

All the latter will be placed on slides and used as a huge stereopticon instrument, the whole forming a splendid pictorial review of the industry of placer mining as prosecuted in the Klondike.

A humorous time will be given to the lecture by the presentation of imaginary sketches of mastodons and other ante-diluvian monarchs, gamboing on the shores of the Yukon.

Miss Jousseye will contribute a number of newspaper articles to leading British journals before embarking upon her lecture venture. The material she has gathered is extremely valuable and has the special virtue of being accurate and within conservative lines.

If there is any interest whatever felt among the people of England with respect to this country Miss Jousseye's illustrated lecture should command widespread attention.

Well Done, Elevator Boys! Through the bravery of two elevator boys a panic was averted among the 150 girls who were cut off by fire on the top floor of the seven-story building, Nos. 19 and 21 Lafayette place, New York, Monday evening. The girls were employees of Herschman & Co., clothing manufacturers. The flames did not spread quickly, the firemen arrived promptly and the girls had time to get down to the street, thanks to the cool work of the elevator runners.

Thomas and Frank Clancy, brothers, ran the cars to the top of the building for the girls. A dozen trips were made, and a crowded elevator descended each time, with girls who were frightened but who did not become panicky. Those who remained behind between trips inhaled some smoke, but though they got excited, they waited for their turn, and all were very soon in the street.

Making Picture Hats. Miss Roosevelt, Countess Cassini, Baroness Hingelmaier and many others will make picture-hats to be sold at a special auction at Mrs. R. H. Warder's early in March for the benefit of the Co-operative Sewing Society. Society women generally have become interested in the unique enterprise. Each hat will bear the full autograph of the maker, which will probably be as conducive to lively bidding as the beauty of the head-piece itself. Countess Cassini has long been famed for her artistic picture hats, all of which she makes herself, often bringing with her from Paris a few hats as samples. Under her efficient tutelage, it is said, Miss Roosevelt and other girls of the younger set have become adepts in the milliner's art, and each will spare neither time nor money in manufacturing hats for their enterprise. —New York Sun.

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The White Pass & Yukon Route. PASSENGER AND MAIL SERVICE. On account of heavy travel inbound our RATES WILL BE ADVANCED ON MARCH 24th. Stages will be sent out of Dawson as fast as they arrive making EXTRA FAST TIME THROUGH TO WHITEHORSE. For particulars enquire at office.

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Tournament to be Held as Usual—Members Increased

The annual meeting of the Lawn Tennis Association yesterday evening at the Messrs. H. M. Martin & Robertson and in addition the yearly report of the officers for the ensuing year was read.

Major Z. T. Wood, the honorary president since his formation, was T. D. Pattullo, former captain, was made president. Captain Starnes, Arthur F. G. Crisp were made vice-presidents. H. E. A. Robertson, secretary, O. S. Robertson, treasurer, F. Stantley, secretary, J. Stantley, secretary, A. H. Hugg, secretary, George White, secretary.

The ladies' committee Mrs. Arthur Dayer, Mrs. McHugh and Mrs. G. Frank. As soon as the frost ground the court will be open for the season. The present time is the best time to play tennis. The present time is the best time to play tennis.

FIGHTERS' CO. Movements of Sports World. Billy Bates, a big, husky fellow, whom Billy Britton set as an aspirant for the honors, dropped into a building yesterday and was taken to the hospital.

The following notable event during the past two weeks the signing of articles between Corbett and Jim Jeffries was the acceptance of the articles of the battle by the latter, meeting at the residence of Jim and the fight is due to be put on at Los Angeles, California, some time in the near future. The contract, the largest crowd ever had to see the fight, was secured by the Los Angeles promoter, nevertheless the fight of the game was won by Jim but Jeffries.

The fact that Jim Jeffries has been able to win the fight, is not about all in the game, he should have made a whipping match of it in any way you want to see it has been nothing but a waste of time.

Says the Los Angeles Examiner, "The only thing that has happened since the fight between Corbett and Jim Jeffries, is that Jim Jeffries has been able to win the fight, is not about all in the game, he should have made a whipping match of it in any way you want to see it has been nothing but a waste of time."

OFFICERS ELECTED

Annual Meeting of the Tennis Club

Tournament to be Held This Year as Usual—Membership Not Increased.

The annual meeting of the Dawson Lawn Tennis Association was held yesterday evening at the residence of Mrs. H. M. Martin and H. E. A. Robertson...

Major Z. T. Wood, who has been the honorary president of the club since its formation, was re-elected...

The ladies' committee consists of Mrs. Arthur Davey, Mrs. Frank J. McDonald and Mrs. George White-Fraser.

As soon as the frost has left the ground the court will be leveled and put in condition for play which will begin the moment the weather will permit.

Another tournament similar to that held last year and the year before will be inaugurated probably some time in June.

FIGHTERS' CORNER

Movements of Sports in Outside World.

Billy Bates, a big, husky looking fellow, whom Billy Brit has brought out as an aspirant for heavyweight honors, dropped into The Times building yesterday and made himself known.

Two rather notable events came off during the past two weeks. One was the signing of articles between Jim Corbett and Jim Jeffries and the other was the acceptance of Sharkey and Munroe of the Butte \$10,000 offer for their meeting.

Seven indictments Tacoma, Feb. 27.—Seven indictments have been returned by the federal grand jury and several other complaints are under investigation.

Miners' Convention. Paducah, Ky., March 7.—The reading of Secretary Campbell's report was the chief business of today's session of the miners' convention.

FOR SALE.—25-horse return, fine boiler and fittings at a bargain, on hillside No. 4 from mouth Last Chance.

AN EXTRA... HUSBAND

By Harriet Monroe.

The judge had many stories to tell of his early experiences on the circuit, when Arizona was the happy hunting ground of bandits, Indians, "grocers" and militant cowboys...

The Arizona statutes were indulgent to the overmarried; they made it easy for a gentleman that had dropped his spouse, for one reason or another, in the states to find a more congenial household deity in the wilds.

But the suit in question was brought for a reason which even the church would consider sufficient. The plaintiff, a rich, middle-aged mine owner, alleged that the defendant, a frowny and slightly damaged lady of forty or less, willed a bit when her husband's lawyer preferred this charge and regained her poise when her own denied it.

When the witness had confessed his name and age—"Do you know this lady?" inquired the plaintiff's lawyer.

"Waal, I thought I knew her twenty years ago," the witness drawled. "How well did you know her?"

"She was my wife," said Timothy, confronting the angry headlike eyes. "May I trouble you to look carefully at the lady—are you sure she was your wife?"

"Sure!" said Timothy, confidently. "She ain't so purty as she was—she's a little the worse for wear—but it's the same woman."

"Please tell the story of your marriage," said the lawyer. "Waal, they ain't much to tell," said Timothy. "Her mother kep a boardinghouse at a camp down near Bisbee, an' women was scarce in them days, an' I fell in love with her an' married her, an' tak her home. That's about all there was to it, I guess."

"How long did you live together?" the witness paused to reflect. "Oh about six or eight months, I should say—long enough fur her to decide that marriage ain't all it's cracked up to be. One mornin', when I was gone to work, she lit out."

"Did you see her again?" said the lawyer. "Yaas, I went to her mother's an' tried to persuade her to come back, but she'd had enough of it, so I just punched the breezes."

"Punched the breezes?" exclaimed the lawyer, who must have been a tenderfoot. "Yaas—vamoosed, skeddaddled, skipped the ranch," the witness explained.

"Was there ever a divorce?" "Never." "Have you ever married again?" "Not on yer life!" said Timothy. "One job o'—that kind was enough fur me."

The cross-examination failed to shake this testimony, so the fair defendant was called to the stand. After she had given her latest name, made an intellectual dash at her age, and confessed her marriage to the mine owner, her attorney requested her to turn her eyes upon Timothy.

"Were you ever married to this man?" he asked. "Never," she exclaimed resentfully. "My first husband was a handsome man, a proud man, well filled out an' lively, no such good-fur-nothin' bag-o'-bones as this. An' he's dead, he's dead."

Timothy smiled and murmured, "No ain't it." "State how you know his death," prodded the lawyer. "I was told he died, and believed he died," said the lady. "An' I married that cowboy—what's his name—that was killed by a greaser."

"That will do," said the lady's lawyer. But his opponent on the cross-examination, cruelly asked the witness how many times she had been married.

HYPATIA'S BROTHER.

"I'm simply tired," said Hypatia during a lull at the card club. "Of bearing men talk about the mean things girls do to one another. As though they ever had a quarter of the superb nerve that helps men lay each other out!"

"Whew!" said the card club. "Who is it this time?" "Well, anyhow," Hypatia continued firmly, "I've studied the subject at first hand, using my brother for an awful example. Why, he is an angel compared to me!"

Before I'd endure the things he does I'd be indicted for manslaughter or be tearing up the street by the roots—and he just shrugs his shoulders philosophically and—"

"And take it out—on the next man," suggested the girl with green eyes. Hypatia's brother had ignored her once at a dance and thus she got even.

Hypatia smiled pityingly. "You don't know my brother," she remarked sweetly. "Now, the other night Huntingdon Smith arrived. He is only 21 and just beginning to realize he is a large, voting factor in the universe. He comes to see my brother exclusively. Any girl out of her teens he classes with grandmotherly old ladies and dismisses from his horizon."

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"Do I have to answer that question, judge?" asked the lady, appealing to the gallantry of the court. "Yes," said the ruthless embodiment of law.

"Well, then—five or six times." The uncharitable judge was obliged to decide for the plaintiff; and the fair defendant, as she saw the mine owner and his gold departing without so much as a good-bye, was left to meditate upon the folly of having a few husbands too many.

Increase in Wages. Huntington, W. Va., March 7.—The Norfolk and Western coal field was more affected by the strike last summer than any other coal field in the state, 10,000 or more miners, being idle the greater part of the season.

The miners finally returned to work at the old scale. Today the coal operators in the Flat Top and Elk Horn coal fields surprised the miners by posting a notice of an increase of 10 per cent. effective April 1, in their wages.

The order affects about 8,000 miners. "Power of Attorney Blanks for the Tanana-Nugget Office."

NEW DANCE HALL.

Old Dominion to be Opened on April 1st. The Dominion building which last year was occupied by the Louvre cafe is to be opened the 1st of April as a dance hall.

The premises have been secured by several of the musicians of the town and will be run on a co-operative plan.

Alex Brown, the clairtonist, has been selected as the manager, and it is stated that the place will be on strictly legitimate lines.

It has not been decided as yet whether a concert entertainment will be run in connection with the dance. A meeting is to be held tonight, at which final arrangements will undoubtedly be made.

The interior of the building will be remodelled and refitted, and new flooring will be put in. The building will be ready by April 1st.

Butter, two-and-a-half pound roll, only \$1.00, at all stores.

For Relief Fund. The Vice-consul for Sweden and Norway begs to acknowledge receipt of the following subscriptions to date for the relief of the famine-stricken population of Sweden.

John H. Henderson & Co. \$25.00. Mr. Redler 15.00. S. P. Johnson 10.00. A. Warren 5.00. H. Foss 5.00. J. O. Hará 5.00. E. Barrett 5.00. G. Matheson 5.00. M. Fogness 5.00. Miss Elias 5.00.

Total \$130.00. All contributions should be sent to T. D. Pattullo, vice-consul for Sweden and Norway. March 17, 1909.

MISSING PEOPLE

Persons Who Have Neglected Their Home and Friends. Mr. H. C. Macaulay, formerly mayor of the city, has received the following inquiries for missing people.

The list is published with the hope that if anyone knows the whereabouts of any for whom inquiry is made they will communicate with the address given.

Mrs. Nomenford, 1526 Center street, Houston, Texas, wishes to ascertain the address of Henry Grayman.

Nelson Hanly, a blacksmith by trade, is inquired for by Miss Lizzie Hanly, Chatsworth, Ontario.

George W. Clark, 723 The Temple, Chicago, Ill., asks concerning Phil Rohan and his son, James Rohan.

Rev. Father Van Goethem, Duncan, B. C., would like to know the whereabouts of J. L. Campbell and his two sons, John and James.

Tom Rees is very anxiously inquired for by Sophia Rees, The "Hawthornes," 25 Bolton road, Grove Park, Chiswick, London W.

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FABULOUS MINE OF TIN

More Valuable Than one of Precious Metals

Located at the Extreme Western Point of the North American Continent.

Wm. C. J. Bartels, who arrived last night on the stage direct from New York, is a man who a year ago was practically unknown, but today eyes promise of becoming one of the greatest factors in the mining world in North America and all on account of a discovery that he accidentally made on the 4th of last July nearly 2000 miles west of Dawson.

Bartels' history has been a peculiar one and in some respects reads like a romance. His is a case of a man abandoning the profession for which he was fitted as a youth and clinging to that which has had an attraction for him ever since he can remember. Bartels was born in Germany and spent most of his life in his native land not arriving in America until after he had reached manhood. As a youth he had received a most excellent musical education and had concluded to adopt that as his profession. His instrument was the contra bass, both string and brass, and it was as a player of the latter that he became so well known in New York. Whenever there was a symphony concert by either Seidl, Damrosch or Franko, a big oratorio or a season of Wagner opera, Bartels and no one else was engaged for the big F tuba. This was ten or fifteen years ago.

What satisfied many of his companions, however, did not at all appeal to the big bass player. He was not content to sit in an orchestra all his life. He wanted to get out in the world. One spring he went out to Colorado and almost unconsciously drifted into the ways and habits of a prospector. He remained in the mountains all summer, prospecting here and there and acquiring all the knowledge he could with reference to ledges, mineral in place, country rock, dikes, etc., and when he returned to New York he lost no opportunity while temporarily following his profession to devour every work he could find bearing upon mineralogy. The next summer he again went prospecting and after going broke he once more was compelled to drift back to New York and again resume his profession until he could get together another grubstake. In the meantime the acquaintance of some wealthy German capitalists had been made and when the Klondike strike spread over the country in '97 and '98 Bartels was outfitted and sent here to prospect for himself and his friends.

He arrived here in '98 and remained until 1900, devoting almost the whole of his time to quartz. A number of locations were made in the Yukon district upon some of which a great deal of work was done. The location that was remote and the prospect at the time was not very encouraging, so Bartels decided to try the lower country. It might be added that his only appearance here as a musician was at a benefit performance given by Fred Creese the latter part of August, '99, in the old opera house, which was directed by William Gorbrach, a New York friend of Bartels.

He arrived at Nome and almost at once pressed on to what was then an unknown country, arriving at what is now known as Teller and building the first house at that point. Then he went to Kougarok through which country he prospected diligently for two years. Last summer while following up a stream that debouches into the straits at Cape Prince of Wales he noticed indications of what he took to be the presence of tin ore and a little later found several pieces of float that by the crudest kind of a test showed the presence of tin. In less than a week the ledges from which the float had come had been discovered and it is these ledges that in the near future will bring Bartels

the prominence and the rich reward he deserves. In all 41 claims were located and after as thorough an examination as possible was made preparations were begun to exploit the discovery. Men were employed and drifts and tunnels were run on several of the locations, assay after assay was made and it soon became known to a certainty that one of the biggest propositions the world had ever seen was in sight.

The location is right at the point of Cape Prince of Wales, the claims being about two and a half miles back from the beach. The veins are three in number, there being 21 locations on one, 11 on another and 9 on the last. One of the ledges is 11 feet wide between walls with ore chutes running all through the ledge matter. Assays run all the way from 18 to 69.90 per cent tin, the last being the best ever had. Even the country rock carries two and a half per cent tin. In addition to the tin the ore carries \$18 in gold, \$1.12 in silver and 89 in bismuth.

On one of the last boats leaving Nome last fall Bartels went outside and upon his arrival in New York reported to his company the result of his season's work. So well were they pleased that the company was reorganized and incorporated as the Bartels Tin Mining Company, the discoverer being made the superintendent and general manager. Plans were at once drawn for reduction works and on one of the first boats leaving San Francisco this spring there will be a consignment of machinery for the company amounting to 136 tons. It will consist of a large gasoline engine, there being no fuel whatever at the cape, a complete electrical plant including a large size motor, three new pattern electric drills, two and a half miles of rails for a tramway, ties, cars, 9000 gallons of gas, smelter, brick for smelters, four batteries of Cornish stamps, concentrators, etc. Competent mill men and smelters are being brought from the east and it is expected the plant will be ready for operation within a few months of the time the machinery is landed on the beach at the point where the mill will be constructed.

The manner in which the ore will be handled is by means of stamps and batteries, the pulp passing over the plates depositing what free gold may be contained in the ore. From the aprons the pulp will pass to the concentrators where all the non-mineral bearing rock will be carried away. The concentrates will then be smelted, connecting with which will be a condensing chamber wherein the arsenic and sulphur will be driven off and the bismuth deposited. When the mass arrives at a temperature of 270 degrees the tin will run off in a liquid stream and later with the heat greatly increased the gold and silver will appear.

Mr. Bartels says that a great deal of excitement was caused in New York by the samples of ore he took east and the statements he made regarding the deposit, particularly among the tin importers. For many years the world's supply of tin has practically all come from Cornwall and those mines are all but worked out in comparison with what their output formerly was. As tin has become scarcer so has the coating of the metal on what is termed tinware become thinner and it has long been known that the discoverer of a mine that would produce a goodly percentage of tin would be the possessor of a property that would prove far more remunerative than the average gold mine.

Mr. Bartels will leave tomorrow with a dog team for Nome and his property at the cape which is about 80 miles beyond Nome. His object in making the long overland journey at this season of the year is in order to have everything in readiness for the machinery when it arrives a month or so later. Where the claims are located there is said to be an excellent harbor deep enough so that ocean going steamers can discharge their cargo almost direct on the shore.

"You are a picture of gloom this morning, Colonel. What is troubling you?" "Poverty." "Poverty? Why, everybody knows you are worth half a million." "Not my own poverty, look you. That of my friends."—Chicago Tribune.

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BIG HOTEL FOR DAWSON

Geo. De Lion Will Organize Company

To Build Hotel for Entertainment of Tourists Who Will Make Trip North.

George DeLion, one of Dawson's largest real estate holders, owner of the Monte Carlo building on First Avenue and other business and residence property within the limits of this city, returned to Dawson last evening after a several months' visit on the outside.

"One of the greatest needs of Dawson at the present time," said Mr. DeLion, "is a first-class hotel for the accommodation of tourists, one that is built on modern plans, having all the latest improvements and strictly up-to-date."

"I believe that such a hotel, which could be put up at an expenditure of about \$100,000, would be a profitable investment and would pay dividends in a short while."

"There is no end of talk, especially in California and along the Pacific coast, of the Yukon as a resort for tourists and even under present conditions there will be many coming through."

"The trip by water to Skagway, from thence by rail to Whitehorse, and again by boat for 1600 miles to the mouth of the Yukon and thence back to Seattle or San Francisco by an ocean liner, covers a territory the scenery of which cannot be excelled in the world and is now attracting the attention of summer travelers."

"The greatest hindrance to tourists is the lack of proper accommodation. People of means who travel for pleasure must have every convenience afforded by modern invention and seek the places where these conveniences are to be obtained. It is necessary therefore in order to attract their attention this way to provide the same conveniences as are to be found elsewhere."

"My plan is to form a stock company, interesting in the enterprise the merchants and miners of the community and also the transportation companies."

"I feel quite assured that the scheme is a feasible one and would very soon be on a dividend paying basis."

"In my estimation the best location for such a building is in the neighborhood of the Administration building, the grounds around which I understand is to be parked. A good view is obtainable from there of the surrounding country, and the river and the park will in itself be a big attraction."

While outside Mr. DeLion made a trip through the greater part of Mexico and the coast states and purchased a 15-stamp mill which will be brought in on the first boat and put in operation at his property on Lepine creek. While outside he had tests made from various samples of ore taken from his property which he says in every instance were more than satisfactory and fully justified him in purchasing machinery with which to open up his property.

He has every confidence in the future of this camp and says that many who went out from here last year and the year before are going to return this summer as well as hundreds of checkers who will be attracted this way by reason of the reports of new strikes.

An old man was troubled with gout, and a cheap wine merchant sent him some sherry, which he warranted as a specific. Some time after the dealer received this acknowledgment: "Sir, I tasted your wine, and I prefer the gout."—Exchange.

Harroppe—Say, old man, I believe I saw you an apology. "Freeman—Well, I've heard it called a V, a river, a flimsy plunk, and five boxes, but never an apology before."—New York Times.

AL. ROBERTS

Driver for Orr & Tukey Knocked Daum Over Bridge.

The mystery which has hung over the overturning of Mr. Daum on the bridge near the fire hall has at last been solved.

Al Roberts, a driver for the Orr & Tukey Stage Co., was the man whose stage precipitated Daum over the bridge and this morning Roberts told how it happened to Mr. Justice Macaulay in the police court.

Both teams, according to Roberts reached the bridge at about the same time with Daum a little in the lead. Roberts was driving a four-horse team, and it happened that a dog team in front gave his leaders a scare and his horses started to run and swerving to one side threw the rear of the stage against Daum's cutter, precipitating the latter, horse, cutter and all through the railing and over the bridge.

Roberts' horses had got a start and he was unable to check them and therefore could not stop and see the extent of the damage done.

The charge laid against Roberts was for driving at greater speed than a walk over the bridge. The case was dismissed with costs.

Intervenes in B. half of Finns St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—The czar has personally intervened in behalf of the famine-stricken Finns and has ordered that extensive relief work be started without delay.

Besides the immediate construction of the proposed Idensalmi-Kayana railroad, which will cost \$700,000, he has sanctioned the expenditure of \$500,000 on the Cleborg-Tornea line, voted by the senate but hitherto unapproved, the raising of a \$2,000,000 loan for other railroad construction, the establishment of a bank with a capital of \$800,000, which sum is to be used in making loans to peasant farmers, and has approved an appropriation of \$140,000 for public works, principally the drainage of swamps.

The Finns attribute the czar's action to the steps taken in America to relieve the distress existing in Finland and to Ambassador McCormick's inquiries on the subject. It is believed that the proposed relief works will employ the majority of the able-bodied, and that consequently the voluntary committee's responsibilities will be lightened, and the necessities of the people will be satisfied without outside aid, which the Finns gratefully accepted although they have never solicited it.

Bomb Found in Coal Caracas, March 3.—The Venezuelan warship Zomora, Vintres, De Mayo and Sombambodra, captured by the British during the blockade, were returned to Venezuela today at La Guayra. The Bolivar is expected at La Guayra tomorrow.

It is asserted that a dynamite bomb was discovered by Venezuelan stokers among the coal left by the Germans on board the Venezuelan warship Hestanzador, when that vessel was returned to Venezuela. The reported discovery created intense excitement. The newspapers here refer to the Germans as "anarchists."

The revolutionists are still retreating from the Caracas district and are now at Rio Chico. The government forces have abandoned Barcelona and Carapana, those towns having been captured by the revolutionists.

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M. Tarut, Associate Manager of Syndicate

Company Will Operate Three of Their Claims Extensively This Season.

Mons. A. Tarut, associate manager of the Syndicat Lyonnaise, who in company with Mme. Tarut arrived on the stage Monday evening, was found at the Regina this morning and kindly afforded a representative of the Nugget a short chat relative to the work that has been outlined for this season by his company.

M. Tarut spent the winter in Paris, the headquarters of his syndicate, leaving there less than a month ago. He came west via New York and Montreal, remaining a few days in the latter city from which he was sixteen days out to Dawson. The trip inside was described as being quite enjoyable particularly to Mme. Tarut, who is on her first trip to the far north. The weather was delightful for traveling and an excellent time was made the journey did not become irksome, it requiring several days for the novelty to wear off.

Under the direction of General Manager Paillard a great deal of work has been done this winter on a lower level, Dominion, and it is the intention, too, to continue the work throughout the summer. The pay has been very satisfactory and a large dump has been taken out and will be slung as soon as the water begins running in the spring. There are also two claims on Bonanza owned by the company which will be extensively opened this summer, one of them being on the white channel.

With reference to the decision in the case in which his company was defendant, and the Bank of Commerce the plaintiff, Mr. Tarut stated that the decision was not expressed in words but there was a shrug of the shoulders that was more eloquent than a volume of idle chatter. As to the extent to which the matter would be carried to the higher courts M. Tarut was not prepared to say.

There is at present but very little demand in Paris for Klondike securities, though propositions of known merit, such as will bear the most rigid investigation and give evidence of lasting some time, are always grabbed up with avidity.

M. Turanne, the French consul, is expected to arrive in a few days.

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is also M. de Journal who has been spending the winter in southern California.

Mrs. McKinney, of No. 25 below lower discovery, Dominion has been seriously ill. She was taken to Dawson last Sunday for medical treatment. It was found necessary to perform an operation, but she is now improving rapidly and will be back on the creek in the course of a few days.

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs! Who's got them? Well, I have a couple of hundred cases just arrived over the ice at reasonable prices. Haffert, Third Avenue. Phone No. 1.

Public Notice. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Jerome Amandree Chute and Alfred Ernest Wills, carrying on business in the Yukon territory as partners, was on the 18th day of March, 1903, dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due by the said partnership should forthwith be presented to A. E. Wills for payment, and all accounts owing to said partnership must be paid by one. Dated at Dawson, this 15th day of March, A. D. 1903.

Witness (Sgd.) J. A. CHUTE (Sgd.) A. E. WILLS (Sgd.) H. D. HULME

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