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FORMER MINE MANAGER LET OUT ON BAIL

LOCAL MAN BONDS BIG MINING PROPERTY AT STEWART FOR BELGIANS

Bond on Spider Group of Mining Claims Taken by Alderman T. Collart

On behalf of himself and other Belgian interests, Alderman T. Collart has bonded the Spider group of mining claims at Stewart and active development will commence as soon as the new two million dollar company which is to be formed has been incorporated. The people who are interested in the property along with Mr. Collart are the same who control the Jualin Alaska Mines Co. at Berner's Bay near Juneau, on Lynn Canal. The spider group, which consists of three claims, was formerly under bond to the Algumium Company, a Belgian concern, but they dropped a good deal of money on the property. They drove a tunnel 500 feet long in low grade ore and they also struck some high grade, going in one case as high as 157 ounces of silver to the ton and at another place 86 ounces.

LABOR MOTION IS POSTPONED

Specialist Resolution Will be Further Discussed by British House After Easter

LONDON, March 21.—A test between Labor and the Government over Philip Snowden's motion for legislation designed to supersede the capitalist system by a socialist order, has been postponed to follow another debate after Easter recess.

Last night's discussion found the government solidly supported by all parties in the House except the Laborites. The debate was largely academic and there was no unusual incident in connection with it.

PIONEER DIES AT VICTORIA

Joseph Boscowitz Was Prominent Sealing and Shipping Man in Early Days

VICTORIA, March 21.—Joseph Boscowitz died here aged 88 after being fifty years in the sealing and shipping business of the Pacific coast. He organized what is now the Union Steamship Company.

Mr. Boscowitz started the Alaska Commercial Company with headquarters at San Francisco, got a lease of the Pribiloff Islands in 1887 and seven of his steamers were seized by the United States on the grounds that Behring Sea was closed to sealing. An arbitration board awarded the decision to Boscowitz and the owners of thirteen other vessels with compensation.

Boscowitz formed the Victoria Sealing Company and after the Pelagic Sealing Treaty came into force he retired, bought a valuable Victoria city property and lived here ever since until his death.

RESIDENT OF PORT ESSINGTON PASSED AWAY AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. John Lehto, of Port Essington, died last night in the General Hospital after having been a month in the institution. She was 33 years of age and was a native of Finland. She is survived by her husband who is a fisherman.

AGED MAN DIES

BROCKVILLE, Mar. 21.—At the age of 99 years and nine months Elisha Hutchings, one of the few remaining pioneers of Northern Leeds County died here today.

SLOW PROGRESS IMMIGRATION

Estimates For Department Before House For Fourth Time and Not Passed

OTTAWA, March 21.—The immigration estimates were before the House of Commons for the fourth time yesterday without being passed. Bitter criticism of the government's policy hinged this time chiefly on criticism of the Canadian colonization scheme.

Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of immigration, said the man who could evolve an immigration scheme satisfactory to members of the House of Commons would be a second Moses.

G.T.P. APPEAL IS BEING HEARD

G. H. Arnold, Expert Witness, Testifies That City's Valuations are Too High

The Grand Trunk Pacific Development Co.'s appeal against the assessments placed on its properties on the townsite by Assessor McLennan and ratified by the court of revision opened in the county court this morning before Judge Young.

The evidence of G. H. Arnold, expert witness for the company, was the first to be heard. Examined by L. W. Patmore, counsel for the company, he described the holdings of the company and stated that the valuations made by the city were too high. Section 3 lots, assessed at an average of \$51.77, were worth only \$7 each; Section 4 lots, assessed an average of \$277.81; Section 9 lots, assessed at an average of \$100.81; Parcel 2a, assessed at \$150.85; Parcel 30, assessed at \$1000 an acre, \$400; and Parcel 19, assessed at \$500.8100.

City Solicitor E. F. Jones, appearing for the city, in his cross-examination, sought to show that the values placed by Mr. Arnold were biased since witness had been retained to give evidence for the company. He attempted to show that the evidence was inconsistent and only guesswork. Mr. Arnold maintained that his evidence was more than conjecture for he had based his forecasts for the future on the events of the past.

Evidence will be given for the company by W. McLarnon, G.T.P. assistant tax commissioner, W. H. Tobey and others. Ald. M. M. Stephens, chairman of the court of revision, Ald. J. A. Smith, secretary, Assessor J. C. McLennan, and E. S. Allistone, tax clerk, will testify for the city.

BILL TO PREVENT STOCK SOLICITORS PEDDLING WARES

OTTAWA, March 21.—The second reading was given in the Senate yesterday to Senator Lynch-Staunton's bill to make it an indictable offense for any person to solicit the sale of stock unless the solicitation is authorized in writing by the Dominion or provincial authorities. This does not apply to solicitation by public advertisement or printed circular.

The senator drew attention to the millions of dollars taken from the people by stock solicitors.



How the relics from King Tut's tomb are packed. They are placed in large boxes like the one shown here, carefully surrounded with wads of cotton.

Yukon Activity Shown in Rush to get out Ore from Keno Hill and in Annual Trek Northward

DAWSON, March 21.—The spring rush is in full swing in the Yukon. The overland trail from Whitehorse to Dawson is lined with horse and dog teams and hikers bound northwards. The White Pass shipyards are operating full blast repairing the Upper Yukon river fleet. A ten ton caterpillar tractor with three trailers, each hauling five tons of freight, start over the trail from Whitehorse for Mayo today, to make the first trip of its kind ever undertaken over the Yukon snow.

So many individual claims are producing in Keno Hill that every horse, dog team, automobile, sleigh and caterpillar tractor in the district has been pressed into the service rushing ore to Mayo landing before the snow disappears. It is expected that 8,000 tons of ore will have been transported before April 1.

EVIDENCE IN ASSAULT CASE HEARD YESTERDAY

John Tait, Charged With Offence Against Young Girl, is Remanded Until Friday

Evidence was taken yesterday afternoon in the County Court before Judge Young in the case of Rex vs. John Tait, charged with attempting to assault a young girl, and adjournment was made until next Friday. The hearing of the evidence took all afternoon, the witness being natives from Port Simpson. W. E. Fisher appeared for the prosecution and L. W. Patmore for the defence.

DISCARD HONORABLE AS WELL AS TITLES SUGGESTS MARTELL

OTTAWA, March 21.—After voting in favor of titles in a hopeless minority, L. H. Martell, Liberal member for Hants, New Brunswick, came back yesterday with notice of motion for the abolition of the prefixes Honorable and Right Honorable to Canadian politicians. The resolution will be discussed next week.

PRINCE HENRY WAS THROWN FROM HORSE

LONDON, March 21.—Prince Henry, third son of King George, was thrown from his horse at the cavalry school near Weedon and suffered a slight concussion of the brain. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Manager of Britannia Mines Gave Himself up when Told of Warrants out Against him

VANCOUVER, March 21.—E. J. Donohue, manager of the Britannia mines who was arrested at Oklahoma, returned here this morning and was remanded until Tuesday, being allowed out on bail of \$10,000. Fifteen charges were read to him in the police court of theft, fraud and embezzlement of the company's funds, involving probably \$100,000, before Magistrate Alexander.

Mr. Donohue arrived with his brother and Inspector Owen. When advised by wire from Oklahoma that a warrant was out for his arrest, Donohue travelled 700 miles from Soo City voluntarily to give himself up.

GERMAN DEFICIT ALMOST TOO GREAT SHOW IN FIGURES

BERLIN, Mar. 21.—It is difficult to find ciphers enough to write the estimated deficit in German finances this year. The budget just brought down by the chancellor estimates the 1923 deficit at 7,100,000,000 marks and he explains that the immense national loss is occasioned by depreciation of the German mark and by the French and Belgian occupation of the Ruhr.

ALLIED ENVOYS MEETING TODAY

Are Considering Counter Proposals of Turks to Lausanne Treaty

LONDON, Mar. 21.—A conference of allied envoys called to consider the Turkish counter proposals to the Lausanne draft of the treaty opened here this afternoon. Work of the sub-committees will last several days and the full conference will then consider the findings of the committees and agree upon a common course of action by the allies when the Peace Conference is resumed at Lausanne or Constantinople.

The British diplomats feel that there is no insurmountable difficulty in the way of an early peace.

LOST BOAT PICKED UP AND TOWED INTO SIMPSON BY J. BROWN

The boat which was reported lost on Monday from the mouth of Morse Creek with F. D. Ball aboard, has been located with the occupant safe. J. Brown, of Port Simpson, who was making his way home in his launch after doing business in the city, picked up the craft to the north of the harbor. The weather was particularly stormy at the time and it was with some difficulty that the rescuer got Ball's boat in tow.

However, after strenuous efforts this was accomplished and the boat taken in to Port Simpson. No damage had been done to the gear aboard.

NO CHANGES MADE IN BRITISH WARSHIPS

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The British government categorically denied that in a considerable number of capital ships of the navy bilges had been fitted, elevation of guns increased and turret loading arrangements modified as was represented by Secretary of State Hughes in his Newhaven address last December. Mr. Hughes in a formal statement today announced that Great Britain advised the state department that no alterations whatever had been made in the ships.

CANADIAN JOURNALIST WHO DIED IN ENGLAND

LONDON, March 21.—James A. E. Barr, journalist and author, died today at Putney. He was born at Wallacetown, Ontario, and had been engaged in journalism in Great Britain for the past forty years.

CENTENARIAN DEAD

BRANTFORD, Mar. 21.—Jacob Phillips, aged 101 years, died here today.

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CIVIC EMPLOYEES TO MEET COUNCIL

In Attempt to Reach Settlement of Wage Revision Dispute

A committee consisting of Fred Clark, H. Hanson and George Letts was delegated at last night's meeting of the civic employees to confer with the city council this afternoon on the wage revision dispute. A settlement, it is hoped, will be reached as a result. There will be another meeting of the civic employees this evening to receive the report of the committee.

HALIBUT PRICE IS STILL STIFFENING

Schooner Pioneer Paid 19.1c and 10c for 40,000 Pounds—Two Other Boats Are In

Prices for fresh halibut on the local Fish Exchange continue to stiffen. The high mark today was 19.1c obtained by the schooner Pioneer for the first grade halibut in her catch of 40,000 pounds. Three boats were in with a total of 49,000 pounds. They were Pioneer, 40,000 pounds, at 19.1c and 10c., to the Booth Fisheries Canadian Co. Hilda, 4,000 pounds, at 18.7c, and 10c., to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. Fisher, 5,000 pounds, at 16.9c and 9c., to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

WHITE BUD WON THE LINCOLN HANDICAP

LINCOLN, England, March 21.—White Bud, by White Eagle, out of Mine Own, won the Lincolnshire Handicap, a sweepstake with one thousand pounds added. This, the first classic of the season, was run here today.