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LAWSON'S MISSION TO AMERICANS

He Delivers a Stirring Address To Crowds of Kansas People Pays Glowing Tribute to the Bold American President Roosevelt

Ottawa, Kas., July 8.—Thos. W. Lawson of Boston, addressed a great crowd at the Chateau Assembly here today. He spoke of the "System."

FARMER JOURNALISTS TYEE MINE ON MOUNT SICKER

They Will Be in Victoria About the Middle of August Mr. Dennis States that They Will Take a Trip Along the E. & N.

Next month the C.P.R. hopes to take the editors of all the principal agricultural journals in the United States on a trip through the west. The papers which will be represented circulate among 11,000,000 farmers.

MUTINEERS SURRENDER TO ROUMANIAN AUTHORITIES

The Actual Surrender Occurred at 1 P.M., and the Government is Now Sending Mutineers to Different Parts of Roumania The Crew Gave Themselves Up on Condition That They Will Not Be Returned to Russia

Kusteni, July 8.—The flag of St. Andrews once again floats over the battleship Kniaz Potemkine and the torpedo boat which have proved such terrors to the Black Sea communities for a couple of weeks past.

TO RAISE FARFADET SOLITARY HIGHWAYMAN

Another Attempt Will be Made to Rescue the Crew. Bihera, Tunis, July 8.—Another attempt will be made today at noon by the relief ships Berger and Wilhelm to move the submarine boat Farfadet.

MISS SUTTON WINS

London, July 8.—Miss May Sutton, of Pasadena, California, today beat the British champion, Miss K. Douglas by 2-0 and thus becomes British as well as American tennis champion lady player. The scores were 6-3, 6-1.

PLENIPOTENTIARIES SAIL

Yokohama, July 8.—The steamer Minnesota, having on board the Japanese peace plenipotentiaries, sailed from this port for Seattle at 4 p.m. The governor of Yokohama and the civic bodies escorted them to the wharf, where they were received by a military guard.

EMPEROR NICHOLAS LEAVES FOR MOSCOW

St. Petersburg, July 7.—Emper Nicholas is going to Moscow. In this connection the Listol printed a rumor that his Majesty has decided to transfer the capital back to Moscow.

AMERICAN EXCLUSION IN STATU QUO

Pekin, July 8.—The American exclusion question is still in statu quo. It is generally considered here that an armistice between the Japanese and Russian forces is unlikely.

RIVER THE HIGHEST IN TWENTY YEARS

Sioux City, July 7.—The big Sioux river is higher than it has been in twenty years and general alarm exists along its banks for fifty miles above Sioux City.

SAILORS THREATEN TO MURDER OFFICERS

Manila, July 7.—The sailors of the interned Russian squadron are reported to be in a sullen mood and to be expressing sympathy for the Black Sea mutineers.

ALL THE SAME GRETCHIN GREEN BAND CONCERT TOMORROW

Quiet and law-abiding citizens who were peacefully strolling along the high road to Victoria last evening, saw a sight that reminded them of stories of the old coaching days.

SAID THAT ESCORT WAS NOT NEEDED

Pekin, July 8.—M. Pokotiloff, the Russian minister at Peking, has left for Washington. Prior to his departure he requested the board of foreign affairs to sanction the despatch of a small body of Russian soldiers as an escort to the Dalai Lama to the borders of Tibet.

AT THE ABBOTSFORD

J. McKay, Extension. Chas. Graham, Extension. R. L. Drury and son, Victoria. B. Motts Guesset, Nanaimo. W. Montgomerie, Vancouver. F. A. Richardson, Victoria. A. Vaughan, Victoria. J. J. Henry, Vancouver. P. C. Gladwin, Vancouver.

JAPANESE DRIVING RUSSIANS NORTHWARD

Tsuisi, July 8.—(1 p.m.)—The following official despatch has been received from the Japanese headquarters in Manchuria: "Occasional collisions take place between scouts on both sides of the railroad along the Fengwa Kwai Yuen and Kwang Ping roads. The enemy is gradually being driven northward."

SHE WAS BEWITCHED

Thomas W. Lawson was once visited in his London office by a young woman who came laden with all sorts of college diplomas and gilt-edged references. It so happened that Mr. Lawson needed a temporary secretary, and engaged her on the spot.

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the master. His very silence commands. The sea is his home. Shortly before he took command of the fleet he took a cold on land. He hastened to his ship, despite the protests of his family and friends...

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Laura Lighthouse—There's Tottie Twinklers across the street. Don't she look lovely? Sadie Stalls—Dosen't she? The only Johnnie she can get is a Jackie. That's why.—Puck.

Arrangements are now in view, and will undoubtedly be consummated, whereby a championship amateur athletic meet, the first of the kind ever held in Manitoba, will take place during the coming Winnipeg Exhibition at the fair grounds...

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Quartz—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miners' certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five years, upon payment in advance \$7.50 per annum for an individual, and from \$50 to \$100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is \$5.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2 1/2 per cent. of the sales of the products of the location.

Placer Mining—Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—Placer mining claims generally are 100 ft. square, entry fee \$5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive, entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one

dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental, \$10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds \$10,000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, \$100 per mile for first year and \$10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line of general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten miles of mining recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged; the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee, \$10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim of each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold a number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying a fee of \$2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river by giving notice and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least \$200. A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon official Gazette.

Petroleum—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and within the Yukon Territory, are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 1920 acres for such period as he may decide, the length of width shall not exceed three times the breadth.

Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well, will be sold to the prospector at the rate of \$1.00 per acre and the remainder of the tract reserved, namely, 1,280 acres will be sold at the rate of three dollars an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council.

JAS. A. SMART
Deputy Minister of the Interior,
Department of the Interior.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

Pursuant to the "Creditor's Trust" Deeds Act, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that Axel Berg, of Ladysmith, British Columbia, General Merchant, by deed dated the 19th day of June, A. D., 1905, assigned all his personal property, real estate, credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution to Albert E. Planta, of Nanaimo, British Columbia, Insurance Agent, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying ratably and proportionately all the creditors of the said Axel Berg according to law, the said deed was executed by the said Axel Berg on the 19th day of June, 1905.

All creditors having claims against the said Axel Berg are required to forward particulars to the said assignee on or before the 19th day of July, 1905, after which date the said assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only of the claims of which he shall then have notice.

Notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said Axel Berg will be held at the office of the undersigned, Ladysmith, B. C., on the fourth day of July, 1905 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the said Act, for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

Dated at Ladysmith, B. C., this 19th day of June, 1905.

RUSSELL SIMPSON
Solicitor for Assignee.

SOCIETY WOMAN MANAGES DAIRY

Miss Margaret Astor Chanler, who is connected with many Knickerbocker families, who has done much to interest women in municipal reform, has entered into a new venture. She is to start a model dairy, creamery and stock farm on her summer estate, Rokeby, at Barrytown, on the Hudson. Although she has an income of \$30,000 a year, the new business will be conducted on strictly business principles. The society women whom Miss Chanler meets in the drawing room and the scores to whom she is related will doubtless buy her milk and cream. The new dairy will be modeled on strictly hygienic and scientific lines.

As Sister Margaret she served as a war nurse with the Red Cross during the Spanish-American war, going to the front to care for the soldiers. As president of the Woman's Municipal League, Miss Chanler has led a crusade against many evils, prominent among them is the regulation of employment offices.

Miss Chanler is the great-granddaughter of the original John Jacob Astor. John A. Chanler, the first husband of Amelia Rives, who later married Prince Troubetzkoy, is Miss Chanler's brother.—Chicago Tribune.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF ANTHRACISIM

One of the leaders of the Doukhobor pilgrimage of the fall of 1902, Vaki Mahosoff by name, died in the Winnipeg hospital Saturday morning, says the Winnipeg Free Press.

After a brief incarceration in Regina jail as a leader of the pilgrims, he returned to the colony and, with others, began to destroy the agricultural implements, saying that since they had been constructed to be drawn by horses, they were sinful machines. For this violence he and several others were sentenced to terms in Stony Mountain penitentiary. There they absolutely refused to eat meat in any form, nor would they touch vegetables that had been cooked, existing on bread and raw potatoes chiefly. They became weak and emaciated. Two were brought to the hospital early in May, where one died in a few days. The second, allied and improved greatly for a time, hope being entertained of his recovery. But his constitution had evidently been too much undermined by his fanatical abstinence.

Manosoff leaves a wife and two children. He had been six years in Canada. He had lost his sight while at Stony Mountain, and was totally blind.

A WOMAN LIGHTKEEPER.

The Santa Barbara lighthouse has been kept by a woman for thirty-eight years. In 1856 a lighthouse was erected two miles south of Santa Barbara, and President Franklin Pierce appointed Albert J. Williams to be keeper.

In 1865, near the close of the civil war, Mrs. Julia F. Williams was appointed to succeed her husband, who had died. She has had the longest service of any keeper on the Coast. She has been away from her post only two nights in twenty-seven years, and rarely leaves the lighthouse except on Sundays, when she drives to Santa Barbara to attend church. The tower rises 178 feet above the sea level, and the solid white light can be seen seventeen miles at sea.

WEARS SACRED JEWEL.

It is evident that the Chinese Empress dowager entertains a strong feeling of friendship for Mrs. Conger. The latter wears a jewel that, it is said, was long a sacred treasure of the Chinese imperial house. When Mrs. Conger bade farewell to the empress at the last audience in Peking, the empress followed her to her door, took the jewel from her dress, and gave it to Mrs. Conger as the highest mark of regard that she could show.

Mrs. Conger denies the story that, under her influence, the empress dowager became a Christian Scientist. She says the empress has her own religious convictions, and that, "no one in my position would trouble to change them."

JAPANESE DECORATIONS

Japanese decoration at London entertainments has caught on. At Devonshire house all the exquisite pink and crimson roses were arranged as if growing, and very pretty was the effect of the feathery bamboos brought from Chatsworth, which round their base had a hedge of roses. The art of arranging flowers in a really Japanese way is too complicated to be mastered in busy London, but a good Japanese effect may be quickly got by putting one tall flower in a vase with all its leaves left on, a second flower cut shorter than the first and fewer leaves, and the third the shortest, with its foliage allowed to hang over the side of the vase.—Philadelphia Press.

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LOCAL ITEMS

TO RENT—11 roomed house, barn and washing room, on Buller St. below Catholic church. Apply John Nimi.

Win. Sloan, M. P., will be home from Ottawa in a day or two.

Ralph Smith, M. P., is expected home the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pearson, who spent last night in Nanaimo, returned to Ladysmith this morning.

The stories of good men and true which are being told now in the Alberni district are said to be very touching.

R. L. Drury, M. P., of Victoria, spent a few hours in the city today, leaving for the north on the noon train, where he will take part in the Alberni campaign.

Tomorrow week the excursion to Vancouver under the auspices of the Ladysmith Football Club, will come off, and all who make the trip can be assured of spending a pleasant time. The weather as it is at present is splendid for boating excursions, and granted a fine day there is little doubt the affair will be a great success.

The ranchers in the district are becoming alarmed at the amount of rain being done their crops by the small caterpillar, commonly known as the "cut worm," which is infesting the country. Reports brought in to town this morning say that during last night great damage was done on several farms in the neighborhood by this pest. Unfortunately, any steps taken by the farmers to destroy it seems to be of no avail.

There seems to be nothing doing at Nanaimo and everybody is living quietly and awaiting the next turn of nature's wheel. A large proportion of the men who have worked in the mines until the present shut down are away at work in other places, many having found work at Union. Some have gone to Fernie, Frank and Coleman, others have given up mining and have gone up the coast to different parts, quite a number being at the Britannia mines on Howe Sound.

A fine assortment of Picture Postcards at Knight's Bookstore.

The circumstances surrounding the disappearance of Bert Hendrickson, a logger employed at the Palerson Timber Company's camp at Granite Point, Valdez Island, lead to the belief that he was drowned on Sunday last, says the Herald. Hendrickson has been on the coast for a number of years, and is well known here.

On Saturday last he went fishing in a small lake near Granite Point, and on returning to camp that night a search was made for him on the following day. After several hours searching along the shores of the lake Hendrickson's hat and pipe were found on a dead log which jutted out into the water from the shore line. A diligent effort was made to find the body, but without success.

ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY.

GRAND CELEBRATION AT CUMBERLAND. JULY 12

A special train will leave Ladysmith at 5.15 p.m. on Tuesday, July 11th, for Nanaimo, connecting there with steamer City of Nanaimo, returning steamer skills from Union Bay for Nanaimo at 11 p.m., Wednesday, July 12th.

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ROADWORK BETWEEN HERE AND NANAIMO.

M. Bray drove up from Ladysmith yesterday with F. C. Gamble, professional engineer, who is making a thorough examination of the roads and bridges throughout the Island, says the Herald. All day yesterday was spent in examining the roads and bridges between Ladysmith and Nanaimo, and Messrs. Bray and Gamble leave this morning for the northern part of the district, which includes the Comox road as far as the Quilicum and all but the last ten miles of the Alberni road.

John Sargent will be the road foreman in the Newcastle district this year, while Duncan McMillan will look after the work in the balance of Mr. Bray's bailiwick. Mr. Bray will return to Nanaimo, Mr. Gamble proceeding to Comox, and as far as the Campbell river.

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OPENING HOSPITAL FOR LOGGERS.

Tomorrow the cottage hospital of the Victorian Order of Nurses at Rock Bay will be dedicated by Ven. Archbishop Pentreath. When the steamer Cassiar sailed for Rock Bay from Vancouver she had among her passengers Ven. Archbishop Pentreath, Mrs. Pentreath, Mrs. H. J. Newton, secretary of the order, Miss Sutherland, who will act as nurse and orderly, and a housekeeper. When the hospital is thrown open tomorrow it will be dedicated to the work of succoring the sick and disabled among the many logging camps scattered along the coast of the north of Vancouver Island. Temporary aid to the badly injured will be furnished at this hospital, and such cases as cannot be dealt with entirely at Rock Bay will be transferred to the Vancouver General Hospital.

SPORTS

THE RING Owen Moran, the English bantamweight fighter, will be matched in the near future to meet Frankie Neil of California, for 20 rounds, before

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should be played the world over. And undoubtedly it will be, in time. Japan has taken a decided liking to the game. The island of Hawaii has its league, as has also Alaska. Ball is organized in Canada and is played to a limited extent in Australia. Of course, the game is thriving since the Americans went to the Philippines, and a six-club league is looming there. The game is all over the North American continent and its popularity attaches to its merits. Cricket is the nearest approach to baseball and while that great summer game lasts in England, it is not probable baseball will ever be developed there. The Englishman does not take kindly to an imported sport. This is where the Canadian holds the cards on his brother in the Mother country. The Canuck is the keenest-witted man in the world and

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ODD MIX-UP AT THE ALTAR

A triple wedding was celebrated at Pittsburg the other day, says the Philadelphia Record when three sisters were married at one time, and after it was all over, and a little figuring had been done, it was found that one sister had become the niece of another. The brides are the daughters of well-known William McBride, and wife, of No. 32 Knox avenue, Knoxville. One of the bridegrooms was the uncle of another, while the two younger men have been inseparable companions from boyhood. The contracting parties were Phillip J. Rodgers, of Knoxville, and Agnes Gertrude McBride, Frank J. Rourke, and Esther McBride, and Louis C. Murray and Emma McBride. Rodgers is the uncle of Rourke and Rourke and Murray are the inseparable. They started to court the two sisters because they were always together. Then Rourke's uncle took such an interest in the welfare of his favorite nephew that he went along occasionally, and fell in love with the other daughter. It requires courage to be bridesmaid at a wedding when the man you've rejected is the groom. The bridal train is generally a woman's long suit. Usually it is a pleasure to kiss the bride, but sometimes it is a task. Depends entirely, of course, on how she looks. Brides would rather have their acquaintances cast old shoes and rice than reflections.

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