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A $300,000 BRIDGE

Will Span the Fraser River at New Westminster.

Victoria, B. C, April 2.—Armstrong, Morrison & Balfour, contractor, Vanconver, yesterday signed a contract with the provincial government for the construction of the sub-structnre for the Fraser river bridge at New Westminster. The expenditure will over $300,000. The Dominion Bridge company, Montreal, has the contract for the sub-structure. Waddell, designer of the bridge, recommended awarding the contract to Armstrong, although not the lowest tender. Armstrong was contractor during the construction of the Canadian Pacific and Crow's Nest railways, while Balfour superintended the building of the bridges of the C. P. R. over the Crow's Nest and Canadian Northern. The government's decision in the matter is generally endorsed.

ANOTHER CONTINGENT.

Victoria, April 2.—A cable has been received from Chamberlain accepting and thanking the Canadian government for the offer of 2000 mounted infantry for the South African service.

NEW BRIDGES GONE.

Winnipeg, April 1.—Two spans of the two new municipal bridges at Port La Prairie were carried out by the ice tonight, cutting off communication with the southern country. The bridges were erected last year at a cost of $22.000.

ARCHDEACON SHAW DEAD.

Victoria, April 2.—The Venerable Archdeacon Shaw, for 30 years a missionary in Japan, died at Tekio on March 13th. The archdeacon was born at Oak Hall, Toronto, on February 5th, 1848. He received his education at Upper Canada college and Trinity university, Toronto. He was ordained in 1870 by the bishop of Toronto. The society for the propagation of the Gospel accepted him in 1873 for work in Japan. He reached Japan on September 25th, 1873. He was married in 1875, and his see was South Tokyo.

CONDOR MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Victoria, April 2.—Memorial services were held here yesterday for the officers and crew of the missing sloop of war Condor. All the men of the navy attended.

KILLED TWO FARMERS.

Winnipeg, Man., April 2.—The trial of Walter Gordon for murder was begun at the Brandon assizes yesterday afternoon. Gordon is charged with having murdered Chas. Daw and Jacob Smith, two Whitewater farmers and having thrown their bedies into an old well. Gordon left the country when the bodies were discovered and escaped the police until he was about to sail with the Canadian troops from Halifax for South Africa.

WHICH SHALL IT BE?

Winnipeg, April 2.—Manitobans are voting for and against prohibition today. A large vote is being polled and betting on the result is about even.

SEVENTEEN-FOOT LEDGE.

Victoria, B. C., April 2.—A seventeen-foot ledge of high grade ore was struck in the Lenora mine, Mount Sicker, yesterday.

CHARGED WITH ARSON.

Rat Portage, Ont., April 1.—Chas. Fraser who until about a month ago conducted a livery stable here, was arrested last night charged with attempted arson. Fraser's barns were discovered on fire several times within four months, and Provincial Detective Rogers of Toronto has been working on the case for the past week, resulting in Fraser's arrest.

LE ROI MINE ACCIDENT.

W. F. Rupert, a miner, was injured in the Le Roi mine Monday evening by a stone dropping on his head. The scalp was slightly torn.

ACCIDENT IN JOSIE MINE.

E. Erickson, a miner employed in the Josie mine, was injured in the groin Monday morning by falling down a small shaft onto a wheelbarrow.

Senator Templeman, says the Ottawa correspondent of the Rossland Miner, has quite taken his place in the cabinet as the member who represents British Columbia, and is constant in season and out of season in advocating the claims of the province to better terms of treatment. Even at the press gallery dinner the other night he made a plea for the consideration of British Columbia, and quoted the gentleman who said he thought Canada had better annex British Columbia to the Dominion. He explained the idea that the rest of the Dominion was ignorant of the resources and capacities of the great Pacfic province. The speaker of the senate, who followed, remarked that in the east, especially in the Maritime provinces, they could get nothing because the representatives of the western provinces were so constant in their urging the claims of their respective provinces.

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UNION LABEL — TYPOGRAPHICAL — GREENWOOD

THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1902

The Grand Forks board of trade executive held a meeting yesterday to make preparations for the proposed banquet to be tendered the officials of the R. & G. F. railway company on the occasion of the celebration of the completion of that enterprise. It is given out that a large number of eastern people interested in Boundary and Republic properties will be here on that date, the 12th of this month, and the purpose of the local banquet is not only to jolly the Hot Air promoters, but to show the princely spirit of Grand Forks at the banquet table, and to have an opportunity of filling eastern guests not only with delicious viands, table delicacies and champagne, but to blow them up to within a few niches of the bursting point with dilations and dissertations on the wonderful natural resources of this mineral sction, and particularly to hang an expressive and inexpressive picture on the walls of their memories of Grand Forks as the great natural center of this coming wealth of development. We hope the result of that excursion will be different from the one that for a time crippled the Northern Pacific, when Henry Villard brought out the German stockholders to exhibit the great railroad he had built for them. The road ran through so great a stretch of unoccupied and baren territory the German money-bags became alarmed, and on returning home unloaded their stock at great loss, thus ruining for a time the most excellent opportunities of the road, and reducing the great financier, Villard, to penury.

CITY SUNBEAMS

Solicitor McNeil, of the Great Northern legal staff is in town.

J. C. Oldham, of Republic, is a guest at the Pacific.

F. W. Ward, well-known in Rossland and the Boundary country, is in the city from Greenwood, where he holds property. Mr. Ward is an old-time frontier speculator. He was in Vancouver when it began its real existence, or when it was known as Granville and "Gas Town." He was in Duyea and Dawson two years. He says he thinks Greenwood is all right, that there are two smelters in operation there, the Greenwood, which is supplied mainly with ore from Mother Lode mines; and the Boundary Falls, supplied by the Sunset mines. The mines are near town, and with the smelters are employing between four and five hundred men.

The Phoenix minstrels played the opening dates on Monday and Tuesday of this week at home, and had big houses. Those who witnessed the burnt-cork artists assert that it was the best show seen in the Boundary this season. They will appear in Biden's opera house tonight and tomorrow night. Secure your seats in advance at Fraser's drug store.

James H. Donaldson and James P. Dill, of Fernie, and H. McDonald, of Trail, registered at the Pacific last night.

The Columbia and Grand Forks W. C. T. U. made application yesterday to the Grand Forks board of trade to rent its rooms for the purpose of conducting therein a public reading room, thinking probably that the rooms might be made to serve this purpose without inconvenience to the board. The matter was referred to a special committee the members of which will consult with the ladies of the Union.

At the adjourned council meeting last night in Grand Forks the matter of electrically illuminating the city on the occasion of the Hot Air Jubillee was discussed. It was thought proper, perhaps, to erect an arch carrying 150 colored light, somewhere on Bridge street, formed in letters spelling the words, "Gateway City."

COAST-KOOTENAY LINE.

A Vancouver dispatch says that it is reported that a contract has been entered into between the Dunsmuir government and McLean Bros., Vancouver contractors, for the construction of the Coast-Kootenay railway.

A cash subsidy of $4000 a mile is to be given and a bonus of a million acres of land. Norman and Hugh McLean are in Victoria fixing up the deal. It is understood that the contract will be submitted to the legislature in a joint bill with MacKenzie & Mann's Canadian Northern scheme.

The Coast-Kootenay road will connect with the Hill system at both ends. At the coast end it will join the Great Northern system now under construction from Liverpool on Fraser river, opposite New Westminster, to Ladner, and with a ferry system from Ladner to Sidney on Vancouver island. Connection with Victoria will be had by means of the Victoria & Sidney railway, while a branch will be run from the mouth of the Fraser to Vancouver. In the Boundary country the line will make connection with the Hill system to Spokane, known as the V., V. & E. and Washington & Great Northern.

This contract with the McLeans is practically a victory for the V., V. & E., as the McLeans obtained a charter for that line, and have been fighting bitterly in recent years against great odds and powerful opposition to government aid.

The sudden reversal of the Dunsmuir government's opposition to the V, V. & E. is believed to be owing to the fact that it hopes to secure a favorable opinion from the public on the bill embracing both the Canadian Northern and Coast-Kootenay schemes, which it could not do with the MacKenzie & Mann contract alone. It is considered a clever move.

AN IMPORTANT RUMOR

The statement is made that Chas. Cumings' mission east was to negotiate a sale to the Great Northern Railway company of the John Manly ranch and hotel property; that the negotiations were successful, but on Mr. Cumings' return here he found that Mr. Manly had gone to Toronto, thus avoiding the final signing of papers in the deal. Now the question is, What did he go to Toronto for?

John Carmichael's illegal fishing case was again postponed yesterday afternoon till Friday. The agitation arising from the bringing of the case has resulted in the lively discussion of several important local questions—"Is not the Smelter company violating the law in maintaing a dam without a fish ladder?" And, "Shall the Smelter company be allowed to run its slag in the river, also contrary to law?" Then the question of social distinction and society classification is rung in, and the end is not yet. Solicitor W. H. P. Clement is managing Charmichael's case.

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COLUMBIA, B. C.

Situation, Environments and General Resources.

The City of Columbia is situated near the junction of the North Forks of the Kettle river with the main Kettle river, and is distant about 300 miles east of Vancouver.

The natural situation of the city for beauty is not excelled in America. A verdure-clad and flower-bespangled rolling prairie, traversed by a river of bright, sparkling water, fringed with forest trees and surrounded by mountains, forming a charming combination of picturesquesness and grandeur

The Columbia & Western railway, which was constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, has its station, freight warehouse and yards in the center of Columbia, and the Vancouver, Victora & Eastern Railway company, has located its depot, freight sheds and yards along the east line of the corporation, thus giving the city connections with two transcontinental lines.

The Canadian Pacific railway company has large interests in the city, having selected the site on account of the superior natural advantages as a railway centre.

The climate, taken all the year around, is the best in Canada—part of the summer is rather hot and dry, but the rest of the year is enjoyable.

Throughout the Kettle River valley there is an extent of fertile agricultural land, part of which is now being cultivated.

Apples, plums, pears, prunes, cherries and all the small fruits grow abundantly. The valley surrounding Columbia, divided into small frnit and vegetable farms, will sustain a large population.

Building material is plentiful in the district. Lumber can be procured at fair prices, and brick lime and stone of good quality can always be obtained when required.

The mining interests are of the first importance to this country, and will do much to build up Columbia. Large mineral lodes have been discovered through the mountains adjacent to the city, and what were mere prospects a short time since are now large paying mines.

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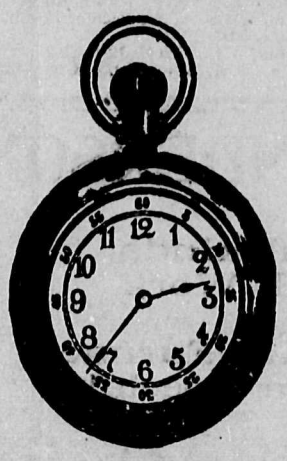

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ONE BID YESTERDAY

Charleston Athletic Club Without a Competitor.

New York, April 2.—Only one bid was received in this city yesterday for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight. It was that of the Charleston Athletic club, which offered the figthers 75 per cent of the gross receipts or a guarantee of $26,000. The club agreed to hold the contest between May 15th and June 1, and offered to give the contestants the entire proceeds from the picture privileges. After the bid had been received a telegram was sent to San Francisco to ascertain if any bids for the fight had been received there, and the matter was left over until a reply could be received.

Late last night a reply was received from Jeffries. He saie he did not think the contest could be held at Charleston, and he wanted the Charleston men to post the full $26,000 as a forfeit.

Fitzsimmons immediately sent back the following telegram to him: "Charleston is the best bid and by the articles of agreement we are bound to accept it. Have every assurance of no interference. If you really want to fight accept or think up some better excuse than you have given. Your demand for $26,000 forfeit is ridiculously unreasonable. I am ready to sign and post forfeit now."

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AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1902.
6-2-02 — SEWARD L. GRAHAM.

CITY OF COLUMBIA COURT OF REVISION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment for the year 1902, as made by the Assessor of the City of Columbia, B. C., will be held at the City Clerk's office, Columbia, on Tuesday, the 15th of April, A. D. 1902, at 7:30 p.m.

Columbia, B. C., March 12th, 1902.
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