

EXPERTS DENY PRAISE OF TEMAGAMI MINES

Testify Hawthorne Misquoted Them in Circulars to Buyers.

LETTERS AS EVIDENCE

Goldfields Company Agent Says He Didn't Try to Buy Property.

William F. Wilkinson, a mining engineer formerly connected with the Goldfields Consolidated of London, who came to testify at the trial of Julian Hawthorne and his associates, identified in court yesterday afternoon a copy of a letter written by him to Dr. William J. Morton...

The engineer testified yesterday that he had made a trip to Cobalt in 1908 on an excursion with the American Institute of Mining Engineers. The trip was a personal one, the witness said, although he was at the time under a retainer from the Goldfields Consolidated of London.

The letter addressed to Dr. Morton, written from London on October 30, 1908, reads as follows:

I was astonished to see my name figuring in a circular by Julian Hawthorne about the Temagami mine. The Engineering and Mining Journal has taken the matter up and I have had to write to deny that I ever made an offer for the mine as Hawthorne makes out. I don't remember him, but I called on some of the people who were in New York and discussed Cobalt. I gather from the newspapers that the property is or was yours, and I shall be much obliged if you will tell me what has been going on and explain how the circular could use my name in such an impudent fashion.

Mr. Wilkinson testified in response to the questions of Assistant United States Attorney Dorr and his colleague, C. A. Thompson, that he had no recollection of ever making any offer for Temagami. He had seen a man whom he supposed to be Hawthorne in New York after returning from Cobalt, he said, and had told him that if he had any property which he would like to let, he could use my name in such an impudent fashion.

The witness further testified that while he was at Cobalt he met Dr. Morton and at the latter's request looked over the properties of the Temagami-Cobalt Mines, Ltd. He had no knowledge of value during that examination, he said.

Dr. Morton's reply to the witness's letter of protest was as follows: I quite appreciate your indignation at the use of your name, and I can assure you that it was with no knowledge on my part that it was done, for I believe we both know each other well enough to know that we are not liable to do that sort of thing.

As for Hawthorne I can only say that he meant no harm, but that he does not look at things in the light perhaps that some of us would look at them. You see that a man who is a novelist is in the habit of swinging things regardless of being held answerable as he would be when he enters business, and Hawthorne frankly admits his indiscretion. I hope it will be remedied so far as is possible and that the matter will drop there it is.

An editorial from the Engineering and Mining Journal of October 19, 1908, embodying Mr. Wilkinson's name, had never had an offer for the Temagami mine and scoring the Hawthorne projects was read to the jury in this connection.

Another important witness for the Government was Louis D. Hunton, a consulting engineer, who had been formerly been professor of mining at the Sheffield Scientific School. He had visited the Cobalt district in 1907.

The witness identified the following letter written by him to Mr. Hawthorne shortly after he had returned from the visit to Canada, which read in part: One of my correspondents kindly forwarded to me your prospectus in which you quote me as saying: "I have been blinded by your rich streaks of silver, it is almost beyond belief."

You are making misrepresentations to your intended investors, as they understand I have made these remarks with reference to properties in Temagami. My reference to the developed silver veins at Cobalt. We visited Temagami but heard nothing about silver values existing in your district.

Woodford Brooks, who was the first president of the Hawthorne Silver and Iron Mines, Ltd., but that he does not look in connection with the promotion of which Hawthorne and his associates are charged with using the mails to defraud, was the other witness who testified today. He was asked to identify a prospectus in the form of a letter signed with his name written to Julian Hawthorne.

The witness testified that he had not written the letter, but that he had seen it after it was printed and had made no correction except to strike out a middle initial which had been placed in his name. The witness testified yesterday that he had never visited a mine except as a young man, when he had seen a coal or an asbestos mine, he couldn't remember just which. He had seen the real mine business in Atlanta, Ga., and in New York, he said, and had managed a street railway in Fort Worth, Tex. From 1894 to 1897 he had been connected with Brooks & Co., brokers on Wall street, and during that time he had sold first class Cobalt stock.

Other witnesses were William F. Melus, Jr., of New York, formerly secretary and treasurer of Temagami-Cobalt Mines, Ltd.; George H. Guy, secretary of the New York Picture Company, who was formerly a director in Temagami-Cobalt Mines, Ltd.; Walter R. Ingalls, editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal of New York; Edward P. Stone, an architect of Ramsey, N. J.; Edward M. Hopkins, an instructor in the University of Kansas; and Alexander Richards of Boston.

The trial will be continued on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

LEE HOY'S CURIOSITY COSTLY.

Chinaman Peeks at Opium Hunters and Falls From Hiding Place.

Lee Hoy squeezed himself into as small a space as a little Chinaman can take up, standing on a window sill two stories above the court in the rear of 28 Mot street, when the Federal inspectors searching for opium came tumbling into his room at that address early yesterday morning. It was dark out there and the Oriental was sure that the inspectors would never think of looking for him on his window sill.

But when Lee heard them rummaging through his belongings inside curiosity overcame him and he ventured one swift peek. As he bobbed his head around the corner his foot slipped. Lee clutched at the window blind, but it came off its rusty hinges under his grasp and he went swinging out and down, squeaking to all his gods, to land flat in the courtyard.

There the inspectors found him suffering from a broken leg and internal hurts. The Government men who work for the Surveyor of the Port Henry yelled for a policeman and the Police Commissioner sent the injured Chinaman to the prison street hospital, where he lies in bad shape. The inspectors have been watching the comings and goings of Chinamen around 28 Mot street for some time. They went pounding upstairs in the dawn yesterday, six men under Inspector Murphy. They first shouldered in the door of room 28, where they found a frightened Chinaman, who said he was Li Chung, and a quantity of opium, which they seized. Li was sent to the Elizabeth street police station. In Lee Hoy's room they got more opium. Altogether the inspectors got approximately \$5,000 worth of opium, which is the biggest haul that Surveyor Henry's men have made for some time.

WALDO PLANS COLD XMAS FOR THE PICKPOCKET TRIBE

Commissioner Fills Shopping District With Policemen, Plain Clothes and Faney.

The pickpockets, shoplifters and factors who generally do such a thriving business in the shopping districts in the holiday season are going to have a hard time of it this year unless all plans of Police Commissioner Waldo fail. The number of policemen on duty in the shopping district of both New York and Brooklyn has been increased so that now there is one patrolman on fixed post at every crossing. Also a special squad of detectives, whom no one will be able to tell from plain everyday commuters, are doing their wives' Christmas shopping, will circulate constantly along the streets and through the aisles of the different stores.

Inspector Faurot of the detective bureau has distributed pamphlets among the New York and Brooklyn merchants, giving pictures and descriptions of the best known pickpockets and shoplifters. Commissioner Waldo has formulated a set of rules which he says all holiday shoppers, especially women, ought to observe. He advises women shoppers not to carry their hand bags swinging carelessly at their sides, but rather to clutch them firmly under the arm with the fingers closed over the clasp.

Also when you go down town to make your purchases, warns the Commissioner, tell the janitor or neighbors or somebody to keep an eye on your house. Sneak thieves flourish around Christmas time. And in the exhilaration of the holiday spirit even the most diligent front door watcher is liable to leave the front door unwatched. Lastly the Commissioner would direct a special word of warning against the fake delivery boy. When a Christmas gift is delivered at your door do not pay the charges until you have opened the package and examined it. For many a box of candy or book sent "charges collect" has turned out to be nothing but a check or a bundle of last week's newspapers.

SELLS GEM IN JAIL FOR BAIL.

Wife of Physician in Court as Prisoner and Complainant.

A woman who said the diamonds and jewelry she wore were worth \$4,500 was in the West Side court yesterday in the rôle of prisoner and complainant. She had been in court the previous day to press a charge of larceny against John Miller, whom she accused of having stolen a diamond ring valued at \$450. Because of her condition Magistrate Buttle case the case over for a hearing yesterday and ordered that a charge of intoxication be entered against her. While in jail she disposed of one gem and thus got bail.

Magistrate Harris was sitting when she appeared yesterday. She said she was Mrs. Cecelia Schmidt, wife of Dr. Charles Henry D. Schmidt, of 457 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn. She came over to Manhattan Wednesday to visit her sister. On her way home she met a friend and dined with him.

At 7 o'clock the next morning she found herself in the back room of a saloon at Eighth avenue and Thirtieth street. Her money was gone and she gave the bartender the ring to raise more money. He took the ring, she says, and then ejected her. Miller denied the charge. Magistrate Harris discharged the bartender and ordered after lecturing the woman on the evils of drink discharged her also.

BELIEVES HE HAS GRIP ON GANG.

Burns Detective Charges Prisoners Helped Rob Cloak Company.

In the arrest of a seventeen-year-old boy and a man of thirty Norman T. Bailey of the Burns Detective Agency believes he has taken the first step toward the breaking up of a gang of thieves that has already stolen thousands of dollars worth of goods from the National Cloak and Suit Company, 207 West Twenty-fourth street, and is thought to have robbed other concerns of large amounts. The prisoners, Herman Rosenberg, 17, of 117 East 108th street, and Harry Fink or Finkelstein, 30, of 278 West Nineteenth street, were arraigned yesterday in the Tombs court and held in \$1,500 bail for trial in General Sessions. Rosenberg was confessed, Bailey says. The Cloak and Suit company first found it was being robbed when customers complained that goods which they had ordered and paid for had never arrived. The detectives traced some of the outgoing packages up to the labeling and mailing department, where Rosenberg was employed as a shipper. Then they discovered that fake labels had been pasted on the packages and that valuable cloaks and furs had been sent to wrong addresses, where agents of the gang received them, disposing of them later in pawnshops and to fences. In addition to the mail order thefts Rosenberg is accused of having taken watches and other jewelry to the amount of \$2,000 from the Cloak and Suit company.



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JERSEY WANTS SHARE IN PIER EXTENSIONS

Interests Across the Hudson Will Oppose Present Sulzer Bill.

HOBOKEN MAYOR ACTIVE

Plan for Marginal Railroad in Brooklyn Again Discussed.

Gov. Sulzer's bill in Congress to relocate the pierhead line in the Hudson River between West Thirtieth street and the Battery to conform with the suggestion of the State harbor investigating committee is meeting opposition, not only on the part of Brooklyn commercial bodies anxious to have the long passenger steamship piers built in that city and not in Manhattan but on the west bank of the Hudson, where the New Jersey interests have long been clamoring for pier extensions.

President Ernest J. Heppenheimer of the New Jersey Harbor Board received word yesterday from Richard C. Jenkins, a fellow member of the board, that he was in Washington for the purpose of getting one of the New Jersey Congressmen to see to it that Mr. Sulzer's bill that New Jersey's interests would be considered equally with those of New York.

It is known that most of the officials and business men in New Jersey who have been trying to put through plans for the improvement of the waterfront on the west shore of the Hudson feel that in case Congress takes the matter out of the hands of the War Department and arbitrarily relocates the line on the New York shore there will be less likelihood of New Jersey getting what she wants in the matter of pier extension because of the encroachment on the fairway of the river.

Mayor Martin Cooke of Hoboken, who is known as a fighter when he gets started, said yesterday that he believed Mr. Sulzer's bill of vital importance to New Jersey.

"The steamship companies in Hoboken are greatly interested in this bill," he said. "If it goes through just as it is and the fairway of the river is narrowed it may make impossible any pierhead extension on this side of the river. New Jersey's rights in this matter must be considered. The question is one that affects New Jersey the same as New York and it should be considered a joint one."

Mayor Cooke proposes to call together the municipal officers and heads of steamship companies and others interested in the New Jersey waterfront for discussion of the subject next week in order that they may oppose Mr. Sulzer's bill unless the measure is so amended as to allow an extension along the New Jersey shore.

There was another hearing at the City Hall yesterday afternoon regarding the layout and operation of Dock Commissioner Tompkins's plan for a marginal railroad and freight terminal in South Brooklyn. Changes in the plan providing for the construction of the railroad around and not through a warehouse section between Joralemon street and Harrison street were discussed.

This change, it was said, would avoid a great expense. It was agreed that in his original plans the Dock Commissioner had figured on the future and not the present.

President Landstreet of the New York Dock Company gave his tentative consent to the proposed operation of the marginal railroad jointly or in connection with other interests affected should the city decide to build the road, but Irving T. Bush, president of the Bush Terminal Company, objected to any such arrangement for the operation of any section of road now controlled by his company. He said that he would prefer to have each company operate the road in its particular section and that they operate the connecting link jointly under city supervision.

John Purroy Mitchell, president of the Board of Aldermen, suggested that a terminal operating company consisting of the Bush Terminal Company, the New York Dock Company, the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Long Island Railroad be formed for the purpose of running the marginal railroad. Representatives of all the companies agreed to take the matter under consideration.

AMUSEMENTS

NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES. EMPIRE Broadway 40th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Thurs. 2:30. Dec 21 Last Night this Thea. Dec 23 Valček's NAZIMOVA from the novel Sofia Donna

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NEWAMSTERDAM W 41st St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. THE COUNT OF LUXEMBOURG

LIBERTY W 42d St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. MILESTONES

KNICKERBOCKER Broadway 39th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. OH! OH! DELPHINE

MOULIN ROUGE 23 W. 4th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. ZIEGFELD FOLLIES

GAIETY Broadway 46 St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. OUR WIVES' WIVES

GLOBE Broadway 46 St. Evs. 8:20. MONTGOMERY & STONE. THE LADY OF THE SLIPPER

HIPPODROME 43rd St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. UNDER MANY FLAGS

SOUSA TO-MORROW NIGHT 45th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. WINTER GARDEN Broadway 50th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. CASINO Broadway 39th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. LAST 2 WEEKS THE MERRY WIVES OF WENDOLET

LYRIC 43d W. of Broadway Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. EMMA TRENTINI in THE FIRELIE

TO-MORROW Broadway 43rd St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. SUPERB SERIES NEW SPECTACLES

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44th St. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. THE RED PETTICOAT with HEPBURN

MANHATTAN Op. Ho. 34 & 8 Ave. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. WEST END, 125th W. of 8th Ave. Evs. 8:15. Mat. Today & Wed. 2:15. WALLACK'S IN THE PAPER CHASE

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