

2 F. C. Taylor. CANADA LIFE Assurance Co. A LINDSAY RESULT.

The late Mr. Jos. L. Perkins, of this town, was insured under Policy No. 16299, in the Canada Life Assurance Company.

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The Canadian Post. LINDSAY, FRIDAY, FEB. 18, 1898. The General's last Victory

It was evident that something was weighing on old General Beaumont's mind that sunny June afternoon as he jogged along the pike on his big bay thoroughbred.

He was going to the stable to see the horses, but he found the stable door shut and the General looking up at him with a peculiar expression.

Before Peter could ride up, a shrill chorus of "Howdy, Mars George," came from the other side. In a moment the gate swung open and the General was surrounded by a dozen shining black faces.

"Howdy, boys!" responded the General, a twinkle in his kind grey eyes, as he glanced over the ragged, barelegged troop.

"Howdy, Mars George," he cried wildly. "Please don't leave ole Petah! Oh, please don't leave pool ole Petah! What you goin' to do in de mahnin' with nobody to shine and to share you? Who can take care o' you, Mars George, like I kin? Oh, please, please, Mars George, lemme go too!"

"The boys darted away on a message so congenial. Peter led the horses away to the stable, and the General, followed by Mandy, who was volubly telling all the news, passed through the hall to the veranda and threw himself in a tired way into his great chair.

Above his head, in a cluster of honey-suckle, the bees hummed drowsily. No other spot in all the world was as dear to the old General as this. Everything upon which his eye rested was endeared to him by the most sacred associations.

pointed out the home that was to be hers. And their boy—their brilliant, handsome, manly boy—was there a blade of grass in the meadow, or a leaf in the woods, or a drop of water in the creek, that did not speak of him to that lonely old man!

"By, Peter, how long have you been here?" inquired the General in a surprised tone.

"I don't no," replied Peter respectfully. "I saw you was a-studyin' an' I didn't want to pester you."

"Kill the serpent as soon as he stings," says Dorney. "Cut him up in small pieces and put the raw pieces over the bite. The rattler's flesh will begin to turn green as he absorbs the poison."

"The General had been looking straight ahead while he was talking, but now he turned to Peter. Peter was still sitting in the same position.

"Oh, Mars George, Mars George!" he cried wildly. "Please don't leave ole Petah! Oh, please don't leave pool ole Petah! What you goin' to do in de mahnin' with nobody to shine and to share you? Who can take care o' you, Mars George, like I kin? Oh, please, please, Mars George, lemme go too!"

"Why, Peter," said the General, unsteadily, as he rested his hand softly on the bowed grey head in his lap, "I never knew you to behave this way before, and you and I have been together a long time, Peter. We used to roll around on this porch together when we were babies, didn't we? But you never acted this way before. Why, where's your nerve, Peter? This is not the Peter that used to skate with me down the creek when it is ice breaking, and got the fence rails and crawled out on them to save me. This can't be the Peter that took old Bobolink over the jumps at Stratoga when he'd never ridden across country in his life, just because my money was down and he had bought my jockey. I wouldn't have believed it of you. It must have been some other Peter that carried the boy away that day at Gettysburg, when the shells were bursting and the bullets were screaming. That Peter wouldn't have acted this way! And now the tears of the two old men mingled together in a deep, dark, and so waying there in the darkness, and so waying and weeping together they grew calmer, and when Aunt Mandy, after having rung the supper-bell for the third time without getting a response, came out to see what had happened, she met the General coming in with Peter, as usual, close behind him."

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A RATTLETS' RANCH. THE YUKON CONTRACT. The Terms of Construction of the Stikine Railway.

On the Bill Williams fork of the Colorado River, in the western part of Arizona, near the junction of the Rio San Maria River in Mohave County, within a stone's throw of Yavapai and Yuma Counties, perhaps fifty miles southeast from the Needles and fifteen miles from the mouth of the Colorado River, is situated a ranch of Mark Dorney. A more particular location of the place—looking at the map—could scarcely be given, for this territory is a vast and unexplored district, and landmarks are neither plentiful nor certain. But anyone who has been to that part of the Territory will tell you all about it, because if they haven't seen it they have heard of it.

1. The contractors consent with the Government to construct, equip and fully complete a line of railway, with proper terminal facilities, from the navigable waters of the Stikine River in British Columbia or at the mouth of Telegraph Creek, Glenora or the mouth of Clear Water River, thence running northward to the navigable waters of Teslin Lake, a distance of about 150 miles on the line of the railway, from the completion of the line on or about September 1, 1898, the said railway when fully completed to be of the general standard gauge of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

2. The Government shall submit to Parliament at its next ensuing session a measure for the necessary Act confirming this agreement and authorizing the contractor to perform and carry out the same, also incorporating the contractors and such others as may be deemed necessary in the said Act.

3. Upon the incorporation of said company and upon the assignment by the contractor to such company of all rights, powers and authority in and to the lands, waters and minerals therein, the contractor shall, not before being relieved from personal responsibility hereunder, and the company shall be thereafter deemed to be the parties to the agreement and shall be bound as such and be entitled to their rights hereunder.

4. For five years from the 1st of September, 1898, no line of railway shall be constructed, built or operated, nor shall any lands, waters or minerals be granted to any person or company other than the contractors and the contractors' company, to assist in building any such railway.

5. The contractors and the contractors' company shall be entitled to receive in preference to any other person or company, during ten years from said 1st of September, 1898, such aid or assistance in land or money as the Government may be authorized to give to assist in building a line of railway from the Stikine River to an ocean port in British Columbia, provided that the contractors or contractors' company are willing to accept the same at once and completion thereof within a reasonable time upon receiving notice thereof from the Government.

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15. The free rights of passage and use of the said navigable or floatable streams, along with the lands selected by the contractors shall not be impeded by them, and if any stream be diverted by them from its natural channel an equally convenient navigable or floatable channel shall be provided in lieu and the gold commissioner of the district shall decide any disputes which may arise as to whether the stream be diverted or not.

16. All mining claims actually held and recorded pursuant to Government rules by a free miner or free miners and being within a block of land taken or selected by the contractors hereunder shall be excepted from the grant and shall not pass to the contractor, provided that such claims have been so actually paid for and recorded prior to the date of the grant.

17. There shall be payable to and reserved by the Government a royalty of one per cent upon all gold mined by placer mining or hydraulic mining on the lands selected hereunder, and if and so long as any royalty up to one per cent is levied by the Government upon all gold got by quartz mining in Government blocks in the Yukon district, a royalty of an equal amount up to one per cent, but no more, shall be payable to and reserved by the Government upon all gold got by quartz mining in the lands selected hereunder.

18. So soon as any ten continuous miles of said railway between Stikine River and Teslin Lake have been completed and in running order and certified to be by an officer named by the Minister of Railways in that behalf, the contractors may select ninety-two thousand one hundred and sixty acres, or two blocks of land hereunder, and thereupon such blocks shall be reserved by the Government from sale or location or free miners' claims; and upon the completion of the blocks the contractors shall have any other ten miles the contractors shall have a similar right to select ninety-two thousand one hundred and sixty acres, or two blocks, which shall thereupon be similarly reserved, and upon the completion of the said railway and acceptance thereof by the Government as completed the blocks so reserved shall be granted to the contractors, all free miners' claims being excepted, as provided by clause 16 hereof.

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19. In case any land is excepted out of blocks taken by contractors on account of free miners' claims or otherwise, the quantity so excepted shall not be counted in the acreage of lands to which the contractors are entitled hereunder.

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