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THE ANZURES LAND COMPANY (LIMITED) (GREAT BRITAIN) v. UNITED MEXICAN STATES

(Decision No. 70, July 7, 1931. Pages 202-203. See also decision No. 62.)

RES JUDICATA.—EFFECT OF AWARD RENDERED BY MEXICAN NATIONAL CLAIMS COMMISSION. Claim was previously presented to domestic Mexican National Claims Commission and an award of 71,087.50 pesos Mexican gold was allowed, no part of which was ever paid. *Held*, award granted in sum of 71,087.50 pesos Mexican gold.

(Text of decision omitted.)

ALFRED MACKENZIE AND THOMAS HARVEY (GREAT BRITAIN) v. UNITED MEXICAN STATES

(Decision No. 71, July 7, 1931. Pages 203-207.)

NATIONALITY, PROOF OF. Birth certificate and supporting affidavits held sufficient evidence of nationality.

CORPORATE CLAIMS. In a claim by British subjects for losses sustained by virtue of their interest in non-British corporations, held, upon demurrer, that claimants must show (1) the existence of the corporations concerned, (2) the amounts of their respective capitals and share issues, (3) the number of shares held by the claimants, (4) their interest therein at the time of the various losses, and (5) the allotments. Decision on demurrer postponed to examination of claim on merits.

- 1. In this case the claim is made on behalf of Alfred Mackenzie and Thomas Harvey, for compensation for the total loss and destruction of three mining properties situated at Santa Eulalia, in the State of Chihuahua. The claim is made in respect of their ownership of the whole of the shares in three non-British Companies, that is to say in (1) a Company of the State of Arizona, U.S.A., formerly known as the Great Boulder Mining Company and now as the Compañía Minera El Gran Peñasco, in which out of a total capital of 300,000 shares Alfred Mackenzie owns 299,800, and Thomas Harvey 200, (2) a Company of the State of Arizona, U.S.A., formerly known as the London and Liverpool Mining Company, Incorporated, and now as La Victoria Mining Company, their holdings out of a total capital of 300,000 shares of stock, being respectively Alfred Mackenzie 299,800, and Thomas Harvey 200, and (3) of a Company of the State of Arizona, U.S.A., formerly known as the Seven Stars Mining Company Incorporated, but now as the Santa Eulalia Star Mining Company, their holdings therein out of a total share capital of 300,000 stock, being respectively Alfred Mackenzie 299,800 shares and Thomas Harvey 200 shares.
- 2. It is alleged in the Memorial that both Alfred Mackenzie and Thomas Harvey are British subjects, and that over 50 per cent of the capital of each of the aforesaid Companies, to wit 100 per cent, is owned by them. In order