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COMMUNICATION FROM SECRETARY OF LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

REITERATES GROSS LIBEL UPON SILVER-LEAD MINERS

Editor The Daily News - In the Lord's Day Advocate, November, 1905, there appears an article entitled "The Lord's Day Among the Mountains and on the Prairies," written by the asso-ciation secretary. The whole article would be too lengthy for insertion in your columns; but the following sen-tences are sufficient to show its spirit towards the west generally, and the miners in particular:

True, it was not always the quiet and worshipful Sabbath of older parts of Canada, but in the newest prairie towns was an evident respect for the day In the most Sabbathless places there are those who heartily helped the Al-hiance, and stood steadfastly for the

In the most Sabbathless places there are those who heartly helped the Alliance, and stood steadfastly for the Rest Day as the inherent right of the citizens, and an absolute necessity to the nation. And there were some towns where the methods of keeping the day would be an example to many places in Eastern Canada.

"The miners differently observe the Sabbath, The coal miners in the Pass towns have demanded and obtained freedom from work on Sundays, and in many sliver-lead mines in British Columbia the toliers have their Rest Day. But in some miners argue they have to pay board for every day and consequently they must work every day. It must be very poor work where six days' wages will not pay seven days' board bill. But, without exception these men after a few months, work would collect their entire wages and repair to the satoons, gambling dens and places of vile resort, where in a few days their hard earned money would be spent."

The Nelson, B.C. News of Nov. 30-1905, prints the following: "Surely the association secretary of the Lord's Day Advocate, the statements concerning the silver-lead miners of this province. Yet we find in his report, published in the last number of the Lord's Day Advocate, the statement that if it some mines the men work sever days alvee, and "without exception that if it some mines the men work sever days and econocerning the silver-lead miners of this province. Yet we find in his report, published in the last number of the Lord's Day Advocate, the statement that if it some mines the men work sever days as week, and "without exception to days' and the property and with an average employment of four men per daysine several years. In June, look the property and with an average employment of four men per daysine several years. In June, down the last number of the Lord's Day Advocate, the statement of the construction of the fact and the property and with an average employment of four men per daysine several spans. In June, look the property and with an average employment of four men p

ment that in some mines the men work seven days a week, and "without excep-tion these men, after a few months" work, would collect their entire wages repair to the saloons, gambling dens, and places of vile resort where in a few days their hard earned money would all be spent. The man who will deliberately pen scandalous libels of this nature ought to be in jail or in a

The editor who would deliberately and maliciously misrepresent the state-ments of any person in this way ought not to be in a lunatic asylum, but

out to be in jail.

By publishing this letter in your valuable paper you will greatly oblige.

T. ALBERT MOORE.

Associate Secretary L.D.A. Toronto, Dec. 30, 1905. (We publish the foregoing letter in

fairness to the associate secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, but we are entirely at a loss to understand what he means by "deliberate and malicious misrepresentation." The words quoted by us in the paragraph complained o own citation. In making the quotation for the purposes of comment, we were at pains to limit the application of his unwarranted strictures, by the use of the words "in some mines." The associate secretary's statement is in some mines they work every day alike. etc." The gross libel contained in the associate secretary's sweeping a sertion regarding the men who work in the silver-lead mines, which are worked seven days a week, is that he de-'without exception" these men weste their earrings in riolious living. There may be black sheep among the silver-lead miners, just as there are fair minded man would condemn the entire clergy because a few of their number are profligates.-Ed. The Daily

Copies of the above letter from the associate secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance have been sent to other papers

publishes it with the following appro-

riate comment:
"We publish by request the foregoing letter from T Albert Moore, associate secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, from which it would seem that the sweet Christian spirit of charity, which supposed to bind all Christians together in one loving embrace, is growing a little bitter in some quarters. We fail to see how Mr. Moore has strengthened his cause by this letter and by condemning the editor of the News to the common jail with no hope newspaper man, as is usual in such cases, allows the alliance man some choice at least as to whether he should be confined, thereby showing a wider spirit of tolerance than the Lord's Day Alliance manifests. Mr. Moore should not let the carnal minded editor of the News outdo him in such a small matter of charity as a chance between living in a jail or a lunatic asylum."

AINSWORTH CAMP

dommodious bunk house, cook house, black-smith shop and ore sorting shed. The mining has consisted of the quarrying out of two glory holes, about 20x25 feet and 20 feet deep; the chambering out of ore at a depth of 30 feet in the shaft, which is 145 feet deep, to the extent of 30x12 feet and 15 feet high; the stripping and surface cutting of the vein at another point 20x50 feet, and shipping since July 1st 817 tons of silver-lead ore.

COPPER GOING TO CHINA

Demand Due to Unrestricted Coinage Into 1-Cent Pieces and Cash Demand Due to Unrestricted Coinage Into 1-Cent Pieces and Cash

Washington, Jan, 4-Special agent Burill of the United States, says that the enormous increase in the importation of copper into China recently is due to its unrestricted coinage into 1-cent pieces and cash, which operation is under the absolute control of the provincial authorities. While the multiplicity of minus promises to debase the currency of the empire, the central government leavest the question of production entirely with the viceroys of the provinces. As these officials realize a comfortable margin of profit on the coinage, business men here assume that there is no likelihood of its early cessation and that the extensive copper importation will continue. The Shamghal chamber of commerce has investigated this question and has informed the diplomatic corps at Pekin that representations looking to the regulation of the currency should be made to the government. The chamber pointed out that as the Chinese provincial governments imagine they have a personal source of income from the profit of the mints, they may fall to grasp the danger of depreciation because of over issue. It was further suggested that if restrictions be not made, foreign trade in China must inevitably suffer.

KOOTENAY PUPILS SUCCESSFUL

Results of December Entrance Examination in Rossland and Revelstoke Of the four high school centres in Kootenay where semi-annual examina-tions may be held for entrance to high schools, Nelson, Rossland, Revelstoke and Grand Forks, at only two, Ross-land and Revelstoke, were there any candidates to write in December. The results are very satisfactory only one candidate failing at each out of six and five, respectively, who wrote,
As 22 pupils of Nelson public school

wrote at the midsummer examination and all were successful, no candidates will be presented until next June. The results of the December entrance

examination in Kootenay are as fol-Revelstoke Centre—Number of candidates. 56; passed. 4, Maud Beck, 643; John Sibbald, 627; Fred Berger, 605; Rossland Centre—Number of candi dates, 6; passed 5. Nettle C. Lingle, 631; Glen H. Tees, 627; Priscilla Baxendale, 597; Robert C. Hicks, 588; Beatrice Levy. 588.

HEAVY BURDEN IMPOSED RURAL SCHOOL TRUSTEES RE-QUIRED TO ASSESS DISTRICTS

MEMBERS OF BOARD OF HUME ADDITION DECIDE TO RETIRE

of rural school trustees declining to un-By the amended act the annual meeting is fixed for next Thursday morning. January 11th, at 11 a.m. The present board met to consider their new duties, and the new financial relations created for them.

The provincial government provides.

duties, and the new financial relations created for them.

The provincial government provides The provincial government provides \$40 a month towards each teacher's salary, and a supplementary grant equal to an amount raised in each district but not to exceed \$100 a year. Therefore the maximum grant that may be obtained from the government for any school of one division is \$580 a year. The Hume school board quickly estimated that at least \$300 more would be required for salary and maintenance charges, without any provision for im-

provements. The new act provides for the raising of such sums by the school trustees, whose services are always gratuitous The poard must furnish the district as-sessor with "a list of all persons resi-dent and non-resident who own real estate in such district, and of all residents of the district liable to be rated in respect of personal property or in-come, and of all corporations, firms and persons not resident, liable to be rated in respect of real or personal property or income in the district, togther with

a description of such property."

After long and careful deliberation the three members of the board decided that they could not perform such tasks without neglecting their own work in without neglecting their own work in the city, and that they should not assess the ratepayers for an additional sum for a paid secretary without receiv-ing a special mandate from them. No member of the present board will be a candidate for re-election. Arrangements will be made to hold a

general meeting of the ratepayers of the Hume school district next week, pro-bably Tuesday evening, when the sitbably Tuesday evening, when the sit-uation will be thoroughly explained to them, so that those specially interested may have ample time for consideration before the statutory time for the hold-ing of the annual meeting.

The Hume school has a regular atten-dance of nearly 40 pupils. It must be maintained at any cost or any sacrifice, but it seems that the burden cast upon honorary officials, is an exceedingly

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heavy one.

The regulations referred to apply to every rural school district in the proof complaint and protest is likely to

CROFTON SMELTER BLOWN IN

Will Be Supplied With Ore From Brittannia Mine on Howe Sound

Victoria. Jan. 4.—The Britannia Smelting company. which for the last three months, has been making alterations and additions to its smelter at Crofton. is at length in a position to commence smelting, and one of the blast furnaces was blown in today.

H. C. Bellinger, the company's consult-

ing engineer arrived in Victoria last evening, and this morning went up to Crofton to be present when manager Thomas Kiddie should make the initial run of these works, of which he took charge in September. The smelter has been closed down since early in 1904 owing to there having been an alto-gether insufficient supply of ore avail-

The main source of ore supply will be the Britannia mine, on Howe Sound, from which both ore and concentrates have been arriving for some time past, until there is a comparatively large quantity in the smelter bins. Ore has also been received from Prince of Wales island, besides which a number of small sufficient variety to make a good smelinsure a continuous run for some time.

OTTAWA NEWS NOTES Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Comptroller White will arrive in a day or two from Edmonton and Regina, to talk over the future

of the mounted police.

The tariff commissioners propose leaving out of the list of meeting places all points between Moncton and Halifax on the Intercolonial railway until after the funeral of Raymond Prefontaine. As the funeral does not take place until the funeral does not take place until the 25th inst., this will prolong the work of the commission until a very

Lord Strathcona had a long interview with Laurier and Oliver on immigra-Senator Church, of Halifax, died yes-

Editor The Daily News-For your information and that of your readers I would like to correct a mis-statement made in your issue of this date relative to dividends paid by the St. Eugene Consolidated Mining Co., Ltd. The first two dividends declared were for 3 per cent-each on the capital stock of the company, which sum amounted to \$20,000. Since then five dividends of 2 per cent each have been declared which will bring the total paid to shareholders up to \$560,000, instead of "nearly \$500,000." as annearing in your issue. Yours truly

JAMES CRONIN.

Moyle, Jan. 3, 1906. ST. EUGENE DIVIDENDS

Property and the second section

ADD TO TEACHING STAFF

SECOND ASSISTANT APPOINTED TO NELSON HIGH SCHOOL

PROCEEDINGS OF LAST MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF 1905

Owing to the pressure of work at the Nelson high school caused by recent additions to the curriculum, and by the additions to the curriculum, and by the multiplicity of classes, and also by the arrears of work accumulated during the illness of principal Fraser, the board of trusters have decided to appoint a second assistant for the coming term. Mrs. W. Pearcy, who taught for several years on the public school staff, and was the first assistant appointed to the high school, has been engaged as second assistant from January to June, inclusive. posed upon them by the amendments to the British Columbia Education Act, occurred yesterday afternoon in Nelson at a special meeting of the devotion of ample time by staff and pupils to subjects which were perforce neglected during the autumn term, and enable the school to take a standing to the devotion of ample time by staff and pupils to subject which were perforce neglected during the autumn term, and enable the school to take a standing in the next midsummer examinations not less fav-orable than that achieved last year.

with Dr. Arthur, F. W. Swannell and R. J. Steel present. F. W. Swannell was elected to the chair The business was announced to be the completion of the year's accounts and other matters, and provision for assistance at the high

school.

The resignation of G. Ritchie from the board, because of his intention to leave the city, was received and accepted.

On motion of R. J. Steel, the purchase of stencils to mark and catalogue all books in the high school and public school libraries was authorized.

On motion of Dr. Arthur, Mr. W. S. Peacete, was appointed to the high

Pearcy was appointed to the high school staff for the term from January Dr. Arthur and R. J. Steel were ap-

The secretary was instructed to order a car of coal for the public school.

The board of 1905 then adjourned for

PAY FOR M. & V. WORKMEN

Cash Has Been Shipped From New York

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—McLean brothers, who have a contract for the construc-tion of a portion of the Midway & Vertion of a portion of the Midway & Vernon railway, have received work from
New York that the money for the portion of the work already done will be
forthcoming in a day or two. Owing to
difficulties in the financing of this road,
the time checks were recently held up
and considerable comment was aroused.
The money now said to be on its way
is meant for the redemption of these
slips.

slips.

The financing of the first section of The mancing of the first section of the new road was given over to New York concerns who fell out, owing to a disagreement among themselves as to the division of the scheme. This probably now has been adjusted and no further difficulty is anticipated. When the first section in completed, the money from the sale of bonds, which brought good figure on the other side, will be available for the completion of the work.

FORT STEELE HAPPENINGS (Special to The Daily News)
Fort Steele, Jan. 4—Charles Mair of Lethbridge, has been spending the holidays with his son-in-law, E. Cann.
George Goldie, chief accountant at the government offices, was a guest at T.

government offices, was a guest at T. T. McVittie's.
Mr. and Mrs. Binimore have gone to the coast for a few weeks.
Miss Nicholson has tendered her resignation as teacher of the public school and will commence her duties as teacher.

Miss Nicholson has tendered her resignotion as teacher of the public school and will commence her duties as teacher of the Moyle school on the 8th mst. Her departure is regretted.

J. D. Gordon has returned to his duties as customs officer at Gateway, much improved in health by his visit to the coast. Born, at Santa Monica, Cal. to the wife of W. J. Langley, Fort Steele a daughter on December 1.

Henry Kershaw sr., well and favorably known throughout the district, is seriously ill in San Francisco, where he went to seek a milder climate.

Miss Marsden of Vancouver, has accepted the position of teacher at Jaffray.

The following have been installed as officers of the Fort Steele Masonic lodge: W.M., A. Fenwick; S.W., G. P. Pownell; J.W., F. Fenwick; treasurer, R. L. T. Galbraith; secretary, H. Watt; tyler, H. Drew. The lodge is in a most prosperous condition. At the close of the ceremonies there was a supper and a pleasing evening was spent.

There is a great deal of enquiry lately for lands suitable for settlement and fruit growing and an influx of visitors seeking homes in the valley may be expected at the opening of the spring.

The Larsen Hydraulic company is busy getting its lumber hauled to Wild Horse, where a contract has been let to J. Jensenius to build flumes and tank in connection with the work. The company hopes to be ready to go to work early in the spring.

The Bull River Power company has made

nection with the work. The company has made spring.

The Bull River Power company has made arrangements to complete its plant this year, and expect to be in a position to supply power to the towns in the district for lighting and manufacturing purposes.

The weather has been favorable for logging of late and several new camps north of here have recently commenced taking out logs. The Sheep creek, Hanson's, Skookum creek, Kerrigan's and others have a full force of men. The output will be larger than last year.

The large mill st Wardner is being overhauled and will be the best equipped in the district. The manager Peter Lund, and his bride, are expected home the early part of the month.

R. Dempsey, who has been visiting his old camping ground here during the holidays, returned to his ranch at Jaffray, where he is making extensive improvements.

HILLCREST MINES Coal Property Being Actively Developed—Many Miners Working
(Special to The Daily News)

Eernie, Jan. 4—C. P. Hill of Hillcrest, Alberta, accompanied by his wife arrived here yesterday and elft today for San-Francisco, on an important mission. Asked about the work in progress on the Hillcrest Coal & Coke company's mines, by

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Chilliwack, B.C."

"My first hatch came off. I got 170 fine chicks from 190 eggs. Who can beat this for the first trial, and so early in the spring. I may well pleased with the spring. I may be such that the spring of the spri

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your correspondent, Mr. Hill said: "We are now about making connection with the C.P.R. east of Frank. Up to date the company has expended £56,000 in an effort to place its output on the market. There are five tunnels and one stope at present working, all I am glad to say, in good coal, which varies in thickness from 8 to 12 feet. Our haulage is done by an electric motor. We have two 100 h.p. bollers, which work an electric plant, and an air compressor, which furnishes 1050 cubic feet of air per minute. Our haulage motor is only used in returning empty cars to the mine, as all filled cars are run by gravity from the several tunnels to the main tram line, having a grade of a half of one per cent. Down this tram line, which is 4000 feet long, the small cars or boxes run by gravity until they arrive at what is known as a "retard conveyor," which drops the boxes down 800 feet to a tipple, which in turn dumps the coal into C.P.R. cars standing on the branch line which our company has built and now operates. This line is two miles long its stiffest grade is 2 per cent and it taps the main C.P.R. line at a point one and a half miles east of Frank which will be known as Hillcrest Junction we have laid out an admirable townsite.

"The superiority of our coal has brought us more ordsre tran we can handie at present. We are commencing with an output of 300 tons per day but expect to reach the 1000 ton dally mark within six months. We have an even hundred miners at work now. So far we have not discovered the presence of gas in the slightest quantity in the mine. Will we supply the C.P.R.? Well railroads want the best in the market at the cheapest price, and 1 think we have the necessay article."

Mr. Hill declined to discuss at the present time the subject of his trip to San Francisco. He said: "When I get back, you'll hear from me." your correspondent, Mr. Hill said: "We

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS TELEGRAPHIC TICKS

Morales is to be impeached by the congress of San Domingo.

An immense seminary for the Roman Catholic priesthood has just been porjected at Austin, a suburh of Uncago, with a view of making that city the chief American Roman Catholic educational and religious center.

Judge Richardson of Tennessee has declared betting on horses unconstitutional in that state. The judgment will be appealed to the supreme court.

Mrs. Thompson, the wife of an Englishman of means, a passenger on the Minneapolis, has been deported by the immigration commissioner of New York, as an insane alien, because she is suffering mentally from the effects of bad seasickness.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

C. McLean Fraser, principal of the high

Alderman Kirkpatrick is in receipt of a letter from John Houston, Goldfields, Newada, stating that he would be in Nelson on the 18th to cast his vote in the municipal states.

W. J. Labadie, local depot agent of the Dominion Express company here, has been appointed agent at Cranbrook and left for his new post yesterday morning His wife and family will follow later.

Captain D. C. McMorris, port steward of the C.P.R. fleet, is making a trip of in-spection on Okanagan lake in connection with his department. The captain will leave for Montreal about the end of next week on business connected with the new steamer for Kootenay lake.

Jack Anderton of the crew of the C.Psk. tug Ymir, has been missing since Sunday evening when the tug was at Kootenay Landing. It is possible that he may have fallen overboard ond ben drowned, but this is not the opinion of the other members of the crew. Diligent search is being made for the missing man, but so far without success.

Owen Boyer formerly of Ymir has taken over the Kootenay hotel in this city from N. Mallete who is retiring from the hotel bushess and will hereafter reside in Eogustown. Under the new management the Kootenay hotel is to be entirely conducted by white labor and in every respect made a thoroughly comfortable house of resort.

A recent issue of the Toronto Globe contains a very favorable notice of three poems written for the 'Varsity, the Toronto university journal. Two of the poems are written in Scots dialect and in imitation of the style of Burna. They are signed L.O., which is the nom de plume of Leo Buchanan, son of G. O. Buchanan of Kaslo.

Fred Hume gave his annual New Year's dinner to local newspaper and messenger boys at the Hume hotel on Monday afternoon at 5:30. About 20 guests were present and the youngsters greatly enjoyed the good things set before them. Later on in the afternoon Mr. Hume entertained at dinner bandmaster Irwin and the members of the city band.

A party of a dozen ladies and gentlemen had a narrow escape from drowning New Year's afternoon. They were returning to the city from C. G. Broadwood's residence in a hired launch which leaked badly. When in mid lake the rising water put out the spark of the engine. At the same time the pump went out of commission. The launch contained neither sail, oar nor paddle, nor even a vessel for bailing. Luckily the steamer Kaslo appeared and took all the party aboard.

and took all the party aboard.

H. T. Irvine has returned from Spokene where he spent the Christmas foliatys with his family. He says that the members of the "150,000" club are indefatigable in their efforts to "boost" Spokane. A fund for advertising during 1996 is being formed and 140,000 is already collected. A special effort is to be made to attract as many conventions as possible to Spokane during the year. All will be entertained by the chamber of commerce. While not much building is being done at present, there are many signs of improvement, notably extensions of the electric raliwiy, lines into the surrounding districts.

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R. C. Inglis and H. J. Inglis two young Englishmen are stopping at the Hume. They came out some three years ago and have since then been farming if the territories. Hearing of the fruit lands hereshouts they have come here with the intendion of taking up a ranch. Today they will go up the lake in company with James Johnstone to look at some praperties. Before finally cetting here both men will return to England for a short visit, where they will endeavor to induce some others to return with them. From what they saw of Nelson yesterday they were very favorably impressed and will make it their business to make their views krown when they reach forgland. The coming here of the Messrs, Inglis is one of the direct results of Mr Johnstone's efforts to make known the fruit resources of this district.

GOSSIP OF GRAND FORKS
Grand Forks, Jan. 4-Frank McFarlane, the original discoverer of Franklin camp, has arrived here from the upper north fork district and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract the trims of the sale, payments are extended over 20 months. The Banner is being the McKinley Mining company. By the terms of the sale, payments are extended over 20 months. The Banner is formed to the sale payments are extended over 20 months. The Banner is claim town closed a deal for his half lateract in two closed a deal for his half lateract in two closed a deal for his half lateract in two closed a deal for his half lateract in two closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and shortly after his arrival in town closed a deal for his half lateract and sh

ASSOCIATED BOARDS OF TRADE

The annual meeting of the associated boards of trade of southeastern British Columbia for 1906 will not be held in time to allow the board's resolutions to be forwarded to the provincial government before the meeting of the legislature. It will probably be possible, however, to forward them before the business of the session is very far advanced. The provincial legislature has usually been summoned to meet during the first week in February. On that account it has been the custom of the associated boards to meet between Jan. Is and 20. The day on which it was intended that the meeting should be held in Cranbrook this year was Jan. 17, both the following day, the 18th, is municipal election day and the delegates to the associated boards are all interested. The following week is bonspiel week and the president of the Kootenay Curling association is secretary of the associated boards.

Ne date has been fixed yet, but G. U.) ASSOCIATED BOARDS OF TRADE

sociation is secretary of the associated boards.
No date has been fixed yet, but G. O. Buchanan, the president, stated yesterday that the meeting would probably be neid during he first week in February.
After the date is fixed by the executive and notice is given to the affiliated boards, ample me must be given to each for the preparation of resolutions for presentation, and the election and instruction of delegates. The matter will probably be discussed by the Nelson board at its regular meeting next week, although the council of the board has not held its usual monthly meeting.

ANNUAL CONVENTION U. M. W. A.

(Special to The Daily News)
Fernie, Jan. 4-The annual convention of
the United Mine Workers of America meets
in Indianapolis on Jan. 16. There will be
upwards of 1600 delegates in attendance,
representing every locality where there is
a district union. John Mitchell will pre-

a district union. John Mitchell will preside.

The delegates from Fernie will be Frank Sherman, ex-officio, P Paterson, J. N. Howbrook, representing Cammore, Bankhead and Morrissey, and W. Moore, representing Fernie, They will leave here about the 12th inst.

The voling for the position of check weighman, for which there are about 23 applicants, will take place at Coal Creek on Saturday.

What might have proved another serious conflagration was nipped in the bud last evening by the prompt action of a passerby. Some children playing with Christmas tree candles had set fire to the curtains. A man passing by, saw the flames, rushed into the house, tore down

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the curtains and threw them outside be-fore any serious damage was done.

FATALITY AT SAWMILL

Employee of China Creek Lumber Co. Employee of China Creek Lumber Co.

Caught in Shafting and Killed.,
Rossland, Jan. 4.—William Goodine.
an employee of the China Creek lumber company. today. while oiling the shafting caught his clothing on a set screw and was sent whirling around the shaft.
He suffered frightful injuries, his legs being broken and his head crushed, but was still living when the machinery was stopped and he fell to the floor. The unfortunate man died while being taken to Trail.

Goodine was a native of Fredericton.

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"CHIPPY" HILL'S MISSION Was a Share of John McKane's Millions

in Return for Grubstake

Apropos of "Chippy" Hill's visit to San Francisco, mention of which was made yesterday, it appears that the Hillcrest coal magnate has other fish to fry than the development of his coal properties. He is after a big wad alleged to be owing to him by John McKane, former Rosslander and present Tonopah millionaire. The story as told by the Frank Paper is as follows: "It was not many years ago that millionaire McKane, formerly a well known man of the Kootenays, but now the Creosus of the new Nevada gold fields, was not as rich as he is now. That was when Tonopah's riches were first being heralded to the world and he wanted to go there to try and find his fortune. Mr. Hill was one of the men who made it possible for McKane to do so. He grubstaked McKane who did strike it rich and in a few years was immensely wealthy. When it came time to divy he balked and Mr. Hill has never ben able to get an accounting. Mr. Hill claims an eighth of the sundry and divers millions McKane has amassed as the result of the assistance he received and has instituted suit in the United States courts to recover. His trip to Frisco is for the purpose of prosecuting the suit.

BY ACCLAMATION

(Special to The Daily News)
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Well Known Montreal Hostely Heavy Damages. Montreal, Jan. 12.—Fire toni Windsor hotel resulted in the of the section, two stories hi building occupying the cents square on which the hotel s which contained on the upper dining room, ladies ordinary chen, and on the lower, the room and other public rooms. form in which the building is ed saved the whole place fro tion, heavy brick walls and doors cutting off the remains structure from the burned p The fire started in the ki

The fire started in the kits electric wires, about 7.30 o'cl a few of the guests were yet and spread rapidly. Manage and some of the employees streams playing on the blaze arrival of the fire department unable to hold it in check. It thus engaged that manager yets. thus engaged that manager V S. Dunn were injured, the catching fire, while a heavy upon Mr. Weldon, bruising h making his removal to the necessity. The firemen did in getting the fire under con section of the building was gu of the guests rooms were do cept ina few instances by