

Mr. N. J. Cavanaugh, for years office manager for the Byron N. White Co., owning the Slocan Star and other mines in the Slocan district, has severed his connection with the company. He is now engaged in the sale of mining properties and has his headquarters at Nelson.

The Fernie *Free Press* states that Mr. John Brown, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co's coal properties in Crow's Nest Pass, was lately at the company's coal lands on Elk River, investigating camp conditions preparatory to sending in men to work on the properties.

Mr. F. W. Hale, general manager of the Alaska Copper Co., operating mining properties on Hetta Inlet and a 200-ton smelter at Coppermount in the same part of Prince of Wales Island, has returned to Southeast Alaska after an absence of several months in the East on his company's business.

Mr. Newton W. Emmens of Pittsburg, Penn., consulting engineer for the Elwood Tinworkers Gold Mining Co. of Elwood, Indiana, was at that company's Silver Dollar mine, near Camborne, Northern Lardeau, B.C., early in July in company with several large shareholders from Indiana and Ohio.

Capt. T. H. Trethewey, manager of the La Plata mines, situated near Nelson, has arranged to proceed to Sherbrooke, Quebec, to attend a general meeting of the La Plata company. He will present to the meeting a favourable report of the last year's progress at the company's mines and concentrating mill.

Professor H. Landes, professor of geology and mineralogy at the University of Washington, Seattle, Wash., and Professor Milnor Roberts, professor of mining engineering

and metallurgy and dean of the school of mines of the same institution, recently visited several mining camps in the Similkameen district.

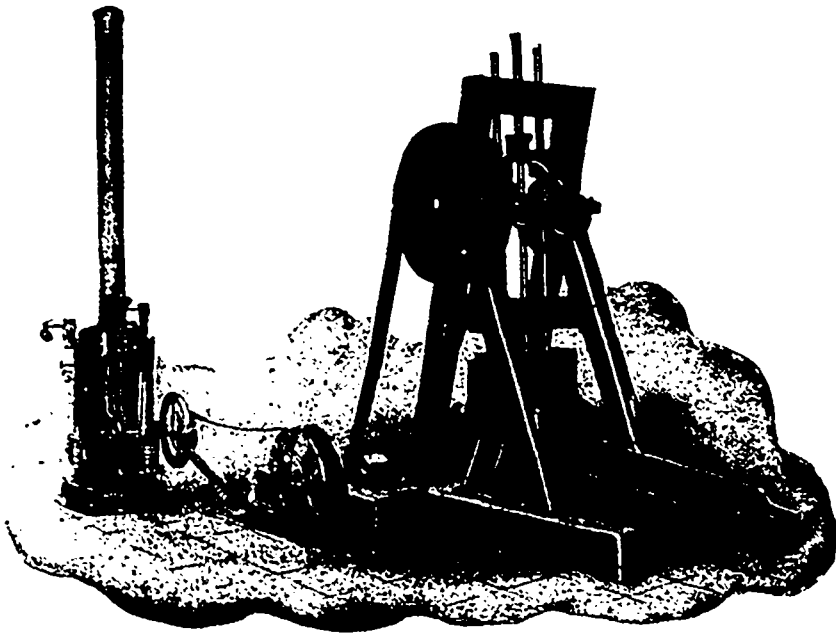
Professor E. J. Babcock, dean of the school of mines of North Dakota State University, accompanied by a party of students, visited the Hall Mining and Smelting Co's smelting works at Nelson on July 20, spending the greater part of the day investigating plant and processes and taking notes of what they saw there.

Mr. Forbes W. Guernsey, a mining engineer connected with the Trail smelter, was in Vancouver lately making enquiries concerning the mining properties of the United Verde Syndicate on Fitzsimmons Creek, some 40 miles from the head of Howe Sound, with a view to visiting the big showings of copper ore occurring there.

Mr. A. Tarut, manager of the Syndicat Lyonnais du Klondike, which owns a mining property known as the Ten-Mile Concession, situated on Ten-Mile Creek, a tributary of the Sixty-Mile River, Yukon Territory, and distant from Dawson about 62 miles, intends spending the summer at the Arkansas hot springs, where he will undergo treatment for rheumatism.

Mr. Joseph Hunter, C.E., and Mr. W. J. Sutton, geologist, both connected with the Wellington Colliery Co. and other Dunsmuir interests on Vancouver Island, have been on an exploring tour through part of the Skeena country in the central-coast section of the Province. They went up the Skeena River and, returning had a rough trip down the Copper or Zymoetz River. Coal and other minerals are known to occur in the section visited.

Mr. S. S. Fowler, of Nelson, has resigned as manager of



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