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#### SOUTH BELT WILL BOOM AVERAGE OF 8,500 TONS IS LEAVING GOLDEN CITY

Resumption of Operations at Homestake May This May Be Regarded as Normal Average Bernard Macdonald to Make His Home In Mean Beginning of New Era for South **Belt--Conditions Favorable For** Much Activity.

The probable resumption of operations at the Homestake mine in the comparatively near future gives rise to much speculation as to the possibilities of the south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Homestake is the only south belt of the Rossland camp. The Ro

Homestake last season the property to state that funds would be forthcomwas working under heavy handicaps. ing for further exploration and de-The labor trouble in the camp had hurt velopment. From among the number the standing of the camp and an un- of good prospects on the south belt it fortunate shipment of ore further as- is safe to look for several mines, and sisted in bringing about the cessation the addition of these to the list of of activity. Now the labor trouble is a working properties in the Golden City thing of the past, the big Red Moun- would be decidedly important. The tain mines are earning handsome pro- outlook for south belt properties is fits monthly and the probability of the improved by the possibility that a conconcentration system being applied to centration process will be evolved in Red Mountain ores has created a feel- the near future to treat ore of lower ing of buoyancy in the Rossland camp grade than is now profitable, and this itself and this feeling has been trans- affords reasonable assurance that the mitted throughout the country, so that conditions essential to the profitable future of the Golden City.

of funds, but with the spectacle of a When work was suspended on the large producer in their midst it is safe confidence is being restored in the mine will not be as difficult of attain-

The principal feature leading to the If thorough exploration develops the

that of August, or will be when the month closes. The Le Roi No. 2's shipmay be regarded safely as average. The War Eagle and Centre Star mines had an uninterrupted week and their shipments were, accordingly, much in excess of the preceding week. Under normal conditions the output of the two mines for the balance of the year may be expected to remain at about the figures attained last week with gradual increases from time to time. With the end of the year only twelve weeks distant it is of interest to fore-

cast the probable output of the Rossment as at present. land camp for the current twelvemonth. With the tonnage maintained Homestake's troubles last year was fact that the characteristic ores of the as is promised the year's aggregate that a car of ore was shipped to the south belt are low grade, the mines will easily be 50,000 tons greater than Trail smelter that did not give satis- will be in a good location for the eslast year. The reputation of the camp

Trail smelter that did not give satisfactory results. It was predicted that factory results. It was predicted that the ore would average 20, whereas the actual average was under 3. The combination of the

For Rossland Camp For Immediate |Future--Year's Shipments Should Be 50,000 Tons Greater Than 1901.

that of August, or will be when the month closes. The Le Roi No. 2's shipments were slightly less than may be looked for during the balance of the year, but the difference is not material and roughly speaking the week's record may be recarded safely as average. The

With the advent of next spring the urther programme of activities in the direction of erecting concentration and reduction works in Rossland will in-doubt div be inaugurated and this means increases in the output tending toward a total that will make previous records look trifling.

THE OUTPUT.

Shipments from the Rossland cam

Spokane-Still Retains Connection With Rossland Mines-Believes Implicitly in Rossland's Bright Future.

"Work at the mines under my man- from the clumsy and burde agement here will continue to be conducted as in the past under the immediate supervision of Mr. William Thompson as general superintendent. "My opinion as to the permanency of this camp has suffered no change and is well known. The mining and beneficitation of the ore deposits that lie under the mountains surrounding Rossland will occupy the genius and attention hasten the day"

#### The Velvet Ships High Grade Ore

The Velvet mine is now fairly tions in the camp. Its high grade ore

### Sh Fire Wiped Out Sh Fire Wiped Out The Canadian Pacific for this eleven miles and only available over the Canadian Pacific for this eleven miles. The Great Northern is hauling 30 tons; September 1, 30 tons; September 20, 30 tons; September 20, 30 tons; September 20, 30 tons; September 22, 30 tons; September 22, 30 tons; September 22, 30 tons; September 22, 30 tons; September 20, 30 Bush Fire Wiped Out

Bringing American Cap-

Andrew F. Rosenberger, a successful borne and the present important deal mining promoter of Nelson, was in the is one of a series which Mr. Rosenberg-

derstood that part of Mr. Rosenberger's this afternoon. The facts of the oc-mission on this trip is to arrange for currence were detailed by the teacher

was a costly affair for the Ymir mine. In and unable to escape from the flames
In fact the damage suffered in the fire In this predicament they were comabout wiped out the margin of profit pelled to fight for their very lives, and for the August operations.

good month's run, but that the profits tion of the Wild Horse wagon bush fire. The company narrowly es- ber the total loss by the big fire will caped losing other buildings, in fact run into many thousands of dollars.

city over night en route to Nelson from

eastern points, where he has spent the

promotion of the Calumet & B. C. Gold

Fields, organized to take over the Eva group in the Camborne camp.

The company has been formed and

stock sold without difficulty. In fact

the proposition is regarded so favor-

where the merits of the Eva group are supposed to be best known. It is understood that part of Mr. Rosenberger's

the inauguration of active operations

er so ago the Eva property was bonded by the London & B. C. Gold Fields, but

the deal was not concluded. Now it

pectors' Exchange, an institution inten-

on a large scale at Camborne. A year

ably that shares sold at par in Nelson

past few months in connection with the perties.

The bush fire which recently swept the cyanide owes its escape to the fact through the Wild Horse Creek section that the employes there were hemmed cabled the London office that in Aug-ust fifty stamps ran 620 hours, or twen-ty-five days and two hours. The esti-in the threatened area, but the playated profit for these operations was pipes could only be held for a moment \$113, or £23. This was arrived at after or two until the men operating them deducting \$2242 for development, \$4485 were compelled to drop out and extinfor damage sustained by loss of pro-perty and cost of fighting the bush fire and \$800 repairs. It will be seen, therefore, that the company had a fairly the destruction of a considerable sec were almost wiped out through the and wholesale burning of valuable tim-

"NOT GUILTY."

Eric Sharp, Accused of Manslaughter, Is Acquitted by Jury.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 30.—The trial of Eric Sharp, accused of manslaughter

for shooting dead his school associate, Beatrice Holland, April 28th, was heard

and pupils. The defence was that the shooting was accidental, the lad not knowing that the revolver was loaded,

#### **FIRST MILLING COMPANY**

or the August operations.

The management of the company has at several junctures it seemed as if there was no hope for them and the Gooderham-Blackstock Interests Organize a Strong Corporation to Acquire Water Powers--Initial Step in Active Application to Concentration.

ital For Camborne Camp

panies Act, 1897, and the Water Clauses borne and the present important deal is one of a series which Mr. Rosenberger has successfully promoted. From the start the Nelson promoter has made a specialty of hamdling free milling properties.

panies Act, 1897, and the Water Clauses to be selected for such works. It goes without saying, however, that building will be postponed until spring weather permits of construction being carried on under favorable conditions.

The formation of the company in question is a significant sign of the amd water powers available by the construction of dams and flumes, the utilization of water for mining, irrigation, before the eves of Rosslanders—the in-

knowing that the revolver was loaded, is the piomeer of what may be expected to be an industry of considerable pro-

seems as if Camborne was to have shown witness the weapon at 1 p. m. It its first mining company of any magni- was loaded then, as Sharp told him it Limited, is in the field somewhat ahead Mr. Rosenberger is well known to

Nelsonites as the founder of the ProsNelsonites as the founder of the Prostwo, and that Beatrice was a particuded to act as an intermediary between locators or development companies and After being out three-quarters of an portance and value when concentration purchasers. He made his first stake hour the jury returned with a verdict is inaugurated on a commercial basis. Secretary of finance, has reported the out of the sale of property in Cam- of "not guilty."

The company is intended to operate one Cuban budget to be \$14,000,000.

Letters patent have been issued to or more plants on the system now being the Rossland Power Company, Limited, tested at the Silica Reduction Works, the first of the corporations to spring where the work under way is underfrom the application of concentration stood to have been started with a view to the treatment of Rossland ores. The to determining whether or not the meto the treatment of Rossland ores. The company is capitalized at \$100,000 in 1000 chanical appliances now in use are best shares of \$100 each. The directors are identified with the Gooderham-Blackstock interests, and the corporation having been gazetted is now properly launched.

The Rossland Power Company, Limited, is incorporated under the Company of the Rossland Power Company of the specific of mills, and as to the location repress act 1897, and the Water Clauses to be selected for such works. to be selected for such works. It goe

water powers, the rendering of water and water powers available by the construction of dams and flumes, the utilization of water for mining, irrigation, milling and mechanical purposes, and for the production of any form of power, for the maintenance of electrical works imes. It demonstrates that the proposition of water for mining, irrigation, miling and mechanical purposes, and for the production of any form of power, for the maintenance of electrical works and the transmission and sale of electrical works and the transmission and sale of electrical sower.

The motive for the formation of the concern is covered largely by the clause relating to the acquisition of water powers for miling purposes. It is the initial step toward the introduction of concentration in the Golden City, and is the pioneer of what may be expected to be an industry of considerable proportions.

The Rossland Water Power Company, Limited, is in the field somewhat ahead of the time when it may be expected to actively inaugurate concentration. Aliready the concern has secured a series of valuable water rights, all of which will be largely enhanced in importance and value when concentration is inaugurated on a commercial basis. The company is intended to operate one The Cuban budget to be \$14,000,000.

## In the Le Roi Mine

Antoine Sorenson, formerly connected with the Le Roi mine, is helping to spread Rossland's reputation abroad.

While in Spokane a day or two ago Mr. Sorenson discussed the situation here for publication as follows:

"There is an enormous tonnage of ore throughout the mine that will run the property. On the 900-foot level there is a stope 100 feet long going \$20. To the west of that, in the Tregear stope, there is a shoot eight feet wide by 30 feet long running \$15. On the 1050-foot level, at the mine that will run the mine from \$7 to \$8," said Mr. Sorenson. "The On the 1200-foot level there was practivolume of it runs away up into the cally nothing when I left six weeks hundreds of thousands, if not millions, ago. About 500 feet of work altogether of tons. The cost of stoping it would be perhaps \$2.50 a ton. If the Elmore process is a success the ore could be reduced 20 into 1 before being smelted, with a loss of perhaps 10 per cent of the success of the Elmore process as a success the ore could be reduced 20 into 1 before being smelted, be recorded by the success of the Elmore process as a success of the Elmore process. its values in the process. After deducting the cost of mining there would tialities. Other processes of concenbe a margin of over \$5 a ton on \$7.50 ore from which to pay the costs of concentration, transportation and smelting. There would be a good margin in that, and the camp should take great strides forward if the process proves profitable.

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