mean men—he and Judas. If they were to be hanged they should not waste two ropes. Calaphas had planned it all. Why was Judas there?

The Christian church has been killed by a swine car, and that drawn by a donkey, representing some of the press of Toronto. Toronto has some of the greatest papers on the continent, but it also has some of the vilest. Sodom was one of the wickedest cities that the world ever saw, and if Sodom commissioned one to get an editor I could find one in this city.

If any of you voted for Sunday cars, and some Monday morning you take up the paper and read that somebody's little girl has been killed while going to Sunday school by a car, remember that God will hold you responsible in some regard.

For Sunday cars 1 would suggest a coat-of-arms, picturing his satanic majesty on the one hand and on the other a tablet of the commandments with one clipped away. The devil should have in his hand a mallet and chisel ready to clip others out as soon as the mayor and council will provide clauses to substitute them.

## MINING MACHINERY.

[Latest on the Tariff.]

In the list of tariff changes brought down today (May 26) some mining machinery is admitted free and some is not. The free list is as follows: Pressure ore exhaust fans, rotary pressure blowers. coal cutting machines (except percussion coal cutters), coal heading machines, coal augurs and rotary coal drills, core drills, miners' safety lamps, coal washing machinery, coke making machinery, ore drying machinery, electric or magnetic machines for separating ore, or concentrating iron ore, blast furnace water jackets, converters for metallurgical processes in iron or copper, briquette making machines, ball grinding machines, coppe. plates, plated or not, machinery for the extraction of precious metals by chlorination or cyanide processes, monitors, giants, and elevators for hydraulic mining, amalgam safes, automatic ore samplers, automatic feeder jigs, classifiers, separators, retorts, buddles, vanners, mercury pumps, pyrometers, bullion furnaces, amalgam cleaners, gold mining slime tables, blast furnace blowing engines, wrought iron tubing, butt or lap, welded, threaded or not.

The dutiable list is as follows. Steam engines, boilers, ore crushers and rock crushers, stamp mills, cornish and belted rolls, rock drills, air compressors, cranes, derricks, percussion coal cutters, pumps, n. c. s. windmills, horsepower and portable engines, and all machinery composed wholly or in part of iron or steel, 25 per cent ad valorem.—Ex.

Work was started on the Sullivan group last week and the St. Eugene is also getting ready to begin operations

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Dividends paid to date are as follows: Le Roi. \$375,000; War Earle. \$187,000; Rambler-Carlboo. \$40,000; Reco. \$100,000. Slocan Star, \$500,000; Two Friends. \$20,000; Carlboo. \$14,410. It is estimated that the profits of the mines subjoined have returned the sums placed opposite their respective names:

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Payne \$250,000	Goodenough\$35,000
Idaho 132,000 Poorman 50,000	
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Whitewater 40,000	Surprise 20,000
Washington 20,000 Slocan Boy 25,000	) Monitor 15,000
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## MINING LAWS IN WEST AUS-TRALIA.

A corporation called the West Australcan Chamber of Mines has recently been formed in London by the leading promoters and speculators interested in West Australian mining. Its objects are to watch the interests of mining in the local gold fields. The mining laws of the colony cause a good deal of trouble to the capitalist, and it is with the special object of getting these drawbacks removed that the Chamber of Mines has been instituted. The first reform which is to be agitated is in connection with the labor requirements, and the system on which leases or mining property are obtained. At the present time the law on this point is briefly as follows: In any one district leases are limited to twentyfive acres, and a rent has to be paid of £1 per acre per annum. While the lease is held it is necessary to employ continuously at least one man for every three acres of ground. The failure to fulfil these conditions involves an absolute forfeiture of the lease, no matter how much work may have been done, nor how much money may have then spent on the property.

The Josic is about to resume shipments. For the present the ore will go to the East Heiena smelter. The Josic has about 1,000 tons ready for shipment, and now has two drills stoping in the east chute, so that a good deal of new ore is being knocked down all the time. The