ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER

PEACE CONGRATULATIONS FERNIE RELIEF FUND IN ROSSLAND

King Edward Sends Cable Messages to Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner-Happy Responses Are Sent in Return-Great Rejoicing Everywhere.

LONDON, June 3 .- King Edward has tom the house of lords will hold a sitcabled his congratulations on the con- ting today to receive a message from clusion of peace to Lord Kitchener: nd King Edward with reference to peace in South Africa. It is expected that Lord Milner, the British high commissioner, in South Africa. The text of the this message will announce the conferring of a title on Lord Kitchener and royal dispatch to Lord Milner is as folthe granting him a reward for his services. This reward will probably be

lows: "I am overjoyed at the news of the £100,000. surrender of the Boers and I warmiy It now appears that Lord Kitchene congratulate you on the able manner will not return to London for the in which you have conducted the negoking's coronation, and Joseph Chamtiations."

berlain, the colonial secretary, has To this message Lord Milner replied: said that the government does not pro-"I offer my deepest thanks to your

pose to have the new South African majesty's gracious message. I am procolonies represented at the crowning of foundly thankful that your majesty's King Edward. Transvaal and Orange coronation will be celerated with peace representatives could hardly Rive throughout your South African deminreach London in time for the function. OFFERS A RESOLUTION.

The following is the text of King Edward's dispatch to Lord Kitchener "I send you my most hearty congratu

resentative Nappen of Massachusetts lations on the termination of hostilities. today introduced a resolution reciting I also heartily congratulate my brave the conclusion of peace between Great troops under your command for hav-Britain and the late South African reing brought the long and difficult campublic, and asking the secretary of paign to so glorious and successful state for information as to American a conclusion." citizens held as prisoners of war by the

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.-Rep-

To this message Lord Kitchener re-**British** authorities. plied:

"The army in South Africa highly KITCHENER VISITS DELEGATES appreciates your majesty's most grac-PRETORIA, June 3.-Lord Kitchener ious message which I am now comaccompanied by his brother, General municating. I humbly beg to thank Kitchener, visited the camp at Veeren-

iging last Monday and greeted the deleyour majesty." BOER DELEGATES IN EUROPE. gates to the Boer conference there. He also expressed his hope that the futur

UTRECHT, Holland, June 3 .- The Boer and Briton would live in amity. Boer delegates in Europe arrived here THE COLONIAL SECRETARY. this afternoon. They held a prolonged LONDON, June 3.-Joseph Chamber

conference in the house of Mr. Kruger, and afterwards another meeting was lain, the Colonial secretary, was reheld in the Hotel de Pays here. None ceived by King Edward at Buckingof the Boer delegates were willing 10 ham Palace tonight. Mr. Chambertalk with regard to the conclusion of lain's residence at Birmingham is peace or of what had been done at nightly the scene of patriotic demontoday's meetings. Mr. Leyds and Mr. strations and ovations.

Fischer will remain here. Mr. Wes-GOOD OFFICES ASKED. sels and Mr. Wolmarans have proceeded LONDON, June 4-Telegraphing

The Handelsblad declares that neither from Amsterdam, the correspondent of Mr. Kruger nor any of the Boer dele- the Daily Mail says that Sir W. Congates in Europe has received any com- yngham Greene, the British minister munication from the Boers in South at Berne, Switzerland, and who was Africa concerning peace. formerly British agent at Pretoria, to

to The Hague.

"The inference is," says the paper, gether with Lord Reay from London "that the British government is stop- has arrived here and conferred at ping such dispatches."

premier. It is rumored, EXPRESS DISAPPOINTMENT.

correspondent, that Sir Conyngham BERLIN, June 3 .- Referring to the Greene and Lord Reay propose acc terms of peace in South Africa the panying Dr. Kuyper to notify Mr. German newspapers today express great Kruger of the conditions of peace and disappointment, and say they amount to offer him safe conduct to South Afpractically to the unconditional sur- rica and other facilities conditional upon his retirement to his farm at render of the Boers.

HONORS FOR LORD KITCHENER. Rustenburg. Dr. Kuyper's good offices in this mat-

curity and released the vessel.

NEW WAGON ROAD.

at Nelson.

GUS LOFTUS.

by Severing Arteries.

(Special to the Miner.)

the steamship International. Suffering

from D. T.'s, and the suicidal mania

Later-He was at first supposed to

attacked him while shaving.

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The Amount Is Steadily Growing--It Totals to Date \$785--Some Interesting Correspondence Published.

"ROSSLAND, B. C., May 30. The Fernie relief fund in Rossland is growing steadily, and yesterday an-|"George A. Cox,

other contribution was forwarded to "Does Crow's Nest Coal Company propose caring for widows and orphans the stricken town. City Treasurer Mc-Queen, who is honorary treasurer of of Fernie disaster and exercising relief the local fund, sent \$175 per Domin- measures generally? Uncertainty on this point interferes with relief fund ion Express, the remittance being handhere. Kindly inform people of Rossled free of charge by the express peoland through Miner newspaper exactly ple. The sum was made up of the how matters stand regarding relief Centre Star and War Eagle subscripmeasures.

in the trans

tions with those from the city and (Signed) ROSSLAND MINER P. & Rossland Typographical Union, No. 335. P. Co., Ltd. The subscription list to date is as follows:

Yesterday Mr. Cox wired his reply in the following terms: Prviously acknowledged\$675 00 "Rossland Miner,

Hunter Bros 10 00 "Rossland, B. C. Empey Bros 5 00 "In reply to your telegram of May 80th, would say that coal company will Goodeve Bros 5 00 Pacific Coast Pipe Co., per Leo pay funeral expenses, relieve against H. Long 25 00 suffering and provide permanently 5 00 C O Lalonde against destitution. The company has West Kootenay Power & Light no desire to impede flow of contribu-tions towards mourning dependents of those who perished in the awful dis 5 00 Crow & Morris aster at Fernie, but is anxious and

HELP NEEDED.

the

On the face of it Mr. Cox's telegram shows a decidedly generous spirit on The list is in the hands of Mayor the part of the Crow's Nest Coal Com-Clute and J. Fred Ritchie, both of pany, but it will be noted that the whom have put in considerable time in only definite undertaking actually conpresenting the needs of the Fernie suf- veyed within the scope of the me erers to business men. In addition to is that the company will pay all funthe foregoing a number of subscrip- eral expenses of the Fernie victims

tion lists are located at various points which, in fact, is already being done about the city, and a substantial sum Daily shipments of caskets have been has already been pledged in small made from Nelson for a week past at sums, the details of which will be the order of the coal corporation. Be available in a day or two. yond this the terms of Mr. Cox's telegram are general, and it would seem

THE COMPANY'S ATTITUDE. as if the only means whereby The eastern papers having given con- residents of the Kootenays can guar-

Vaughan & Cook 5 00

iderable space to interviews from ofantee their bereaved fellow citizens in ficials of the Crow's Nest Coal Com- the sorely bereft town of Fernie pany as to the corporation's benevolent to lend their support to relief funds intentions toward the widows and de- opened at various points. The situa pendents of the dead miners, and the tion at Fernie is so aggravated that circulation of these having injured the no matter how generously the Kootecause of the relief fund in some quar- nays subscribe to relief funds there

on Friday:

ters, The Miner approached Senator is bound to be distress and destitution George A. Cox, president of the Crow's which the coal company will have its Nest Coal Company, with a request hands full to alleviate if their intenfor definite information. The appended tions are as charitable as would be telegram was forwarded to Mr. Cox indicated by The Miner's dispatch

POTCHEFSTROOM, S. A.

It will not come as a surprise if an

in the next few days, and yet noth-

ing is certain. De La Rey is anxious

to surrender, but will act entirely upon

the advice of his men. Should he and

his commando lay down their arms

the remainder will not be slow in fol-

lowing. About the only element dan-

gerous to a speedy proclamation of peace, are the Cape Rebels. They can-

not expect to be treated as leniently

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sition is certain to cause much trouble. The Second Canadian Mounted Rifles

have already been on the fighting line,

and added more lustre to Canadian

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The South African Constabulary

have been doing good work, conside

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recommended for the Distinguished Service Medal. They are J. Hendry of

nd, A. Steele and Jas. McCu

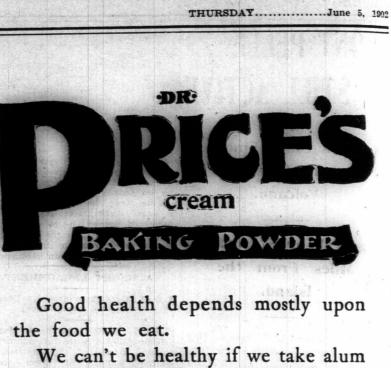
nnouncement of peace is made with-

Editor Rossland Miner:

all been under fire.

from Senator Cox.





or other poison daily in our food.

When outfitting for camp always take Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder for good health and good food. It makes the finest flapjacks, biscuits and bread.

Never go into the woods away from a doctor with a cheap alum baking powder in the outfit. You want the best baking PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., powder in the world-and it is most economical in the end.

SHIPMENTS GROWING THE LE ROI CIRCULAR WHAT HOME OFFICE SAID TO FIGURES FOR LAST WEEK SHOW SHAREHOLDERS ABOUT MINE SLIGHT ADVANCE OVER PRE-

AND SMELTER VIOUS WEEK. LE ROI DUMP ORE GOING TO FIGURES AS TO PROFIT AND LOSS AND CONDITIONS AT SMELT-NORTHPORT-OTHER ER PLANT. NOTES.

The circular issued by the Le Roi

The shipments for last week show mewhat of an advance over the pre- Mining Company, Limited, last month, vious week's record, but the aggregate with respect to the situation in Rossis still considerably below normal, due land, was as follows,

to the continued curtailment at the Le SALISBURY HOUSE, London Wall, Roi. In this connection it is interest-13th May, 1902. ing to note that ore is being shipped Dear Sir (or Madam),

from the No. 1 dump, six cars going On April 28th we published the followforward to Northport last week. Some ing statement:

achine crews were added to the force "In consideration of the fact that at the Le Roi during the week, thus 24,528 tons of ore mined during the increasing the wage list substantially. In the other mines of the camp mat- month of March were estimated to ters are progressing quietly. Consider- yield a profit of only \$9950, the direcable interest centers about the Le Roi tors cabled to Mr. Mackenzie asking No. 2, where developments of an in- whether it would not be politic to conteresting nature are expected at an serve the ore reserves pending a re-early date. It is noticeable that the Le duction of working expenses, and his Roi No. 2 shipments are being in-creased steadily, and this with the ceived today (28th April): "Mr. Mackenzie says that with copconstant strengthening of the working force is gratifying to citizens generally. per and silver at present prices, and A general feeling exists in the camp fuel and freight at present prices, the

that the next few weeks will be preg- March grade of ore leaves no profit, and

an interesting lega gard to the Silver who was and still owner, was arres ing of unsound m that he is insane that condition wh of the Silver Bell be a case for liti report concerning yet been made pu S. T. Jarnigan for the Lenora, a mountain above th has put a force of tends to develop season. A. E. Lindeberg tiac, Woodberry cr he has been work He, in company are going to worl gcod showing mi on Schroder creek. of from 6 to 16 in and have done so work, besides hav four open cuts. and they intend in the near futur D. J. Young of out his book sto Attwood of Birtle

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LONDON, June 3.

V., V. & E. RAILWAY.

Building Bridge Across the Kettle It was a picturesque crowd aboard the Empress, including Ghoorkas, Sikh, River Near Columbia. (Special to The Miner.)

GRAND FORKS, B. C., June 3.-The injunction obtained by the Kettle Valley Lines restraining the V., V. & E. railway from crossing its tracks near this city will be heard in yancouver on July 8th. Meantime the V.

(Special to the Miner.) V. & E. is proceeding with the con-NELSON, B. C., June 3.-H. C. Van struction of a railway bridge across the Kettle river near Columbia. The Tuyl of Detroit and Charles Dempster V. V. & E. seeks to build a branch into of Rossland arrived today from Slocan, the Granby smelter.

The C. P. R. has just placed two new where they had started a force of men Shay engines on the run between the at work on a wagon road from the Re-Granby mines at Phoenix and the public mine. When the road is com-Granby smelter. These are the most pleted active operations are to be start-powerful locomotives built, their speed ed on the mine itself. Charles Hurlbeing only eight miles an hour. They burt, managing director of the Rewill each have a capacity of 26 car- public Mining company, left Nelson loads of ore on the down trip and will today for the mine, where he will rebe able to haul twenty empty cars up main for the summer, superintending

the steep grade, thus accomplishing orerations. singly the work of two locomotives. Work was again started this afternoon on the postoffice and custom Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of house building. The specifications on the C. P. R., is expected here within a fortnight on a tour of inspection. J. N. Greenshields, the Montreal law-ver is in Greenshields, the Montreal lawyer, is in Greenwood in connection with his interests in the Sunset mine and the Sunset mine and the Sunset smelter.

and the Sunset smelter. R. A. Brown has struck mineralized quartz in the long tunnel on the Vol-canic claim

canic claim. Grand Forks has sold \$12,000 worth of city debentures, bearing interest at 5 feeling exists among local contractors, per cent, to Frank Thompson & Co., of Sherbrooke, Que. The selling price to the eastern contractors departing An appropriation of \$250 has been from the specifications in favor of cheaper materials.

the Rocky Mountain Rangers for the

Dominion Day celebration. This am ount will be distributed in cash prives Attempted Suicide at Kaslo Yesterday and silver cups in the rifle matches and drilling competitions. For the firemen's tournament \$300 in prizes has

been set aside, there being second prizes KASLO, B. C., June 3 .- Gus Loftus in the hub-and-hub and wet test. Clubs from Rossland, Nelson, Colville, Re- of British extraction, aged about 40 public, Greenwood and Grand Forks suicided this evening by severing the was literally swimming in blood. He

will play baseball.

STRUCK THE EMPRESS OF JAPAN. was a cook by trade, and has worked lately in the Whitewater mines and or

Steamer Shinano Maru Ran Into Her, Doing Some Damage.

(Special to The Miner.) be dead, but after working on him for VICTORIA, B. C., June 3 .- Coming a long time the medical men now give

into the wharf this morning the Shin- hopes of ultimate recovery. He has ano Maru struck the Empress of Japan brother Tom in Indianapolis on the port bow, smashing a boat,

trocuship Castrian has arrived at Capea part of the rail and slightly damag- Harry McIntosh, the genial proprie ing her. The C. P. R., through Drake tor of the Hoffman House, returned town with all the Canadians on board ada Northern Bill passed the house Jackson and Heimcken, libeled the Shin- from Elko last night. He reports Elko well. Of 7000 Canadians who took part by 19 to 15. ano for \$5000, and Bodwell & Duff for as being an extremely lively town at the Great Northern, furnished the se- present.

J. Hendry of Rossland, has been lowing notice appeared in divisional recommended for the Distinguished orders: "The war office regrets that ters are on the threshold of a marked that he is experiencing difficulty with it will not be able to supply the mem-Service Medal, a decoration second only bers of the S. A. C. with great coats etc., en route to the coronation, as in sentimental value to the Victoria for the coming winter owing to the well as the Japanese General Fuku-Cross. The D. S. M. is awarded for fact that a large consignment which deeds of bravery and merit in the field was expected has not arrived at Cape and is coveted by every army man. Town, but it wishes to inform the members of the S. A. C. that R. Dickenson Hendry is a member of the South Af-

ulary in Hard Luck--J. Menary III.

The Postoffice and Customs Building rican Constabulary, having enlisted in & Co. (Baden-Powell's contractors) this city when the corps was raised. have on hand about 10,000 great coats, The corps has had comparatively few and any trooper wishing to purchase opportunities to distinguish itself in ac-tive service, and it is therefore all the the officer commanding his troop."

Serving in the S. A. C. means workmore creditable that Hendry should have thus covered himself with honor. ing for nothing and clothing yourself. Bonanza A Nelson man and a Cranbrook man But hope soon to be back in Canada, have been recommended for the same where we can earn our board and decoration. Herewith The Miner pub- clothes and have a few dollars besides. W. S. KEITH. lishes an interesting letter from a well known Rosslander, on service in South

April 24th, 1902.

JACK MENARY ILL.

In a letter to Robert Stewart Lyon of this city, Jack Menary, who gradu ated from a Linotype machine in The Miner office to a saddle and sabre in the Canadian Mounted Rifles, writes that he was in the hospital at Johannesburg at the time of writing, April 23rd, but that he expected to be re leased within a few days. The hospital at Johannesburg, he says, consists a large number of marquees, sandwiched in between gold mines. These mine workings are strung along railroad track towards Klerksdorp for forty miles. In the hospital along with Menary was a trooper in the Scottish

Horse, who had ben employed on the Rand previous to the war. From this shareholders of the Le Roi Mining chap Menary learned that the standard wages for white men was about company (a concern of which Whitaa pound per day, with board about two pound eight a week, and other thicks in similar proportion. Only a things in similar proportion. Only a limited number of persons have been permitted to enter the Rand as yet. The drawback to the employment of white men is the large number of Kaffirs and Indian coolie

Rossland, Nelson and Cranbrook men, had one killed and two badly wounded, 1 Aneres The S. A. C. not being Imperial corps,

have to be satisfied with the fag-end of while all of us had scratches or bullets , through our clothing. We had lots of everything in the way of equip tood, etc. Only the other day the fol- hard work."

TROOPSHIP CASTRIAN. CANADA NORTHERN BILL. Passed the House Last Night by a (Special to the Miner.) Vote of 19 to 15. VICTORIA, B. C., June 2 .- An Ot-

(Special to the Miner.) tawa special to the Times says the VICTORIA, B. C., June 3 .- The Can-

ments of an important nature, and there is a decided sentiment throughout the city that mat- up to \$10.50 per ton. He also reports improvement in every respect.

THE OUTPUT.

The output of ore for the week end- ing recovered. He is, threfore, going ing May 31st and for the year to date to clean up at the smelter to a to what extent this is so. If the cleanis as follows: 101,812 up shows losses which the difference

2977 Le Roi 26,505 between assay values and recovery in-War Eagle Centre Star Rossland G. W. Giant.. Cascade Velvet Spitzee

AND PRESENT MANAGEMENT.

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OF INFORMATION CHARGED.

210 dicate, Mr. Mackenzie strongly advises 3,410 treating the ore on hand at the smelt-2,400 er, and then to shut down smelting 160 works entirely until we can obtain satisfactory freight and fuel rates and 300 90 prices have risen for metals, to push 250 ahead with developments in the lower 20 levels, work being done by contract, and reduce expenses to the lowest pos-

Total 4727 139,522 sible point. "Mr. Mackennzie further informs us that he has written fully on the sub-THE LE ROI MEETING ject, and advises delaying an action pending the receipt of his letter and the result of the clean-up at the smelter."

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to believe that a considerable percent-

age of the copper contents are not be-

The correspondence here mentioned SHAREHOLDERS APPOINT COMhas come to hand, and includes a re-MITTEE TO INVESTIGATE PAST

port made by the smelter manage Mr. Mackenzie has also cabled the result of the clean-up at Northport, which shows the losses in smelting to be 22 per cent of the copper contents and 2 per cent of the silver contents of the MEETING UPROAROUS-MANAGEores treated.

Since 30th November, the value of the metals not recovered amounts to \$108,000. Mr. Mackenzie, in estimating profits, has apparently made no allowance for these losses; in reality, there-LONDON, May 30 .- A meeting of the fore, no profits have been made.

The smelter manager reports that the extraction cannot be improved and that it is quite as good as any obtained by He also

present management of the company of the present grade) alone, with preand the present position of affairs. The sent prices of copper and coke will meeting was uproarous and the man- leave a very small profit; if any.

agement was hotly criticized. Some of Mr. Mackenzie in his last monthly the shareholders charged that there statement of the financial position of Rossland, A. Steele and Jas. McCutch-eon of Nelson, and Wm. Stewart of Fort Steel. In fact all the British Co-lumbia boys have done excellent work since they were relieved of their old Roi Mining company August 30th last, the total liabilities exceed the net asand, after much commotion, a mining sets by \$200,000, because, in addition

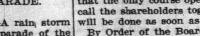
to the \$108,000 already mentioned as engineer, R. J. Frechville, was appointed a director, and it was resolved the value of the metals not recovered, to send him to British Columbia to the clean-up shows a reduction in the examine into and report upon the value of the stock in hand of \$149,500, whole business, after which other dious one. The directors are in cable rectors were to be appointed to take ous one. The directors are in cable the place of those, including the late communication with the manager Lord Dufferin and Mr. Wright, who with a view to making the most satisfactory arrangements for the immedihad resigned.

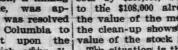
ate future; at the same time they feel that the only course open to them is to call the shareholders together, and this

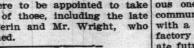
By Order of the Board, LEONARD C. F. ROBSON, Secretary.

will be done as soon as posible.

RAIN SPOILED PARADE. MONTREAL, June 3 .- A rain storm this evening spoiled the parade of the Montreal briggide in honor of the







conclusion of peace.

committee to investigate the past and states plainly that to smelt Le Roi ore