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F. H. Walker.
I. P. Henwick.
W. H. Young.

H. S. Wallace (Puget Sound).

A Town Where Business Men Boat
Complain or Mard Times.

The merchantis of Roesland are all well
estimated with the banishes they are doing.
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publishess was very good.

The state of merchandise daily, and at a big
profit. One general store, which deals
largely in hardware and mining supples,
it said to take in / 00 a day. The activity
that charactering the place at all howers
of the day woy seem to just to thow a serment, appeal, and doing a sustiance
of ment and for ordinary household furniture, All
such is sold as soon as it is received to
milke from day to day, and the furniture
strong in Rosaland. There is a great demilker from day to day, and the furnituring
gettine trade to boom. Many of the met
still not bring in their families ull mex
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course, busy, but there seems to be suffielent mechanics in the place to supply
the demand. The carpenter who has been
used to fine work is not appreciated and
fana in Toronto. Freight is the big item
chandise. In addition, soon consumed
that increases the cost price of all many
angles, sell for the cents a pound. The
hotels charge from \$2 to 200 km of the
mechanics and the price in Rossland. There are the comment and have to pay duty, as the bulk of
ite comes from Spokane and other points in
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Alex. McCarter (Kingston).
Challoner, Mitchell & Spring (branch Victoria, B.C., house).
J. E. Saucier (Kamloops).

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G. A. Scaman.

G. A. Seaman.
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Wm. Shroyer (Texas).
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Ch. Stafford (Spokane) express.
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Rane).

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Gibson & Wilcox:
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W. H.Finlaison (New Westminster).

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G. L. O. Thompson (Calgary).

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W. A. Campbell:

John J. Moynahan (Butte).

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A. B. Clabon (Vancouver).

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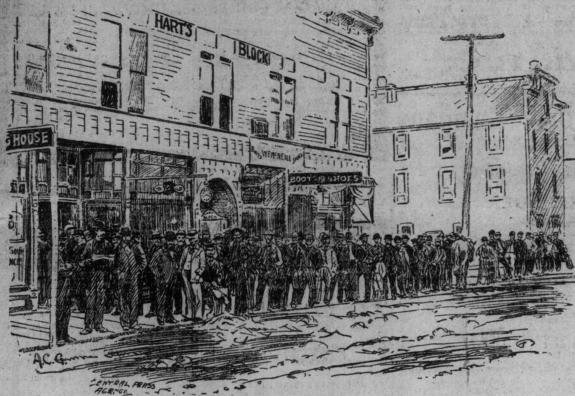
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John Dean (Victoria).

Dempster & Co.:

N. Dempster (Victoria).

Kirk, Chautrell.



At the Postoffice Sunday Morning, Waiting for Letters from Homes

of nearly all the firms and individuals doof nearly all the firms and individuals dolng business in the town. Some few, whose
location is outside the business section, or
who carry on their business from their
private residences, may be omitted, but
these will amount to but a limited few.
As far as we have been able to do so, we
have indicated the town where each in
dividual business man came from immediately previous to his moving to Rossland.
These towns and cities are indicated in
justenthoses. It will be seen that American citizens form a large proportion of the
business population of the town. They
come from all over the Union, but principally from the neighboring states, such as
Washington, Montana and Idaho.

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B. Broderius.
Chisholm & Co.

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J. C. Campbell (Vernon, B.C.).
Lockhart & Wassam:

A. J. Lockhart (Bowmanville).

John Wassam (Walla Walla).

GENERAL STORE.

Hunter Bros:

Jas. and Robt. Hunter (State of
Washington).

GROCERIES.

Rossland Cash Grocery:

D. A. Ward (Washington). ASSAYISTS, ETC.

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H. E. D. Merry (Swansea).
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Geo. M. Hall (Portland).

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 W. J. Whiteside (Westminster).
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 H. E. A. Courtney (Victoria).
 J. R. Chambers (Victoria).
 R. W. Armstrong (Vancouver).
 Cowan, Shaw & Miller:
 A Vancouver firm represented Ernest Miller (Vancouver).
 Forin & Forin:
 J. A. Forin (Vancouver).
 E. McL. Forin (Belleville).
 Harris, McNell & Deacon:
 A Vancouver firm with Rossia

Davis, Marshall, MacNeill & Abbott:

A Vancouver firm represented J. L. G. Abbott. Clute & Nelson:
J. S. Clute (Vancouver).
W. J. Nelson (Moosejaw).
C. J. Leggatt (Victoria).

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GROCERIES.

Rossland Cash Grocery:
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G. C. Mackay (Victoria).
J. P. Martin (New Westminster).
Win. F. Hull (Colfax, Wash.).
Wilson & Co.:
Thos. Wilson (U.S.).
Alex. Lynch (Trail).
Rossland Mercantile Co.:
F. M. Davis (Seattle).
Empey Bros.:
F. A. & F. E. Empey
Alene).
A. A. Mackenzle (Winnipeg).
C. P. Young (Simcoe, Ont.).

HARDWARE. A. H. McBride & Co.:
Alex. McBride, Frank McBride (Alberta).

Martin Bros.:
W. C. & Jas. M. Martin (Vernon).
B.C.). J .F. Travers (Washington).

HOTELS.

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Howard House:

H. O'Connell (Spokane).

T. Farrell (Helena, Mont.).
The Rossland, Jerry C. Spellman (Spokane).
Butte Hotel, Mrs. Shaw (Butte).
Shaw's Hotel, Daniel Shaw (Butte).
Hotel Brunswick:

T. H. Armstrong (Kamloops).
John McLaren (Vancouver).
Montreal House, A. Morin.
Spokane Hotel, G. H. Green (Seattle).
Grand Hotel:

T. W. Stack (Seattle).
Chris. Macdonald (Kettle Falls, Wash.).
Dominion Hotel, Geo. Owen (Spokane).
Pacific Hotel, John Watson (Spokane).
Bellview Hotel:
D. O'Leary (Kaslo).
Pat Cunningham (Seattle).
Highland Hotel, Thos. Shipley (Whatcomb, Wash.).
Stock Exchange:
J. Greenley, F. B. Harper (British Columbia).
Mountain View Hotel:
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Grand Union:
W. McKinnon (Vancouver).
J. Herod (Vancouver).
International Hotel:
J. J. Manly Grand Forks, B.C.).
A. Klockman (Spokane).
Hotel Kootenay, Mrs. Stewart (Spokane).
Hotel Kootenay, Mrs. Stewart (Spokane).
Lancaster House, Louis O. Garnett (Alberta).
Leland House:
D. W. McLeod (Vancouver).
Hotel Windsor, Chas. Howson (Regina).
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Hotel Allan, Mrs. M. E. Allan.
Northern Hotel:
J. M. Etnler Portland, Ore.).
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Belmont Hotel, Murchison & Macdonald:
C. Murchison (Kaslo).
A. Macdonald (Kaslo).

John M. Burke (IdahoùSawyer, Murphy & Co.
Nicholson, Askew & Co.
J. K. Clark (Montana).
A. T. Monteith (Victoria).
Rolt & Crogan.
R. J. Bealey Co., Ltd.
Lineham, Dodd & Stephen:

John Lineham, M.L.A. (Calgary).
R. F. Dodd, T. A. Stephen (Edmonton).

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Mitler & Chesnut:
J. M. Miller (Fairhaven, Wash.).

M. F. Chesnut (Fairhaven).

J. B. Ferguson (Winnipeg).

Rossland Syndicate:
W. G. Johnson (Vancouver).
D. M. Linnard (New York).

California Gold Mining Co.:
R. H. Pope, M. P., Pres. (Cookshire, Que).
O. G. Laberee, Vice-President (Rossland).
J. P. Graves, Sec. (Spokane).

W. Y. Williams, Supt.

Barrett, Newall & Macdonald:
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E. N. Bouche.

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MINING EXPERTS. J. L. Parker (Oregon), Consulting Engineer). Ernest G. Lock. J. Frank Watson (California).

MISCELLANEOUS. Wm. Bennison (Everett, Wash.), Financia Dr. H. B. Findley (Victoria), Dentist.
Ed. Balille, Accountant.
G. M. Fronk (Everett, Wash.), Second-Hand Goods.
L. S. Finnegan (Tacoma), Customs Broker Hand Goods.
L. S. Finnegan (Tacoma), Customs Broker.
Thomas & Smith (Nelson), Flour and Feed.
B. B. White (Washington), Undertaker.
Mercantile Collection Co., H. E. Lippman
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Rossland Bill Posting Co., A. G. White (Seattle), Manager.
Taylor & Beach, Commission Merchants:
G. W. H. Taylor (Tacoma).
J. W. Beach (Tacoma).
B. R. Macdonald, Collector of Customs.
W. R. Beatty (Spokane), Undertaker.
Hamilton Powder Co. of Montreal:
Claude A. Cregan, Agent.
Canadian Rand Drill Co., Sherbrooke:
F. R. Macdonald (Washington),
Agent.

F. B. Macdonald (Washington),
Agent,
Kootenay Dye Works:
M. R. McQuarrie (Washington),
Auction Room, F. Bannett (Wapella),
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S. Glazen (Spokane),
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various states across the border. Perhaps the most objectionable feature of the laws under which the companies referred to are formed is that the directors or trustees for the time being seem to have the power to dispose of the whole assets of the company, not only without the assent, but in defiance of the wishes, of the shareholders. In the hands of unserapulous men there is actually no limit to the frauds that may, under these circumstances, be perpetrated on the innocent holders of shares. In a recent notorious case, it seems that the whole asset of a company, a mine, was sold to a friend of the directors at a figure far below that which could have been obtained from outside parties, the object being, of course, that the directors should collusively acquire a valuable property at a quarter, say, of its value, and then reap a large profit for themselves, leaving the debts to be distributed among the victimized shareholders. It is difficult to understand how transactions of this nature could be upheld by the court of any country, however callous to unprincipled methods. But it is a poor consolation to the holder of a few shares in Rossland to know that if he institutes expensive legal proceedings in Spokane he may get a declaration as to his rights which it will cost him more to enforce than his claim is worth.

As matters stand now, we are informed that only the barest formalities are required to enable a company formed in any part of the United States to carry on business in British Columbia. This is not as it should be. While The Province is, on principle, opposed to anything which tends to restrict trade, yet at the same time the public interest must be served. It is not at all unreasonable to require that foreign companies which propose to do business here should at least give some guarantee that they are incorporated under laws which do not confer authority on the governing body to swindle the public in the most unblushing manner. NEWSPAPERS, ETC.

Daily Recorder, Eber C. Smith (Slocan),
Editor and Proprietor.

Mining Review:

A. R. Macdonald (Toronto).
D. B. Bogle (West Kootenay).

Rosslander, Weekly, Jones & Northey:
W. H. Jones (Kamloops).
R. W. Northey (Revelstoke),
Miner, Weekly:
John R. Reavis (Spokane), Pres.
H. W. C. Jackson (Spokane), Editor and Manager.
J. W. Divilbiss (Puget Sound), Job Printing. PAINTERS, SIGN WRITERS, ETC. Rossland Sign Co.:
A. G. White (Seattle).
Thos. S. Katbo (Portland).
Youngquest & Murphy.
H. Harkness.

PLUMBERS AND STEAM FITTERS.

RESTAURANTS.

Queen's, G. W. Myers.
H. Tompkins (Spokane).
Royal Chop House, Bradford & Co.
B. F. Bradford (Chilliwock).
Wn. Wilson (Chilliwock).
M. T. Robertson (Vancouver).
Vlenha Cafe, Steve Barbora (Victoria).
California Restaurant, Fred. Grevi (Cal.).
Arlington, J. W. Thompson.
Club Restaurant, Jim Wade.
Clifton Restaurant, Jim Wade.
Clifton Restaurant, Mrs. L. J. May (Spokane).
Jack Hubble (Greenwood, B.C.).
Delmonico Cafe:
L. Mawson (Seattle).
John Riplinger (Seattle).
California Coffee House:
Fred Jackson (Truckee, Cal.).
J. Bonneau (Mich.).
Free Sliver Restaurant:
B. F. Vancleve (Montano).
J. F. Pritchard (Sand Point, Wash) Our much-abused friend the horse is a sine qua non in Rossland. Without him we would be unable to do much of the hill-climbing that devolves npon everyone leaving the business streets for a trip to the mines or any other locality. Travel by buggy is virtually impossible. Whoever goes to Rossland must learn to ride a horse if he wishes to get about and see things. The livery stables between them have some 75 saddle horses in commission for public use. The charge is \$2.50 per day, or \$1 for a three hours' trip. The construction of an electric railway is already being talked of. Such a convenience will undoubtedly soon be provided, both to reach the lower part of the town and to get up to the level on which the Le Rol and other well-known mines are situated. Canadian Pacific.
Spokane Falls and Northern (Agents for
Western Union.)

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ation, therefore, means low dividends. To those expecting big returns from their investments this is a matter of careful con-

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"Sharks" and Shareholders.

From The Province (B.C.)

An exorbitant "rake-off" by the projectors and middlemen is geaerally the result of over-capitalization, who, not content with a fair remuneration, look for big profits in the sale of stock, rather than dividends from the earnings of the mine.

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Won't remove the burdens that thousands are forced to carry. Many the man of wealth who would exchange his bank account for a back that was free from burdens. Many the poor man that would not hesitate to give his hard-earned savings for a new back. A bad back is a bad thing. Hard to struggle along day after day with a back that aches so that life is a misery. More people have bachache than any other affliction and it's constantly on the increase. You see the public don't seem to know how to get rid of it. They don't understand the cause. Popular education on the subject has progressed wonderfully of late, due to the workings of the little enemies to backache. It is becoming clearer that the back aches because the kidneys are sick and most pains or weakness of the back are due to failure of the kidneys to perform their work. When this is generally known lame back will not be so common and many a house will be the happier for it. It's a very easy matter to make a good the happier for it. It's a very easy matter to make a good back out of a bad one, and it doesn't require much gold to do it at that. Silver answers all purposes. A fifty-cent piece invested in a box of DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS will do it every time—that is if you take the pills. Many Torontonians have found this out. Doan's Kidney Pills have cured many Kidney Ills right here in Toronto—from backache to Diabetes, from plain urinary disorders to Bright's disease. Read of these cases in the papers; we are publishing them daily. Ask your druggist for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS and take no other Kidney Pills but DOAN'S, put up by T. MILBURN & CO., TORONTO.

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We have stock in both of the above companies which we strongly recommend. A. W. ROSS & Co., 4 King-St. East, TORONTO.

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