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Butte and Helena, while so modeled that its capacity can be made greater than that or any smelter in the West, with very little expense. The smelter and Tramway nave been built at a cost of over \$500,000, and there is plenty of capital back of both enterprises.

TRAIL, B. C.

The fame of the Town of Trail has spread only in the past few months; for the entire town, smelter and all; has been built in less than six months. The upbuilding of Trail is by no means finished, although nearly \$1,000,000 has so far been expended in that direction. At the present writing, the Town of Trail possesses ten good hotels, eight saloons, four restaurants, eight general stores, one big hardware store, two meat markets, four barber shops, two news and stationery stands, one bank, one jewelry store, one drug store, one tailor shop, two sawmills, two blacksmith shops, a big brewery, bottling