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Americans are angry over the proposal to legislate in favor of Canadian smelters and against the United States concerns by placing an export duty on lead ores. Says The Spokane (Wash) Spokesman:

"It is proposed by many prominent Canadians and actively advocated by many provincial papers that the coming session of the Legislature place an export tax on British Columbia ore. This action would mean practical prohibition of the smelting of ore in Washington or any other American state and would work an incalculable amount of damage to the prospects of Spokane as a smelter centre. So far has this idea crystallized in Canada that a bill is already drawn up which will be introduced into Parliament by the member from Kootenay, Mr. Keille Very few of the legislators of British Columbia are mining men in the practical meaning. It is predicted that the stock will rise immediately.

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Will the C. P. R. Win the Keetenay Fight?

The battle of the railways which is taking place in the Kootenay is being watched with even greater interest in the west than in the east. Out there every one is closely watching the struggle going on between the C.P.R., the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific. Editorially The Spokane Falis and Northern Railway with its alled lines has long been a thorn in the side of the Canadian Pacific. But for its existence the latter road would have controlled the traffic of all South Kootenay, even from so remote a point as Revelstoke. Should the system become a portion of either the Northern Pacific or Great Northern Railways it would be a worse thorn in the Canadian Pacific's flesh than ever. Its capacity for mischief from the C.P.R. standpoint would be enormously intreased and a division of traffic would be a certainty for all time to come. "It is evident, therefore, that at this stage of the game it behooves the C.P.R. to get control of the Corbin road to protect its own interest. But apart from this view of the question the C.P.R. has good reason for desiring to get possession of the Corbin road to get possession of the Corbin road to get possession of the Corbin road to get possession of the Morthwest and with the completion of the C.P.R. would have Neet Railway the C.P.R. would have Neet R

tonnage centres in the Northwest and with the completion of the Crow's Nest Rallway the C.P.R. would have a direct all-rail line from such points as Boston, New York, Buffalo, Duluth, St. Paul and Minneapolis to Spokane. It would also obtain an all-rail line from the centre of Washington's wheat fields to the coast and a short and direct route for transporting flour for transhipment to China on its Empress line of steamers.

"The C.P.R. has distinctly more to gain by acquiring the Corbin system and more to lose by seeing it pass into other hands than either of its competitors." W. C. T. U. Givis' Sheiter.

Mrs. Mary E. Fletcher, treasurer, and Mrs. A. G. Wilson, secretary. of the Girls' Shelter, acknowledge the following contributions: G. B. Wray, Bowmanville, and Trinity Church Epworth League, each \$10. Mrs. James Gooderham, Mrs. R. H. Eldon and Orillia W.C.T.U., each \$5; Westero Union, \$2.25; Miss Brinston's Sunday School class, \$2; collected by Mrs. Cowan, \$2; Mrs. Lytle, \$1.25; Brownsville W.C.T.U. Paris W.C.T.U., Miss Mary McMichael (Deer Park), Mrs. Jeffers and Mrs. S., \$1 each; Miss Bella Williamson, 50 cent; also fruit, groceries, fowl and clothing from Mrs. E. C. Rutherford, Mrs. Lytle, Mrs. James Green, Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. Carlye, Mrs. George Walker, Mrs. George Wrigey, Mrs. Grownell, Mrs. Carlye, Mrs. Hrwin Walker, Mrs. Cavan, Mrs. Purkiss, Mrs. Moneypenny, Miss Smith, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Jeffers, St. Paul's Methodist Church Mission Rand. Woman's Union, Creighton Union, St. Paul's Presbyterian Mission Band, Church of the Covenant (Presbyterian), Jarvis-street Baptist Church Sunday School, Trintiy Methodist Epworth League, Burford W.C.T.U. and Wyoming Presbyterian Ladles' Ald.

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All three of the big transcontinental lines are anxious to secure these lines, and the bidding is so spirited that it is highly probable that Mr. D. C. Corbin the virtual owner of the three lines, will receive the price he demands before very long. It had long been known that the Canadian Pacific was anxious to secure a line into Spokane, but up to the past year or so business has not been large enough to warrant paying what the Spokane Falls and Northern was worth, and Mr. Corbin did not care to sell at a loss. Recently, however, the development of British Columbia has been so extensive and the rush to the gold fields has been so tremendous that not only has the Great Northern and Northern Pacific of the victor of the sellows to secure Mr. Corbin's road, but the Great Northern and Northern Pacific have entered the field as active competitors for these lines. Mr. Corbin damits that he has received offers from each of these roads mentioned, but while he declines to state the amount offered he says that at present the Canadian Pacific is the highest bidder. He is willing to sell if he can get his own figures, and it is only a question of time till one of the companies accepts his terms.

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