

ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS.

Centre Star	1,469	30,265
Le Roi	1,708	46,662
Le Roi, No. 2	374	7,937
Le Roi, No. 2, milled	1,050	3,370
White Bear	123	775
Other mines		1,500
Total	4,724	90,509

KOOTENAY-SLOCAN SHIPMENTS.

Sullivan	600	11,400
La Plata, milled	425	8,075
Second Relief, milled	145	2,765
Queen, milled	185	3,515
Eva, milled	230	230
Hunter V.	80	1,813
Queen Victoria	159	1,245
St. Eugene	133	5,141
La Plata	58	1,235
Arlington, Slocan	47	283
Vancouver	60	201
Other mines		6,373
Total	2,122	42,276

The total shipments from the mines in the above districts for the past week were 10,959 tons and for the year to date 499,556 tons.

Shipments from the Cumberland Railway and Coal Company collieries, Springhill, N.S., amounted to 29,872 tons for the month of April.

The following figures, indicating German consumption of foreign copper for the period January to March, 1907, inclusive, have been supplied by L. Vogelstein & Co., 100 Broadway, N.Y.

	Tons.
Imports of copper	26,506
Exports of copper	2,113
Consumption	24,393

as against 28,700 tons for the same period in 1906. Of this amount 7,007 tons were imported from the United States.

COMPANY NOTES

The nineteenth ordinary general meeting of the Tilt Cove Copper Company (Newfoundland) was held on May 6th at their offices, 9 Queen St. Place, London, E.C. The Committee of Management reported to the shareholders the balance sheet and profit and loss account for the year ending December 1st, 1906. The profit and loss account shows a credit balance of £47,508 10s. 6d. The Cape Copper Company's Tilt Cove establishment audited accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1906, show a net profit of £99,340 7s. 10d. This balance has been divided equally between the Cape Copper Company and the Tilt Cove Copper Company, as provided for by agreement. Out of the available profit of £50,985 3s. 8d. the committee recommended a final dividend of 4s. 6d. per share, making a total distribution for the year of 10s. 6d. per share, or 26¼ per cent., leaving the sum of £3,510 9s. 11d. to be carried forward to the next account.

The Devil's Rock Silver Mining Company, Limited, has secured the right of increasing its capital stock from \$500,000 to \$850,000, by the issue of three hundred and fifty thousand shares of new stock at \$1 each.

At a meeting held on May 9th the directors of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company decided to recommend to a special meeting of shareholders on May 21st the issue of \$500,000 of new stock. The growing necessities of the West demands an expansion of the company's facilities.

By supplementary letters patent dated April 16, 1907, the powers of the LaRose Mining Company, Limited, have been ex-

tended to enable them to carry on in all their branches the operations of a mining, milling, reduction and development company generally in any part of the Province of Ontario.

The International Steel Company of Canada, Limited, has increased the number of its directors from three to seven.

Messrs. Peacock Bros., of Montreal, have received an order from the Nova Scotia Steel Co. for an immense air compressor for their Newfoundland Mines. The compressor is to have a capacity of 3,000 cubic feet of free air per minute, and is to be delivered by the end of August.

Cobalt, Silver Queen, Limited (Ontario).—The report of this company for the year ending March 31st, 1907, states that development work was restricted by the non-arrival of machinery, but this, notwithstanding 442,141 lbs. of ore were shipped, and 109,273 lbs. remain on hand. The workings, including the sinking of a shaft to a depth of 145 feet and laterals driven east and west, aggregated nine hundred feet, and ore to the value of \$700,000 was blocked out. During the year \$120,000 was distributed to shareholders. The ore continues to maintain its width and value. The balance sheet shows receipts of \$157,915 from the sale of ore and disbursements on account of construction, machinery, etc., of \$17,859; and of mining, labor and supplies, \$34,191.

Dominion Copper Co. (British Columbia).—This company has arranged to retire a part of its outstanding issue of 6 per cent. bonds to the value of \$175,000. It is stated that the company has now an available cash balance on hand of \$700,000, and it is expected that a first dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum will be declared shortly.

Cobalt Townsite, Silver Mining (Ontario).—The following cable, under date May 1st, has been received at the London office: "Have made new discovery in crosscut to the north, the width of vein is 3 in. Assay results very satisfactory, 3,650 ozs. of silver per ton of 2,000 lbs. We have shipped to-day third carload 20 tons. May 3: third carload estimated value, \$5,000. This is net after paying all costs (office note). This cable refers to the third shipment, viz., 20 tons of ore on May 1."

Crow's Nest Pass Coal (British Columbia).—The annual report of this company has been issued to shareholders, and contains the following information:

"The aggregate of the profit and loss account is \$703,592. From this amount the directors have paid four quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent. each, making 10 per cent. for the year, and amounting in all to \$350,000, and have carried forward to 1907 \$353,592 to the credit of profit and loss account. The coal mined this year amounts to 806,901 tons, as against 831,249 tons mined in 1905. The production of coke amounted to 213,295 tons, as against 257,702 tons in 1905. The difference in production is due to the strike, which commenced on the 22nd of September and lasted for practically two months. Had the strike not occurred, and the average been maintained, the output would have reached the million-ton mark for the year."

Following is the income account, as compared with the two previous years:

	1906.	1905.	1904.
Balance previous year.....	\$351,801	\$203,320	\$1,870,813
Net profits for year	351,791	497,899	406,049
Premium on new stock		35,400	38,865
Total	\$703,592	\$736,619	\$2,315,727
Dividends	350,000	349,418	348,427
Balance	\$353,592	\$387,201	\$1,967,300
Reserve fund		35,400	1,764,000
P. & L. surplus	\$353,592	\$351,801	\$203,300

In an interview at Winnipeg, Sir William Mulock, referring to the recent strike at the Fernie collieries, pointed out that the