### WORK DONE AT NORTHPORT

Where All Companies are Interested in the Smelter There.

of New Denver-It is Calculated That the Output of Gold at the Rossland strikes him. He buys a pair of yellow boots, and Canada's Helena sees him not again.

Their Pepulation—Mining Topics.

Ever since the purchase of the War Eagle by the Gooderham-Blackstock-Cox syndicate and its consolidation with other properties the Rossland and Spokane press has been speculating upon the effect the big deal would have upon the proposition for a smelter at the town of Northport, just to the south of the boundary line. It seems to be the opinion out west that the new company would require a new smelter to handle the product of their groups of Trail Creek and Slocan mines.

Chap. III.

The moon is full in Toronto as Augey steps into the Prettyfair man-sion. Amphronia is there and, as he gathers her to his bosom, he remarks:

"Oh! how did you do it so soon, my noble darling?" whispers his idol. "This way. I put on a pair of yellow boots and a mining company of eastern fellows in Rossland hired me to expert a mine, hence I am rich. See the columns of The Daily Booster to-morrow and you will find my name with M. E. after it."

The curtain fell, but the fact still remains that there is no place like Kootenay. Get in early and avoid the rush.

Estimated Output From One Camp Alon

It is calculated that the product of Rossland gold mines for the currient year will reach \$3,500,000. Says The Rossland Miner: Turning to the past year we find that the camp has nothing to be ashamed of in its record. Owing to inadequate transportation facilities the output of the camp was comparatively light until within the past few months, and even now the second radiroad has only begun to take ore away. Despite this fact we find that at the end of 1896 nearly 40,000 tons of ore have been marketed as follows: Le Roi, 27,665 tons; Wartage, 10,000 tons; Clore thous: Crown Point, 150 tons; Mayrflower, 100 tons; Clore, 75 tons; Crown Point, 150 tons; Mayrflower, 100 tons; Clore, 75 tons; Crown Point, 150 tons; Mayrflower, 100 tons; Clore, 75 tons; Evening Star, 25 tons, and other smaller shipments amounting to about 50 tons. The average value of the ore per ton was close to \$40. At \$35 per ton it makes the production for the year worth \$1,400,000.

At the present time and for the past two months the shipments of ore have averaged a little better than 200 tons per day, the only means of transportation being the narrow gauge line of the Columbia and Western Railway. Were this average maintained throughout the year it would reach a total of 70,000 tons in 1897. We are satisfied, however, that this average will be greatly exceeded. In our opinion, after a careful survey of the field, it will exceed 300 tons per day, and may even reach 600 to 700 tons. The production for 1897 is not likely to fall.

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### DOUBLED HER POPULATION.

How Nelson, B. C., is Growing These The Nelson district with the great Hall mines was the first to attract the attention of the public and was followed in succession by Ainsworth, Slocan, Trail Creek and Lardeau. A large amount of work has been done in the Nelson district, and a great worked the succession of the su in the Nelson district, and a great many properties have been worked during the past year. In silver camps of Ainsworth and the Slocan, rapid progress has been made, and in the Lardeau and Big Bend the development has shown gratifying results. Of the famous Trail Creek and Rossland it is unnecessary to speak. Of the new camps much work has been done in the White Grouse Mountain district and also on several claims on Goat River. Deer Park, Burnt Pass, Waterloo and Montgomery camps were worked to a consid-Burnt Pass, Waterloo and Montgomery camps were worked to a considerable extent and a large number of finds were worked, within a radius of 15 miles of Nelson, on Salmon River, Wild Horse Creek and Hall Creek to the south. To the north new finds, made on Kökanee and other creeks, which head towards Springer and Lemon Creeks, are noted for great richness and a number of properties are being worked. To the west of Nelson a large number of claims have been worked, particularly on Bird, Rover. Forty-Nine and Whitewater Nelson: a large number of claims have been worked, particularly on Bird, Rover, Forty-Nine and Whitewater Creeks and on Red Mountain, opposite Slocan River on the seuth side of Kootenay River, all of which are said to be opening up well. The town of Nelson is the natural gateway for this wonderful district, and will always retain its prestige as such. It has many mining properties contiguhas many mining properties contiguous to its boundaries, which give promise of turning out well, and it is the most suitable place in the district as a smelting centre. The completion of the Crow's Nest Pass road to Nelson will greatly strengthen this posi-tion and give it an impetus that will cause it to make rapid strides in ad-

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vancement. The progress of the past year has been marked, over \$100,000 having been spent in buildings and improvements, independent of those made by the Hall Mines Company, which is now engaged in enlarging its plant to 330 tons capacity per day. The population has doubted during the past year and the promise for the year 1897 is very bright.

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