

runs up a steep mountain side, and in running the tunnel, a total lift of 2000 of bringing the matter to the notice of the city official who looks after such on the foot and diorite on the hanging Columbia. feet can be secured. There are few nuisances. Yours truly,

better tunnel propositions in the country.

It is the purpose of the Ora Plata An Inquiry From P. E. Island. company to arrange to bring ore down EDITOR MINER-Sir: Some six months to the Pilot Bay smelter this winter by raw hiding or packing. There is a good ago I invested in the British-Canadian trail for the entire distance of 18 miles Golds Fields Exploration company. I from the mine to the smelter. When was led to believe by the glowing rethe Crow's Nest road is built through ports of its agents, that it was the comthat country, which will be a year from pany par excellence of British Columbia. this coming autumn, it will run within I see no mention at all of its developa short distance of these mines, so that ment or doings and so I apply to you in order to ascertain if the company is still shipping will then be an easy matter. The Ora Plata company was incorpor-ated last year for \$1,500,000, with W. H. of a dividend in the near future.

Fife, formerly of Tacoma, as president; John R. Reavis, vice-president; T. G. [This company is developing two or Elgie, secretary-treasurer, and John W. Cover, managing director. The many friends of Mr. Fife all over the country three promising properties on Slocan will be glad to know of the good fortune

Athabasca from which some very rich ore has been shipped. We are under the impression that the company has a No Doubt About the Value of the New which appears to have come to his company. promising outlook. C. B. Murray, Tor-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. Another Smelter Site.

NELSON, B. C., August 5.

get a courteous reply.-ED.] EDITOR MINER-Sir: I cannot understand how it is that Col. Peyton's statement, published in a late issue of your paper to the effect that only Mr. Heinze made an offer of a smelter site to the Le Roi company remains uncontradicted, when you must know I met the colonel

me a large sample of lime rock, procured from the Pug mine, which is located at Seyward, and I beremith of solution and I beremith of Northwort. The of Northwort Sayward, and I herewith forward you a of Northport. The officer missed them had not here with a set of here with officer missed them had not here with a set of here with officer missed them had not here with a set of here with officer missed them had not here with here with a set of here with a set of here with officer missed them here with here with a set of here with a copy of the report just received : started after them.

'NELSON, August 5. examined your lime rock for smelting purposes and I can testify that it is as good as you can get it for this end. An-alysis: Insoluble, 4.3; C. A. O., 46.0; Mg. O. S. 3: F. O. 31 PAUL JOHNSON, Supt. and Constructor Hall Mines molton Nolecon Definition Definition of ill-Mg. O., S.3; F. O., 3.1.

smelter, Nelson, B. C." The item mentioned uncontradicted

makes me appear in a wrong light. Yours truly,

the way. First, Mr. Heinze had a claim miles beyond the line and still going. on the water power there; second, there was no lime rock near by. The lime The new tennis grounds at the east rock now referred to by Mr. Davis seems end of Columbia avenue were used for flocking into the hills. This generous gift of Mr. Thompson's in seeing the volunteer department comto have been found subsequent to the the first time Saturday afternoon. They offer he made to Col. Peyton. The an- proved very satisfactory. A number of alveis as reported above is hardly intel- games were played by two teams made Ore Body Has Widened to Seven Feet. for. ligible to anybody except a chemist. It really means that the lime contents is about 90 per cent., which means that it is pretty good. We are glad to be able to set Mr. Davis right.—ED.] God of our fathers, known of old— Lord of our far flung battle-line— Beneath Whose awful hand we hold

wall. This is the first discovery of free

Monday of some of his ore, and the reresults will be given in THE MINER. He says a double shift is at work on the Chrysolite, and expects to strike the ledge within 25 feet. The crosscut tunnel is now in 75 feet. A depth of 175 feet will be secured when the ledge is cut. Mr. Griswold states that two parties are working on the new government trail from Rossland to Iron creek, and that they are making a good trail. One party is about 10 miles from Rossland and the other is working just this side of the Murphy creek pass. Mr. Gris-wold will return to his camp in a day or two. He declares that the Iron creek lake and about Nelson. It owns the camp is sure to be a big one.

IRON MASK ALL RIGHT.

Strike-Abundace of Ore. The showing in the west drift of the onto, is the general manager and if P. E. I. will write to him he will no doubt Iron Mask continues to improve. The entire face of the drift is in ore, and the chute has been penetrated about 40 feet, TWO PRISONERS ESCAPE. so there seems to be no doubt about the

Hettinger and Wilson Leave Jail With value of the strike. The west drift is out Saying Good-Bye. Shortly after 7 o'clock Friday evening also looking well. Superintendent Sam A. K. Hettinger and Frank Wilson, two Hall has been making a careful study of and offered a site at Sayward. I also beg to remind you that I in-formed you that the only objection raised by the colonel was the doubt of being able to remark the time allocation and the is con-the iron Mask ground, and he is con-ceeded in making their escape. Officer Henry, who was in charge of the lockraised by the colonel was the doubt of being able to procure lime rock near at hand. In this latter connection I am now able to inform you that Mr. J. H. Nolan, customs officer at Waneta, sent

Hettinger was arrested last week for the War Eagle.

COLUMBIA AVE.

P. E. I.

Still at Liberty.

RECESSIONAL.

Dominion over palm and pine-Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet.

The tumult and the shouting dies— The captains and the king depart— Still stands Thine ancient Sacrifice, An humble and a contrite heart. Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget—lest we forget!

Far-called our navies melt away— On dune and headland sinks the fire—

If, drunk with sight of power, we lose Wild tongues that have not Thee in awe-

Such boasting as the Gentiles use Or lesser breeds without the Law-Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget—lest we forget !

For heathen heart that puts her trust In reeking tube and iron shard— All valiant dust that builds on dust, And guarding calls not Thee to guard— From frantic boast and foolish word, Thy Mercy on Thy People, Lord ! Amen.

[Sir Arthur Sullivan is setting this poem to

BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

Asbury Park, N.J., and Two Bottles of

Dr. Agnew's Cure For the Heart

Restored the Lost Treasure.

For twenty-five years I have been a

Amen

RUDYARD KIPLING.

Lo, all the pomp of yesterday Is one with Nineveh and Tyre!

Judge of the Nations, spare us yet, Lest we forget—lest we forget!

Lest we forget-lest we forget!

The prisoners Hettinger and Wilson who escaped from the jail Friday night,

gold made in the camp. Mr. Griswold will have assays made journal published in the world.

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Mayor Manly declares Eureka will be another Oripple Creek, if not greater. TO lington

that recently started g try, Lord thinks they ble time reaching the route from Dyea is travel at this time. suffering among those supplies enough to can

until spring. Lord and his com miners, and look as t stand most any hardsl ous inconvenience. that they both obta from the Clondyke to fortably the rest of t these men say has grea be considered as auth yet obtained from the

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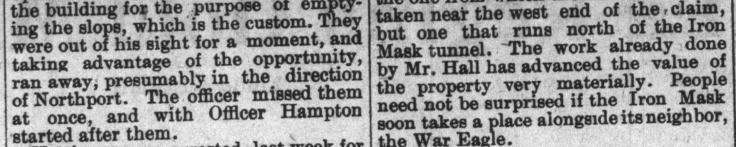
London Standard Say Have to Find LONDON, Aug. 5.-

> its financial article r says: "It is difficult decline will stop. Si silver over there has b the production of t might reopen her min monetary stringency i but her position is so that she must borrow. to do that. Nothing to be done. The mark its level.'

> > WHOLESALE

Contraband Goods Osoyoos O The individuals dow gan valley, who have money of late smug groceries into the nu camps in the Osoyoos to find their highly seriously interfered ture. The customs of tigating the matter, two weeks Special Of been over there looki

Through the peculi Box 64. country, the smuggle Rossland, British Columbia difficulty in evadin trail up from the Ok the States passes int gers, on Osoyoos la toms house is located detour into the State Dominion at a poin of the customs of Oroo, located headq the smugglers. Freighte bringing in produce of Krugers, pay duty d have in their wagon the road down across Here they pick up b sorts of groceries, and canned goods, and into the Canadian sid they gain access wi all the goods have pre-at Krugers, farther b Creek, Greenwood, A way have been the which the smugglers ing their goods. At have been particul Chinaman and his squaw have been se the smugglers. A la bacco and canned geo sion has been seized, are also reported. More Praise d B. C. Mining Reco appears a paragraph has fallen out of Ross acre will step up and you so-the boom is is done for." Now readers that the bot become so firmly power on earth can out. It is true a gave way a short tin a number of mere and gamblers in stoc When the last of the peared the hole was each day Rossland i and a better class o tracted to it. The fifteen or twenty sh it "going broke" i Rossland's position DAILY will ever remain chief railway center nay. People at a d not to take stock i course times are n land as they were, down to a good sub is far better than a that the Kootenay at Rossland, bids fa as a large shipper. edly other mines, a on, that will be fou better than the Le I experienced men that the day is no there will be a do Le Roi around Ros



NEARER THAN CLONDYKE.

Quartz Ledge Discovered in the Olympic Mountains, Washington. H. M. Hammond, of the Spokane telegraph office here, received a letter Sat-

urday from his home at Port Townsend, ROSS THOMPSON'S KIND ACT. Washington, on the coast, containing

Generously Donates Commodious Quarinformation to the effect that quite a ters for the Volunteer Fire Boys. ledge of quartz has been found in the All day Saturday the members of Olympic mountains near Port Townsend [We were aware that Mr. Davis made a proposition of smelter site at Sayward to Col. Peyton, but two things stood in the way. First, Mr. Heinze had a claim

The Ure Has Been Struck on the Bodie. Mayor Manly's Opinion. Mayor John Manly, who arrived from Grand Forks Saturday brings the news tion. This property adjoins the San Puel, and is owned by Mr. Manly, Dr. Bowes and D. M. Linnard. The San

Puel is owned by John A. Finch and Volney D. Williamson and the ore from it runs about \$12. The ore on the Bodie Mines Examined and Reported On. looks exactly like that on the San Puel. Special Attention Given to the Placing of Mining

## California Not Sold. SPOKANE, Wash., August 6.

EDITOR MINER-Sir: In your issue of the 5th you stated it is reported, and from trustworthy source, that the Cali-fornia mine had been sold for \$50,000. I don't know the source of your information, but can say that it is absolutely incorrect.

In the first place the capital is but 2,500,000 shares. In the second place the company values their property at a great deal higher figure than the price named by you, and thirdly are not contemplating a sale of the mine. We are, however, arranging or trying to arrange to sell a part af our treasury shares for the further development of the mine. I trust you will correct the injustice that has been done us in publishing such a Yours truly, report.

JAY P. GRAVES, (a Director.) The report of the sale of the California appears to have been unfounded. The report came to us in a manner that left no alternative except to say something about it. We are glad to know music. from Mr. Graves that steps are being taken to continue work on the property. For 25 Years, Says Mrs. J. D. Stoddard. of Now if the Big Three company will do something it will be still greater cause for congratulation. The Big Three company has in the Mascot and Southern Bell two of the finest prospects in this camp. There is little doubt that both will make mines. The Kootenay, alongside of the Mascot, is proving to be one of the great properties of the camp. -ED.]

Red Eagle, Big Three, Etc.

paper I fail to find any news of the Red Eagle, Big Three and Mayflower. A Sold by McLean & Morrow.

pected to any extent, and the showing ness of Ross Thompson, have been placed The new tennis grounds at the east made by the quartz has surprised the at their disposal. Tennis Grounds Opened.

ALPINE BIGGEE THAN EVER.

No Hanging Wall in Sight. The most recent news from the Alpine roup on Slocan lake is of the most group on Slocan lake is of the most cheerful character. The tunnel is now has been put. On the first floor is the in about 90 feet and the quartz vein is council chamber, which is prettily over seven feet wide with no hanging decorated. The toilet, bath room, secover seven feet wide with no hanging wall in sight. Some of the ore has been brought to Rossland. It is of a brown-ish color, showing small specks of free gold, and having now and then a little streak of galena. The present showing is said by those who have recently been is said by those who have recently been has not taken cognizance of the needs there to be one of the finest ever seen in of the department. West Kootenay.

ABE LINCOLN'S FINE ORE.

A Body of Solid Chalcopyrite Opened in the Shaft. The showing in the Abe Lincoln shaft is better than ever. Yesterday afternoon some of the finest copper ore ever seen in the camp was taken out. It is a clean solid chalcopyrite and will probably run 22 per cent copper. There are 12 inches of this fine ore and a good deal of mixed ore on either side. Assays have not yet been made, but they will no doubt be high in both gold and

copper. HEALTH'S PARADISE

Regained After Twenty Year's Torture From That Dread Disease Catarrh-Hon. Geo. Taylor, of Scranton, Pa.. Tells the World What Dr. Ag-

new's Catarrhal Powder Has Done for Him. I was a martyr to catarrh for twenty

great sufferer from heart disease, palpi- years-tried every known remedy, but tation, dizziness, and severe headaches. got little or no relief. Was troubled I saw Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart advertised, and determined to try it. with constant dropping in the throat, Two bottles have done wonders for me. breath was very offensive. I was in-The dizziness and palpitation are gone, the headaches have disappeared. I Powder a trial, and the result was maginever cease telling my friends the won-derful benefit this great cure has been head instantly. I persisted in its use, EDITOR MINER-Sir: In reading your to me, and I cheerfully recommend it and today I am a cured man, and it affords me pleasure to lend my testimony. Sold by McLean & Morrow.



