

Limited; amount, \$35,000. This will make the total of dividends paid by this company to that date \$301,000.

#### NOTES.

The Byron N. White Company will drive a 500-ft. tunnel on the Hidden Treasure, in the Slocan, with the object of cutting the extension of the Richmond lead.

J. L. Retallack, of Kaslo, has formed a company to take over the Whitewater Deep, near Whitewater, Slocan. The long tunnel on that property will be extended.

The appointment has been gazetted of Robert S. Lennie, of Nelson, barrister, as the new attorney in British Columbia of the Hall Mining and Smelting Company, Limited, in the place of John Joseph Campbell.

A special resolution has been passed voluntarily winding up the Monita Gold Mining Company of British Columbia, Limited, and A. B. Mackenzie has been appointed liquidator. Similar action has been taken in connection with the Mugwump Gold Mining Company, Limited, also of Rossland, and the same liquidator has been appointed.

A company has been organized in Vancouver called the Valley Coal Company, for the purpose of exclusively handling the product of the Nicola Valley Coal and Coke Company. The officers of the company are: F. H. Lantz, president; H. A. Stewart, vice-president and general manager; A. F. Salisbury, director and secretary-treasurer.

The application for an order for the winding up of the La Mines, Limited, mentioned in last month's *MINING RECORD* as having been made on behalf of the Hudson's Bay Company has been granted. It is stated, however, that the directors of the company hope to be able to satisfy in full the claims of the creditors, which are said to total about \$27,000.

In the matter of the Elwood Tin Workers Gold Mining Company of Lardeau, British Columbia, Limited (in liquidation), the official liquidator has given notice, by advertisement, of intention to apply to the Supreme Court for an order confirming the conditional agreement for sale of the property and assets of the said company for the sum of \$20,000 made by him to Dillion Marsh.

Several miners at Sandon, Slocan, have taken legal proceedings against J. G. Duck, of Cody, near Sandon, mine manager, and the Duck Mining Company, an unregistered foreign corporation, having its head office in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, U.S.A., to recover sums amounting to \$1,819.30 for work and labour done, and are seeking a declaration of the court that the Maggie mineral claim, situated near Sandon, is subject to mechanics' liens for the said amounts in favour of the plaintiffs.

The Kootenay Development Syndicate, Limited, lately organized in England by M. S. Davys, has leased the Silver King mine, near Nelson. The local management of the company consists of Messrs Leslie Hill, Louis Pratt, and Robt. S. Lennie, with H. B. Rudd as secretary. It is stated that the power plant at the mine is to be operated by electricity and that a pole line is to be erected from Nelson to the mine for the transmission of the electric current.

A company named the Diamond Vale Collieries, Limited, has been incorporated with a capital of \$750,000, divided into 7,500 shares of the value of \$100 each. The object for which this new company is incorporated is to adopt and carry into effect an agreement which has been made with the Diamond Vale Coal and Iron Mines, Limited, under which the new company will acquire and operate certain coal mining property heretofore owned and worked by the old company.

The Last Chance mining interests, in the Slocan District, have been taken over by the Silver Cord Mining Company, recently organized. A plan of operation has been decided upon and will be carried into effect as soon as the mine shall be put in shape for working. The officers of the new company are: President, W. T. Simson of Los Angeles, California; vice-president, Biggerstaff Wilson of Victoria; secretary, Louis Pratt, of Sandon; treasurer, W. J. Blake Wilson of Nelson; directors, M. S. Davys, T. L. Greenough and R. S. Lennie.

#### COMPANIES INCORPORATED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

- Boston Premier Gold Mining Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Auba Mining Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$50,000, divided into 50,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Rossland White Bear Mining Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$700,000, divided into 7,000,000 shares of 10 cents each.
- Denman Island Stone Co., Limited*, with a capital of \$50,000, divided into 5,000 shares of \$10 each.
- Finlay River Prospecting, Timber, Land and Development Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$20,000, divided into 2,000 shares of \$10 each.
- Nanoose Coal Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$300,000, divided into 3,000 shares of \$100 each.
- South Nicola Coal Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$750,000, divided into 750,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Graham Island Coal and Oil Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$250,000, divided into 250,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Aurora Mining and Milling Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Society Girl Mining Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Phoenix Mining, Smelting and Development Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of \$1 each.
- Selkirk Mining Company, Limited*, with a capital of \$360,000, divided into 18,000 shares of \$20 each.
- Nugget Gold Mines, Limited*, with a capital of \$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares of \$1 each.
- New Erie Mountain Mining Co.*—Head office at Spokane, Washington, U.S.A. Capital, \$10,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of one cent each. Head office in British Columbia at Erie. Attorney, James R. Hunnex, merchant, Erie.

#### EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANIES REGISTERED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

- Eric Consolidated Gold Mining Company.*—Head office at Spokane, Washington, U.S.A. Capital, \$10,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of one cent each. Head office in British Columbia at Erie. Attorney, Jas. R. Hunnex, pharmacist, Erie.
- Sharples Separator Company.*—Head office in the Borough of West Chester, Chester County, Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Capital, \$1,200,000, divided into 12,000 shares of \$100 each. Objects, the manufacturing and selling centrifugal separators and other articles connected therewith. Head office in British Columbia, at Royal Bank Chambers, Vancouver. Attorney (not empowered to issue and transfer stock), William Martin Griffin, solicitor, Vancouver.
- Bellingham Copper Company.*—Head office at Bellingham, Whatcom County, Washington, U.S.A. Capital, \$15,000, divided into 30 shares of \$500 each. Head office in British Columbia at Vancouver. Attorney, D. Donaghy, barrister, Vancouver.
- Canadian Westinghouse Company, Limited.*—Head office at Hamilton, Ontario. Capital, \$5,000,000, divided into 50,000 shares of \$100 each. Head office in British Columbia at No. 439 Pender Street, Vancouver. Attorney, John R. Read, electrical engineer, Vancouver.
- Hewitt Mining Company.*—Head office at Wilmington, Delaware, U.S.A. Capital, \$800,000, divided into 80,000 shares of \$10 each. Head office in British Columbia at Nelson. Attorney, Robert Whetmore Hamington, barrister, Nelson.
- Kootenay Development Syndicate.*—Head office at 79½ Gracechurch Street, London, W., England. Capital, £15,000, divided into 15,000 shares of £1 each. Head office in British Columbia at Nelson. Attorney, Robert S. Lennie, barrister, Nelson.