Sad Sights in Fernie Town

Colonist Special Correspondent Gives Fuller Particulars of the Disaster.

Still Taking Dead From the Mine -More Names of Victims.

From Our Own Correspondent. Fernie, B. C., May 24.—This was a day of funerals in Fernie, and one which will long be remembered. The arrangements were all systematized, and as the bodies of the victims were taken from the mine they were made presentable in the company's wash house, and as each the mine they were made presentable in the company's wash house, and as each shift of the rescurers were relieved the bodies were loaded on the train and brought into Fernie. At the depot in many instances the bereaved were waiting to claim their dead and in such instances the bodies were taken to the homes. But in the majority of cess the Rathwall was completely acceptable. stances the bodies were taken to the homes. But in the majority of cases, the relatives had no knowledge that the bodies were on the train, which made round trips every four hours, and the bodies were conveyed to the Church of England, which was used as a general morgue. A number were afterwards taken from the morgue by relatives, but such as remained by 6 o'clock

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Of the contributors the principal are the C. P. Railway company, which has responded with a check for \$3,000. Of the others that appear in the list are the names of Hon. Clifford Sitton for \$250; E. C. Smith, M.P.P., for \$200; W. W. Tuttle, of Fernie, \$100; Nelson Daily News, \$100; L. M. Proctor, \$100; A. Mc. Dougall, \$100, and Wm. Ecoboic 2100. Dougall, \$100, and Wm. Eschaig, \$100. The loss of the coal company by reason of the explosion will be heavy, the full extent of which it will be impossible to estimate until the mines have been thoroughly cleared of gas or can be inspected, but at the present time it is not unlikely that the present workings of the No. 2 mine will be altogether abandoned. No. 2 mine will be altogether abandoned.
The explosion has demonstrated one thing, and that is that the Slavs are a much lower order of human beings than the English miners. Throughout they have betrayed an almost callous indiffer ence to the fate of those who were imprisoned in the mines, and even at a time; but the mines, and even at the mines and the mines are a \$38,000,000, the people were being "but the present Mr. Justice Mils, when one of the Liberal leaders in the Commons, intimated that the annual expenditure could certainly be reduced from \$38,000,000 to \$34,000.

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Robert Lamb, George Beach, Andrew Patterson, W. J. Davis, Harry Hawkins, Joe Houbos, Steve Sofsac, John Matulick, Mike Bakos, Steve Balayti, John Krevats, Edward Faley, Frank Banaski, Clare Ellin, Alex. Featherstone, Matmaugheney, Jesse Wheeler, John Scedrovick, H. Hartley, George Rutledge, Wm. McDonald, James Dickson, Thomas Craig, A. J. Davis, E. A. Brown, S. J. Marsh, Albin Cartson, Alex. Bodie, Steve Rasko, Angus Gum, Mike Kurator, Antoni Peetro, N. Rosario, Wm. Love, Wm. Marchant, Andy Angelo, Fred. Fredericto and F. Lewis.

DESERVED SENTENCE.

Seven Years for Misplacing Railway

morgue. A number were afterwards taken from the morgue by relatives, but such as remained unclaimed by 6 o'clock in the evening, were accorded a public funeral by the committee of the Fernie Board of Trade, and by arrangement all places of business were closed and the people of the town fell in line behind the string of wagons carrying the bodies of the victims, and followed them to the grave. There were 17 of the public funerals, and in one instance there were 14 coffins in procession. All told there were 30 funerals during the day, and a long line of graves marks the increase which unfortunately will be quadrupled before all the victims of the disaster are laid at rest. At the mine itself the active work of recovering the bodies has been for the time suspended, and all energy is being expended along the line of making the mines for the rescuer. The gas is clearing, but the force of the explosion is now seen to have been almost inconceivable. The roof in some places has been fearfully shattered, and to such an extent that it would now be nothing short of foolhardiness for the rescuers to remain longer in the mine without taking necessary precautions for their own safety. Lack of air is greatly impeding the work of rescue. It is possible to go into the mine for a considerable distance now, and in the No. 2 the mine for a considerable distance now, and in the victims, but it will be days in some cases before the rescue party can work around to them.

The men in the No. 2 mine were evidently killed by the concussion from the explosion. The bodies so far as can be seen do not appear to have been mutilated, and in the majority of instances there is nothing in their positions to even sugar.

A POINT OF CARPENTRY.

when there was a prospect of rescue, and when men to man the relief parties were required the most, the Slavs were conspicuous by their absence. Indeed, throughout, the English-speaking miners were obliged to bear the brunt of the rescue work.

YET IN THE MINE.

Of the 80 odd men who are now supposed to be in the mine, it is as yet impossible to ascertain their identity, especially in the case of the miners who were working on the contract system.

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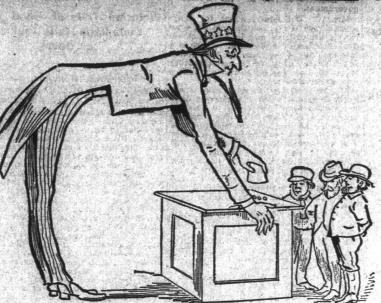
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Scope and Number of Canadian Agencies Abroad to Be t nlarged.

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eral rule. In the year 1896, the last year the Conservatives were in power, the to-the spanditure was \$41,702,383; last year it was \$57,982,866. This year the Finance Minister's estimate is that the countered from the King of Two or three years before the Conservatives went out of office, Sir Richard Cartwight declared that with the expendiwright declared that with the expend ture at \$38,000,000, the people were being "bled white," while the present Mr Justice Mils, when one of the Libera

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sponse to the invitation of the Colonial Secretary. Evidently the First Minister realized this himself, because his attitude was much more conciliatory than it has hitherto been on the subjects of a mutual trade preference or Imperial defence. Sir Wilfrid sought to convey to the House his willingness now to press for a preference, and even went so far as to suggest that he and Mr. Borden might get together and agree upon a resolution which would pass the House unanimously. Curiously enough, however, although prorogation did not take place until four days after this offer was made. Sir Wilfrid never mooted the proposal to Mr. Borden again. Had such a resolution been adopted, it would doubts and considerable influence in English composition, happing public opinion in the Mother Country.

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Elementary Experimental Science (Chemistry.)—One examination paper.

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Matriculation Examination and General Proficiency Scholarship for British Columbia.

Regulations for 1902.

Honour French, Prosper Merimee's "Colomba." French-Madame Emile Girardin, la french—Madame Emile Girardin, la foie fait peur.

Two papers will be set: (1) Prescribed texts and translation at sight; usestions on grammar; (2) the translation before the first translation for English into French. Ancient History-One examination pa-Mathematics-Algebra-One examina-

Boarder (warmly)—Oh. I know every one of the tricks of your trade. Do you think have lived in boarding-houses twenty leading to the tricks of your trade. I have lived in boarding-houses twenty Landay (frigidly)—I shouldn't be at all surprised.

Marmot and Mountain Bear Mineral Claims, situate in the Alberni Mining Div-ision of Clayoquot District. Where locat-ed: On the west side of Anderson Lake, adjoining Iron Clad No, 1 and Marmot Mineral claims. adjoining Iron Clad No. 1 and Marmot Mineral cleins.

Take notice that I, Joseph Despard Pemberton, P. L. S., acting as agent for F. B. Pemberton, Free Miner's Certificate No. 63458, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37, must be commenced before the 37, must be commenced before the Dated this 26th day of May, A. D. 1902. St. George, Sliver King, Copper Queen Mineral claims, situate in the Alberni Mining Division of Clayoquot District. Where located: About one mile north of Uchucklesit Harbor, and one mile from Alberni Canal.

Canal.

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And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 26th day of May, A. D. 1902.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in the matter of Edwin Henry Francis, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the official administrator's act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order dated the 2nd day of May, 1902, made by the Hon Mr. Justice Drake, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator, of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of abovenamed deceased. Parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 2nd day of June, 1902, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

With MONTEPITH.

Official Administrator.

Dated 26th day of May, 1902.



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Take notice that I, Mary Palmer, Free Miners' Certificate number E53621, intend, sixty days from the date hereor, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice, that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in Renfrew District, B. C., bounded by lines run as follows; No. 1, commencing at a stake driven at the N. W. corner of the S. W. 4 of Sec. 38, Tp. 13, thence E. 80 Ch., thence S. at right angles 40 Ch., thence W. at right angles 160 Ch., thence H. at right angles 80 Ch., to point of commencement.

E. & N. Railway.

Take notice that we, Lewis W. Sullin F.M.C. B60779, and Charles V. Brown, Fr.M.C. B60779, and Charles V. Brown, Fr.M.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special licenses to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate in Renfrew Dist. B. C.: No. 1, the S. W. 46 Sec. 3, the S. W. of Sec. 4, and the S. E. 4 of Sec. 5, all in township 10. No. 2, Sec. 32, Tp. 12.

Victoria, B. C. May 15th, 1902.

ALBERT F. GRIFFITHS.

MINERAL ACT. Certificate of Improvements. Notice.

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And further take notice that action undersection 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. nents.
Dated this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1902.

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Notice is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Honthe Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in the Benfrew Division of the Victoria District, situated at the N. W. corner, thence west 100 chains; thence south to a point on the harbor; thence following the coast in an easterly direction to a post marked H. E. Newton's S. E. corner, thence west 100 chains; thence south to a point on the harbor; thence following the coast in an easterly direction to a post marked H. E. Newton's S. E. corner, thence west 100 chains; thence south to a point on the harbor; thence following the coast in an easterly direction to a post marked H. E. Newton's S. E. corner, thence west 100 chains; thence south to a point on the harbor; thence south to a point on the line of, or in line, with, the western boundary of the governing the coast of the purchase 320 acres of land described as follows: Commencing at a post, marke "H. C. Wrinch, southwest corner post, situated at the foot of a little mountain on W. J. Larkworthy's eastern boundary, ha's a mile east of the Hazelton Indian Reserve:

Take notice that I. Patrick Hickey. Free Miner's Certificate No. B56514, for myself cast point of the Newton's Certificate No. B56518, for myself cast point of the several point of the sever

"FOUR ACE" AND "GOLCONDA" MIN.

Situate at Kitsalas Canyon, on Skeena River, in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Take notice that I. Patrick Hickey. Free Miner's Certificate No. B56534, for myself, and as agent for Helen Flewin, Free Miner's Certificate No. B56518, and Donald A. Robertson, Free Miner's Certificate No. B56651, intend. 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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MINELRA ACT, 1896 CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Monitor No. 1. Monitor No. 1 Fractional Monitor No. 2. Mineral Claims, situate in the Alberni Mining Division of Clayoquot District. Where located: Near Handy Creek, on Alberni Canal. Take notice that we. The Monitor Copper Abberni Canal.

Take notice that we, The Monitor Copper Mining Co., Free Miner's Certificate No. B64338, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. ments.
Dated this Twenty-fifth day of March, 1902.

MONITOR COPPER MINING CO., E. A. L. WALD, Mgr MINERAL ACT. Certificate of Improvements

Notice. Sullins Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division. Where located: On Mount Brenton, about 10 miles west of the E. & N. Railway. Take notice that we, Lewis W. Sullins, F.M.C. B60779, and Charles V. Brown, Free Miner's Certificate No. 63678, Intend. sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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NOTICE. "Red Gulch," "Queen," "Red Bluff."
"Bell Helen," "Blue Stone" mineral claims.
Situate in the Skeena Mining Division of
Coast District.
Where located: On Red Gulch Creek,
Oxtall (Ec stall?) Valley.

Take notice that The British Columbia
Pyrites Company, Limited, Free Miner's
Certificate B52977, intend, sixty days from
the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements,
for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant
of the above claim.

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And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 16th day of April, A. D., 1902.
THE BRITISH COLUMBIA PYRITES
COMPANY, LIMITED.
(Per Robert H. Swinerton, Secretary.)

Land Registry Act.

In the matter of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lot Eight (8) of sub-division of Lots Ten (10), Sev-In the matter of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lot Light (8) of sub-division of Lots Ten (10), Bleven (11), Twelve (12), Sixteen (.3), Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18), Block D, Constance Cove Farm, District of Esquimalt, (Map 276.)

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above lands, issued to Charles Bishor Innes on the 20th day of July, 1892, and numbered 14369a.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. 14th day of May, 1902.

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