

The following telegram from Mr. Andrew Onderdonk, contractor for the Government Section of the Canadian Pacific Railway in British Columbia, will be of interest in connection with the foregoing reports.

SAVONAS' FERRY, B.C.,

August 15th, 1884.

GEORGE STEPHEN, Esq.,

President, C. P. R.,

Montreal.

Van Horne started through Eagle Pass this morning. I examined line with him nearly one hundred miles east of Kamloops. You will be glad to hear that the engineers have found a most remarkably easy line that will reduce cost on above distance over two millions from what we supposed last winter. The grades and alignment are easy, and the character of the work the cheapest mountain work I have ever seen.

(Signed,)

A. ONDERDONK.