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A Valley Honeycombed

Sharpers and Claim Jumpers-

Recent Great Discoveries.



VALUABLE TESTIMONY.

Sir Charles Tupper is the bete noir of corruptionist. For his evil deeds in brib-the Opposition. They paint him in the darkest colors and will not allow that he possesses a single virtue. They have and his leader's assertions in Parlia-been selected to try without regard to ment. was never removed, and, what is revived every old slander that has been ment, was never removed, and, what is possessed. If half that they say of Sir Hon. Mr. Mercier, dated Quebec, March singular as well as most unfortunate if Charles is true it would have been 28, 1888: 'SIR:—In reply to the questions he appeals in vain.

utterly impossible for him to have ex- which you put to me yesterday, as to the Sir Charles Tupper shows that the prise of F. A. Heinze have created the celled in any sphere of exertion, or to have raised himself above the position in Parliament buildings, and on the which he happened to be when he en-grounds which surround them, I have of the interests of the farmer. They have of the busiest towns in British Column the honor to inform you that, excepting framed the tariff in such a way as to bia. It is the terminus of the British tered upon his career. But there are orders to finish two (2) rooms in the give him the protection he needs, and Columbia and Western railroad, and the area minmen—and able men—men whom the Grits profess to respect when they agree with them—who ap-they agree Tupper highly. Orders to minsh two (2) rooms in the attic, an order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau and Simard's rooms, I can find no trace of written authorization for the building of two elevators, of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau end Simard's rooms and state of two elevators of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau end Simard's rooms and state of two elevators of the staircase to the state for the order to repair Messrs. Simoneau end Simard's rooms and the protection in the needs, and state in the Rossland district. A few years ago I went up the Colum-bia river in a steamboat, and even then there was not a log-cabin to mark the preciate Sir Charles Tupper highly, central tower; neither for the work now more still if they had not been preventwho know that he has done much for his going on in the attice of the Parliament ed by the reckless and unpatriotic ob- site of the present town of Iran. Increase the Little capable of doing it good service. One of mentioned. There exists no written struction of the Grits. The scheme to Dalles and the present Revelstoke but country, and who believe that he is still buildings, excepting the two rooms first capable of doing it good service. One of order for the stone, or for the cutting establish a trade in chilled meats be-these is the Rev. Principal Grant. of the coping around the Parlioment tween Canada and Great Britain had re-Here is what that gifted educationist and divine said about Sir Charles Tupper: the tunnel which is now being comdivine said about Sir Charles Tupper:

"What is of more importance, his public services place him in the front since the last July, on account of should remember the old Latin saw: Nour obedient servant. remember the old Latin saw: Your obedient servant, 'It is justifiable to learn from the S. LESAGE,

The fact that there is no man enemy, whom the opposition would dislike so much to see Premier, ought to have its

influence upon them, especially as the time has evidently not come for new Hon. J. McShane, whose letters were only known to the Department of Public Works on the 15th of August, there becombinations that I hope to live long enough to see. "We owe to Sir Charles Tupper all that ing no copies in the said Department

before that date. is good in the National Policy, as well as its very name, which is an inspiration The cost of the works alluded to in in itself, and the originator of the National Policy is the man best fitted to interpret and guide it, as well as to secure constituency in Canada, are invited by its proper enlargement. Mr. Laurier to vote for a man as their

It will, we think, be admitted that representative in Parliament, who in Principal Grant is a better judge of men his public career has shown himself to in making it efficient for purposes of be neither clean nor business-like. and that he knows more about Sir Charles What is to be thought of the man Tupper's public career than any of the whom a most respectable newspaper can Premier's detractors, and that his word coolly and deliberately speak of in these will have more weight with the public terms, and about whose mismanagement

E. G., Secretary.

the Government party did more obstruc- has made since Confederation, and the | It is impossible for a Conservative to the Government party did more obstruc-ting than the Opposition. But the Win-reader is obliged to admit that every read Sir Charles Tupper's moderate and But he had divined that the mountains and Tiger fractions. nipeg Tribune, which glories in the vic- step in that advance has been made by manly address at all carefully without to the right and left of the Columbia In justice and equity these claim work the mine. P. A. O'Farrell made

We do not think we need say another Conservative electors. The Liberals word in defence of those men whose ob- have opposed it in a hundred ways, and active tactics and interesting though they had their will the people of the somewhat discursive speeches killed the We know that when Mr. Clarke Dominion would have time and again Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)... bill. Wallace talked of the glories of the been deprived of its benefits. Victoria XXX..... national policy for hours he was hardly ion. The Premier shows that the great Portland roller. speaking to the point. Nor was Mr. McNeill when he dwelt earnestly and at enterprises which have done so much to lem..... Rainier length upon the poor ventilation of the aid in the development of the resources Snowflake chamber. Nor was Mr. Davies when, of the Dominion, and which have given Olympic. Premier... on the morning "gang" arriving to it consideration in the eves of the relieve the night shift. he consumed Three Star much valuable time in telling the fresh civilized world, have all been the work Two Star arrivals what had transpired during of the Conservatives, begun and carried Superfine. Wheat per ton preceding eight hours. out in the face of the strongest oppo- Oats, per ton No was Mr. Charlton when the vainly sition from the Liberals as a party. Barley, per ton.... Middlings, per ton. endeavored to procure the sympathies The Canadian Pacific Railway was Bran, per ton... constructed by the Conservatives. It Corn whole per ton. the house for the overworked Hansard reporters. But the country does not care for these little things o Corn, whole, per ton. was from its inception to its completion " cracked, per ton Cornmeal, per 10 lbs... for any forced indignation displayed by opposed by the Liberals. The policy of the Government press and speakers. Datmeal, per 10 lbs. What we do know is that the bill is railway expansion in all parts of the Rolled oats, per lb. otatoes, per lb killed, and, we believe, for all time to Dominion was carried out in opposition come. And when the members of the labbages, per lb to the most strenuous efforts of the present house who will be re-elected reing how many "obstructionists" are aid to the railways until they found that Lettuce, three bunches there and how many "coercionists' the people were so strongly in favor of sparagus, per lb. have been left at home. the Conservative policy that protest was Rhubarb, per lb. The Tribune speaks out of the fulness Eggs, Island, per doz futile. The establishment of lines of ocean Butter, fresh, per lb... of its heart and according to its lights. It sees nothing wrong in a policy of steamships was also the work of the obstruction provided it is resorted to to Conservative party. It is to the Conaccomplish a purpose of which it apservatives that the people of Canada owe proves. In this case, in its opinion, evithe Pacific line of splendid steamships Hams, American, per lb dently "the end justifies the means." and the Australian line, and Conserva-

for a minister taking money from a con- Canadians. He regards it in the proper ractor with his department, is in prac- light as a purely constitutional question, tical effect receiving a bribe. The courts have condemned him more frequently than any other man in Canadian public ational minority under the constitution

life. His name appears on the journals of Parliament and the Legislature as a corruntionist. For his avil deads in heit One of the Busiest Towns in B. C. the circumstances of the parties to the TRAIL, B. C., May 4.-The foresight of

E. S. Topping and the splendid enter-

Sir Charles Tupper favors putting the militia of the Dominion into an effective these reports was put at over \$230,000. been friendly to the volunteer force. Business men, in the chief business They have ridiculed it unmercifully and

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THE RETAIL MARKETS.

Creamery, per lb. Dairy, per lb. California per lb....

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tives, as Sir Charles Tupper shows, are Bacon, American, per lb.

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Pork, fresh, per lb

Pigeons, per brace

Bananas, per doz.

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Turkeys, Eastern, perlb.

FRUITS-Australian apples per lb

ons, (California) per doz

Sir Mackenzie Bowell at Belleville

Chilliwack apples, per box... Oranges, (Riverside) per doz.

Oolachans (smoked) per lb.

Chickens, each

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TO THE MARK.

In all diseases that affect humanity there is some weak link in the chain of health, some spot that is the seat of the trouble. It may be the liver, it may be the stomach; perhaps it is the bowels or the kidneys; most likely it is the blood. Burdock Blood Bitters goes straight to that spot, strengthens the weak link in the chain, removes the cause of the disease, and restores health, because it acts with cleansing force and curative power upon the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood.

With good red blood health is assured, without it disease is certain to come and Burdock

BLOOD BITTERS

is the only remedy that will positively remove all blood poisons. In ulcers, abscesses, scrofula, scrofulous swellings, skin diseases, blotches, old sores, etc., B.B.B. should be applied externally, as well as taken internally according to directions.

government. This grant has secured that the Nest Egg has the finest and some very valuable land for Mr. Corbin strongest vein in the South Belt. at Rossland. A legal contest has already The Josie has made great disco The Josie has made great discoveries, begun about some of this land. The and I would advise all purchasers of stock Paris Belle mineral claim was located on to hold theirs till they get at least \$1 a a piece of Mr. Corbin's land by a pros- share for it. The St. Elmo is putand carpeted with lorests to the limits of eternal snow, make the scenery of the Unper Columbia unique and grand discovered a dyke or a cross stock will be valuable. Monte Chris-Upper Columbia unique and grand. The wild ruins and lovely villas that vein on this ground, and sold to be discovery to by has just been incorporated condition. It is well known that the lend enchantment to the beautiful black water are lacking here. The traveller who sails along the Rhine, sees every-been friendly to the volunteer force. Frank Loring syndicate. the stock will be sold estate speculators rather than miners. for treasury purposes at 15 cents, and as been friendly to the volunteer force. They have ridiculed it unmercifully and they have begrudged every dollar that they have begrudged every doll

ferred to a Victoria company. Frank tween Mr. Corbin and the company, charming and beautiful. But there are no mediaeval castles on the banks of the Columbia no castellated towers no areas cil in London, will be a most interesting will make a great mine. It is arsenical iron and copper ore, and arsenical iron

Another legal contest of great interest always carries gold in quantity. Twenty thousand shares of this stock will be Grit party and to the Liberal blue-ruin here adorned herself. It is idle for me located that claim in 1892 in Bill Austin's sold at 15 cents a share, and it is likely

the Columbia river and Spokane he had again open to minoral the ground with consequently plastered the ground with two jumping locations called the Gem sumed that they will consolidate with

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nipeg Tribune, which glories in the vic-tory gained by the obstructionists, takes good care to give what it considers as the credit of the victory to the proper one connected with the Government even the slightest share of what it re-gards as the honor of the triumph. It says: We do not think we need say another We do not think we need say another now connection with Nelson, and there verb does not always hold good. The tions and at one point a shaft has been already is an extensive matting plant War Eagle company should certainly sunk 31 feet. In all about \$2,000 has

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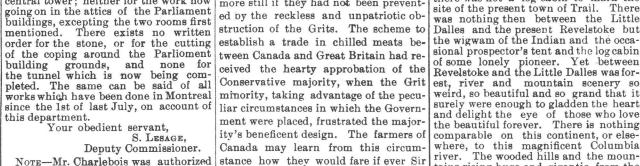
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has been expended in improving it and Fatherland is thus rendered all the more charming and beautiful. But there are

Columbia, no castellated towers, no ages What Sir Charles says about the credit of Canada is the best answer that could be possibly given to the croakers of the glorious beauty with which nature has and unappreciate savage beheld the glorious beauty with which nature has be possibly given to the croakers of the glorious beauty with which nature has be possibly given to the croakers of the glorious beauty with which nature has be possibly given to the croakers of the glorious beauty with which nature has be possibly given to the croakers of the glorious beauty with which nature has beauty which has beauty with which nature has beauty which has beauty with which nature has beauty which has beauty with which has beauty which has beaut than the snappings and snarlings and growlings of the whole Grit pack. WHO ARE RESPONSIBILE? Some of the Grit newspapers in Quebes whore are doing what the base of the failure to be the second of the liberal base of the lib

LAURIER'S LIEUTENANTS.

The local Opposition organ is con- dian line, which will be equal in every tinually accusing the members and the respect to the best and fastest steamship Shoulders, per lb. supporters of the Government of being line in existence. Conservatives have corruptionists and boodlers. The sup- projected an ocean cable connecting MEATS-Beefper lb. porters of the Conservative Premier for British Columbia with Australia, New the time being are represented as being Zealand and other islands of the Pacific. all bad, while those of the Leader of the There is a chance for Liberal opposition Opposition are spoken of in the highest to delay this great undertaking, but if the Grits do their worst they cannot terms. If any of them had done anything worthy of censure the Times takes strangle it,

So evident is it that the Conservative good care to say nothing about his offences. We are told that Mr. Laurier is party is the party of progress that Canadians, whenever any new enterprise is a clean man himself and that he will started which requires the expenditure FISH-Salmon, spring, per lb. have none but clean men as his assoof public money to bring it to a successciates. The Leader of the Opposition, ful issue, look to the Conservatives for the other day, recommended Mr. James McShane in the warmest terms to the aid, and that it is from the Liberals they electors of Montreal. Mr. McShane expect opposition. This has almost invariably been the case in the past and is one of Mr. Laurier's most prominent supporters in Quebec. This is what the there can be no doubt it will be so in Bowell and his daughter, Mrs. McCarthy, Montreal Gazette has to say about this the future. Those, therefore, who be-liore in progress who want the country make Belleville his permanent home. man whom the Leader of the Liberal lieve in progress, who want the country

party has chosen to be one of his most to advance, will support Sir Charles to advance, will support Sir Charles Tupper, the leader of the party of pro-gress. The position taken by the Leader of the Government on the Manitobe school favored political associates:

Mr. Penny's colleague in the St. Ann's gress. division is Mr. James McShane. Mr. McShane is known from one end of the Dominion to the other. His deeds have advertised him. There is no kind of political corruption is which he has not corruption is which he has not

the famous educes the ores FLOUR-Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl \$5.50 Silver King mines. This is owned by a play the part of pirates under its very The ore in the shaft consists of 18 inches 5.50 London company, and is unquestionably nose. I am happy to say that laws just pass-

one of the great mines of the day. 4.75 Mr. Corbin is now engaged in build-5.00 ing from Northport to Rossland. The end once and for all to claim jumping in running from \$4 to \$14.50 in gold. The route he has chosen is along Sheep creek this province. A certificate of work, 5.00 and this branch of his road will cover which can be acquired two days after for about 300 feet on the surface, which fifteen or sixteen miles. Sheep creek is the location of a mineral claim, heals all a very respectable river lined on both defects in title and location, and a jumper sides from the banks to the mountain is rendered powerless to worry or annoy 4.00 tops with forests of fir and cedar and a prospector who has not exactly com-35,00@37,50 tamarac. Four or five miles from its plied with law in locating his claim. 25.00 junction with the Columbia it leaps over It is a pity that the law did not exist 25.00@26.00 a series of rocks and forms a magnificent before. It would have saved no end of 22.00@25.00 waterfall. Corbin has already seen not annoyance and vexation to investors and 18.00 @20.00 the beautiful but the commercial side of mining men. Around every mining this mountain cataract, for he has ac- camp you will find a host of loafers and 40.00@45.00 quired title to the falls for basiness pur- parasites who are ready to sell their evi-35 poses. All along Sheep creek are dence to the black-mailing attorney and 45@50 mineral prospects of more or less pro-31/2 mise, but none that can be compared to tounding how many of such have apthose of Trail. peared at Rossland. There is hardly a In fact from Trail to Rossland both claim in the camp that has not been \$9@12 sides of the valley seem to be honey- jumped on some pretended technicality combed with veins of precious ore. or other. The War Eagle got off with These are everywhere. They run under little expense, but the Evening Star the river and they cut the tops of the bought off the jumpers for \$1,500. The 10@121% mountains. The country rock is diorite Homestake jumper were jailed, but 20 -atrociously hard-and development they cost the owners of the Homestake work is consequently slow. Moreover, fully \$4,000. The Nest Egg was jumped 25@30 till now, transportation from Rossland nearly a year after it was discovered $\frac{30}{25}$ to the Columbia was more atrocious by Richard Cooper, who sold it to the still. You took your life in your hands Nest Egg company. Cooper discovered every time you staged it from Rossland the Nest Egg on October 7, and recorded 30 to either Trail or Northport, and it took it October 13, 1894. Having put up his 14@18 a four-horse team to haul two tons of stakes and done some work he went out to 14@16 ore, except when the snow was deep Spokane on October 25. He returned to enough and hard enough for sleighing. Now the Columbia and Western rail-found when he got back that someone 14@18

no road connects Rossland and Trail. It is had carried away his No. 2 post. He re 14@16 not a running concern yet, but it will be placed it by another post as he was en-12½ before another month has passed. This titled to do. He then bonded his claim 15 railroad owes its existence to the most railroad owes its existence to the push for \$20,000, and while it was under bond and enterprise of F. A. Heinze, of Butte. it was jumped by one of the owners of 5@121/2 Mr. Heinze is a young New Yorker not an adjoining claim on the ground that 8@8yet thirty years of age. But he has al- Cooper moved his No. 2 stake. The 10@15 ready achieved great business success, jumper claimed that Cooper moved his and he is sure to be heard from again as stake in December, whereas Cooper had 9@121 65@75 one of the foremost men of the new not been in the camp from October to 25@50 Northwest. Ho has now got a charter June. 17 from the provincial government for 18 pushing his road into the Okanagan who knew Cooper well and knew of his 15@18

country-a distance of 200 miles, and he absence from the camp, and had a perhas received from the same government sonal interest in removing the No. 2 25@5025,630 & land grant of a couple of million acres stake, knew by whom the No. 2 stake May 25@30 to effect this. He it is who has erected was removed and placed where Cooper 10@12 the matting plant at Trail, which is never intended it to be. On this ground 12@25 perched on a plateau 250 feet above the the jumper asks the courts of the prov-

BELLEVILLE, May 5.-Sir Mackenzie And this matting plant is but the be-ginning of great reduction works at Trail. It is Mr. Heinze's intention to is derived from the original discoverer

extend his plant in order to reduce all and locator, that the very jumper the ore produced in Trail Creek, and he admits this, and that there is one of those men who is as good as his the slightest fear but that their interests

word. It is also his intention to es- will be fully guarded. The Nest Egg tablish a refinery there, and with these company has in fact no concern whether improvements and the development in the jumper wins or not, except that is is

Rossland, Trail is certain to become a well for the community that the jumper

FOR SALE-A good general purpose brocd mare, sound, works well: will for real mare, sound, works well; will for by first-class stallion. Pemberton & fort street. ap15ap15-3t&wtf

of quartz and arsenical iron assaying from \$15 to \$57 in gold. There is also excavations show a well defined ledge yields values ranging up to \$35 in gold. The vein shows great regularity. At one point it appears to be cut by a uartzite dyke, but the ledge evidenceslittle or no displacement on either side. The walls of the vein are almost perfect and the ore and gangue are entirely free from them, showing every indication so

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date the Sutton Lumber & Trading Company (Limited Liability) intend to remove the head office of the Company from Ucluclet to Vic-toria BC oria, B.C. WILLIAM J. SUTTON, President

Victoria, April 20th, 1896. ap23-4t

MORTGAGEE'S SALE-Comox property. Under power of sale contained in a cer-tain mortgage, dated the sixteenth day of June, 1892, and registered in the Land Registry Office, of the city of Victoria, B.C. in Charge Book vol. 11, folio 85, No. 12785B, tenders will be received by the weather of the content of the the tenders. by the undersigned up to noon, the 4th day of May, 1896, for the purchase of Lot 15, being a subdivision of Lot 56, Comox Townsite. This property is centrally located in the town of Comox, V.I., and has two buildings thereon, one being a one and a half story residence of a

The sight of this matting plant at night belching fire and smoke into the blue sky is indeed a contrast to the lonely solitudes of a few short years ago. And this matting plant is but the ba-

FOR SALE portion of the N, and S. Saanich Agri-ltural Society's land in S. Saanich, containng 64 acres, more or less: about 20 acres clear never failing stream of water. For further par iculars apply to the Secretary

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