

NEWS FROM THE BOUNDARY

By the Miner's Own Correspondent

THREE SOCIAL EVENTS.

Lively Times at Greenwood—K. of P. Ball a Big Success.

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ORE FROM REPUBLIC.

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WEEKLY STOCK REVIEW.

White Bear Advancing—Sales Were 101,800 Shares.

Only a fair volume of business was transacted during the week ending yesterday, the sales reaching a total of 101,800 shares.

The sales by days for the week ending yesterday were as follows: Thursday 6,500; Friday 15,500; Saturday 28,500; Monday 23,500; Tuesday 19,000; Wednesday 8,800.

Rambler-Cariboo opened at 26 and 26 1/2 cents and closed at 26 cents. The sales during the week totalled 16,500 shares.

There were 47,000 shares of White Bear sold during the week. The price opened at the commencement of the week at 3 3/4 cents and steadily rose till yesterday.

There was a sale of 1,000 shares of Sullivan at 14 1/2 cents. There was one block of 500 King sold for 4 3/4 cents.

There has been considerable trading outside of the board here and on the board in Toronto in Republic, and sales were made at from 58 to 59 cents.

The Winnipeg Mining and Smelting company has been reorganized and is now known as the Winnipeg Mines, Limited.

Appended are the official quotations for yesterday of the Rossland Mining and Stock Exchange:

Table with columns for stock names (Athabasca, B. C. Gold Fields, Big Three, etc.) and their respective prices.

Sixty days @ 30 cents, 2 cents down, 2,000. Total sales, 8,800.

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VELVET COMPRESSOR ARRIVES.

Five Carloads of It Is Now at Sheep Creek Station.

Five carloads of machinery arrived yesterday at Sheep Creek from London. It consists of the engine, boilers and other portions of the 18-drill compressor plant for the Velvet.

The plant was purchased in London for the reason that some of the large stockholders in that company, engaged in the manufacture of mining machinery.

Winnipeg Mines Incorporated. Mr. Richard Plewman reports that articles of incorporation were yesterday issued to the Winnipeg mines, limited, which takes the place of the Winnipeg Mining & Smelting company.

Spitzee Shipments. The Spitzee has sent three carloads of ore to the smelter during the present week.

A KNotty POINT. A Well-known Calgary Lawyer in Trouble—Did Up Some Rossland People.

Arriving on the same day, November 21st, Mr. Hon. Clifford Sifton, at the Allan House, H. W. Knott, a Calgary lawyer of some standing, was given a room by the proprietor.

At the meeting of the city council last evening there were present the mayor and all his aldermen with the exception of the principal business of the meeting was the discussion in committee of the rates to be charged for the weighing of various articles upon the public scales.

Politics at Vancouver. Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 11.—(Special).—It is reported today that the resignation of Mayor Gordon of his seat in the local house has not been accepted and that he may still occupy his chair there.

Some Biscuit and Cake

are light, sweet and wholesome, while others are sour, heavy, bitter, unpalatable. The same flour, butter, eggs and sugar are used; what makes the difference?

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DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER can be depended upon always to make the food light, sweet, delicious and wholesome.

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MINISTER OF MINES. OUR BOYS.

Grand Forks Board of Trade Judge Bucknell Says You Have Acted as Soldiers and Behaved as Gentlemen.

Grand Forks, Dec. 11.—(Special).—At a largely attended public meeting this evening a resolution urging the Dominion government to create a mining bureau and to appoint a cabinet minister having special charge of mining and mining interests was adopted.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—The Star's London cable says: "Davey of the Elder Dempster Steamship line, presiding at a dinner on the steamship Kings last night, in honor of the Canadians, highly eulogized their services to the empire in the Boer campaign."

An interesting mining operation is being completed this month in the Guanajuato district, famous as the richest mining territory in Mexico, in unwatering the Sierra gold mine, which, after being worked by the Mexicans since the year 1550, has been flooded and abandoned ever since the Mexican war of independence in 1822.

The Sirena is the first of the old mines in the district to be unwatered. The project is carried out by a New York company, and it indicates the new channel in which modern mining methods in the old districts run.

The same method is now being undertaken in other parts of the district. A German syndicate has acquired the famous Valenciana mine in the same vein, out of which the Mexican miners with their mule power and hand labor could obtain no paying results.

Mr. James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern, is expected to visit Rossland in a couple of weeks.

ROSS Two Dollars a Year FROM OTHER

Late Mining News from the East Kootenay, Kaslo, Phoenix

The most noteworthy feature of the review of this week is the shipment of ore from the various camps during the year which is now fast approaching a close.

There are three districts which are present lagging somewhat behind the others Kamloops, Similkameen and the Boundary. It has shown Kamloops the oldest settled, yet as a mining district it has hardly yet awoken to the fact of the mines that are there in the hills behind the town.

Good Prospects for the Copper K. Iron Mask, Kimberley and Others. The Wheel Tamar is closed depending negotiations now under way New York.

The Tenderfoot has good matting still, the drift being in 40 feet on lowest level. The Navy group, situated near Highway's beach, and owned by Seattle people, will be worked extensively during the coming spring.

The Iron Mask is working three shifts of men. The management does not expect to boom the claim, but it is generally supposed to be turning out well.

Good ore is being taken from the Kimberley. At present the work is being done in the easterly drift about 200 feet from the mouth of the tunnel.

The Noonday gold quartz claim, unwatered the past week, the 100 foot level is being timbered and crushed. It will be proceeded with to the width of the vein at this level.

On Sunday last a delegation of Kamloops business men paid a visit to Copper King at Cherry Creek and were surprised and delighted at what they saw there, says the Sentinel. In the face of the drift there were some feet of clean shipping ore exposed.

The deal for the Metropolitan and set—Truine Shipments. The deal for the Metropolitan Sunset groups at the head of the fork of the Lardeau, has been completed. The properties have been bonded by owners, H. Carter and Lew Thomas.