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Peopled by Prospectors. ITS PROPERTIES DESCRIBED hirst frost is experienced at the end of October. At present writing the fruits are ripening fast; the cherries, gooseber ies and currants being nearly full sized. Hop vines have already reached a height of over 20 feet, and the spring, which is said over 20 feet, and the spring, which is said to be exceptionally late, is quite two months ahead of ours in Rossland. Most of the land here is held in large There are Many Ledges of Copper and Gold and

The and the price of the failed for the failed for the failed for the failed in faire tracts of 1,000 to 7,000 acres, the principal

owners being the Lowe estate, 7,000 acres; M. Barcello, the Daly estate, J. H. Coult-

Keremeous, June 10.—[Special.] Have been here a week. This place has all the earmarks of a good mining coun-self of the Similkameen river. Beautiful farms and homesteads could be cut out of these large estates and counter the start of the

cutside world at large, I ventue to pro-dict that in a year from now it will be classed among the productive mining camps of British Columbia. At the point where I am now sojourning two broad va-level in the valley every year. Wr. Bullock-Webster, whose nospitality is agon roads which meander through these valleys merge into one trail, being in fact the old Dewdney trail, which runs along the northern bank of the Similkameen river to Princeton, reaching the Fraser river by way of Hope, which is only 105 miles west of here. Pack horses in twos and threes are con-timally passing westward. Sometimes it

Pack horses in twos and threes are con-tinually passing westward. Sometimes it is a lone prospector riding one horse and leading another heavily laden. Some-times half a dozen in a string, every alter-nate horse having a pack, the others being saddle horses. Everyone rides here. Horses are too cheap and the males too soit use well stocked with bunch grass and little or no timber, and here the horses wander and feed at their own sweet will. A townsite of 160 acres of level ground has been platted on the west side of kere-meous creek, just at the junction of the two valleys, and if the camp turns out O. K., as I have no doubt it will, this vast solitude will be transformed into a busy, Horses are too cheap and the mines too R., as I have he doubt it will be transformed into a busy, long for shank's mare to be called into requisition. These cavalcades are all bustling hive of industry. Lots are to be bustling hive of industry. Lots are to be industry will be in thin running bustling hive of Pythias and Eagles was running both sides all week satisfiac-Will Build Themselves Homes. bound for the Mecca of copper seeking had cheap now, just as they were in Ross-prospectors—the neighborhood of Copper land in '94, but with the development of There prospectors—the neighborhood of Copper land in 94, but with the development of the surrounding properties on the surrounding hills there is little doubt working mines of the camp their week, with the exception of the Evening Star,

sections en route. We did. We had reached this point from Fair-and follow in the footsteps of its sister We had reached this point from Fair-view a week ago and were just heading up the Similkameen river for a 45-mile ride to Princeton when we met two pros-pectors, old acquaintances of my partner, who told us they had make a rich strike who told us they had make an ich strike to princeton when we met two pros-pectors, old acquaintances of my partner, who told us they had make a nich strike to princeton when we met two pros-pectors, old acquaintances of my partner, who told us they had make a nich strike to princeton when we met two pros-pectors, old acquaintances of the strike the breeze and the breeze and there and there and follow in the footsteps of its sister cities further east. It is an ideal land-scape I am looking on. Away down the valley, with the long meadow grass wav-ing in the breeze and the distant slopes clad in verdure green, with here and there who told us they had make a rich strike on a mountain about two miles up the road leading north to Pentieton. They were then searching for Mr. Bullock-Webster to record the claims they had Webster to record the claims they had We inwardly congratulated our haunts of the deer, numbers of them still selves on our phenomenal luck in being right on the spot just in the nick of time, being in existence, and the higher crags behind are the abiding place of the mounstaked.

right on the spot just in the nick of time, and lost no time in heading our horses that way. We found several tents already there, and while erecting ours we let our imagination run riot over vast fields of an-

cipation. We found the strike had been made in boundary line, and the showing is splen did. The ore is of a very high grade an ticipation. a well-formed ledge of igneous rock, burnt a rich dark blood color, and composed of around there is all staked and prospector evenite and quartz. On the same moun will only waste their time to go there. tain, but several hundred feet below, the Elkhorn elaim is being worked by Messrs. serted and silent, but the Stemwinder,

has recently purchased large interests in mining properties in Keremeous camp. They have a fine lead on the Elkhorn, the mineral body being tapped in three places. The ore looks very similar to that of Le Roi, but it carries a large percentage of copper, as do all the ores of this camp. The Elkhorn and the adjoining claim, be-longing to the same nattice will be in the same nattice will be same nattice will be same nattice will be same nattice will be same nattice with the same nattice will be be same nattice will be the same nattice will be same n Sharp and McDougall. Mr. McDougall is a newspaper man of Columbia City, and

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Shipments of Ore Total 3,306 Tons for the

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There is no special news from the many

working mines of the camp this week, with the exception of the Evening Star, which has started to ship ore from the mine to the cars on the Columbia & der of Eagles purpose putting up halls in the der of Eagles purpose putting up halls in

mine to the cars on the Columbia & der of Eagles purpose putting up halls in this city in the immediate future. The shipments of ore total 3,396 tons for the seven days ending last evening. The change of gauge above referred to inter-ferred somewhat with and shipments to Trail. When the new ore cars are in use the shipments will easily get up to the four thousand ton mark by the close of the half year. the half year.

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Roi, but it carries a large percentage of copper, as do all the ores of this camp. The Elkhorn and the adjoining claim, be-longing to the same parties, will undoubt-edly make mines, and, as work is being pushed, there is no doubt that you will hear more about them in the near future. Something Good is a claim cwned by Messrs. Naden and Bullock-Webster. It is srich in tellurides, and assays have been gotten running from \$50 to \$500. A con-tract has been let for another 50 feet of tunneling. A lot of auriferous rock has been taken out of this tunnel. the free Lord of the trip down the picturesque Kelowna, Lord Aberdeen's ranch, and a few other

Deer Park .- Drifting continues on the lower level. The north drift is in for a distance of about 28 feet, and there is a small change for the better in the class of ore encountered. The south drift is in for a distance of 12 feet.

Wallingford .- Work continues on the long crosscut tunnel, which is being driv-en to intersect the ledge. This tunnel is now in for a distance of 325 feet. It is EVENING STAR NOW A SHIPPER anticipated by the management that the ledge is not a great distance away.

White Bear.-Skids are being put in the where bear.-Skids are being put in the shaft down to the 250-foot level, on which the skip will run. This is almost finished. It is how certain that the work of deepening the shaft will be commenced early this

Snowshoe and Southern Belle.-The crosscut from the Southern Belle to the Snowshoe ledge is now in 110 feet. The

shaft on the Gertrude will be completed by tomorrow, when drifting will be at once commenced.

Coxey.-Surface work has been in progress all week upon the Coxey.

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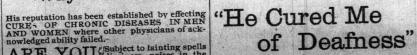
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council, and the motion carried.

At the regular meeting of the board of

gest thing in this camp. It is an immense From Sicamous, on the C. P. R., the train chutes. iron capping which assays well in copper leaves at 6:30 a. m. for Okanagan Landand manganese, some gold and zinc blend. ing, the steamer Aberdeen leaving every Messrs, Gwatkin and Stevens, who form-erly owned the Knob Hill and Old Iron-sides in Greenwood camp, are interested somewhat smaller than the Lytton, and in this property, and have already done about a thousand dollars worth of work. The Black Diamond, a claim on the east side of the most genial crowd one could pos-side of the most genial crowd one could pos-The Black Diamond, a claim on the east side of the valley, is owned by Messrs. Buchanan and Lyon. The ore goes 30 per cent in copper and considerable gold and silver. They are down 50 feet in a work-ing shaft which shows some of the most magnificent copper I have yet seen in the district. The Dolphin, an adjoining claim, is own-ed by Messrs. Pitman and Brown. The

ed by Messrs. Pitman and Brown. The ore assays \$75 in copper and gold. mess wess of Patrick and Theorem and Theorem and roads run from Penticton to Greenwood, On the Sunrise, which is a free milling proposition, they have a tunnel in 100 feet and a shaft down 40 feet. They are work-comes down from the west. At the head ing on a quartz ledge three feet wide and have obtained assays of \$500 in gold. ave obtained assays of \$500 in gold. These are only a few of the properties trail runs to Princeton. Next letter I will in the upper and lower tunnel. The propthat are being worked in Aeremeous camp. The prevailing rock appears to be quartizite, syenite, quartz and diorite and the most coreplicuous features are the im-

mense iron cappings and the numerous evidences of igneous or burnt rock. There of volcanic outbursts in former times. All the rocks here are impregnated with iron. Chip a rock where you will and white iron will he seen in the seen in the board concurred and the seen in the see will be seen in more or less quantities. The one fault of this camp seems to be too much mineral, that is to say, it is pread over too wide a surface but this board concurred spread over too wide a surface, but this board of works be authorized to carry out was the sort of trouble they experienced the street improvements in accordance in the Boundary Creek country. They with the bylaw recently passed by the got over that in time. The same result will probably criain here. This section A crossing will be made on Spokane street has all the earn asks of making a good midway between Columbia and First

mining came The tender of A. Bremner, offering to As to matters other than mining the settlement of Keremeous consists of the valley of the Similkameeen, some 10 miles in length between Keremeous creek and the international boundary line, and irom one to three miles wide. The land is di-vided into bench and bottom. The bench land group are alfable clower are alfab As to matters other than mining the and grows grass, alfalfa, clover and excel- the successful tenderer.

No action was taken concerning the tenlent fruits, such as apples of the best varieties, cherries, peaches, apricots, grapes, currents, gooseberries, etc., while veget-ables grow in rank profusion. The bot-

ables grow in rank profusion. The bot-toms are used for hay and meadow pas-ture, where the grass is rank and luscicus. Water is plentiful, the climate is healthy and the winters short in comparison te these we experience in Rossland. Sum-Sum-

Centre Star .- Twenty-one carloads or 389 tons of ore were snipped last week from the Centre Star mine to Trail. This is the largest week's shipment from this property this year. Combined with the War Eagle, the two properties sent out 1,282 tons during the week, a good dea

below what the average should be under the contract now running to supply at least 300,000 tons within the 24 months commencing June 1st. Un or before the end of the present month the War Eagle and the Centre Star should easily average a combined daily output of 300 tons

Evening Star.-The work of hauling the ore from the Silver Star from the mine to the depot commenced yesterday, and will, now that the road is in good con-dition, continue indefinitely. The intention is to ship the 100 tons that is on the

Mascot.-A crosscut is being driven from the end of the lower tunnel and at

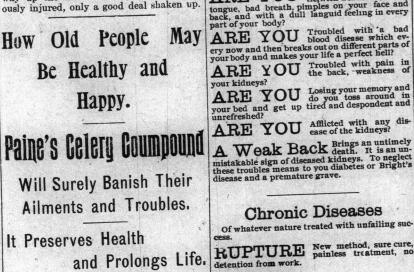
right angles with it, to reach a point where is will intersect the winze from tunnel No. 2 when it is extended another 100 feet. This crosscut has been made for a distance of 20 feet, and will have to be driven a total distance of 162 feet before it will reach the point desired.

Velvet.—The driving of the main cross-cut on the 260-foot level continues and good progress has been made on the main tunnel. The work of development is being pushed all over the property and in most

thorough and systematic manner. Jumbo.-Work continues on the big

are now 26 men employed on the property. The president, Dr. R. J. Wilson, and vice-president, Mr. Alex. Pridham, visited the

property during the week. Nickel Plate.—Work on the new hoist is



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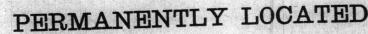
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