markably Well.

townsite, says that within a month Miner. there will be a good trail up Lemon creek from Slocan river to the new townsite. Mr. Bascom has decided on silence of Lemon creek.

Mr. McGregor has been looking over with Mr. McGregor discussing various propositions. Mr. Wallace represented shortly. If the bond goes through there is no fear of the syndicate being disal pointed with their property.

The second payment of \$10,000 was made on the Alpine group, situated on Lemon creek, a day or two ago. This was hurt. property was bonded some time ago for \$60,000, although at the time of bonding a very small payment was made. The property was owned by Slocan City boys, Heckman Bros. and J. McKinnon. It is very encouraging to the people of Slocan City to see the payment met in such a punctual manner. It is needless to say

it is looking well. The Crown Point claim, situated on the main Lemon, is a scene of activity. Men are stripping the ledge, and extensive preparations are being made to open

up the property thoroughly. The Lucky George, on Lemon creek. has very high grade ore, and there is, plenty of it there.

There has been a great deal of talk lately about the Cameronian. It is situated on the second north fork of Lemon creek, about a mile and a half up. It is owned by an incorporated company. The shares sold readily at 15 cents each It will be good news to the holders of stock to know that the Cameronian has 100 tons of pay ore on the dump. The trail up Lemon creek will be the means of the Cameronian shipping its ore.

A general meeting of the Slocan City Fellows' hall on Monday evening. The pass the by-laws governing the organization, and discussing the means of building the wagon road up Springer creek.

The election of school trustees under the public school act for the school district of Slecin City and Brandon was nominees were representatives of the two towns, and Messrs. Bradshaw, O'Neill and Robertson, all Slocan City named, by good majorities.

FAIRVIEW CAMP.

Fairview, Aug. 10.—The crosscut in the tunnel of the Tin Horn mine is in 40 feet and discloses a fine ledge 10 feet wide. This is a new discovery altogether. Two assays taken from across this ledge gave an average of \$105 per ton. The ore is very fine looking, showing tellurium and iron pyrites in blue quartz. The ledge in the upper tunnel has widened out to 14 feet. Work on the 20 stamp mill is going on as rapidly

The Smuggler mill is now running day and night, and under the new management is doing splendid work. Every confidence is now felt in the Smuggler. Mr. D. M. McDonald has returned from Congar Mountain, bringing with him some fine looking samples of quartz,

showing free gold, from both of his claims there, the Gold Bug and the Gold Dollar. Mr. N. Pickard also brought in some fine looking specimens from the same place, all showing free gold. A big outcropping of the Oro Fino ledge has been uncovered 300 feet west of No. 2 shaft. No. 1 shaft is now

down 24 feet. Mr. Fleming Robinson brought in a lot of fine rock from the Empress group, which adjoins the Oro Fino. The rock was literally spattered with gold and galena. Some of the gold is embedded i the galena, making a most beautiful nen. This rock was shipped to J. R. Seymour, of Vancouver. The was taken from two places on the ledge, which has been uncovered four places in a distance of 700 feet. The ledge shows from 8 to 12 feet in width.

Mr. Fred Gwatkin has returned from a prospecting trip up the Tulameen and reports some good looking quartz ledges carrying gold and galena in that part of Similkameen river.

GRAND FORKS

W. C. McDougall, who is putting in a gold saving plant on the Eighteen Karat placer group, has completed a 600 foot ditch and also a mammoth wing dam and expects to be ready to run the pay dirt through the machine by the first of next week. Since work has been starte! on this ground the whole group has been time the quality taken out is good. Great

Lime and Pass creeks. It is expected Royal Gold company intends to soon do that this work will be completed by the that this work will be completed by the end of next week, when work will be joins the boundary line, and also on continued up Pass creek to Summit the Empire group on Grouse mountain.

in the city the past few days looking Accident at the Le Roi—Work at Slocan City, Rossland and Grand Forks.

C., Cordick, R. Bell and Swansea claims in Summit camp. Mr. Lennon expects to remain this vicinity some time examining the properties in the various camps and wherever it a possible will be continued until the iron cap, which is 100 feet wide on the surface, has been crosscut and on the footwall it is expected to strike another pay streak. The work will be continued during the winter that a good showing. Mr. Lennon expects that have a good showing Mr. Lennon expects that have a good showing. Mr. Lennon expects to remain this vicinity some time examining the properties in the various camps and wherever it a possible will be continued until the iron cap, which is 100 feet wide on the surface, has been crosscut and on the footwall it is expected to strike another pay streak. The work will be continued during the winter under the management of J. B. McDonald.

Slocan City, Aug. 11.—Dr. W. McGregor, trustee for the Lemon creek showing and predicts a great future showing and predicts a great fu

ACCIDENT AT THE LE ROI. Bossland, B. C., Aug. 15.-At 3:30 clock yesterday afternoon an accident a site for the saw mill, and before very happened to the hoist at the Le Roi mine long the hum of the mill will break the that delayed the working of the property for about 24 hours. The engin charge of the new hoist was called away the Black Prince group, with a view of for a few minutes. In his absence he bonding it for a Chicago syndicate. It directed another orgineer a rich who directed another engineer, a man who will be remembered a short time ago J. formerly had charge of the old hoist, to fused to work and it continued to ascend, about \$14 in gold. going nearly to the roof and tearing out

> was dumped down the shaft. No one Superintendent Hall says that the damforce will go back to work. Inasmuch as the mine had to be stopped for 24 hours, the company will fall behind over a day's output. The usual output is 250 tons a day. At the time the accident happened only 171 tons had been hoisted.

BRUCE MINE IN LUCK.

Trail, Aug. 12.-The handsomest free milling ore yet seen in Trail was exhibited to-day from the Bruce mine, formerly the Norway, on Lookout mountain. The property is owned by the Bruce Gold Mining Company, of which Goodeve & Patterson, of Rossland, and F. Hagan, of Trail, are about the largest stockholders. The specimens brought taken out of the down to-day are from the face of the Mile creek. ledge, and are rich in gold, which is plainly visible to the naked eye. The Rossland gentlemen interested in the property have been notified of the strike, and are expected down to-morrow to see

the work already done. The tunnel is now in 135 feet, but for the last 20 feet the men have not been civic committee was held in the Odd in ore at all. Blast after blast has indicated the rapidity with which the work has been pushed during the last few bought lots at Resebery for a 100-ton principal object of the meeting was to mas been dusted during the sampler, which is expected to be in runresult of their efforts. It is about a foot ning order by December. in width and is widening rapidly. About 500 feet above are two more leads, into two towns making itself strongly felt, yellow metal in sufficient quantities to to be in sight.—Slocan City News. assure the owners that they have an ex-

deposit of free milling ore. Ross and parties are largely interested in many of the claims on Lookout mountory desults with proper development. The Sovereign. Debs. Oriental, Red Point, Emma, St. Charles and Wolverine have all been worked to some extent, and have all shown excellent samples of ore. but none of them have given as much promise as the Bruce. It is located

about half a mile from town. ROSSLAND. The mining industry is going forward in the vicinity of Rossland in a manner which is encouraging. In nearly every instance work has increased the value of the property on which it has been done. Although the rock is hard and depth is necessary, work is progressing so that additional shippers are being

added to the list. Another twelve

months will put this camp far in the lead of any gold-producing district in the west, if not in the world. Times are picking up in Rossland. The work on the streets is baving something to do with it. Prospectors and miners who have been out in the hills are returning to town. Prices of mining property are more reasonable this year than last and consequently a great many small interests will be sold, which will still add to the general improvement .-

Rossland Record. Bauer & Parker have some rich looking rock in the window of their office. It is from the Skagalee, on Sullivan creek, nine miles north of Rossland. The vein is 10 feet wide, and a shaft 5x8 feet has been sunk for a distance of 10 feet on the vein. Every ounce of rock taken from the shaft is strongly mineralized. The vein in this mine is supposed to be a continuation of the Heather Bell lode, which is five claims away to the east. It is expected that the Skagalee will be developed into a great

John Scrafford, who has had charge of the work on the Royal Gold property, reports that work is going on in a very satisfactory manner. The ore body is not increasing in size, but at the same sampled and found to contain gold in results are looked for as depth is gainpaying quantities.

Work is being pushed ahead on the Pass creek wagon road, twelve men being now employed on the piece between the proposed smelter at Northport is not more than from 64 to 7 miles. The

Mr. A. Lennon, a mining expert repreWaters Meet claim, and a force of men ing a Butte, Montana, syndicate, has is now at work sinking a shaft on a chute of pay ore, which was crosscut restments for his company. On about 20 feet from the mouth of the tun-y, in company with Colin Camp-nel. This shaft is now down 35 feet in his opinion, will rank second to none Mr. Lennon paid a visit to several and looks very favorably. The ore is a Fork properties, and also the B. solid sulphide and carries good values in bick, R. Bell and Swansea claims gold, silver and copper. The tunnel will be continued until the iron cap, which is

from the representative of an English

syndicate. John Moynahan has returned from a trip to Big Bend. He went to a point on the Columbia 50 miles above Revelstoke and examined a number of properties. He brought down a large number of samples of ore from various prospects. These samples are now on exhibition in the Miner office.

Mr. Moynahan is much pleased with the portion of the Big Bend he saw, but D. Wallace visited Slocan City, and dur- look after the hoist, but not to the country still labors under the disading his stay much of his time was spent answer any bells to start until he vantage of inaccessibility. It costs returned. These instructions were given a great deal to freight and supas the brake was working stiff, being plies into the country. The ores are sil the syndicate. An expert from Chicago new. The substitute engineer heard a ver-lead and iron sulpides. Some of the sulphides carry copper. A specimen of investigation of the Black Prince group chartly. If the head goes through these ver-lead and iron sulpides. Some of the arrived at the desired point the brake re- It is as solid as cast metal and runs

a number of timbers. Some of the ore favorably on the Iron Mask, under the management of Superintendent Hall. Bates in the chair. After a few brief re-Sixty-five tons of ore were shipped last week, and that amount could have been age will be repaired to-night and the materially increased had it been so de- he did at great length, speaking of his sired. Mr. Hall is only breaking down trip to Ottawa in 1891 on behalf of the enough ore to pay the expenses of opening up the property, and is now endeavoring to push the capacity of the mine.

The ore now being taken out is coming from the west drift in the shaft, on the original ore body. The main shaft is to: be sunk 100 feet further, and the No. 1 shaft is also to be deepened 50 feet, Nanaimo, was appointed to act on their which will put it 270 feet under the sur- behalf. The committee on behalf of the face.-Rossland Miner.

SLOCAN LAKE MINES. This summer upward of 40 claims have been located near Vevey. Five tons of 300 ounce ore have been

A car load of machinery has been re-

per day. The force will soon be increased to 100 men. The recent shipment to the Nelson smelter from the Farini camp at Vevey amounted to five tons. The Denver Smelting Company has

The Fidelity, the new bonanza near Silverton, is showing up in great shape. which a few shots were put, showing The average assays give 150 ounces in free gold in great quantities. Every silver, and prospecting work is being piece of quartz on the dump shows the pushed. Ore worth \$33,000 is now said

SLOCAN CITY. when they expect to find even a larger the people of the silvery Slocan are close- a large number has the right to fight for ly watching the daily quotations of that their rights, but they have not the commodity, and as it has gradually low- strength to act themselves. (Cheers.) vered this last week, all sorts of rumors tain, and to-day's strike simply indi- have been flying around about the closcates that the properties on which they ing down of several large mines. They have expended money will bring satisfactor are so far, however, entirely without foundation. The Slocan Star instead of closing down, as reported, has been increasing the force and ordering new ma-

chinery. Last week several interesting Indian relics were unearthed by the railway construction force just back of Foley's store on Main street. One appears to be a portion of a human skull, thought to be that of Chief Haukawankamauka, of the Chilcat tribe, former denizens of this locality. They are on exhibition in the News office, and attract the attention of

many relic hunters. At least three of our mines are ship-

charges. men of this city but makes it more evi-because no other ever achieved so many dent, that the need of this city being grand victories over disease and sickness. made a sub-port of entry is growing. No delay should be allowed in taking measures to this end .- Slocan City News.

ARROW LAKE DIVISION. F. J. Fauquier, mining recorder of the Arrow Lake mining division, reports that on Macdonald creek, on the Arrowhead slope, eighteen locations were made last week, and the assays from these claims run very high in gold and copper, with a little silver. Alex, McLane has made several good strikes there. Three Lane and Byron Burton, were bonded the other day for \$20,000 to a Scotch company, represented by J. G. Devlin. The first bridge across Cariboo creek

is nearly completed, and four miles of the Cariboo wagon road have been completed. A force of 25 men are employed, and they are being paid out of the government grant of \$4,500. This is being done on contract, and the \$2,600 subscribed privately will be spent after

MINES AND MINING stoke and from there to Rossland. Mr. Champion Creek in the Waterloo dismineral is yellow copper, but the grey copper found in many of the ledges cartrict.

Mr. Lidner is of the opinion that the ore from this district will average from \$50 to \$75 to the ton, and as there are 300 claims in the district, White Grouse, when it has the necessary transportation

The feature of the past month has been the development of the Crown of England claim, about a mile distant from the Storm King. This claim, together with the Great London, Salida, Ames and Hilms, is owned by Paul Johnson, superintendent of the Hall mines sme and the mineralized portion of it widen-ed out to four feet, with considerable grey copper showing in the bottom of warranted could commence shipping with very little preparatory work.-Nelson availing, for the child was dead. Tribune.

THE RIGHTS OF SETTLERS.

The Onestion Considered at a Public Meeting in Cedar District.

A public meeting of the settlers who claim to own certain coal rights to the land within the E. &. N. railway belt Development work is progressing very was held on Wednesday, Aug. 11, in the Institute, Cedar District, Mr. H. L. marks, the chairman called upon Mr. J. settlers and of communications he has had since. It was then deemed necespointed to investigate their case and to prepare it for submission to the commission to be held by Mr. Rothwell in the early part of next month. Mr. Cane, of H. L. Bates, Geo. Taylor, Geo. Woo

bank, J. Frame, J. Morpen. taken out of the Kalispell mine on Ten ber, W. W. B. McInnes. H. L. Bates erick as secretary of the meeting. After a saw mill at Teslin lake. a few remarks from the chairman he called on W. W. B. McInnes, M.P., to

Highest Position

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Only a truly great and effective remedy could continue, as Paine's Celery Comoing ore this week, the Meteor, Howard pound has done, to hold its high place in Fraction and Two Friends. It is also the estimation of the ablest physicians pleasant to note that several others will and of the tens of thousands of busy men be added to the list before long, notwith- and women whose only means of judging standing the heavy transportation is from the actual results in their own homes or among their friends. No rem Every day's experience by the business edy was ever so highly recommended,

For feeding exhausted nerves, building up the strength of the body, giving a natural and healthy appetite, and as a promoter of refreshing sleep, Paine's Celery Compound stands to-day without on equal in the world. Mrs. Garland, 675 Crawford St., To-

ronto, gives her experience with the world's best medicine as follows: "Your Paine's Celery Compound has most wonderfully improved my health. Before using it my appetite was pooralmost gone; I was also weak and debiliof these claims, belonging to Alex. Me- tated, and suffered from pains in the

Paine's Celery Compound does all that is claimed for it. I have recommended it to my friends, and they all and freight, are coming into the C.P.N. speak highly of the results received from Company's office rapidly. Among those it. I wish Paine's Celery Compound the success it so richly deserves."

the government fund is exhausted.—Nelson Tribune;

WHITE GROUSE DISTRICT.

P. G. Lidner, the New York metallurgist, returned to Nelson this week after spending three weeks in the White Grouse mountain district. Like most well informed men who have been day evening in Colquitz Hall. There was in the city to-day arranging for the outfit and its shipment north. The dogs which are to take them and their supplies to Dawson City will arrive in about a week. It is safe to say that the committee, Isaac Somers, James Grant, S. F. Jones and George Harrison, Mr.

George E. Powell, from Victoria, being judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court gave judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court gave judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court gave judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court gave judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the court gave judgment in the case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the case of Medden with the Case of Madden and Medden with Nelson the case of Medden with the case of the court gave to take them and their supplies to Dawson City will arrive in about a week. It is safe to say that the case of the court gave to take them and their supplies to Dawson City will arrive in about a week. It is safe to say that the city to-day arranging for the outfit and its shipment north. The dogs which are to take them and their supplies to Dawson City will arrive in about a week. It is safe to say that the case of the cas well informed men who have been present, was called upon and delivered hadden vs. the Nelson & Fort She through the White Grouse district, Mr. an interesting address upon the questional railway. This was an appeal from

From Tuesday's Daily. -Mr. H. L. Salmon has just received

letter from London, England, which came very fast, and in the opinion of Mr. Salmon established a record. The Maynard, Casey, Flint, Forrest, Banletter is postmarked at Paddington postoffice at 2 p.m. on August 4th, and was The writer states that although leaving received by Mr. Salmon yesterday even- Victoria buoyed up with great expecreceived by Mr. Salmon yesterday evening. The letter thus occupied but 111 tations, the golden fever raging at its height, the sight of the wharves crowd-

-Mrs and Mrs. John S. Bowker, ir. are mourning for their child, a bright little boy of about two and a half years of age, who was drowned about superintendent of the Hall mines smelter. On the surface there was a showing of six inches of yellow copper, 18 ounces of silver and \$4 in gold. In document of the property of the expression work this month. ing the assessment work this month a cross-cut was run up the ledge, which showed the ledge to be sixteen feet wide, turned to the house alone and a search was made for the child. This search was rewarded by the finding of the body the cut. A sample assay across the of the little victim of the cruel waves face of this four-foot showing gave a floating face downwards in the bottom return of \$35 in gold, silver and copper. of the bay. The body was tenderly car-The property is admirably situated for ried to the residence of its father, and working, and if transportation facilities Drs. Helmaken and Duncan at once summoned, but all their efforts were un-

From Wednesday's Daily. -Provincial Constable Wilson, of Port Essington, arrived down on the steamer Danube yesterday, bringing with him two Chinese malefactors who were sentenced to a term of three months' imprisonment each by the stipendiary magistrate at Port Essington for theft, The two Chinese were this morning sent to the provincial jail

-E. Jeeves, J. Cantrell and James Eccles, three young men who went out Patterson to address the meeting, which hunting on Sunday at Colwood, and who were found in unlawful possession of some blue grouse by the provincial police, were each fined \$5 in the provincial po- good-natured officers and crew ought lice court this morning. Magistrate sary by the meeting that a lawyer be ap- Macrae warned them that anyone else found guilty of an infraction of the game act would not get off so easily.

-Arrangements are being made charter the steamer Thistle for a trip to the Stickeen river, with the men and settlers is: J. Patterson, John Helmer, material necessary to build a river \$67.50 was collected for the unfortunsteamer, which Mr. F. M. Yorke, the ate owner, and the mule was buried at well known stevedore, proposes to place sea with all due formality. The meeting was called to hear the on Teslin lake. A party has already been progress done on behalf of the settlers organized for the expedition, and will, of the surrounding districts by the mem- if the arrangements are completed, sail | Capt. Foster at one of the canneries, and for the scene fo their labors on the at the Inverness cannery we saw the was appointed chairman and J. G. Peth- Thistle. Mr. Yorke also intends building only original Johnnie Carthew of British

-A home for old women has been address the meeting. Mr. McInnes, on established on the corner of Blanchard eral resources of that particular section, rising, met with a hearty reception. He and Mason streets. When first opened and feels sure that in the near future the said that the meeting had been called to some time ago it was intended that it rush to Skeena will be greater than that consider the coal rights of the settlers should be only for those of the Roman of the Clondyke. of the district. He said he had been con- Catholic faith, but the charitable ladies sidering the question, and laying the who are in charge of the home have ed by Patrick Hickey, of the Caledonia; facts of the settlers' case before the since then opened it to any aged and Pat. Craig, formerly of the Wilson house at Ottawa, but in the first session deserving old women without and re- House, and George Rudge. We made a nothing could be done except obtaining gard as to faith or creed. The matron stay here of four hours, long enough to the promise that the case would be con- of the home is Madame La Pearl, and any application for admission should be While at Ottawa he had spoken to made to her. Four old ladies are at prehonorable members upon the subject and sent being cared for, and as there are they recognized, on the face of it, that eight or nine rooms there is accommodathe settlers are entitled to the coal, and tion for several more. It is the intention on the strength of it they are sending out to enlarge the home to 14 rooms and Mr. Rohwell, who will be here in the the matron will be glad to hear from quite a rushing business in rubber and cellent property. The men now at work have stopped drifting, and have common of the gradual decline of half of the government in connection to contribute anything in the way of menced to cross-cut to the footwall a bar silver in the markets of the world, with the settlers' claim. He said that

From Thursday's Daily. -The farmers in the Fraser valley and other parts of the province have been unable to secure men to bale their hay, the laborers having taken to fishing on the Fraser river.

-Rev. Dr. Wilson officiated at the funeral of the late Mrs. Seeley, which took place vesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter. Mrs. Morse. proceeding to the Reformed Episcopal church, and thence to the cemetery. A large number of sympathizing friends be brought along separate to serve for were present.

-A large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Bowker attended the funeral of their eldest son, which took place yesterday afternoon. The coffin was hidden beneath the floral offerings | condition, plenty of timber can be had at which sympathizing friends had sent. the lake to whipsaw for boats, and at Rev. Canon Paddon conducted the burial the White Horse rapids experienced men services, both at the house and at the can be had to run the boats through,

-Rev. P. C. L. Harris last evening From a letter received from M. J. Conperformed the ceremony at the residence lin it would appear that the party of Mr. W. H. Coates. Chatham street. which he is a member are making good which made Mr. H. H. Davis and Miss progress. They have got over the most dangerous part of the route, that is wife. The bride, who wore a beautiful where the rivers have to be forded. A costume of fawn poplin, with choffon number of horses with their packs had trimmings, was attended by the Misses been lost by being swept down the Kate McDonald and Myrtle Coates, who river. George Gilbert saved the life of were very prettily attired in pink and a man who had fallen from a log into white Mr. W. L. Coates. Among the many the crowd at Skagway and along the handsome presents was a clock presented trail are jolly and good natured, but by Mizpah Rebekah Lodge, of Vancouthey will stand no lawlessness. A great ver, of which the bride is a prominent many men are doing their own packing. member.

-The steamer Danube sails to-morrow evening for Dyea and Skagway via Vancouver. She will again be crowded, for ications for passage for men, horses who will go up on the Danube are another contingent of five Mounted Police in charge of Inspec--The Liberals of South Victoria Elec-toral district held a meeting last Sature steamer at Vancouver. Sergt. Raven day evening in Colquitz Hall. There was in the city to-day arranging for the

Madden vs. the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Hessand Miner.

The C.P.R. has put a force of engineers at work surveying for a line, from the control of his remarks was loudly applaudated. He was first some survey rapidly as soon as transportation of his remarks was loudly applaudated. He was first some survey rapidly as soon as transportation with the Common first week on their way from Rossland or the O.P.R. will build to Rossland in the O.P.R. will build to Rossland in the C.P.R. will build to Rossland in the first port of the North Pork to Pass creek, thence to Long lake on the west side of the Kettle river, thence following Rock creek to Osoyoos lake and Vernan, thence around the main line of the C.P.R. to Revel. Lidner is very favorably impressed with tions of the day. He was listened to decision of County Court Judge Forin its mineral showing, and predicts that with rapt attention, and at the conclument of the Messes was loudly applauding to the Messes. Madden had

VICTORIA PARTY.

A letter has been received from Mr. L. Arthur, of the Victoria party, consisting of Messrs. Carmody, Howard, nerman and Arthur and Dr. Richardson, ed with friends wishing us a pleasant and successful trip made it feel somewhat hard to leave the place where we had spent so many happy days, but we looked forward to the time

A few short years of toll were past, And we would all be coming back, To greet the friends we left behind, With nuggets in our sack.

And as we sailed on our way to Vancou. ver, this sort of home-sickness feeling seemed to grow and was extended to the mother country as the water got rougher because some of our party were heard to exclaim, "Europe, Oh, Europe!" with a tons of voice and expression of countenance that made us feel that they were in earnest

We arrived in Vancouver about 7:30 where several passengers came aboard some for the stations along the coast and a few for the Yukon river, very few people taking any interest in our arrival or departure.

Nanaimo gave a very good account of nerself. The wharves were crowded and nuite a number of passengers came aboard, taking up all available space on the steamer.

Once more on our way we glided pleasantly over still waters, with nothing to mar our pleasure. The passengers vied with each other to make the trip a pleasant one, and a more sober, contented and happy lot couldn't be found anywhere. But anyone that wouldn't be happy on a ship commanded by such a whole-souled man as Capt. Meyers and never to see the golden valleys of the far

off country. The only kicking that was done on board at all was between one of the Skagway Company's horses and Laritz's mule, the mule getting his leg broken, the only time on record that a mule was beaten at his own game. A purse of

Passing in and out among the islands that dot the coast line, we came across Columbia, who entertained us until the boat left with many a pleasant smile. anie seems enthusiastic over the min-

Reaching Fort Simpson we were greetlet the passengers go through the town. ring the fire bells and get acquainted with some of the natives, and those having on hand a stock of deer skins, snow shoes, moccasins and paddles found

many ready and willing customers. The Hudson Bay Company's store did were boarded by the United States customs officer, Mr. P. A. Smith, a perfect gentleman in every respect, who took the greatest pleasure in giving us all the information and assistance he possibly could. For the benefit of our friends who intend coming this way, we may state that all goods coming from Victoria should be shipped in bond to destination, via Skagway (if going through White Pass), and there will be no trouble passing through American soil, provided no packages are broken and no goods used while in transit. Enough provisions can the time. Goods are being packed over the summit, No quantity of intoxicating liquors will be allowed to land, save perhaps a little for medicinal purposes. The wharf and approach will soon be finished. The trail over White Pass is in fair

partly loaded, and there seems no trouble to reach the gold fields. The groom was supported by the stream where Fowler was drowned. carrying from 50 to 150 pounds. The trail is in a terrible condition, he says. Hugh Petticrew is the "boss" packer. and Jack Byrnes makes an excellent

A letter was also received from Mr. Rendall of the city party, which recounts the same facts, and adds that Harrup. of this city, lost half of his provisions by being washed down the stream.

HEART HOPE

The dogs Raised in an Instant After the Use of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart-A Potent Liquid Remedy-And No Case Too Acute for Immediate Relief and Cer-

tain Cure. For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from heart disease. All this while I was in the hands of one of our best phyicians, for whom the only encourage ent that I could obtain was that I was lable to drop off at any moment. many times read of cures made by Dr.

Nelson's Water Supply Officials of Provincial Health on a To

**PROVINCIAL** 

A Large Wheat Crop Valley-News Note Many Points.

The Efforts of Stevesto to Set Up Housekeep Supported.

The Great Run of Salm Tin on Hand Used Making Cans.

(From Our Own Correspo Steveston, Aug. 16.-Yest noon while the streets were man named James Jerry, was passing along in compa other and suddenly droppe ground. His companion ha a cigarette to smoke and he act of taking a match from l light it when he fell. Imm tion was taken to try to resto it was soon found that the ceased to act and that the dead. An inquest will be The deceased is said to have

shoreman in Victoria. A crazy Chinaman named was sent up from here to the Saturday. He was kept for in custody here in the hope of ery, but he showed no signs ment

Evangelist Meikle, of Vanc here on Saturday evening a yester-lay conducting evange ings. The meetings were larg ed and a deep impression wa many present.

A large excursion party ca yesetrday by the Joan from All were very orderly and had portunity to look around the and to see them-idle.

Fish are still ranning in lar and the work of packing is gently prosecuted, but the proaching-of the supply of evident from the catches be ed that a large quantity could been packed before the close ti but the want of tin is an barrier. Some nave a small on hand and the can company ing up what tin they have, tempt to supply all the canner stage is impossible, as their city is very large. It is not v to give the total pack in any Georgia will head the list with close on 60,000 cases. The Pl Britannia canneries will have 000 to 35,000 each and a n others will run as high as 30. smallest pack in this place w of the New Colonial Cannery, be 15,000 cases. This is no m and the men there are credited

ing done exceedingly good worl The fleet of boats out last nig large as ever and there was eagerness as ever to have the r water sharp on time. A large i the boats went a long way up in the hope presumably of bein intercept the salmon that had tunate enough to get the bene close time at the mouth of the The men of experience are n

ning to size up the situation ions are being freely given reasons for the great abundan and the length and steadiness of There are those who are willing some credit to the hatchery. larger number appear to think forms but a small element in A comparatively small run of fis ing to a suitable spawn-bed will enormously large quantity of sp there is overcrowding at the spa there will be a consequent destr spawn and loss instead of benefit claimed therefore that so long a is carried on in a legitimate so that a fair moiety of the fish cape the results will be highly be and the regular spawn-beds will more and more fruitful. It is s that the time may come when feeding may be necessary at the beds for the young fish, and it that something might be done to these beds from the raids of th kinds of fish that live in luxury salmon while they can be got. that protection can be afforded

ter for experts to say. While these suggestions are made all seem agreed that the hatcheries should be continued tended, and that it would be par ly useful if an earlier species of could be propagated to enable th nery work to be started much es the season.

Two cases under the Medical rions Act are to come up in the here this afternoon. One is ag young doctor from the east who siding here at present, and the o magistrate is still kept busy with of different kinds. The chief su ways in the form of the "drunk, eveston, Aug. 17.—The de the Steveston Citizens' A a sain met the members of the this afternoon. Councillor Ki presided. They were able t that all the electors except s ed the petition and that the tically unanimous in its ne of the large property owner at a distance and their signature