

train for Bennet, Corporal Holmes in charge. The mail consisted of 13 sacks, containing 254 lbs. as against 4 sacks containing 317 lbs. last month. My protest to the U.S. authorities against the unwieldly bulk of their sacks (one alone weighing 212 lbs.) had the desired effect. All but three of the sacks sent forward on the 29th ult, contained U.S. mail Mr. McGregor is still detained here awaiting the freezing up of Lake Bennett. Reports received from Mr. Hurd- 1898. man only two days ago state that this lake is frozen over to a depth of six inches per cent, and some of the commodities for eight miles from the western end, but affected are agricultural implements, the rest of the lake is open. The thermometer there has been as low as 18 degrees below zero. Lake Inchai is also only partly covered with ice: Lake Tag-ish is solid. Were there the slightest The C. P. R. is opening a route to Fort Steele by the new wagon road from

chance of Mr. McGregor being able to get through he would start, but there is no ice even on the edges of Bennett, and his instructions from Major Walsh were not to commence his journey until he heard the lake was frozen.

.Inspector Strickland writes that he considers a trip down the river to Selkirk with horses impossible, owing to the banking up of the ice. Mr. Morley Ogilvie, son of Mr. William Ogilvie, who was here a few days ago, and who has had a good deal of experience on Alaskan rivers, does not thing so. Mr. McGregor is relying on his 14 horses to carry through the provisions for Major Walsh. Should the horses fail I will have all the dog teams at Tagish, so he can fall back No further word has been on them. heard of Major Walsh and his party, nor of Judge McGuire's party. 'Mr. Ogilvie thinks it quite likely they reached their respective destinations as the river does not freeze solid until December, and they could run down in their boats with the running ice.

make all arrangements for the proper At Bennett's a building 16x30 has been handling of the goods. put up of logs for the accommodation of The Canadian Pacific has published men. The stores are in tents or on the beach covered with tarpaulins.

a Klondike tariff and the rates from Vancouver via the Canadian Pacific On the 23rd ult, the steamship City of Navigation Co. are as follows: To Fort Seattle arrived here with the balance of Wrangle for flour, beans, pork and the stores (except clothing) ordered by general merchandise, \$8 per ton and \$5 Asst. Commissioner McIllree. We have for each dog; to Telegraph Creek, \$53 on hand here now 25 tons of provisions. per ton and \$10 for dogs; to Juneau \$9 8 tons of oats, 3 tons dog fish, and a little over 2 tons of hardware, tents, tar- per ton and \$5 for dogs; to Dyea, Skagway, \$10 per ton and \$5 for dogs; to St. paulins and shoes. Of the 25 tons of provisions, 31 tons of flour and bacon | Michaels \$100 per ton; to Dawson City

have to go to Bennett at once, as per and Yukon points for flour, beans and Major Walsh's instructions. The oats pork \$120 per ton and for general mer-I am feeding to Mr. McGregor's horses chandise \$200 per ton. No rates are while they are here awaiting the freezing given for dogs to St. Michaels and Yukon over of Lake Bennett. Any remaining points. after their departure I will sell.

Freighting rates are still at the old O. W. O. Hardman, when sheriff o figure, viz: 50 cents a pound, and I doubt Tyler Co., W. Va., was at one time, almost prostrated with a cold. He used very much if they are going to drop. most prostrated with a cold. He used They would, no doubt, were it not for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was the fact that people are already com- so much pleased with the quick relief and cure it afforded him, that he gave mencing to come in, 230 having arrived during last week. Every boat brings the following unsolicited testimonial: 100 or more. The great rush is expected "To all who may be interested. I wish between the 1st and 15th of January. to say, that I have used Chamberlain's and everyone is striving to keep ahead Cough Remedy and find it invaluable for coughs and colds." For sale by Langof the crowd. I have decided to put the stores now here over to Bennett at once. ley & Henderson Bros., Wholesale If I wait, I not only run the chance of Agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

reductions in freight charges on commopose for a moment that A finds B loct dities shipped from Eastern Canada to ing the public treasury, that he actually the Kootenay country. The reductions catches him in the act of taking money are those which the C. P. R. at the time from the public chest and putting it in of obtaining the Crow's Nest charter his own pocket. If he publishes that agreed to make when the Crow's Nest fact, it is possible for the thief to instiline was completed to Kootenay river. tute criminal libel proceedings against Under the agreement the reductions him under this section of the code and would not be in effect for many months actually close A's mouth and prevent to come, but the company concluded that any evidence of the facts being adduced they should go into effect January 1, for a period varying from weeks to months depending on the length of time

Armstrong's landing on Kootenay river.

The steamer Nelson will make the trip

twice a week regularly and also make

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An agent will at once be appointed at

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of the Crow's Nest line, is a most im-

present a considerable quantity of goods

Bonner's Ferry but this trade will in the

future be secured to Nelson. In anticipa-

tion of this new route some of Nelson's

merchants have 'already sold, a large

quantity of goods for that section. Mr.

McDonald of the C. P. R. left yester-

day to go through to Fort Steele and

s going in from Golden, Kalispel and

-Porter Brothers.

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in the Supreme Court chambers this ' for the Klondike trade, they will not con-and with cold morning Mr. Belyea, acting on behalf fine themselves exclusively thereto, and of F. L. Guillim, of Slocan City, moved some very fine goods will be made at for a mandatory order compelling the their new factory situate on Yates street, Law Society to enroll Mr. Guillim as an almost opposite the large warehouse and he applicant for admission. Section 37 of store so long occupied by the firm. The the Legal Professions Act, 1895, after new factory is admirably adapted for stating the powers of Benchers to admit the purpose for which it is intended, and attorneys from other provinces has this when visited by a Times reporter yesterday was found to be a very hive of inproviso:

"(5.) Provided, also that any barrister dustry. Lighted by large windows at or solicitor who shall base his claim either end the main room affords ample for call or admission, upon his having space for fifty sewing machines, the cutbeen called or admitted, as the case may ting department, and the buttonhole be, as a barrister or solicitor in some and button-attaching machines.

place or province where barristers or The manager, Mr. A. H. Hartley, coursolicitors are called or admitted after teously showed the visitor all the details term of study or articles in connection with the work, commencing than five years (except in by demonstrating the ease with which, case of a graduate of any recognized by means of a huge machette, large university of Great Britain or Ireland, quantities of woollen goods can be shaped or Dominion of Canada), must, before into shirt patterns ready for stitching, call or admission in this province, serve more speedily than a single garment can as a student-at-law or under articles for be cut out with the shears. Mr. Harta sufficient time to complete the full ley's experience was gained with such

firms as Hart & Leoy, of Leicester, Eng., Mr. Guillim is an advocate of the probably the largest clothing manufac-Northwest Territories, where the term turers in the world, who employ 1,500 of service is only three years; so, before hands, of whom 100 do nothing but cut coming to this province, he procured his out. Mr. Hartley was also for some admission as an attorney in Manitoba years with John Calder & Co., of Hamon paying fees and passing an examina- ' ilton, where he gained a thorough knowlion, without serving further time. He edge of the manufacture of the finest

then applied here, basing his claim on grades of clothing. his Manitoba certificates and showing | The Singer sewing machines, fifty in number, are driven by electricity. The how he obtained them. The Benchers decided that under the proviso of section slightest toe pressure upon the treadle-37 Mr. Guillim would have to serve plate starts the machines. Some of them have a capacity of 3,000 stitches a mintwo years. He now applies for a mandamus compelling his entry on the six ute, and the ease with which the operamonths' basis of residence and enroll- tors can turn out a finished garment ment. His Lordship will deliver a writ- demonstrates very conclusively the supe ten judgment, but intimated it would be ' riority of the electric motor as a driving in favor of the plaintiff. A. E. Mc- power compared with the old foot-treadle. The machines for attaching the buttons Phillips appeared for the defendants, to the garments, and those for making and finishing the buttonholes are marvels of ingenuity. When the machinery is in

motion and the nimble fingers of the Centre Star v. Iron Mask, so Mr. Bodoperators are seen guiding the cloth while well for the defendants applied to Mr. the sewing is being done at the rate of Justice Walkem to vary his former order. speed mentioned, the three cutters carv Mr. Justice Walkem then referred the ing out the shirts, suits, overalls and matter to the Supreme court and Justices other garments in layers, and the but-Drake and McColl were then ready to tons being attached at lightning speed, deal with the case. The appeal was then one cannot doubt that, as Mr. Hartley adjourned sine die, the Iron Mask comsays, the factory has a capacity of sev pany in the meantime to keep an account enty-five dozens of complete garments a and give bonds to be settled by the deday. The motor from which the power for outy registrar at Rossland. T. M. Daly, appeared for the plaintiff and E. driving the machines is obtained was sup-

Bodwell and A. H. MacNeill for deplied by the Royal Electric Company of fendants. Montreal, and is of about 5 h.p., 500 volts with a speed of 2,000 revolutions. The

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factory is lighted throughout with elec-tricity, and the excellence of the arrange-The attention of the reader is called to an attractive little book lately published by that eminent Expert Physician, G. H. Bob-ertz, M.D. 252 Woodward Ave. Detrait, Mich. This book is one of genuine inter-est to every man and its plain and honest advice will certainly be of the greatest value to any one desirous of securing per-fect health and vigor. A request for a free and sealed copy will be complied with, if addressed as above and the Victoria, B.C., Times mentioned. ment by which every available inch of space is utilized reflects credit upon the manager who conceived it and the contractor who carried it out. Just before the reporter left Mr. Hartley called his attention to a device called an automatic bobbin winder. Everyone who has operated a sewing machine

knows with what annoying frequency Why don't you try Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are a positive cure for slok headache, and all the ills produced by dis-ordered liver. Only one pill a dose. the under bobbin is exhausted of its supply of thread and the waste of time caused by refilling it. By the side of

went out. A great deal of time was lost, and when the men began to experiment with concrete the weather had become so cold that the concrete would freeze before it had time to set. They then sought to moderate the climate by building fires in he vicinity of the concrete to allow it to harden before freezing, and they are work-ing away on that principle now. Beyond the site of this bridge the grade is all ready for the rails right into the Pass, and once the iron can be got over the river it will not be long before the con-struction trains will be at the lake. Between Crow's Nest lake and Kooteney

struction trains will be at the lake. Between Crow's Nest lake and Kooteney river there are probably 2,000 men now at work grading, etc. West of Wardner, through Isadore Canyon, past Fort Steele and on to the west end of Moyle lake there are a number of camps and the work is going ahead briskly. From Moyle lake there are a number of goat river on Kootenay lake the tote road is pretty well covered with teams hauling in supplies and materials forwarded by steamer from Nelson. The great difficulty all along has been the getting in of supplies, but it is likely that hereafter provisions will be more abundant, and there seems no reason to doubt that before this year closes the rails will be laid through to Kootenay lake.— Fort Steele Prospector.

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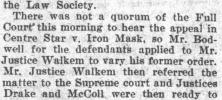
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