

Statements That the Mine Was "Salted"—The Treadwells Enter a Denial.

Douglas island mine was the next morning the Bear's Nest on the side far from the Treadwell. When the drill put in the expert was led to believe it was near the boundary between Bear's Nest and the Douglas island the drill core showed such rich ore as supposed, of course, the ore ran

"Two days afterwards he came and wanted to have me let him borrow a mortar to mill five tons of rock from Bear's Nest. I told him he couldn't

At creek, empties into Alberni canal. gold found is of a coarse nature caused a flutter of excitement in the district. Several companies are also on the placer claims on China creek, excellent prospects of success. The paper mill is well under way, actual manufacture of paper has commenced. The crop prospects are good. The settlers quite busy.—Free

**What London Dailies Have to Say
About It—Advocate Peace-
ful Settlement.**

The officials at the foreign office the Chinese and Japanese legation iterated this evening that no official news had been received.

Sir Thomas Sutherland, M. P. a man of the P. & O. Navigation company, said in an interview this evening "China in the long run will be victorious owing to her enormous resources and

—Marie Nixon, Alex. Grant and other residents of Comox district have incorporated the Waverly House Company with a capital stock of \$10,000. The object of the company is to equip and maintain hotels or inns in Comox district. The trustees of the company are Marie Nixon, Alex. Grant, Thomas Russell, W. B. Walker and John Grant.

Farm, Cadboro Bay, died on Wednesday evening. Dr. Earnest Hall held a post-mortem examination last evening and reported that there were signs of arsenic poisoning. The doctor being unable to decide, the stomach was given to the coroner's analyst for examination. A quest is being conducted this afternoon by the provincial police.



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