

**HER TIERNEY.**  
 Ordered into the Conduct of  
 ant John D. Knight.  
 April 16.—The secretary of  
 an investigation made today  
 city on the charge that Ma-  
 Knight of the corps of engin-  
 the school at Williams-  
 work, had interfered with  
 of the Roman Catholic  
 performance of his religious  
 army post. It is alleged that  
 had been stopped at the en-  
 post at the point of a bay-  
 the action of the sentry  
 frequently upheld by the  
 officer. Representative Fitz-  
 Massachusetts, recently in-  
 troduction concerning the alleged  
 army officers to permit  
 to administer their offices  
 Representative Fitzgerald  
 by the secretary of war that  
 would be investigated, and if  
 that the officer had exceed-  
 ity he would be relieved.

**TE OF IMPROVEMENTS.**  
 Notice.  
 eral claim. Situate in the  
 mining division of West  
 district.  
 oined: One mile south of  
 oining the Nest Egg mineral  
 that I. F. W. Rolt, free  
 ente No. P 13,321, acting as  
 Nest Egg and Firely Gold  
 any, free miners' certificate  
 intend 60 days from the date  
 apply to the mining recorder  
 te of improvements, for the  
 obtaining a crown grant of the  
 take notice that action, un-  
 must be commenced before  
 of such certificate of improve-  
 nineteenth day of April,  
 F. W. ROLT.

**TE OF IMPROVEMENTS.**  
 Notice.  
 tion and Cecil Rhodes min-  
 situated in the Trail Creek  
 tion of Kootenay district.  
 ated: On the summit of  
 ain.  
 e that I. J. A. Kirk, acting  
 or Arthur H. Greene, free  
 eate No. B29034, intend, 60  
 the date hereof, to apply to  
 recorder for a certificate of  
 s, for the purpose of obtain-  
 grant of the above claim.  
 er take notice that action,  
 37, must be commenced be-  
 nance of such certificate of im-  
 10th day of March, 1900.  
 J. A. KIRK.

**GENERAL ACT, 1896.**  
 Certificate of Improvements—  
 Notice.  
 Putnam mineral claims, situate  
 Creek mining division of West  
 district. Where located: On  
 ope of Monte Christo moun-  
 and adjoining the Silverline  
 n. Take notice that I. R.  
 C. No. 29,315 B, acting as  
 omas A. Cameron, special F.  
 89 and W. S. McCrea, special  
 certificate No. 1,914, intend,  
 the date hereof to apply to  
 recorder for a certificate of  
 s, for the purpose of obtain-  
 grant of the above claims.  
 take notice that action, un-  
 37, must be commenced before  
 of such certificate of improve-  
 12th day of April, 1900.  
 R. SMITH, P. L. S.

**TE OF IMPROVEMENTS.**  
 Notice.  
 View mineral claim, situate  
 il Creek mining division of  
 ay district.  
 ated: On Record mountain.  
 e that I. O. B. N. Wilkie,  
 ent for R. W. Northey, F. M.  
 and, R. E. Smith, F. M. C.  
 end, sixty days from the date  
 apply to the mining recorder  
 ate of improvements, for the  
 obtaining a crown grant of the  
 er take notice that action,  
 37, must be commenced be-  
 nance of such certificate of  
 s.  
 15th day of March, A. D.,  
 O. B. N. WILKIE.

For Sale.  
 al Tramway Cable, length  
 h buckets and fixtures com-  
 oncentrator, capacity 100 tons,  
 user & Chalmers.  
 Dynamo, Ledgerwood Hoist, 1  
 and 1 pair 8-in. Water Wheels,  
 plant.  
 e are almost new and in good  
 ulars apply to P. O. box 172,  
 Station, B. C.

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 te all your time reading about  
 r and the gold fields of Alas-  
 e others matters of vital  
 You may make a trip East,  
 ut to know how to travel. In-  
 ve the best service, use the  
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 Chicago. For rates and other  
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 er, Etc., Rossland  
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**A BANKER'S BANQUET**

Messrs. Kenny and Pease T.ndered  
 a Banquet.  
**MR. JOHN M. SMITH THE HOST**  
 Speeches Were Made by Financiers, Mining  
 Men, Civic Officers and Others The Vis-  
 itors are Greatly Pleased With the Condi-  
 tion of the Country.

Mr. John M. Smith, local manager of  
 the Merchants' bank of Halifax, tendered  
 a banquet last Saturday to Messrs. Thomas  
 E. Kenny, president of the Merchants'  
 Bank of Halifax, and C. Pease, gen-  
 eral manager of the Montreal branch of  
 the bank. It was given at the Allen. Pres-  
 ent were: Mayor A. S. Goodeve, Thomas  
 E. Kenny, C. Pease, John M. Smith, Ber-  
 nard Macdonald, E. B. Kirby, Ross  
 Thompson, F. H. Oliver, A. H. MacNeill,  
 Hector McRae, Alexander Dick and  
 A. Miller. The menu was excellent, and  
 drew forth compliments from the guests  
 of the evening. It was as follows:  
 Marmalade Orange  
 Pineapple with Old Nectar Sherry  
 Eastern Oysters.  
 Consomme Royal.  
 Salted Almonds. Queen Olives.  
 Old Sherry.  
 Salmon Steak Tartar Sauce.  
 Potatoes.  
 Potatoes.  
 Haute South.  
 Rechauffe of Sweetbread en Cas.  
 (Guests of the Evening.)  
 Pomme a la Mayonnaise.  
 Pomme a la Rhu.  
 G. H. Mumm's Chamagne.  
 Young Turkey Stuffed with Sweet Herbs.  
 Prime Ribs of Beef Au Jus.  
 Mashed Potatoes.  
 Cauliflower, Hollandaise Sauce.  
 Stuffed Tomatoes a la Princes.  
 Meadon Brea Cheese. Lady Fingers.  
 Baked Sausage. Wafers.  
 Walnuts. Liqueurs. Cigars.  
 Black Coffee.

After the viands had been discussed  
 toasts were proposed as follows: Mr.  
 Kenny responded to the toast, "The  
 Guests of the Evening." He referred  
 with pleasure to meeting the citizens of  
 Rossland, and said he and Mr. Pease  
 were inspecting the different agencies in  
 British Columbia and elsewhere. They  
 had first visited Havana, and had come  
 around by way of New Orleans, San Fran-  
 cisco and thence up the coast to British  
 Columbia and Vancouver. At  
 the time they started on their trip num-  
 erous very disheartening reports had  
 been published concerning British Colum-  
 bia, but after inspection of the different ag-  
 encies at the coast and from what they  
 had learned in their short stay in Ros-  
 sand, they were pleased to learn that  
 these reports were unfounded, and that  
 they could report with all confidence to  
 their directors that British Columbia  
 and the mining industry in particular  
 were entering upon an era of prosperity  
 altogether unknown. (Applause.) He  
 stated that the Merchants' bank of Hal-  
 ifax had never regretted their move to  
 British Columbia, and under the name  
 which they are about to be rechristened,  
 the Royal bank of Canada, they expected  
 to go rapidly forward, and were prepared  
 to aid in the development of the resources  
 of British Columbia with the firm as-  
 surance that they would, in the bright fu-  
 ture that was in store, reap a rich reward.  
 Mr. Kenny is a most polished speaker, and  
 gave an address which was listened to  
 with great interest, not only on account  
 of the address itself, but on account of  
 the weight which would be attached to  
 anything coming from a gentleman in his  
 position.

Mr. C. Pease, in responding to the toast,  
 "The Guests of the Evening," said that  
 he was much pleased with the progress of  
 British Columbia and the Rossland camp  
 in particular since his first visit here three  
 years since. He was prepared to recom-  
 mend to his directors, on his return east,  
 the extension of their business in British  
 Columbia, and they were now investigat-  
 ing the prices of bricks and mortar for  
 the substantial building which they were  
 contemplating erecting on their lots on the  
 corner of Columbia avenue and Washington  
 street.

It is due largely to Mr. Pease's enter-  
 prise, foresight and energy that the Mer-  
 chants' bank has grown from a compara-  
 tively small provincial bank to the large  
 cosmopolitan bank that it is. Mr. Pease  
 was offered the management of the Amer-  
 ican bank in London, but preferred to  
 remain with the Merchants' bank of Hal-  
 ifax, with which he has been so long as-  
 sociated.

Mr. Bernard Macdonald, manager of  
 the B. A. C. properties, responded to the  
 toast of "The Mining Industry," and said,  
 among other things, that the mining in-  
 dustry in British Columbia had just  
 passed through what was feared would be  
 a most serious crisis. That the settle-  
 ment which had been so happily arrived  
 at was due to the conciliatory spirit shown  
 in the regard which both parties to the  
 controversy had to their mutual and last-  
 ing benefit. He said that the properties  
 which he had in charge had, before the  
 troubles began, been shipping some 300  
 tons per day, and that with the instal-  
 lation of the plant, which they were now  
 installing, that their output would be  
 more than doubled. They were now in-  
 stallng a hoist by which the Le Roi  
 could be worked to a depth of 3,500 feet.  
 One shaft alone in the Le Roi, from ac-  
 tual development, could produce 1,500  
 tons of shipping ore for each linear foot  
 in depth. In addition to this shaft, there  
 were two others of almost equal promise,  
 but which had not yet been developed  
 sufficiently to give the accurate figures con-  
 cerning them that he could about the ore  
 shaft first referred to.

Mr. E. B. Kirby responded to the toast,  
 "The Mining Industry," and referred,  
 among other matters, to the happy set-  
 tlement of the labor difficulties of Ros-  
 sand, which he said was due in a great  
 measure to the good sense and moderation  
 of all the parties interested. Much credit  
 was due for the settlement to the good  
 sense and influence of the citizens and  
 bank managers of Rossland. As far as  
 any man could see, the Rossland mining  
 camp would still be a producing one long  
 after the youngest member at the festive  
 board would be dead and gone. The  
 Centre Star was installing a plant of a size  
 sufficient to handle the output which they  
 contemplated shipping. Shipping would  
 commence from the Centre Star within a  
 very few weeks. In the case of the War  
 Eagle, it would take some little time long-  
 er to have the development far enough in  
 advance of their stopping to justify ship-

**THE RUSH TO NOME.**

An Anglo-Indian Predicts That the Next  
 Rush Will Be to the Orient.  
 "There is the extreme of heat and  
 that of cold," said a countryman of Rud-  
 yard Kipling, interviewed by a representa-  
 tive of the Miner yesterday. "I have suf-  
 fered the one and I have known 20 degrees  
 below zero on the other, and I do not  
 know which is the worst."  
 "The cold is certainly not nearly so un-  
 healthy as the heat, and one can work  
 well in the frigid zone, whereas in the  
 torrid a very little exertion soon exhausts  
 the white worker, and recourse must be  
 had to the puny efforts of the native.  
 Yet, as the pendulum ever swings to one  
 side or another, it is probable that the  
 next rush will be to the tropics as the  
 Antarctic circle is practically inaccess-  
 ible."

It is a common notion that the mines of  
 the Orient, the caves of Golconda, are  
 worked out. In the scriptures the wealth  
 of Cathay, or of Ophir is mentioned, and  
 if the energy of the inhabitants was com-  
 mensurate with the riches of the coun-  
 tries, it would be true that there has been  
 plenty of time to have worked them out  
 since the reign of Solomon. But, as a  
 matter of fact, the mineral wealth of  
 Cathay (China) is undeveloped to this day;  
 that of Ophir, if Ophir means Malacca,  
 is barely touched. Only two mines, Raub  
 and Punjom, were being worked two or  
 three years ago, and it is only last year  
 that they became productive. Their  
 shares are now quoted at a heavy prem-  
 ium. Likewise with India. Here much  
 work has been done, yet the four chief  
 enterprises, all of very modern date,  
 Champion, Mysore, Nundydroog, Coregem  
 are each quoted at many times the orig-  
 inal value of the shares. As for Golcon-  
 da, there were very many mines there, pop-  
 ular tradition notwithstanding, its wealth  
 merely arising from the fact that in this  
 place the predecessors of the wealthy  
 southern potentate who recently offered  
 a core of rupees, about £100,000, to the  
 South African war fund, used to store their  
 treasure.

"But if the Indian field is occupied, the  
 Malayan estopped by the prevalent pes-  
 tiferous fevers, and the China field as yet  
 unknown, there is another which is sure  
 to attract a rush sooner or later, and  
 that is Burmah. This country is one of  
 the richest in the world. Tin, crudely  
 worked, coal, lead, manganese, silver  
 gold, washed in the bed of flowing streams  
 with rude calabashes, silver, copper, an-  
 timony, bismuth, petroleum products,  
 amber, sapphires, rubies and jade are all  
 obtained.  
 "None of these are really worked ex-  
 cept the gems and jade. The gold is  
 found principally in the tributaries of the  
 "Chinavin, and is not dug, but simply  
 washed by the natives from the flowing  
 mountain streams. The quartz has not  
 been touched. As there is plenty of tim-  
 ber and water there is nothing in this  
 direction to stop the output. The trouble  
 is the lack of communication, as the rail-  
 way does not run within 300 miles, by  
 river, of the placer district. However,  
 the main valleys are being tapped by a  
 military cross railroad from India. The  
 climate in this section is not bad, though  
 fever is easily caught unless well fortified  
 with a couple of grains of quinine daily,  
 especially during the wet season, from  
 June to September inclusive. The Indian  
 river, where much of the gold comes from  
 is about 2,000 feet above sea level and is  
 1,900 miles north of the equator. Fur-  
 ther inland, toward the Himalayas there  
 are more placer streams and it is only a  
 matter of time before some enterprising  
 prospector, wandering further afield than  
 usual, will make a stake and the rush  
 will come.

**THE FEDERAL BUILDING.**

Negotiations Are Making Their Final  
 Steps—The Purchase Money Banked.  
 There has been some delay in the final  
 negotiations regarding the purchase  
 of the lots on the northwest corner of Co-  
 lumbia avenue and Lincoln street, where  
 it is intended to erect a federal building,  
 which will include a department for the  
 post office on the ground floor and accom-  
 modation for the inland revenue and cus-  
 toms branches of the Dominion fiscal sys-  
 tem above. In the first place, the vendor,  
 Mr. Bullen, was not willing to sell for  
 less than \$10,000, and the federal govern-  
 ment did not care to expend more than  
 \$12,000. The remaining amount, \$2,000,  
 was readily promised by some property  
 owners and others who would be affected  
 by the proposed erection, but then an-  
 other hitch arose. Mr. Bullen was in Eng-  
 land, and a power of attorney had to be  
 forwarded to his agent here, Mr. H. M.  
 Rumball. This property attested, was  
 finally done, and on the other part the  
 money was banked here on Thursday last  
 by John Dean. Nothing further remains  
 to be done towards completing the pur-  
 chase but the necessary examination of  
 title, which is stated to be fully clear by  
 the department of justice at Ottawa. This  
 is now being undertaken by its provincial  
 solicitors at the coast, Messrs. Howe and  
 Reed.

A sufficient appropriation not being in-  
 cluded in the estimates, petitions have  
 been sent to the Dominion government,  
 both by the Liberal association and by the  
 local board of trade to have a grant of  
 \$30,000 placed in the supplementary esti-  
 mates and also to have the \$4,000, which  
 has been contributed by the citizens of  
 Rossland toward the purchase of the site  
 refunded them.

As was recently published in the Miner  
 the Ottawa government has promised to  
 use their best despatch. Plans are now  
 being prepared by the Dominion archi-  
 tect and it is probable that the building  
 will have made sufficient progress to al-  
 low of the roof being slated before snow  
 falls.

**PLEASD WITH BRITISH COLUMBIA.**

Mr. T. E. Kenny, president, and Mr.  
 C. Pease, general manager of the Mer-  
 chants' Bank of Halifax, are here from  
 Halifax. They are making a tour of the  
 province, inspecting the several branches  
 of their bank. They have just returned  
 from a short visit to Havana, New Orleans  
 and the Pacific coast cities. They are  
 pleased with British Columbia, which is  
 evidenced by the large number of branches  
 which they have caused to be established  
 here.  
 Mr. W. L. Gilchrist left yesterday for  
 Victoria.

**THE STARS WON.**

They Defeated the Trail Juniors by 11 to  
 Seven.  
 The Rossland Stars played a match  
 game of baseball on the Trail grounds on  
 Sunday, which resulted in a victory for  
 the Rossland Stars. Score, 11 to seven.  
 Both teams put up a fine game, but Trail  
 was outplayed by the Rossland Stars,  
 which the score will show.  
 Next Sunday there will be a return game  
 between the same teams on the Rossland  
 grounds. There was a large delegation of  
 Rossland rooters to see the game. The  
 Trail boys are making a fine ground on  
 smelter flat, which will be shortly complet-  
 ed. Following is the line-up of both teams:  
 Stars.  
 O'Connell..... catcher ..... Nelson  
 Costello..... pitcher ..... Isby  
 Leighton..... 1st base ..... Worth  
 Harris..... 2nd base ..... Laney  
 Pownell..... 3rd base ..... Smoother  
 Tonkin..... short stop ..... Steele

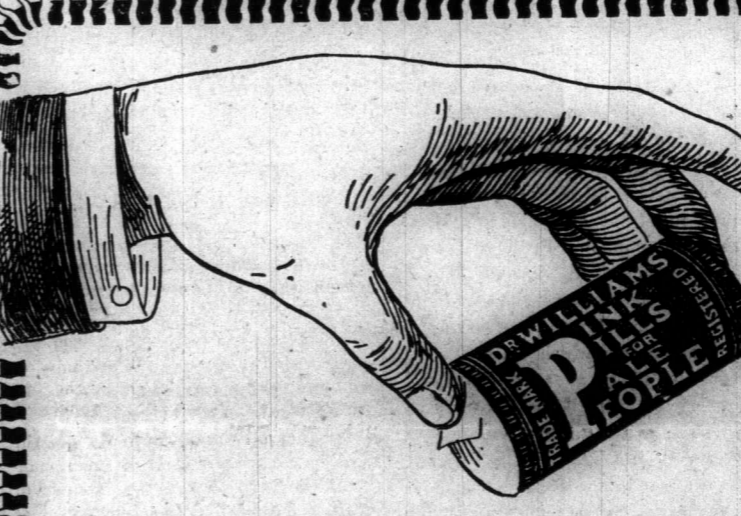
Clark..... left field ..... Shields  
 Egan..... right field ..... Lipsey  
 Guinon..... center field ..... Cunningham  
 Score by Innings.  
 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
 Rossland Stars..... 3 2 1 4 0 1 \*—11  
 Trail Juniors..... 2 1 0 1 0 3 —7

**A QUIET WEDDING.**

Mr. John McKenzie and Miss Ferrier  
 United in Marriage.  
 A pretty wedding took place last evening  
 at the house of Mr. Haskins of the  
 B. A. C., on Spokane street. Mr. John  
 McKenzie of this city, was united in mar-  
 riage with Miss Ella May, eldest daughter  
 of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ferrier, also of this  
 city. The ceremony was performed by  
 Rev. W. T. Stackhouse. The house was  
 very prettily decorated with evergreens  
 and flowers, and the marriage was wit-  
 nessed by a large company of the personal  
 friends of the bride and groom. Miss  
 Jenny Winton was bridesmaid, and Mr.

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Alex. Dunlop supported the groom. A  
 sumptuous repast was partaken of, after  
 which the guests retired to their homes,  
 wishing Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie a long  
 and happy life. The bride was the recip-  
 ient of many handsome presents.  
**CHANGE IN TIME TABLE.**  
 Spokane Train Will Not Arrive Here Till  
 5:20 P. M.  
 A new time schedule will go into effect  
 on the Great Northern and the O. R. & N.  
 at Spokane on April 23, and this involves  
 a change in the Red Mountain railway  
 time table. For instance, on the Spokane  
 Falls & Northern, No. 1 train will leave  
 Spokane at 10:25 a. m., instead of 8:15,  
 now in effect. There will be no change in  
 the time of the arrival or the departure  
 of the No. 2 train, which will leave Ros-  
 sand at 11:25 a. m., and arrive in Spo-  
 kane at 6:15, as at present. The new  
 schedule will put passengers into this city  
 from Spokane at 5:20 and into Nelson at  
 6:30 p. m.



**For Use Now**

The necessity for a Spring Medicine is recognized by most people. The reason is easily explainable. Close confinement in badly ventilated houses, shops and school rooms during the winter months makes people feel languid, depressed, easily tired and generally "out of sorts." Nature must be assisted in throwing off the poison that has accumulated in the system during the winter months, else people fall an easy prey to disease.

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**GREATLY RUN DOWN.**  
 Mr. E. Hutchings, a printer in the office of the News, St. Johns, Nfld., writes: "I am greatly indebted to you for the benefit I have derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was in a greatly run down condition, and suffered from pains in the back and stomach. My appetite was very fickle and often I had a loathing for food. I was subject to severe headaches, and the least exertion would leave me tired and breathless. I tried several medicines, but with no benefit—rather I was growing worse. Then I consulted a doctor, and was under his treatment for three months, but did not get any better. Having read much concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I finally decided to try them, and bought two boxes. Before these were all used I could see a marked improvement, and I purchased four boxes more. These completely restored my health, and I can now go about my work without an ache or pain of any kind. My recovery leaves no doubt as to the remarkable curative properties of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I may say their value has been further proved in the case of a friend to whom I recommended them."

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