THE VICTORIA TIMES, FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1897. 2 as the spokesmen of the nation, while as Beique again where he enjoyed said, afforded every opportunity to pro- be built through it. ROUTES TO the VICTORIA'S DUTY. moters and middlemen to mine in the also navigable. hospitality and the fine climate. pockets of the unfortunate investors in- was bad; the inlet was a matter of fact they represent nothing 'All who have given the subject any stead of underground. The floating of the most part of the year Britis THE YUKON LEGISLATIVE NOTES. but a small though noisy and pestilenwild-cats, in his opinion, would inevi- was no safe anchorage t attention are now agreed that' British tably bring about a reaction which winds swept continually tial element. In his veto message the Columbia is on the eve-of a great awak-Mr.F. S. Barnard is again the means ***** would do a great injury to the mining let. There were more President spoke of the Corliss amendening. The mineral resources of the of creating considerable excitement in ment in language very much like that interests of the country. province have attracted world-wide atthere, Mr. Gillis said. the legislature. It will be remembered used by Senator Palmer, language that that some four years ago Mr. Barnard, Capt. W. Moore and Mr. D. Gillis Talk Hon. Col. Baker wrote acknowledging bor on the Pacific coast At a mee tention, and a large influx of people from could hardly be improved on for severmonth when the river the receipt of the mining committee's Two Friends all quarters of the globe is expected to while lobbying for a water bill, used of Matters Pertaining to That and then only a small ity and vigor, though quiet and dignified. trict. a divid report. occur with the opening of spring, Consome very uncomplimentary language to-Mr. Bawden wrote from Montreal en-closing a resolution passed at the meet-ing of the inter-provincial mining insti-Country. declared, pays No person at whom the measure was servative estimates place the number. wards Mr. Kellie. The language was the first Slo aimed could ask that anything stronger likely to pour into the country before '97 quarters in V such that it would not stand publication, than Mr. Cleveland's words should be and the Hon. John Robson, who was then premier, was compelled for the sake Mr. Gillis Tells of the Rich Mines The resolution was as follows: "That June, and the post Teslin in time to meet has bidden us adieu at 100,000; at any vidend, and used: "The prohibition against the emturally highly rate the present population will be very this federated mining institute declares The only drawback ployment of aliens upon any public Found in the Canadian largely increased. This is cheering. of the dignity of the house to call upon that the amendment to the law relating the fact that it would Many Victorians, however, are prone to works of the United States is in line Mr. Barnard for an apology. When the lerritory. to the incorporation of mining compan- handling of goods, as it be pessimistic. They argue, indeed, that with other legislation of a like charactes throughout the Dominion of Canada sary to reship the The hilis bill to accelerate the incorporation of the population of the city may be cz- ter. It is quite a different thing, howdemands the early attention of the pro- ocean boat to the river be thorough! Rossland, Nelson and Grand Forks was 8 vincial legislators for the purpose of wards take them fro pected to fall off considerably because of ever, to declare it a crime for an alien Quesnelle being considered in committee a few days The Board of Trade Give .- Their securing as much uniformity as may be and load them on men. About the departure of many of our residents to come regularly and habitually into ago, Mr. Hume succeeded in securing practically attainable, and for obtain- Taku, he thought, was Cottonwood for the gold fields of the upper country, the United States for the purpose of ob-Consideration to the Coming increased protection of the rights of get into Teslin lake. Hay is rep the insertion of a clause by which the This will doubtless occur. On the other taining work from private parties. if panies Act. shareholders and for the promotion of rent in the Yukon con coten. Som respective towns would be given authorfinancial integrity and safety of mining cessary articles of foo hand are to be found those who secure such alien returns from time to time to a ity to take water from adjoining utilizing sage enterprises operated by joint stock com- Mr. Gillis. Bacon alive. R. H. Car comfort in the thought that the island foreign country, and to constitute any streams: Mr. Kellie, who remembered panies. 40c. per pound; flour and coast mines are "looking up;" and employment of such alien a criminal of-The Board of Trade held a meeting The board expressed itself in favor of from Barkerv pound sack, or \$16 per his very unpleasant interview with Mr. the colonization road between Uclulet is \$20 per 100 pounds this is expected to largely offset any loss fence. When we consider these proposiranging for p yesterday afternoon, the president, Mr. Barnard some four years ago, remarked the city may suffer in population by tions of the bill in connection with our something about the wheels of the gods D. R. Ker, being in the chair. and Clayoquot, and a petition for the lic elevators same. Corn meal is \$15 same will be forwarded to the provin- white sugar, 25c. a pour Cariboo Gold emigration to the Kootenay country. long northern frontier and the boundary The secretary read a letter from Hon, grinding slowly. Mr. Barnard is not the cial legislature. At Bonapa 20c. a pound: canned While we accept the theory that many, of several, of our states and territories, J. H. Turner acknowledging the receipt Mr. A. H. Scaife then asked that the pound: tea (of the cheart kind of monopolist, however, to give up of a letter requesting that the govern-Menzies, a name of the Board of Trade be changed, to \$1.50 per pound; coff. of our idle citizens-unfortunately we often but an imaginary line separating parte mines. without a struggle. Mr. Rogers has ment be petitioned to have a sum placed have many-will leave Victoria for the them from the British dominions, and as they were claiming to be something remains we pound. The flour was given notice that he will move to re- in the estimates for the purpose of makthat they were not. The president, Mr. mining districts on the Mainland in the recall the friendly intercourse between commit the bill for the purpose of insert- ing a trail from Hazleton to the Ominecacemetery on can flour, but two consig D. R. Ker, said he thought the general held in the early spring, and that the population of the people who are neighbors on either country. The letter stated that the matrived during last year fro opinion was in favor of the old name, ing a section which provides that before Dorrel offici ter had been laid over until the estimates lumbia. The miners of the and he did not think that it would be try, Mr. Gillis said, when the city will to that extent decrease, we side, the provisions of this bill affecting relatives or the said cities shall exercise the powers still hold to the belief that the outlook them must be regarded as illiberal, nar were considered. wise to change it. The matter was an ity. during the winter, came onferred on them by Mr. Hume's clause, A letter was received from H. Abbott, for the future of Victoria is of a de- row and un-American." Of course this old one and had been discussed at clothes and refitted the general superintendent of the Pacific length at previous meetings of the board. cidedly cheering character. To begin veto may not settle the matter; the old they "shall purchase the whole plant or on the Sound or in San F division of the C.P.R., denving the ru-A letter was received from Mr. Geo. buy a suit of clothes in the system of any existing persons or corwith, Victoria has advantages over every congress has hardly time enough to take mor which had been circulated flat it Hadwen, thanking the board on behalf Ore from porations now supplying water or light was the intention of that railway to other city in the province which are ust action, but the new one which comes in cost about \$150, while of the Cowichan Agricultural Associavalue of \$13 got here for say \$20. to the said cities, or any of them, or any change the time of arrival and departure to be spoken of lightly. Her natural to power to-morrow may be of like tion for their efforts to obtain terms for smelters. of the inhabitants thereof, in accordance of their trains from Vancouver. The he was one of a party that beauties are unexcelled by any city in mind. IIn the event of its passing the A good stri the settlers on the line of the E. & N. Francisco, and nearly ever matter had been discussed in Montreal. the world; her climate has made her bill, what may Mr. McKinley be expect-Railway: "I regret," the letter said, with the provisions of and upon the made on the about \$150 before they he but no change had been made nor was terms relating to purchase by municipali- any change contemplated. that you have not even met with com-J. Tinling. famous; the walks and drives around the ed to do? The answer is very much in two days. He thought I mon courtesy at their hands. This apoptions on se The reply to be sent to the Dominion make some effort to ge ties of the plant or system of such perenvirons are charming; facilities for doubt. pears only to emphasize the complete in-Lemon Creek minister of trade and commerce regardbenefit of which the sons or corporations, as set forth in any boating are unsurpassed anywhere on difference with which the Messrs. Duns-The Vanco ing the extension of trade was drafted. The general opinion of the board was KOOTENAY LAND DISPUTES. now deriving. Last sur special act or acts authorizing any such muir appear to view the claims of the pany, Ltd., the continent-in short, Victoria is the Alice made two trips fr persons or corporations to supply such that a very good step in extending Canpublic. ver No. 2 f 13971 Capt. Wm. Moore, the Yukon mail with supplies. The first most attractive spot on the Pacific coast Kootenay is going to have at least as erations sho water or light to such cities or the in- adian trade would be the appointment worth of San Francisco, and even compar- many disputes about land titles as it up 500 tons; and the carrier, and Mr. D. Gillis, a Yukon min-E. J. Field habitants thereof, or in the event of no of agents in foreign countries and the tons. That was, howe ed with the cities south of that point it will have of paying mines. Part of the ing man who is in the city, were then Alexander H other British colonies. The reports of sumed and there was a is questionable if she would be allotted Rossland townsite is involved in one such provision being contained in such introduced to the members of the board Maud E a the British consuls and vice-consuls the winter. A greater a secondary position. Why, then, should of these, and what with claimants anand gave some valuable information on above the W special act, then at a figure to be deter-" throughout the world would also be of that country generally and the best goods will be seen in the T. D. Wo mined by arbitration, in accordance within great benefit in this direction. Several means of getting provisions there. Cant, of goods is necessary for Victorians be in doubt as to the future der various pretences of right the muddle the provisions of the 'Arbitration Act, other suggestions and amendments to 1803'. Provided however in arriving at the letter were made and the president E. Rafuse Moore said he was only at Clondvke five year, which means about regarding their fair city? Let our citi. of titles is terrible. Sandon has been Vancouver. 1893': Provided, however, in arriving at and secretary were ordered to complete days, and while there he staked out a year is needed. The l zens but rouse themselves to a sense of placed in a similar position by a recent assay of thi mining claim. There were lots of Can- Gillis said, are in the the importance of the manifold attrac- judicial decision rendered by Judge Forthe amount of compensation to be paid it and forward it to Ottawa. George Lo adian goods going into Circle City, In Sep- | tory. At Bonanza Gree to such persons or corporations, the ar- | A letter was then read in reply to enbought a hal tions which this city possesses over all in. Brandon and Slocan City, the twin tember he met fhe steamer Bella at Fort all placer, are staked out. and two-this others that can possibly compete with towns at the foot of Slocan Lake, are bitrators shall in no wise take into con- quiries made as to the trade between Yukon with two barges in tow, carrying depth of five feet of grav for \$5,000. Puget Sound ports and Mexico, Central sideration the value of the rights, and Southern America, from J. B. Alexrock, which runs from a her in that direction and they will fe a said to be threatened with a like inflicabout 800 tons of freight. Captain in the Surp tion. The Rossland Miner gives this ex-Moore favored the White Pass as the to eighteen inches Th powers or privileges of the company." ander. British vice-consul at Tacoma, C. L. Caldy less pessimistic regarding her future. But planation of the trouble and its remedy: composed and can be very best route to the Yukon country. The bonate, situat -and here is the pivotal point in our showing that the Norwegian steamer Big wages are being mad city's career-Victorians must rouse in Kootenay are pretty badly mixed. question was brought up by one of the Now as Mr. Barnard's company is at 'Transit had made four trips, taking Creek. This members that it was in United States great deal of work is d J. A. Finch. present endeavoring to furnish the town freight to the value of \$70,824, and the themselves; they must recognize that This is owing almost, if not altogether, winter, when they melt of Nelson with water, the amendment British ship Amarapoora one trip, when territory. Cantain Moore said that the discovery of from under the frozen while their city occupies an enviable to the government's action in depraving only available way to get into the coun. perties. A rich strik has probably been introduced for his British consul at San Francisco, J. B. it up on the surface up try was through United States terriand unique position in the possession of the miner of the surface rights of his when it is washed. At so many natural beauties and advan- mineral claim. Inis system has now been in force for about four years, and The Stickeen route Captain tory. the Edmonto special benefit. Color is lent to this Warburton, wrote in reply to the inquir-Moore did not think to be a good one: creek there are several large body of tages, there yet remains much for the already we have seen enough of its fruits statement by the fact that vesterday iss made to ascertain if there was a poswhere sluice boxes are each member of the house was furnished sibility of an opening for a line of steamit was only navigable three months durupon which people to do to secure for her that to be heartily sick of it. Wherever in the claims are very ri ing the year, and when it was it was some time ers to run in competition with the Pawith a type-written document over the cific Mail Steamship Company between recognition of her claims to which she is Kootenay a town has sprung up since by a man named Rhodes the worst navigable water in Canada. native silver. Seven months out of the year it was to \$25 to the pan of grave the mineral act was amended in this re-Wm. Kerr. signature of Mr. Barnard, in which he British Columbia and Panama, touchiu; unquestionably entitled. What is to be frozen stiff, and the remaining two est bit of gravel found th spect we have squatters' difficulties, done? This: Make Victoria the most endless litigation and a condition of was found on advanced arguments why Nelson should at San Francisco. He thought there months it was too shallow. No boat to the pan. This count be forced to buy his waterworks. It was a possibility of such a line being opposite Silv desirable place on the coast to live in; things generally which discourages incompletely over about ter carrying more than 90 tons could go up frozen and i make her something more than a desir- vestment and retards the growth of the none of it was taken up, will be interesting to note whow many W. H. Langley wrote asking that the the Stickeen. Taku river, too, was only from starvat members will champion the cause of a Board of Trade take up and consider, navigable one month during the year; all pected it judging from the monopolist against the mitchests of a the companies act now before the procountry. hospital, wh able place to visit. How can it be done? having one month during the year, at the rock that it was no good travel by way of the Taku was practic the rock that it was no good to be way of the White Date the didd Mr. Gillis smiled s able place to visit. The treat of the business of a log. While it is true that most of the viled for vincial legislature and take such action cally land travel. The White Pass the the hospital as will perfect the bill. The following captain held to be the best route. By growing city. I mistaken. The outlook for to amputate 12. portion of the city; complete the sewers; land in Kootenay, or at least southeast way of this route a pack train could be is a very bright one. order to sat committee were appointed to consider Twenty-one private bills is a fairly the matter: Messrs. W. H. Langley, L. taken along at any time if three or four The board, after th secure a sufficient supply of good water; Kootenay, is granted to or reserved for was perform Eight of these

clean up Chinatown-that eyesore; bean- which is vacant crown land. Probably tify the park. No doubt other matters little can be done to better define the rerequire attention, but those we have spective rights of the owners of granted montioned are to our mind the most immentioned are to our mind the most im- lands and the owners of mineral claims on such lands, but so far as the grown portant. But, we hear timid ones say, lands are concerned all that has to be all this costs money. True; but who is done to prevent any more disputes is to be money well spent, providing the need- rights to his mineral claim as the proed improvements were secured? The acquires. gentlemen who are in charge of the civic "There is no sense in having two conaffairs of the city this year have, we flicting titles to every valuable piece of lar legislation. affairs of the city this year have, we are happy to say, given evidence of their ground in West Kootenay. The system has proved a failure, as every miner in Kootenay knew it would, and the sooner in a business-like manner, and we be a return is had to the old system of lieve the majority of our citizens recoge titles the better. If the government is that the province has entered upon a should establish a mining inspection handled from the mouth of the river is sufficient quantities to keep the men live them their support in their efforts to we believe their confidence will not be

misplaced. "There is a tide in the affairs of men, which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune; omitted, brings disaster." Is not fact it seems to have benefited only land. disaster which is suggested by the im- will this province be content to be ruled company. mortal bard in the lines above quoted? by a set of pettifogging politicians? No, let us stand together for the good of Victoria; let us make her a modern city; let us be ready to receive and hold United States it is a frequent complaint should have some right to interfere with as residents the many who will visit as that government and bank paper cur- the management of municipal analythis season. And when the approach of rency is issued and reissued until it gets general spoke strongly in favor of the winter shall drive the miner from off the into an unsanitary condition and becomes insertion of a new clause in the town camps ceases for a season, and the season of delvers in mother earth with note, and though its mater he manale is mother by manale in the season of delvers in mother earth with note. their store of glittering, yellow gold are carried from one counter to another both sides of the house, and the vote refor a brief respite let us say to them: Here in Victoria is to be found your haven; here you can live decently, com-· fortably and happily. Speaking of the return of Mr. F. L.

THE BILL VETOED.

President Cleveland's action in vetoing the immigration bill passed by congress, with its famous Corliss amendment makes a worthy closing to his admirable presidential career. As in many other instances, 'Mr. Cleveland has not hesi tated to do what he saw to be his duty, Vancouver and the pleasant companionthough a weaker man might have ex-. cused himself on the ground that the ship of the American and the other Nelson expected every member to do will of the people is supposed to be re- British Counsel. He found the climate his duty. presented by congress. It would be a of British Columbia very much to his libel on the people of the United States taste. It was like the month of May, to admit that they, any large body of he said, during the three months over them, are in favor of this precious piece which his visit, extended." For a paper of legislation. Their misfortune is that with such lofty pretensions the Star day was Mr. Hume. The people of Neltheir political conditions very often al. contrives to make a wonderful display son should give him a public reception

ood record for one day. were water bills.

there who will declare that it would no: give to the mine-owner the same surface that if they took the high ground that "We the the Corliss bill was a piece of narrow- on a circular from the B. C. Board of those people would be to British Columemptor or purchaser of agricultural lands

minded legislation, it would be incon- Trade beg to submit the following: sistent to advocate the adoption of simi-

The majority of the members of the scale of tee would suggest:

nize that fact. Let the people then give afraid the miner will get too much for new era and that it is no longer good bureau, locating an inspector in each dis-bis money by accurate the the second distribution of the money by accurate the second distribution of the second distribution distress distribution of the second distress distribution his money, by acquiring what may be a policy to attempt to throttle a growing trict, whose duty would be to examine ing in the Yukon supplied. Owing t them then there support in their closes to work done, width of vein, location the inserted in the act requiring ulators. Consequently Mr. Rogers' and and prospects, furnishing provincial as to work done, width of vein, location until July. Before that month no contained in the act requiring ulators. Consequently Mr. Rogers' and and prospects, furnishing provincial as any office with a sample of the ore. Such the notion could be made with the ocean boats. And a boat could only run from boats. And a boat could only run from the not could be made with the ocean boats. And a boat could only run from the not could be made with the ocean boats. And a boat could only run from boats. portant needed public improvements, and he should plant it into blocks and lots." compelled the town of Nelson to pur-If the tinkering with the mining law chase almost useless waterworks at an printed annually or semi-annually which took away surface rights from exorbitant figure, found but few sup- pamphlet form and kept for sale at all year run short of provisions. The dig-

miners had resulted in furthering the porters in the house. Even the premier recording offices. public interest there would have been was forced to admit that it would be the tide favorable new? And shali we grabbing government favorites, who also of the house will be satisfactory to Barnard and his ready had. "pull" enough. How long everyone excepting Mr. Barnard and his expenses of the bureau,

Members of the government are not Says the Globe: "In Canada as in the yet divorced from the idea that they

should have some right to interfere with genuine, as the government would pa-the management of municipal affairs. turally refuse incorporation to a com-Vesterday the premium and attorney. pany on claims that had not passed the necessary inspection. snow-clad hills; when work in all the a medium for carrying disease germs. and cities bill, by which those towns circular under consideration would, in swarm of delvers in mother earth with note, and though its notes be merely endment was orposed by members on benefiting in the profits of legitimate they are invariably destroyed. Though corded against it ought to have convinced mining. In many cases men of limited means band themselves together and pay such waste is unnecessary, better judg- the members or the government in a certain such and seek incorporation in order that afment might be shown regarding the re- cipalities to attend to their own affairs ter having expended their own money issue of torn and dirty paper currency." without any interference. they may be in an immediate position to

seek outside assistance if it is found Mr. Helmcken was anxious that the necessary; without the loss occasioned by Beique, Q.C., from his attendance on ladies of Rossland, Nelson and Grand their having to close down all work and the Behring Sea Commission the Mont Forks should have the privilege of exer- wait for the issuing of their patent. the Behring Sea Commission, the Mont-real Star remarks that. "the work in Tatal error of adding that only property Were the proposed fee imposed on such a company it would be a heavy drain Vancouver was limited to the taking of owners, male or female, should be alon their limited capital and would ro evidence." This is news. Further on lowed to vote. The house would prob-the Star says: "Mr Balance is the lowed to vote. The house would prob-ably have favored female suffrage, but far towards marring their chances the Star says: "Mr. Beique is very high- ably nave ravored tenare with the proving their property sufficiently place it before the general public. ly pleased with his trip. He speaks high- franchisement of all save property hold-"Recommendation 8. Your commitly of the hospitality of the people of ers, Mr. Helmcken's amendment met tee agree with the spirit of the clause, with little favor.

but would suggest that not less than 29 per cent. of the treasury stock be sold before any other shares are issued. "All of which is respectfully submit

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Nelson can now have water free from "(Signed) F. B. Wells, F. W. Lainz, contamination. 'Twas a famous victory. H. A. Brown, committee; Chas. Carlyon.

The happiest man in the house yester-"Revelstoke, B. C., Feb. 4, 1897." Leshe Hill, of Rossland, wrote acknowledging the receipt of a report of the mining committee. The present low a few blatant demagogues to pose of ignorance. It should ask Mr. light in their interests. the mining committee. The present system of floating mining companies, he

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Crease and B. W. Pearse men were kept ahead with axes blazing A letter was received from the Revel- a trail. He had always been in favo stoke Board of Trade stating that the of this route and advised the board not The legislature was wise in refusing to special committee on mining appointed to consider the Stickeen route at all by them had fully considered the recom- Without a railway that route consider the very small legislation of a mendations of the Victoria Board of never be of any use. Captain Moore very small people. Mr. Sword put the Trade in bringing in their report, a copy thought that it would not be long until matter in a nutshell when he stated of which was enclosed. The report was there were 50,000 to 60,000 people in the Yukon country, and he urged the "We the committee appointed to report board to consider what the trade of

bia and to Canada. There were rapids "Recommendations 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 on the White Pass route, but that diffiyour committee are in full accord with. culty could be overcome by building "Recommendation 2. In lieu of the steam tramway for four or five miles. scale of fees recommended your commit-Mr. Gillis said he had been three year

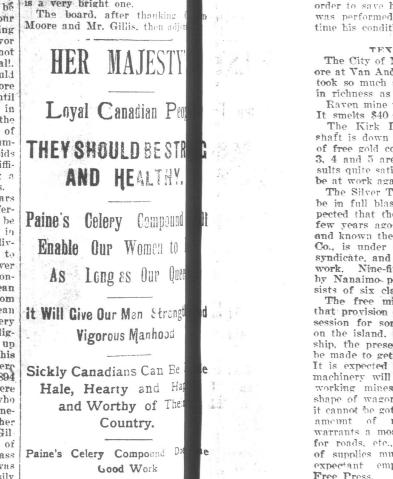
"We would further suggest that

in the Yukon country. Unless differgovernment ently managed, goods could not be in only two trips. The residents every

gings at Circle City are all showing up The number of whites, in his a, well stamp duty should be charged on all opinion, in the Canadian territory, were wrong to force the municipality to buy stock certificates issued. Our opinion is from 600 to 800. In the Yukon in 1894 wrong to force the intermediate stock certaincates issued. Our openative there were 300 people, and now there waterworks that were unequal to the that the sale of such pamphlets and the there were 300 people, and now there were requirements of the town. The decision stamp duty would more than defray the are 1,500. One-third of the people who go there never go into the interior; one "Remarks-Such a procedure would in third go in and do not stay; the othe our opinion effectually prevent wild-est- third remains in the country. Mr. Gil ting. Any company incorporated after lis did not think the route by way of such report were made would bear the Chilkoot Pass a good one. White Pass provincial government stamp of being was a feasible way. The country was not rough, and a railway could easily

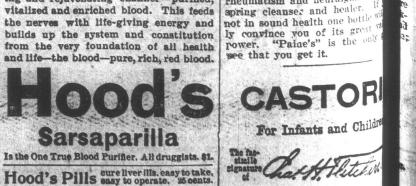


Induced by the use of coca, opiate or narcotic compounds is bad, decidedly bad. They undermine health and shatter the constitution and the patient is steadily growing into a worse condition-often resulting in the terrible slavery and misery of the cocaine and opium habit. Sleep induced by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla does not perhaps come as quickly, but it comes more surely and more permanently through nature's great restoring and rejuvenating channel-purified, vitalized and enriched blood. This feeds the nerves with life-giving energy and not in sound health one be builds up the system and constitution | ly convince you of its g from the very foundation of all health and life-the blood-pure, rich, red blood.



Our splendid variety of mate is unsurpassed in the men and women should mples of health, vigor Unfortunately, we have ness and disease in our the fault of the people, they inhabit. To those who are sick

would say, try what w Celery Compound can do marvellous health-giving make us a nation of strong people in a very short time Paine's Celery Com banishes nervousness, de liver and kidney troubles rheumatism and neuralgi: spring cleanse: and healer rower. "Paine's" is the see that you get it.



mineral claim, to C. D. Por claim is a gold last July and perty. The owners mines. which Star mountain, perty. Ther a and have a thr which can be red feet. From private E. Venosta, of Co., has comple ments for the perties in this d The North S all their sacked for shipment. We learn that prove the lower ternational boy they do a large shipped this yes six months of Gold mining i ing ground ev being constantly placer properties On Wild Horse pany will employ Their new hydre dition and as so

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William Hau