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GOLD IN A WASHTUB.

Rat Portage Sampling Works. Rat Portage Record.

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Imports and exported and exported and exported and the revenue collected at the port 1896: Imports—Dutiable goods, \$30,262; free goods, \$43,317; total imports, \$134-695; duty collected, \$24,422.93; other revenues, \$12.55; total.-revenue, \$25,455.88. Exports—The mine—Ore, 531 tons, \$155,204; matte, \$102,325; total—the mine, \$107,516 gt. The collections at the various outports were as follows, viz:

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Rat Portage Record.

The building heretofore used as a stam laundry, and owned by Mr. C. W. Chadwick, has been leased for an ore sampling works by Dr. Jas. A. Ogden of Philadelpina. He has been added to the Mikado and Cornucopia list, known as the Queen. This property was taken up only a couple of months ago by some Toronto in negotiation for a lease of the building for some time, and has finally completed arrangements for equipping it with suitable machinery for sampling and testing all kinds of ores. He is a thorough analytical chemist and assayer, and his assays and tests will be a thorough and of the most reliable machinery for sampling and testing all kinds of ores. He is capable of determining not only how much gold or silver there may be to the ton, but can ascertain all the minerals that are in the ore if required. The establishment of such an institution at present is timely, and will be of great value in the development of our gold fields.

Mr. Jos. Williams, the gentleman who visible means of support, as it is

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same depth. This cross-cutting proves the existence on the Jumbo reef between the said drift and the surface of 40,000 tons of solid ore:

According to Engineer Chewett's report, the ore on this vein assays \$11 to the ton, and this would go to show that there is already in sight in it alone ore worth nearly half a million dollars. The vein is 700 feet long so far as traced, and from 5 to 6 feet wide. This great body of ore, Mr. Foley says, would pay a profit if it assayed only \$3 a ton, for it can be mined at a cost of \$1.50 a ton.

There are on the property four other untouched veins of a similar character, besides those already partly developed.

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FOLLOWING ASSAYS WERE TAKEN: 58 per cent.

At the very highest calculation does not exceed \$32 per ton, and in a few months' time this will be materially reduced; while the very lowest calculation of the lowest assay made, 73 ounces silver and 65 per cent, lead, gives a value of \$65, or a profit of \$35 per ton, while some ore will give a profit of \$100 per ton.

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hence they did not receive a cent in cash, but took stock for their property. All the owners' stock is held back by them for at least 12 months, and not a share is on the market. They placed 250,000 shares in the treasury for development purposes only, a portion of which is now being offered to the public.

There is no better investment in Slocan at the price than the "Gibson," It has all the ear marks of a great mine.

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Capital Stock \$650,000. Stock Fully Paid and Non-Assess-able, of Which 250,000 are in the Treasury.

Slocan Mining District.

has been almost forgotten, certainly to a large extent overlooked. But, now that the future of the Trail Creek District is no longer in doubt, and that the Rossland mines have established a name for themselves, that, to all appearances, may never be discarded, the Slocan is gradually yet surely asserting itself; and rightly so, for there is no mining district in the world that can be said to be richer than the Slocan.

Slocan.

The fact that there are something like
THIRTY-FIVE SHIPPING MINES in the district is enough to establish its reputation for richness and permanency. The only reason that the Slocan has not caused as great an excitement as Trail is that

TRAIL IS GOLD, SLOCAN IS SILVER.

and the investing public have yet to learn that wherever you find a sliver mine that will pay dividends, there you have a gold mine.

THE GREATES! DIVID ND PAYING MINE
In British Columbia is in Slocan, and is a Sliver Mine.

The ore is a Silver Lead. There are three strong parallel leads traversing both claims, from which the

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The following Smelter Returns from Surface Ore were received: Lead. 65 per cent; Silver, 73 oz.

Several open cuts have been made on the surface, and a cross-cut tunnel is being run to tap all three leads. The first is tapped at a depth of 35 feet; the second will be tapped at 50 feet and the third at 150 feet. The length of this tunnel will be 250 feet. A second tunnel has been run on No, 3 lead at a depth of 80 feet, and is in 4 feet 6 inches of ledge matter.

Machinery will be placed upon the mine at an early date, and this issue of stock is being sold largely for that purpose.

be assured that mining men have a good opinion of the mine. ALL mining men are agreed that three of the best properties in Rossland are: THE ROSSLAND HOMESTAKE 176.

DEVELOPMENT COMPANY

The Alf Gold Mine was located April 17, 1895, recorded May 1, 1895, and has since been purchased by the Alf Gold Mining Company (I imited Liability). It has been surveyed—and is fully paid for. See Sovernment Records at Rossland, B.C.

The Company intend to send out their own prospectors next spring procure several other rich claims, in which all shareholders of the If Company will share alike.

PRICE OF SHARES 122 CENTS. COULTHARD & CO., Mining Brokers, 28 Victoria Street, Tolephone 640.

LIMITED LIABILITY Capital \$240,000, in 800,000 Shares of 30 Cents Each.

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MINE.

Situated on Springer Creek, Slocan Division, Kootenay District.

VALUE OF ORE.

Smelter returns are 248 to 879 ounces silver and 40 to 50 per cent. lead, or \$154 to \$237 per ton, after deducting smelter charges and freight.
600 tons of this ore, in one house and blocked out, will be shipped this winter making big dividends a fertainty within a few months.
Only a limited number of shares will be sold at par in Toronto.
Prospectus and form of application for shares will be furnished by

TRAIL CREEK MINING STOCKS MINING STOCKS

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The Kootenay Exploration

Company, Limited

Will advance the price of their shares to 15 cents on January 11th, 1897, and a further advance to 20 cents will be made on January 31st.

This step is not only warranted by the intrinsic value of the properties under the control of this Company-WHICH ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT GROUP YET OFFERED UNDER ONE MANAGEMENT IN THE DOMINION—but also from the fact that we have just made arrangements for the placing of 500,000 shares of our treasury stock on the London, England, market. This has been done with a friend of Barney Barnato's and one of the great English promoters who has successfully floated many large concerns.

This insures us a good market and a much better price than we could secure here, as none of the shares will be offered there at less than four shillings per share.

THESE WILL BE THE FIRST FULL-PAID SHARES EVER OFFERED IN ENGLAND AT LESS THAN PAR, and the successful placing of this means more for British Columbia than any other event since gold was discovered, as a market for all other companies that must have means to properly develop their properties will be opened up.

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Correspondence invited.