

MINING STATISTICS

From the Annual Report of the Minister of Mines.

PROVINCIAL MINERAL OUTPUT

General Improvement all Over British Columbia With the Exception of Slocan—Record Making in the Output of Gold Lode Mining and in the Coal Tonnage.

The report of the minister of mines on the resources of British Columbia forms an interesting reading. There is a magic about the figures which compels attention.

Beginning with the mineral production during the past decade, it is shown to have risen from \$2,608,803 in 1890, to \$12,383,131 in 1899. This is a vast increase and plainly points out the way in which the country is being developed.

Coming to the production of metals alone by the various districts, Trail Creek is easily first, with a production of \$3,229,086. The Slocan is next, despite the serious crisis in its mining affairs last year, which reduced the value of its output by an amount which is estimated at nearly one million dollars.

Resolved, That this union asks such all business and professional men to abstain from such practices, believing that there are a sufficient number of offices and printers in the city to supply all demands, and that the prices are not such as to warrant such action on the part of those having work in our line to do.

Resolved, That the co-operation of all unions of the city is respectfully asked to the end that all work of that nature may remain in the city.

Placer mining took a sudden jump last year in the province to \$1,344,000. The next previous occasion on which the million-dollar mark was passed was in 1881. From 1859 to 1881 the placer output never fell below \$1,000,000, and in 1883 was as high as \$3,913,563.

Placer mining owes its increase to the Atlin district, which, for the first time, enters the list as a serious producer, and which yielded upwards of \$800,000.

Lode mining for gold has an increase of \$656,356 over last year, having to its credit a total output of \$2,857,573.

The increase is chiefly due to the greatly increased tonnage of the Roseland camp and the operations of the Ymir mine in the Nelson mining division.

Silver lead is the one branch of the mining industry which shows a material decrease attributed by the report to the shut down in the principal producing mines for half of the year.

The Roseland club is to play the Boston Bloomers.

Speaking generally of the production of the province, the report says that while actual production must be the ultimate measure of the value of a mine or mineral district, still with a province such as ours, only beginning to be developed, where lode mining has been prosecuted for practically less than ten years, and where railways are only commencing to give transportation facilities necessary for the mining of all except unusually high grade ores, it is not to be expected that production alone will yet give the full measure of our progress in mining.

During the past year a readjustment of the boundaries of the mining divisions of the province was made, and was done on the principle of defining these boundaries by the natural features of the country rather than by straight lines on a map of a country which remains today unsurveyed to any great extent.

MISS DUNSTAN'S RECITAL

A Performance Given Which Greatly Pleased the Audience.

Those who remained away from the recital given by Miss Pauline Dunstan at the Methodist church Thursday missed a treat.

Mr. R. Machin, representative of Wm. Bennett, Sons & Co., fuse manufacturers of Camborne, Cornwall, Eng., is in the city from his headquarters in Victoria.

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BUILDING NOTES.

Many Buildings Are Going up All Over the City—Real Estate Improving.

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Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 10 o'clock p. m., or on arrival of C. P. R. No. train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE. Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's and Lulu Island—Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster to Victoria Monday at 12:05 o'clock; Thursdays and Saturdays at 10 o'clock. For Plumper Pass—Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday 7 o'clock. NORTHERN ROUTE. Steamships of this company will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock.

And for Skidegate on 1st of each month. BARCLAY SOUTH ROUTE. Steamer Teas leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports the 1st, 10th and 20th of each month.

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Night Train. 9:45 p. m. Spokane.....7:05 a. m. 11:00 p. m. Roseland 6:30 a. m.

H. A. JACKSON, General Passenger Agent, E. W. RUFF, Agent, Roseland, B. C.

THE FINAL COUNT.

Result of the Retiring Officers' Scrutiny of the Ballot Papers.

The final count of the ballots deposited by the electors of this constituency in the recent election was completed yesterday by the returning officer, Mr. Thomas Parker. The result has not been altered, Mr. Smith Curtis' majority being 36. The count is as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Curia, Mackintosh, Spoiled, Tenders, Total. Includes candidates like Midway, Phoenix, Ehalt, Cascade, Grand Forks, Trail, Roseland, and various numbers.

1,823 1,287 18 2,631

WANT MCINNES REMOVED.

Roseland Board of Trade Opposed to Lieutenant Governor.

The boards of trade in British Columbia a telegram was sent Saturday to all in the following terms: "Will you join the Roseland board of trade in sending a strong protest to the Dominion government against the further retention in office of Lieutenant-Governor McIn