ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1897. both, but we feel that it is the They apparently fail to grasp the idea of debentures issued under bylaws 18 IT'S A NEW E same man and the same woman that the erection of ore reduction and 19, though due in 10 years, wait who have settled in Kootenay as works on a proper basis in Koot- for 20 years before being paid? President, C. C. Woodhouse, Jr., M. E., are to be found in other parts of enay means lower rates for treat-Hon. Geo. E. Foster, M.P., Rossland, B. C. Ex-Minister of Finance. A Description of th the world, and that they will in the due ment of Kootenay ores than ever Ottawa, Ont. course of time evolve as high an order of known before anywhere. It seems be- sible purchaser would be the purchasers civilization as can be found elsewhere. youd their comprehension that under of the debentures issued under bylaw 15, - Edward C. Finch, General Manager We want more women like the such conditions and with perfected and at their own price. Thus would the Box 78, Rossland, B. C. kind, good sisters at the hospital, who transportation facilities, the cost of Trusts and Guarantee company, of may be found wherever there is sickness hauling ores from the mines to the Toronto, have a perfect "cinch" on the or suffering, and who carry with them smelters would be reduced to a mini- city. We cannot afford to vote the \$15,000 everywhere they go the spirit of the mum; that the mines of the Slocan, until the second \$50,000 bylaw is teachings of the Gentle Nazarene, and which at present are compelled to ship Treasury \$350,000. Capital, \$1,250,000. quashed the principles which he gave utterance to American smelters more than 2,000 miles away, would save the ruinous THE DUBBANT CASE. Incorporated Under Laws of British Columbia. to in the Sermon on the Mount. Head We think, too, that the Kootenay freight charges and the 11/2 cent per Theodore Durrant, the San Francisco Office, 14 Columbia Avenue, Rossland, B. C. country can get along very well without pound United States import duty; that the £50 reform fund that is being col- the low grade ores of Rossland and murderer, is to be executed Friday next lected in Scotland under what, if we Boundary would then be eagerly sought -that is, if the sentence of Judge OWNERS OF were inclined to be severe, might be for their admirable fluxing qualities; Bahrs, which was pronounced yestercalled the false pretences of the Rev. that the large custom smelters in the day, is carried out. This Durrant is the The Silver Queen Mine United States, thus deprived of Slocan degenerated monster who lured Blanche ores, would be seriously crippled; that Lamont and Minnie Williams, young Dr. Robertson. That famous gold-silver property on Cariboo creek. Eight the product of the mines of the Western and innocent girls, into a Baptist church claims, including 260 acres of ground and covering the main lead THE IMPERIAL SPIRIT. States would seek a market here, as in San Francisco and, after making for a distance of about 6,000 feet, are comprised in this property. In connection with the increase in the Kootenay mines have had to seek a criminal assaults, killed them. This All of this ground has been surveyed and a strength of the British army, the de- market in the United. States; that re- was over two years ago, and though the fence of the colonies of Great Britain is fineries would be established, and that death sentence was pronounced on the Crown Grant Earned and Applied For. receiving unusual attention. The Home the product of the refineries would doubly guilty brute more than eight-This season's work of development on the Silver Queen has government has just dispatched a former necessitate the establishment of many een months ago, he still lives, a moument to the inefficiency of the mabrought most satisfactory results, exposing values under-secretary of state for war, Sir manufacturing enterprises. Ralph Wood Thompson, to Australia, The Coast newspapers steal their chinery of the courts of California to Great Beyond Even the Wonderful Promise of Its with instructions to report to the War Office upon the condition of the defences press, and invariably get it-horribly murderers. The conduct of Durrant Earlier Days. Our engineer has always said, and today affirms with greater

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Shipments of Ore.

From January 1 to November 6, inclusive, the hipments of ore from mines at Rossland to melters were as follows: Le Roi. . X. L .....

of the Australian colonies, to urge an mixed, owing to the fact that they do during the long trial and since that time increase in the colonial forces and to not know enough about mining to be has been cold-blooded and emotionless. submit proposals for arming the local able to distinguish between a sump In addition to being cool and troops and exchanging regiments from hole and a rawhide trail.

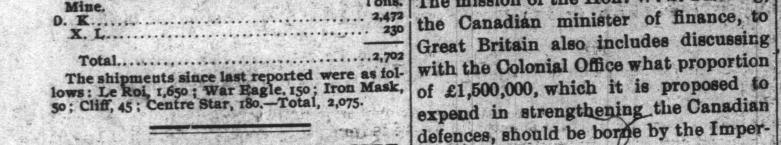
From January 14 to June 19, inclusive, the Australia with those of the Mother land. These weakly journals are little better crite of the most sniveling kind, The mission of the Hon. W. S. Fielding, than useless in building up a country. and has constantly talked of "re-

calculating, he is withal a hypo-

CLIMATE ANI Placer Mining Was Thirty Years Ago Creek-A Descript Mining Camps and GREENWOOD, NOV. Now that the engin

field making a topogr the route to be taken & Western railway fr river to Penticton thr ant mining district kn Creek, it would appea time to direct public the widely-read colum to the variety and ext resources of this distr is anticipated, soon l nection with the Koot ever, with the intentio technical detail, will t be entered upon, for to do more in this dire casionally quote briefly of some professional dealing with one part is indeed a big subject be the aim of the write in non-professional ten of the information he gather in the course Boundary Oreek min during frequent conver owners, prospectors an a greater or lesser degr by personal experience to speak of the minera ications of permanen ters bearing npon the and its developments i enormous possibilitie formation to be of mu ence purposes should liable and opinions di tive, the writer will steadily in view the ored statements or an boom tendency must e harm than good and w With this explanatory the expression of an the series of contribution Boundary creek now the enterprise of the p MINER, will prove bot useful. Attention will a general outline of ith characteristics, leaving of individual mining ca ies for later notice. Conformation a Boundary Creek dis important section of th tion of the Kettle river It embraces a number situate to the east and creek which, flowing in rection, enters Kettle The district is general though few of its mour eet in height. Most of ccessible to their su overed with forest slopes generally afford valleys and some of dapted for agricultura very little of the land tivated. The snow ground during three the year, and the wint summers, are usually records, from data obt shows the mean temp been last year 42.8 degi fall for the same period Geology an The geological feature ore described by S. S. M., of Nelson, as being teresting." In the re vincial minister of m pages 580-1, may be for mary of the geology of contributed by Mr. Fow ing reference to the ge the district was made M. A., and J. C. H pamphlet compiled l tribution at the recent kane: "Altered sedime amorphic rocks, occurri ous eruptive 'porphyrie flank the basal granit the upper portion of ores of the district conveniently divided II, heavy sulphide or trating quartz ores; ores; V. high grade sh Early Hist It is hardly possible authentic history of min in this district. Accounts but there appears to h placer mining was such on nearly 30 years ago creek, the workings exte two up from its junct river. It seems, though till about 1884 that the I was staked. This w Boundary Falls. Other afterwards made in what as Smith's camp. Co tracted the notice of pi in 1886, these men hav Rock creek and what i Camp McKinney, and t mountains lying nort places. As the years became numerous and an increasingly wide tent attempts were may of the claims, but unde culties little effective of practicable in such an So prospectors did little sessment work, holding claims, in the hope t would eventually be ope and railways. Slowly into notice, until three it attracted the attentio prising Americans, who its prospective value wa some of the best of the In one or two instant ore were made by the n notwithstanding that hauling to Marcus, whi accessible railway poin ton, they realized a prof ture. Since that time of purchased by numbers majority being America dent at Spokane or eastern Canadian and

cates and companies



aries to Western Canada.

#### A NARROW-MINDED PHARISEE. ial government.

The British attitude towards the At a meeting of the Free Church Presbytery, held recently at Crieff, colonies, even in the fevor of the new Scotland, a letter was read from Rev. imperialism, conveys the idea of politi-Dr. Robertson regarding the morals of cal ownership rather than the sense of British Columbia mining camps, which, political equality, There is something to say the least, is a gross misrepresen- still to be done before the average Brittations of the condition of affairs here. ish mind will admit the colonist to the The communication is dated Winnipeg, full equality of British citizenship. and the Rev. Dr. Robertson states as a Much in this direction has been done by preliminary to his epistle that he wants the jubilee. Something has been done the sum of £50 a year for a purpose by the new Canadian tariff. But the establishment of necessary defences in the which he subsequently sets forth. Then he goes on to say that he had recently colonies by the Home government, and visited the mining camps of British Co- the exchange of regiments from lumbia, and this ministerial Turveydrop the colonies with those of the British says that he was much saddened by Isles will do more than any other one what he saw. It is evident that he was thing to firmly unite the Empire. looking down instead of up, for he says It is idle to deny that there is a grow that everywhere the miners work seven ing feeling against the foreigners among days in the week and that shops, the masses of Great Britain. The capistores and saloons are all open talist and the trader of London, as well on the Sabbath; that picnics, games as the politician, will tell you that with and dances are held on the Sabbath the jubilee a new spirit has come into without protest. That the social evil is commerce, and a new faith 1 as been largely in evidence and is evidently born in the minds of Englishmen, which prosperous. The Canadian people and calls for Imperial Federation. It is the Scotch people who find their way part an outgrowth of that "aplend into this section, he says, are opposed isolation" which menaced England, in to such practices, but that they are out- part a product of that increasing sullennumbered by the rough mining element ness of the British Empire towards that comes from the United States and Germany, in part asymptom of incipient hence there is considerable danger to irritation with the United States, in part morality. The presbytery in response a new phase of the trading instincts of to this moving appeal, to those unac- the British community. But more than quainted with the facts, appointed a any of these it is a new birth of national committee to organize means to col- pride and self-consciousness such as lect funds with which to send mission. many a time in the great past has flowed out of the hearts of the English people.

The statements set forth in the com-THE COAST NEWSPAPERS. munication are totally at variance with

the facts. The rough element does not dominate in this camp, nor does it in any of the mining towns of the Prov | ince. As a matter of fact, there are 35 mines great accuracy, because we are not ac-

As for Sunday observance, there are in the immediate vicinity of Rossland quainted with the precise distance of but few quieter towns in the world than which use steam plants that cost in the many of the stars.

ligion" and pretended to console nimsel SIZE OF THE UNIVERSE KNOWN. for what he is pleased to call his affliction by reading the Bible. This he did, Those of us who have even studied the it is thought, simply for the purpose of rudiments of astronomy have been led attracting the sympathetic attention of to believe that the universe was praccertain maudlin people in the hope that tically limitless. We have been told they might assist him in securing liberty

that the stars, forming, as it were, the or a commutation of sentence. basis of creation, were limitless in The length of time that murderer their number as the sands on the sea-Durrant has lived since he committed shore. About 5,000 are visible to the those foul and unnatural crimes for naked eye of the ordinary observer, but which he has been convicted and for those of keen vision could possibly diswhich he is now soon to pay a partial cern 8,000. That this number increased penalty, shows the remarkable difference with the size of the telescope until the between American and British justice. number within the range of the lens-It is certain that had he been guilty of a aided vision reached 50,000,000. Beyond similar crime in this country that he the limit of these visible stars we were would, within three months, have been told that it was impossible to tell how in the hangman's hands. The people far the universe extended, but that the here have no maudlin sympathy for presumption was that it was practically murderers, nor does the law allow the limitless and that constellations and interposition of flimsy technicalities to systems in large numbers existed far prolong their lives. If they are guilty beyond the vision of the biggest telesthey are speedily hanged, as they should cope. That the universe was so large that it was without beginning and end

## EDITORIAL NOTES. How MANY more "private" agree-

ments have you, Mr. Mayor? THE "current expense" bylaw is a 'job," if there ever was one.

THE MINES would like to know what competing line.

Scorr is beginning to realize that he

There are no more beyond. In other fire. And Scott, like Barkis, was willin'. words, we are actually able to see the

boundaries of the universe. Of this solar system being not far from the cen- letter. ter. We may say that this disk, so in-

"A" and bylaw 15.

so far as the human mind could take in

the idea of space or distance. There

is, however, a limit to the universe and

man with his tiny tape yard is able ap-

proximately to measure the size of the

space that it occupies.

y Professor Newcomb, reco

one of the greatest living astro

We have two strong and well defined parrallel veins, both very rich, and one of them carrying an immense body of ore over

"This Is Not a Mine

"Then there is not a mine in British Columbia."

emphasis than ever before, that "if

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DURBANT TO BE HANGED. of its prosperity? The Columbia udge Bohrs Bixes the Date of Execu-Western would be a greater adtion for Friday. vantage to Boundary than any other system. It is a Canadian line and

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 10 .- Theodore Durrant was taken before Judge Bahrs today for the purpose of having the date of his execution re-set. His attorneys made a desperate attempt to secure a further delay, but Judge Bahrs brushed aside all their technical objec-Ohicoot Pass is the ideal Boute For tions and ordered that Durrant be hanged on Friday.

Winter Travel. Henry Beswick of this city has re-C. P. R. Branch to Robson. A rumor is in circulation to the effect ceived a letter from T. L. Henry dated universe we know the general form. It lic meeting on Saturday night without at Dyea, Alaska, October 16th. Mr. that tenders have been called for to conhas the shape of an enormous disk, the agreement "A" and Mr. MacNeill's Henry is well known in this city, having struct the C. P. R. from here to Robson. been a successful prospector in the Trail According to the story the bids will be JUST IMAGINE! The city council paid Creek district for the past three years. opened on the 15th inst. C. E. Perry, the

a site for a cabin in which to live correct.

Editorial continued on Page 3.)

LETTER FROM DYEA.

THE high tide of hatred of the meth- till the snow gets hard enough for them ods of the existing city council will to cross over the Chilcoot pass. The poceland Mining Stacky



raked Armstrong's chesnuts out of the

THE mayor should not attend the pub-

mining plants is \$33,000.—Victoria Prov- or five times its thickness; to the length the solicitor of the Trusts and Guarantee He says that a good many people are at chief engineer for the company, who is of the diameter we cannot speak with company \$100 for drawing up agreement Skagway staking lots. There is no title in the city, denied having any official to them, but every one is anxious to get knowledge of the matter, but thought

Rossland on the Sabbath. The stores aggregate \$370,000. The Le Roi heads

all ordinary employments are stopped. in the present year it installed a 40-drill There are five religious organizations in the city, and the churches of these are well filled with as devout bands of well filled with as devout bands of The mine is equipped with a 200-horse- THE MINER created a great sensation. sale these days of raids by the police on pleted. It is the opinion of Mr. Henry Christians as can be found in any city. power hoist, an electric light plant, The concensus of opinion is that the games of chance.

In fact those who have been used to tramway, and large crusher and other city's affairs have been woefully misand orderly as most Christians could de- compressors are the War Eagle, O. K., looking over the records of the city, McNeill's letter with him.

sire. The same condition of affairs Centre Star, Josie, Red Mountain, Cliff, which are open to everyone. exists in other of the mining towns of Monte Cristo, Kootenay and Columbia, THE MINER promised sufficient evi- THE MINER prints considerable in-

to carry on the work continuously. This is necessary in order that profit may be made out of the business. If the may be made out of the business. If the No. 2, Lily May, Gopher, Iron Horse, nothing will.

other parts of Great Britain, it will find the newspapers at the Coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the are the condition of the newspapers at the Coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the are the condition of the newspapers at the Coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the are the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the newspapers at the coast concerning iniquitious deals that was ever entered of the transportation business of the condition of the transport the transpo

men who are compelled to work on the conditions in Kootenay. It is incredible into in Canada. The bylaw dealing district. Sabbath, and that there is a field that such stupid ignorance should exist with it is ultra vires. If the mayor had Insurance is taken many queer forms over the ice. for reform for them at home which might within a hundred miles or so of the not pigeonholed Solicitor McNeil's letter in these days. One of the latest queries be worked to great advantage. They will principal mining district in the Do- remonstrating against the bylaw, it to be put to the secretary of state in New

ducted in mines for hundreds of years, The public press of Vancouver, Vic- necessary for the welfare of the city for an insurance company to insure and will continue to be for reasons that toria and New Westminster take only a that bylaw 15 be quashed. Until this is against twins and triplets. In these are obvious. It is impossible to shut prefunctory interest in Kootenay. These done it would be most unwise to add to days of hard times it behooves the down steam plants and to stop the sheets are provincial to the core. They the indebtedness of the city, for the fol- fathers of large families to provide pumping of water from mines for one are narrow, petty, sordid, jealous of each lowing reason:

day in the week. To do this would be other and full of conceit. So far none By section 4 of bylaw 15, the debent- The secretary of state still has the ruinous to the mine owners' interests, of them have ventured to discuss in a ures are made "a first charge on all matter under consideration. and would render the working of mines comprehensive manner the numerous assessable real estate and improvements

unprofitable, and hence the men per- problems that so vitally affect the in- of the municipality, and shall be PAID P.A. O'FARRELL, who seems to be as societies and build halls wherein they unprofitable, and hence the men per-force are compelled to work on the Sab-bath. We Have Cash Buyers. We Have Cash Buyers. We Have Cash Buyers. The Reddin-JackSon Co., The Kootenay mining region can get matter of absolute indifference. They municipality." These debentures can will most help the district are the is a social hop or a dramatic entertain-

along very well without the services of are so wrapped up in a catch-penny only mature in 20 years. Bylaws 18 Corbin and Heinze systems. He says attends and enjoys the fun. The Ger parsons of the Pecsniffian type of the Klondike boom that they have no time and 19-those authorizing the \$15,000 to the mine owners and ranchers do not at man father, when he goes out for a little Rev. Dr. Robertson. We want more to utter a word of protest against the be voted on next Tuesday-provide for all relish the prospect of the Canadian recreation, usually likes to take the enministers of the stamp of our own dearly establishment of a railway monopoly debentures to mature in 10 years. But, Pacific getting in there alone with full family with him from the oldest to the beloved "Father Pat" Irwin, who is an throughout southern and southeastern as already shown, bylaw 15 says that power to levy whatever tribute it of Rossland may unite to form such a debentures issued under it shall be paid pleases on the industry of the district. honor to the cloth, and who can see the British Columbia. They are also as debentures issued under it shall be paid pleases on the industry of the district. Society a meeting has been called for good as well as the evil that is in us. dumb as mummies concerning the ques-we acknowledge that there is plenty of tion of economical smelting facilities. In PRIORITY TO ALL OTHERS. Consequent-by, the question arises, must the holders is ound. But why we acknowledge that there is plenty of tion of economical smelting facilities. We acknowledge that there is plenty of tion of economical smelting facilities. ly, the question arises, must the holders should Corbin's road milk this country fatherland is invited to be present.

never be realized until the taxes are

more stir in less godly cities than Ross- machinery. This requires 500-horse- managed. The statement was absolutely WHEN Mayor Scott appears on the land complain of the lack of "life" that convert by the provent bound of the lack of "life" that convert by the provent by the

the province. A word as to work on the Sabbath in Point, Palo Alto, Robert E. Lee, Red the mines. It is the custom that pre-vails in mining camps all over the work to carry on the work continuously. White Bear, St. Paul, Georgia, Morning

The secret agreement between the ing" the public is concerned. The itive enclosures. There are two saloons Evening Star.

would never have been advertised. It is York is as to whether it would be legal The Germans of the City Propose Meet-

against such expensive contingencies.

the ideal one for the winter time, and KUSSIdIIU MIIIII JUCAD

or an "also ran." At present Skagway being actively worked just now than at any previous time this year has a tendis the larger of the two places, because people bound for the Klondike could not ency to stiffen the prices of Rossland right on and hence the place did not grow as rapidly as did its rival. Since seems to be no question in the minds of the weather became bad and the snow shrewd investors that at prices now

trouble to go to the mines in Cornwall, the Swansea smelter in Wales, and to of many that are frequently made by as the conditions are favorable for travel. La Fleur-Comstock .10 Silver Bear... Lily May ..... 20 Yale .....

A SINGING SOCIETY.

society and a turn verein. Such social

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