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Mrs. Elizabeth Jenkins, who keeps the tells a thrilling story of how she was of \$215 on Friday evening last. She has been suffering from nervous prostration since and was unable to submit to

taking charge as superintendent of the reporter called at her house severat times before that. Mrs. Jenkins' story as told deducing was substantially as follows: If riday evening I stood at the door liking to Mr. W. C. Archer, our landled to make the first of the says, has made wonderful strides since he left the B. C. mine about the middle of by a concert and finally ended with a gone middle of taking observations. This camp, he some part of taking observations. This camp, he succeeded a supper, which was followed by a concert and finally ended with a garden of taking observations. This camp, he succeeded a supper, which was succeeded a supper, which was followed by a concert and finally ended with a dance, on the onclusion of which the left the B. C. mine about the middle of taking observations. This camp, he succeeded a supper, which was succeeded a supper, which was followed by a concert and finally ended with a dance, on the onclusion of which the left the B. C. mine about the middle of taking observations. This camp, he succeeded a supper, which was concern and finally ended with a dance, on the following in the officers into the back door of taking observations. This camp, he succeeded a supper, which was concern and finally ended with a dance, on the feet whe he succeeded a supper, which was canceral the Nellow Relation of the money.' I replied, 'I have only a couple of dollars in the drawer.' I referred to the drawer that was in the table in the room in which I was at the time. He must have thought that I meant the middle room for he took me with a great deal of force into the next room which is between the sitting room and the store. With one hand he held me and with the other he pulled the drawers out and disarranged things generally. When he found nothing he said: Show me the boodle, or I'll blow your brains out,' and at the same time I heard the snap of a pistol and thought surely he had shot me and I confess that I was terribly frightened. His grip was so tight on the cloth that I was almost strangled. Then two weeks since for the purpose of spend-two weeks since for the purpose of spend-fing the holidays with his family. Mr. Anderson reports that he had a pleasant time. Winnipeg, he says, is assuming an air of solidity and prosperity. The Christa wall pocket. Then it was that he must have taken the money. There were four air of solidity and prosperity. The thrist air of solidity and prosperity air of solidity and prosperity. The thrist air of solidity and prosperity air of snow, and for a moment totally unable to help myself. My face was wet from the snow, but I thought it was blood, as I imagined I had been shot. I got round to the side door of the hotel and tried to give the slow post of. This is unusual, as the grain give the alarm but was so prostrated that posed of. This is unusual, as the grain I could not make much of an outcry.

Mrs. Blankborn was the first to see me and she called a friend. Then others and will be 100,000 inside of five years and will be 100,000 inside of five years. and she called a friend.

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Since the scene k Since then the scene keeps coming back to me and I feel the pressure of the cloth on my face and throat, the sense of suffocation, of fear and the cold of the snow. I would not go through such an experience again for a great deal. I am still very sore from the effects of being dragged around and three of my teeth are broken on the left side. The robber did not strike or beat me nor do I think he deliberately tried to hurt me, but the to me and I feel the pressure of the cloth on my face and throat, the sense of

OTHER SPECTACLES.

development of the city and is agreeably favor of the city of upwards of surprised with the rapid strides it has taken since its incorporation. It makes, collection of the dog tax. The latter shows taken since its incorporation. It makes, he said, a very favorable showing with he said, a very favorable showing with cities of the same size in the States which are often much older. Being largely interested in real estate in his own city, which is a place of 60,000 people, what the water supply the farious duties. The pound has brought in farious duties. The pound has brought in which is a place of 60,000 people, what struck him was the water supply, the electric light plant and the profligacy with which it is used, the quality and nice appearance of the stores and the facted accommodation which were all far hotel accommodation which were all far beyond what might be expected of a city for the round) and supplies \$674, together beyond what might be expected of a city of three times the size farther east. It with equipment, \$53.90, the total coming showed the influence of modern ideas and to \$4,077.35, leaving a balance in favor of young blood and the living up to the requirements needed to bring a city up to date.

Always having been interested in the welfare of labor and its capacity of earning wages in localities and the relative cost of living to the laboring class he was after paying all expenses.

The report for the month of December particularly surprised to note the only slight increase in the cost of the staples which enter into the poor man's family surplies over the cost m his own com
897.25. supplies over the cost m his own community. As a basis of wages the ordinary aboring man in his part of the country gets only \$1.25 a day, while the cost of living to the laboring men on all the staple lines of articles of his consumption is only about 20 per cent. less. This condition in Rossland, he regarded as particularly inviting to labor and as the welfare of the community depended upon this prosperity he looked upon it as the controlling feature of the healthy development of the

A Shepherd Dog Killed.

A shepherd dog was killed by the out going Red Mountain train yesterday. He got on the track in a cut at a point a short distance west of the depot. When by clambering up the bank, but it was was cut to pieces.

In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Kenty.

and Mrs. I. B. Kenty were last for bookcases, in addition to shelving, which market method with members of the chapter and numerous friends. Dancing wis, enjoyed until a late hour, with an internession for an excellent supper, which was served in the banquet room of Masonic hall. There were about fifty couples president of the server and control of the substances and precious stones, and for this purpose to buy or of the kalsomined walls makes the room of the sample president supper, which was served in the banquet room of Masonic hall. There were about fifty couples president afford proom for 50 readers and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal for the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal for the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal forms of the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal forms of the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal forms of the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal forms of the server and magazine to buy sell, manipulate export and deal forms of the server and magazine to buy or other servers and magazine to buy or other servers and magazine to buy sell manipulate export and deal forms of the servers and magazine to severy well. hall. There were about fifty couples present. and Mr. and Mrs. Kenty were recipients of many good wishes. Mr. and

Mr. John M. Scrafford, one of the piomillinery and notion store on Washington neers of the camp, and who was the first street just north of the Russell house, to open up the Josie, Evening Star, Gercrudt and Coxey, is in the city. He left function was open, and about 350 to 400 here two years since for the purpose of people were present, who were made up of taking charge as superintendent of the members of the order, their families and an interview until yesterday, although the B. C. mine in the Boundary country. He their friends. After the ceremony proper

anywhere in this country.

Mr. Scrafford says the statement re- and Vice Grands some selections were cently published to the effect that he is given on the phonograph by Bro. Rigby to become superintendent of the Republic mine is erroneous. He intends to visit Republic and to take a look at the Republic mine while he is there, but he has not been appointed so far as he knows to any resistion around the Panublic mine. Selection any posiition around the Republic mine.

WINNIPEG IS GROWING.

It Now Has a Population of 60,000 Souls. Mr. Anderson Returns.

Mr. James Anderson, accountant, returned on Monday evening from a visit to Winnipeg, whither he went about two weeks since for the purpose of spendbuying season usually lasts a month or

SANITARY WORK.

Report From Inspector Long for the

for the pound) and supplies \$674, together t e city of \$2,118.70.

The assets of the department, which

have been partly bought during the year, amount to \$375. The average revenue to the city accruing from this department is, therefore, not far from \$200 a month

THE LIBRARY.

Accommodation Is Provided for at Least 3.000 Volumes.

The library accommodations, half of the first floor of the Firehall building, is now completed. It forms a noble room, entrance to which is gained from a separate door and staircase from Queen street. There is no connection between the library and the firemen's quarters on the same floor. The room runs the whole length of the building. The inside dimensions are 24 feet 6 inches by 58 feet, from which must be subtracted the space occupied by the staircase and that by the firemen's lavatory. There is a large window facing the west and three others on the north side of the room, giving ample light to the readers. The place is warmed by the steam heat used for the remainder of the building and four radiators are least within the hall. At present there by the steam heat used for the remainder of the building and four radiators are placed within the hall. At present there are no fittings beyond a desk and rail partitioning the book end of the library from the remainder of the library from the remainder of the the guests of Alpha Chapter, Or-Eastern Star, of which Mrs. Kenty for bookcases, in addition to shelving,

is a guest at the Allan.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Mandolin Club Selection. Solo by Mrs. Kozot. Darkey Speech by Bro. Wilson. "Sons of the Empire," by Judge Town-

Male quartette by Messrs. Long, Coffyn, Armstrong and Fortin. Solo by Miss Tonkin.

Comic speech by Bro. Wilson. Character costume, "The Shoeblack,

by Master Coffyn.

"My Mary," by W. Astley.

The Darky Dialogue, by Messrs. Goldsworthy and Bridgeford, which brought down the house, which, accordingly, as the

BLOWN TO PIECES.

Albert Morrison Met With a Fearful Death at the Sunset.

Mr. Andrew Drewry returned last even ing from a visit to the Sunset mine at Whitewater and reports that it is looking

ne deliberately tried to hurt me, but the bruises are the result of the dragging about, and he seemed to me to be a very strong and active man. I did no tcatch a glimse of him from first to last, however." to pieces, together with the building. There was 25 pounds of powder in the thawer at the time. The verdict of the jury was that Morrison's death was accidental, and that no blame was attached

R. as contracting freight agent. LICENSE AUTHORIZING AN EXTRA

PROVINCIAL COMPANY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS. "Companies Act, 1897."

Province of British Columbia.

This is to certify that the "Columbia Proprietary, Limited," is authorized an licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the egislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company fuate in England. The amount of the capital of the Con pany is £500,000, divided into 100,000 shares of £5 each.

The head office of the Company in this

Province is situate at Rossland, and Bernard Macdonald, mine manager, whose address is Rossland aforesaid, is the attorey for the Company.
Given under my hand and seal of office

at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 1st day of December, one thousand

ILS.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companie
The following are the objects for which
the Company has been established:

(1.) To search for, prospect, examin and explore mines and ground suppose to contain minerals or precious stones and to search for and obtain information. with regard to mines, mining claims, mining districts and localities; to purchase take or lease or concession, or otherwise acquire for any interest therein, and to hold, sell, dispose of and deal with lands or hereditaments of any tenure, gold, silver, copper, lead, tin, quicksilver, iron, stone, coal or other mines, mining, water, timber and other rights, and generally plore, work, exercise, develop, finance and turn to account the same.

(2.) To search for, win, quarry, assay afford room for 50 readers and magazine to buy, sell, manipulate, export and deal in ores, minerals and metals of all kinds and precious stones; and generally to in recipients of many good wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Kenty are to leave for the east Mr. Jacob Schram of Phoenix, B. C., stitute, enter into, carry on, assist or shortly are to leave for the east Mr. Jacob Schram of Phoenix, B. C., stitute, enter into, carry on, assist or participate in any mining or metallurgical

MRS. JENKINS RUBBED.

Her Story of How She Was Relieved of \$215.00.

A PIONEER OF ROSSLAND.

A FESTAL OCCASION.

Installation of Officers by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

TO BOND, SELL OR LEASE

IN ALL DISTRICTS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA ON FAVORABLE TERMS

S. THORNTON LANGLEY & CO. Mining Brokers, ROSSLAND, B. C. [ESTABLISHED 1895]

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(3.) To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, seil, exchange, turn to account, dispose of and deal in real and personal property of all kinds, and in particular lands, buildings, hereditaments, business concerns and undertakings, mortgages, charges, annuities, patent rights, convergets licences securities grants copyrights, licences, securities, grants, charters, concessions, leases, contracts, options, policies, book debts and claims, and any interest in read or personal property, and any claims against such property or against any persons or company, and to finance and carry on any business concern

or undertaking so acquired:

(4.) To promote, acquire, construct, equip, maintain, improve, work, manage or control, or aid in or subscribe towards the promotion, acquisition, construction, equipment, maintenance, improvement, working management or control of works, undertakings and operations of all kinds, both public and private, and in particular roads, tramways, railways, telegraphs, telephones, cables, ships, lighters, harbors, piers, docks, quays, wharves, ware houses, bridges, viaducts, aqueducts, reser voirs, embankments, waterworks, water courses, canals, flumes, irrigations, drain age, saw-mills, crushing mills, smelting works, iron, steel, ordnance, engineering and implement works, hydraulic works gas and electric lighting, electrical works, power supply, quarries, collieries, coke ovens, foundries, furnaces, factories, car rying undertakings by land and water, fortifications, markets, exchanges, mints, public and private buildings, newpapers wineries, distilleries, hotels, residences stores, shops, and places of amusement recreation or instruction, whether for the purposes of the Company or for sale or hire to or in return for any consideration from any other companies or persons:

iness transaction or operation commonly undertaken or carried on by financier promoters of companies, bankers, under-writers concessionaires, contractors for public and other works, capitalists of merchants, and to carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried in connection with any of the objects of the Company, or which may be thought calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of

the Company's property or rights:
(6.) To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, sell, manipulate, exchange, turn to account, dispose of, and deal in argicul-tural, plantation, forestal, fishing and tural, plantation, forestal, fishing and trading rights; and in all or any products of farms, plantations, forests, fisheries and the earth, including animals, grain provisions, fruits, wines, spirits, cotton wool, silk fibres, tobacco, coffee, tea, sugar, timber, rubber, onls, chemicals, explosives drugs, dye-stuffs, nitrates, petroleum, bullion, copper, lead, tin, quicksilver, iron, coal, stone, and merchandise and commodities of all kinds, either for immediate or future delivery and whether immediate or future delivery, and whether in a crude state or manufactured, or part-ly manufactured or otherwise; and to advance money at interest upon the security of all or any such products, merchandise

wise acquire, hold, sell, exeminge, dispose of and deal in shares, stocks, bonds, de bentures, debenture stock or ogligations of any company, whether British, Colonia or Foreign, or of any authority, supreme

nunicipal, local or otherwise.

(9.) To guarantee the payment of mone secured by or payable under or in respect of bonds, debentures, debenture stock contracts, mortgages, charges, obligations and securities of any company, whether British, Colonial or Foreign, or of any authority, Supreme, Municipal, Local or otherwise, or of any persons whomsoever

whether corporate or incorporate: (10.) To guarantee the title to or quet enjoyment of property, either absolutely or subject to any qualifications or conditions, and to guarantee companies or con-persons interested or about to become interested in any property against any loss, actions, proceedings, claims or demands in respect of any insufficiency or imperies. tion or deficiency of title, or in respect of incumbrances, burdens, or outstand

(11.) To furnish and provide deposit and guarantee funds required in relation to any tender or application for any contract, concession, decree, enactment, property or privilege, or in relation to the carrying out of any contract, concession

(12.) Generally to carry on and transact every kind of guarantee business and indemnity business and to undertake obligations of every kind and description, and also to undertake and execute trusts of

(13.) To receive moneys, securities and valuables of all kinds on deposit, at inter-est or otherwise, or for safe custody, and generally to carry on the business of a afe deposit company:
(14.) To lend money to such parties and

on such terms, with or without security, as may seem expedient, and in particular o customers of and persons having deal ngs with the Company; and to guarantee ne performance of contracts by membe

cure the repayment or payment thereof by redeemable or irredeemable bonds, de-bentures or debenture stock (such bonds, debentures and debenture made payable to bearer or otherwise, and issuable or payable either at par or at a (22.) To give the call of shares, and to

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Great Discount Sale.

During the month of January we will offer our enire stock (with the exception of standard patterns, which we are under contract to sell at fixed prices) at discounts unprecedented in the annals of this establishment.

Lists of discounts will appear daily in the Montreal papers and parties

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Henry Morgan & Co., Montreal.

premium or discount), or by mortgages, confer any preferential or special right to script certificates, bills of exchange or the allotment of shares on such terms and promissory notes, or by any other instruin such manner as may seem expedient: ment, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes to charge all or any part of the property of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital; and to allot the Company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are of the globe, either as the company of the company are the shares of the Company, credited as principals, agents, contractors, trustees or fully or partly paid up, or bonds, debentures or debenture stock issued by the junction with others, and either by or Company, as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by

eration: (16.) To make donations to such persons and in such cases, and either of cash or other assets, as may be thought directly or indirectly conducive to any of the Company's objects or otherwise expedient; and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general or other object:
(17.) To enter into any arrangement

ness, property, or goodwill and liabilities of any company, corporation, society, partnership, or persons carrying on, or about to carry on, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which is in any respect similar to the objects of this company, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, or possessed of property deemed suitable for the purposes of this Company, and to enter into partnership or into any arrangement with respect to the sharing of profits, union of interests, or amalgamation, reciprocal concession, or co-operation, either

"Cascade," "California" and "Roral" What an Illinois Man Thinks of the City
of Rossland.

Twelve Months Just Ended.

Treduct Months Just Ended Company, or postation of the entire Slocking better than every

ler-lease, exchange, surrender, mortgage, or otherwise, absolutely, conditionally, or for any limited interest, all or any part of the undertaking, property, rights, or privileges of the Company, as a going concern or otherwise, to any public body, company, society, or association, or to any person or persons, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for any stock shares deben. particular for any stock, shares, debentures, debenture stock, securities, or property of any other company:

(20.) To promote or form, or assist (20.) To promote or form, or assist in the promotion or formation of any other company or companies, either for the purpose of acquiring, working, or otherwise dealing with all or any of the property, rights and liabilities of this Company, or any property in which this Company is interested, or for any other purpose, with power to assist such company or com-panies by paying or contributing towards the preliminary expenses, or providing the whole or part of the capital thereof, or by taking or subscribing for shares, preferred, ordinary, or deferred, therein, or by lending money thereto upon debentures or otherwise: and further, to pay out of the otherwise; and further, to pay out of the funds of the Company all expenses of and incident to the formation, registration, advertising, and establishment of this or any other Company, and to the issue and subscription of the share or loan capital, including brokerage and commissions for obtaining applications for, or placing or guaranteeing the placing of, the shares, or guaranteeing the placing of, the shares, or other any debentures, debenture stock, or other any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of this or any other company; and also all expenses attending the issue of any circular or notice, or the printing, stamping, and circulating of proxies or forms to be filled up by the shareholders with this or any of this, or connected with this or any other company; and to undertake the management and secretarial or other work, duties, and business of any company, on such terms as may be determined:

(21.) To obtain, or in any way assist in

obtaining, any Provisional Order, or Act of Parliament or other necessary authority, for enabling this or any other comthe performance of contracts by members of, or companies naving dealings with, of Parliament or other necessary authorthe Company; and to draw, accept, endorse, discount, issue, buy, sell and deal in bills of exchange, promissory notes, drafts, bills of lading, coupons, warrants, and other negotiable or transferable instruments, and buy, sell and deal in bullion, specie and coin:

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through agents, sub-contractors, trustees trustee or trustees, personal or corporate, to hold any property on behalf or the Company, and to allow any property to remain outstanding in such trustee or

are incidental or may be thought conducive to the attainment of the above obwhen applied otherwise than to this Company shall be deemed to include any past nership or other body of persons, whether corporate and privileges which may be thought conducive to the Company's objects, or any of them:

(18.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, or goodwill and liabilities of any company, corporation, society,

Take notice that I, William B. Townsend, F. M. C. No. B30088, acting as agent for the "Cascade" Gold Mining & Milling company, limited, of Rossland, Free Miner's Certificate No. B42044, intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificate of Improvements, for the pur-

And further take notice that action under section 37, must be commenced fore the issuance of such Certificate Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of December, A. D. WM. B. TOWNSEND. 1-13-10t.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE.

"Bonanza No.3," "Our Hope," "Bonans No. 3 Fraction," "Our Hope Fraction," situate in the Trail creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On St. Thomas mountain, near

for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Im-Dated this 27th day of December, A. D.

WM. B. TOWNSEND.

to be built by said Act.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., December 18,

ROBERTSON & ROBERTSON.