THURSDAY..... December 21, 1899 ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER Henry Miller played another adaptation GRAND FORKS INTELLIGENCE markably well preserved, a condition due, IN AND ABOUT GREENWOOD the establishment of a free library and asking that a portion of the new of TODAY Nothing gives him greater French Revolutionary drama. Henry pleasure than to recall the stirring events of those pioneer days. The region now known as the Boundary country was over-run by gold seekers. Rock and Boundary out of doors. Miller easily stands forth as one of Amer-ROAD TO WHITE'S CAMP HAS BEEN ica's great actors, and his play and his PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT PETI-ALMOST COMPLETED. piaying were exquisite, but it did not TIONED FOR A BRIDGE. catch on; it did not suit the temper of A Racy Picture of the Great Americreeks gave up enormous treasure. The grass grown trenches and decayed sluice boxes along their banks today bear testithe times we live in, and financially Activity in West Fork Mining Properties effect was a failure. Sketch of the Career of Cariboo Cameron, Clarence King, the youth committed for vas a failure. ", W. H. Crane put on an exquisite Colo-Still Continues-Work being Prosecut Whose Remains Will Be Conveyed to nial drama of the days when New York mony to the former activity that prevail-GREAT MARVEL OF THE CENTURY was Dutch-Peter Stuyvesant. I would ed on Meyer's Creek-Other Notes. ed. Mr. Stevenson participated in all this Glengary, Ont., for Interment. ed. Mr. Stevenson participated in sector a excitement. He has in his possession a beautiful medal on which is inscribed his name, and these words: "Pioneer of B. C., not miss seeing that play for a horse back ride with my friend General Warren over Greenwood, B. C., Dec. 15.-[Special.]-The road to White's camp, which has Oregon's mountains, but New York would not have Crane in Peter Stuyvesant. New Grand Forks, B. C., Dec. 16 .- [special.] May 13th, 1859. B. C. Pioneer Society. "In the spring of 1860 I joined the col-lins expedition at Walla Walla, bound for and fliss Ellen Terry-The Adaptation of Thackery's Vanity Fair-Venice Never Equal to New York. -Dave Evans has resigned the superior tendentship of the Earthquake to accept a similar position with the Hartford, in Wellington camp. been in course of construction for some

The Stage and its Attractions-Henry Irving

can Metropolis.

GOTHAM OF

New York, December 14, 1899. Greater New York is gayer New York now. I have never seen the American will have. Next year he plays a drama- construction of a bridge over the north metropolis to greater advantage than in tized version of David Harum, but he is fork of the Kettle river, near the mouth metropolis to greater advantage than in the closing months of the century., It it is a very great success. It is Crane's Forks, has been extensively signed in varis in good sooth a century of marvels, but part in life.

Venice in her halcyon days was nothing in comparison to New. York. Its true, a great family of actors. That is the miners in the upper camps who desire to New York is the greatest marvel of all. there hangs around Venice the halo of greatest compliment that has ever been cross the stream in high water are unable romance, poetry, song, and all her glories paid John Drew. John Drew's father to do so at any nearer point. In the have been sung by poets and her beauties and his sister Georgie Drew Barrymore petition, which originated with J. D. portrayed by painters incomparably su- achieved histrionic triumphe that John Sears of this city, it is pointed out that erior to any that have ever set foot on American soil, yet it were better to see Drew, senior, was the greatest Irish American soil, yet it were better to see New York today than to see Venice when she was the Queen City of the Adriatic, and the commercial emporium of the world. When the ambassador of Pyrrhys re-senior react the first first first area in the old Royal Theatre of Dublin John Drew,

When the ambassador of Pyrrhus re- senior, gave the finest comic representaturned from the Roman senate to his tions of the century, and that in days master's camp, he reported that he had actor of our times, and Barry Sullivan Cuaig, vice president of the Victoria board Agamemnon and Hector and Ulysses are John Drew is a very fift and very finish-of the Grand Forks board of trade, exhere, not with crowns upon their heads ed actor. He ranks easily among the plains itself: "Victoria contingent home. and swords and bucklers by their sides, foremost of our time, but he has not yet Convey thanks to citizens for their many and swords and bucklers by their sides, but pursuing avocations as noble and achieving greater things than the might-iest heroes of antiquity ever accomplished The world has never yet seen anything content of New York and the first parking with the finest epi-ties of New York and the first park of the finest epi-ties of the second parking with the finest epi-ties that the main shaft is down nearly

comparable to this city of New York, and grams, and well worthy of its huge popu- 80 feet, and that the ore steadily improved

comparative to this city of New 1018, and grains, and wen workly of its huge popu-here are its builders. In other days I larity. have strolled through the grandest palaces built by kings, but there never has been a palace built that equal the palaces the palace built that equal the palaces are now selling staging is the finest ever seen in America. built by New York to shelter and enter-tain her citizens and her visitors. Wind-York, and the house is sold, out months in the stormed New made by Charles B. Harris, assayer of sor and Buckingham and Versailles and ahead.

sor and Buckingham and Versailles and ahead. the Escurial are as naught beside the Plaza, the Savoy or the Netherlands, and the Waldorf-Astoria dwarfs and out

side. I never saw finer equipages on the ous adaptations. I should prefer to see 4 300 feet in width, and all of which are in Champs Elysees or the Bois de Boulogne, in New York City on that drive on a ers and playgoers are in a happy mood in New York City on that drive on a control of the surface the values of the surface the surface the values of the surface the surface the values of the surface the values of the surface the surface the surface the values of the surface the Sunday afternoon. London could not just now in New York, for the plays are per; now at the bottom of the shaft the display more evidences of wealth, luxury, good and the playgoers are multitudinous values range from 3 to 10 per cent in cop-

fashion and beauty than can be seen any and happy. afternoon on Fifth Avenue or the Riverside, and New York feels the pulse of a great new life within its veins, and it is beginning to ambition to become not the metropolis of a continent, but of the Progress of Development in the Boundary by the C. P. R. spur. The flotation will world. In my judgment, she will achieve that proud position before another gener-

world. In my judgment, she will achieve that proud position before another gener-ation passes away. But enough, and let me tell some gossip of Gotham and of Bohemia. Henry Irv-ing and Ellen Terry had a reception in New York that conquerors might envy. I saw them in Robespierre. It was the if st time I had seen either for several ing ore, which was encountered at 40 is to strike the out of splendid look-ing ore, which was encountered at 40 is the metalized shortly. Mr. Oliverty, is running a tunnel at a depth of 200 feet, and is the time of fabluous is running a tunnel at a depth of 200 feet, is strike the old shaft at 350 or 400 feet, are drifting on a vein of splendid look-first time I had seen either for several is and the batter to a several the batter to a several is the terms being \$15,000 cash, and the batter to a seven ing ore, which was encountered at 400 ing ore, which was encountered at 400 is the terms being seven ing ore, which was encountered at 400 is the terms the mouther after massing through years, and to look at them again, to watch feet from the mouth after passing through the Morrison, who in turn bonded it to their incomparable portrayal of a mighty 12 feet of blue lime rock. The ore here F H. Oliver. past, and to listen to those voices that is in a blind vein, not being exposed on past, and to insten to those voices that is in a bind ven, not being exposed on thrilled and charmed in more romantic days, was to me a source of ineffable pleasure. I have seen greater artists than rying iron pyrites, and it is anticipated either but Irving and Terry together, that a very large body of ore will be grave of his wife in the Scottish ceme-

NEWS FROM GREENWOOD.

Creek Country.

The other day I read a critique on John ious Boundary towns. The only structure

mer ford across the main channel. 'the following telegram from L. G. Mc

copper and \$7.02 in gold per ton. Fred C. Oliver of Spokane, has taken up a bond on the Greyhound in Deadwood the Waldorf-Astoria dwarfs and out-shines all the other palaces of wealth and luxury ever built. No other age and no other country could have built it. Sunday I drove along Fifth avenue, through the park and then along River-side. I never saw finer equipages on the built sampation is a schema in the source of the source camp. The Western Copper con nany, lim values range from 3 to 10 per cent in cop- in his claim.

per, as well as about \$5 in gold and silver values. A boiler, hoist and pump has P. A. O'FARRELL just been ordered. Two shifts are employed. The property is only 1 1-2 miles from the Mother Lode smelter, and is traversed not be undertaken until it is proved be yond a doubt that the property will make Greenwood, B. C., Dec. 16 .- The Gol-

"As soon as time permits I intend to

the gold diggings, whence news of the strike had been brought out in the winter. on Rock creek," observed Mr. Stevenson, were 200 men in the outfit, and two months were occupied in crossing the mountains from the coast, through an al-

redskins, in the territory now known as the Colville reservation. The Indians were entrenched on bluffs commanding a canyon we had to traverse. They disputed our progress, and we had to fight our way through, losing half a dozen men, but inflicting more severe punishment in return. We reached the mouth of Rock creek, a little north of the present international boundary on June 22nd, 1860, to find that about 40 miners from the Similkameen had preceded us. The placers were very rich, the average per man being \$30 a day. All summer new comers poured in

and in September there was a stampede 15 miles east to Boundary creek, where \$50 a day per man was easily realized. In the ummer of the following year the mining population along both streams, which ...en began to give out, exceeded eight thousand. Two thousand pack animals were employed in hauling in supplies from the Living of course was very expencoast. sive. A good-sized city, now in ruins, sprang up at the mouth of Rock creek ear the site of Midway. There were saloons, gambling dens, and dance houses. Two enterprising whisky sellers surpassed their rivals by packing in a billiard table from Walla Walla. Night was turned in-

to day, and it was a continuous case of "Hot Time in Old 'Iown." When the placers gave signs of giving out, news came of rich strikes in the Nez Perce country of Idaho. At once a stampeue followed. The miners worked on the cooperative plan. Those who survived cleaned up about \$30,000 apiece. Others like myself, attracted by the news from Cariboo, started for that district in the ummer of 1861. We followed the main waterways after reaching Penticton, and cov-

ered the distance in less than two months. Inthis remote region I was destined to spend 12 winters and 16 summers. Soon after my arrival I formed the acquaintance of Cameron, and secured a seventh interest

"Cameron's wife died October 23rd, 1862. an event that almost prostrated him. It was not till December 22, or two months later, that he made the big strike at a depth of 240 feet. Early in 1863 1 accompanied my partner with the body of his wife to Eastern Canada. We traveled via Victoria, San Francisco, the Isthmus of your corespondent by Mr. Stevenson, is as follows:

In the fall of 1861, McLean, a Hudson Bay factor, overtook Cameron and me at Bonaparte river, and showed us a piece of R. M. McEntire, manager of \$29.10.

petition was referred to a committee of three aldermen to report on at the regu lar meeting. This matter has already been advocated in the local press and in all probability the petition will go into

forging a number of cheques in this city, who had been committed for trial and was about to be sent to Kamloops, last night effected an escape from jail and has not yet been found. King was in shackles and it is supposed that in the afternoon while cutting wood he broke the steel links with the axe and tied them with string and then waited his opportunity to make a dash for liberty. He is a youth of about 18 and his parents live at Ferme, B. C.

Carmi, west fork, came to Greenwood on Monday, and on Monday morning received the first payment on the bond of \$25,000 from the Bunker Hill and Sullivan Milling and Mining company, Coeur d'Atene. The company has had a force of six men at work all summer prospecting the claim and sinking a shaft. It is understood that the force has been in creased and that development will be prosecuted vigorously all winter. It is derstood that Dale and his partner have bonded the Butcher Boy, adjoining the Carmi for \$50,000 to the same company. The Butcher Boy is on the same lead.

Gus Wheatly, west fork, has returned from Nelson, where it is understood he has been negotiating a deal for his preemption as a townsite. It lies between Rendell and Beaverton. W. H Pambo a term of years. A new building will be left Greenwood this week to work on his w... give the Pacific a frontage of about claim, the North Star, on Cranberry creek, which adjoins the Boston group,

James McGregor, mining inspectcor, is Pacific modern and up-to-date in every re-spect. P. S. Barnard, Victoria, Who owns some days feeling not at all well and suffering from la grippe. On Monday evening of last week he was removed to the hospital. The physicians hope that his vigorous constitution will pull him

Fred Oliver, manager of the Morrison mine, has returned from Spokane. He is going to actively develop the Greyhound, a property in Deadwood camp, which has great surface showings. Machfor mery has been shipped from Rossland and the work of sinking the shaft to the 100-foot level will be proceeded with at once. The Greyhound is likely to prove another Mother Lode from present appearances.

A NOTE OF WARNING.

Editor Miner: The critical labor situajoining the Washington group, to Jack Empey, representing R. E. Brown, who now owns several claims in a block. The and certainly aggravated-by the Miners' unions preventing contract labor. The contract system furnishes an easy bridge couver, have just returned from a trip to over the rather sudden transition from couver, have just returned from a trip to Kruger mountain, Keremeos, where they were inspecting the Dividend, work on which has been proceeding for some time. A shaft was sunk 30 feet and a crosscut was made to the lead. They are now sinking on the ledge. A force of 12 men has been at work, and it is expected that has been at work, and it is expected that work will continue all winter. This is one of the remarkable properties of the Similkameen. The ledge matter is 20 feet wide, and has averaged from the top down \$21 in gold. Messrs. Ceperly and Naden brought back with them a number to it, miners run the risk of publ

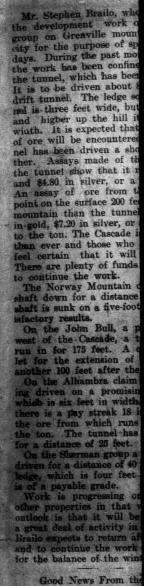
of specimens which were assayed, and secret sessions have conjoined to overvalues as follows: From ore dump, throw the 8-hour law or cut the stanspectrum as follows: from ore dump, \$42.54; waste dump, \$13,20; west side of shaft, 30 feet down, \$10.87; east side of shaft, 30 feet depth, \$42.50; bottom of shaft, present wages means a strike; and a strike means closing the mines controlled by

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DRE OF GOOD Development of the Ca LATE REPORT FROM James Dale, one of the owners of the James Baker and Ass Smelter in East Koo Work on the Myste



Two Dollars

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Acting Secretary Edward kanogan Free Gold Mine ived a letter from Super dgecombe, dated Decembe issive Mr. Edgecombe s ave broken through the pen cut to the No. 1 lev Jo. 1 level to the worki cut is 49 feet, but th of the open cut in height of the up to the face of be 71 feet. The ore

weeks under the auspices of the government and the citizens of Greenwood, as represented by the board of trade, now about completed. The original arwho was in a reminiscent mood. "There rangement was that the government was to contribute \$1,500 and the citizens \$1,500. but in order to complete the road it was found that \$1,000 more would be necessary, most unknown region. We experienced many hardships and privations, and be-to contribute. M. Hall, as foreman, has had charge of the work.

The Alhambra theatre, owned by Branson & Co., is about completed, and arrangements have been made for the opening on the 16th. The management has engaged Henderson and Ross and a company of specialty artists for the occasion. It has built and equipped one of the best opera house in the interior, and promises that legitimate dramatic and vaudeville performances be presented. C. A. Bald-win is general manager and Delphos Lawence business and amusement manager. Madden & Dallas, Pacific Hotel, have leased the Windsor premises adjoining for Rendell and Beaverton.

100 feet, all to be devoted to hotel pur owned in Greenwood. poses. It is the intention to have the new the Windsor, is rebuilding. It was one of the buildings burned down last summer. Charence King, the young forger who escaped from jail Monday night, was recaptured last night at Phoenix, where he was found hiding in the cabin of a friend. It seems that King in some way or other got access to the key and unlocked the paglock on the shackles, leaving them on until he got the opportunity to escape when he threw them away. He lav two hours under the C. P. R. freight sheds and then reached Phoenix by way of Boundary Falls at night-a most ardu ous and painful trip.

The activity in West Fork mining properties still continues. Another importan sale is reported today. Alex. Wallace and his partner, McIntyre, have sold their claim, the Prince, on Belle mountain, ad

purchase price is \$3,500.

George B. Naden, of the Bealy Investment company, and H. T. Ceperly, Van-

quartz encrusted with nee gold. The specimen was the richest I ever saw. My partner and I offered the officer \$10,000 if on the 200-foot level with a well-defined he would conduct us to the locality from whence it came. McLean, who was killed are at work. The bunk house has been Ottawa government makes no effort to encompleted, and so also has the survey of force it. The higher the wages the better lowing year, declined our offer, contenting himself with giving us general directions. R. Mecham, mining broker, Montreal, community's interest wil R. Mecham, mining broker, Montreal, community's interest will be with the and Mr. Ernest Peck, attorney, Chesaw, strikers and against the handful of mine For one reason or another I postponed the sparch for the El Dorado until 14 years hau elapsed. I then started out with two ployment of cheap labor, whether dago, Indians, and after a few weeks of con-tinuous searching, discovered what, from Jap, or other. The community and the strikers have the votes. What is to prenumber of other smaller claims for a Montreal company. The Poland China overwhelmingly popular vote, enacting overwhelmingly popular vote, enacting next to the Review, is being developed. that no underground laborer shall be paid less than the standard wage? With such generally. Mr. Peck returned to Chesaw an enactment, and the mine owner remaining obdurate and closing the mine. on Wednesday. Fred Oliver, Spokane, returned here on what is to prevent the legislature saying: Monday, and is engaged in superintending the development of the Greyhound, and this property has a surface showing of between 150 and 200 feet and a shaft about t, and so enrich and build up the com-30 feet deep. A steam hoist has been pur munity. You have such ore but you wilchased and shipped from Rossland on fully refuse to carry out your trust; there-Monday. It is the intention of Mr. Oli-fore, we will carry it out for you," and thereupon leasing or working the mine, The Morrison, which is now perhaps one of the best known mines on the stock not such legislation be and holding the rent or profits for the market, has been closed down pending t-e than to permit these mine owners reorganization of the company. It is un-derstood that the property is being taken cause great injury and even run to thoushold of by a strong company and will be incorporated for, it is thought, about one million and a half in Montreal. The representation Mr. Oliver and the mines have being more b one million and a half in Montreal. The reorganization Mr. Oliver says will place this mine on a much better basis. GREENWOOD INTELLIGENCZ.

aithor but Inving and Terry together, that a very large body of ore will when once seen can never be forgotten, met with as soon as the main lead is tery at Summerstown, Glengarry county, and can never fail to be liked and loved. tapped. It is the intention, as soon as In after ages they will be a delightful the tunnel is driven to a point directly tradition of the stage, and theirs is an under the old shaft, to make an upraise. immortality greater and grander than that Six men are at work, and all the necesof kings and conquerors. The shades of sary buildings, etc., have been erected. evening are closing over both, but the All the mills at Fairview, it is undersunset is far more glorious than the noon- stood, have closed down for the season. day splendour of many a greater career. The Granite and Banner, Camp Mc-Julia Marlowe is playing "Barbara Kinney, have ceased operations. It is ious metal, has retired to send the re-Freitche"—a tragedy of the Civil War. understood that there are negotiations I have never seen the lovely actress, so proceeding in the east for the purchase a ranch in the picturesque Similkameen

winsome, so charming, so full of graceful movement, and in finer artistic form than City Engineer C. E. Alston is engaged The n movement, and in finer artistic form than City Engineer C. E. Alston is engaged in this play. The play itself is almost in making investigations as to the possi- word in Eastern Canada. He made a vast peak for nearly 600 feet. I staked the claim and acquaint himself with the discrict worthy of the Augustine age of English bility of obtaining water supply literature. The movement is more artis-tic than the movement in Robespierre, finding the fall from Hall's ranch to the vations of life in that northern wilder-the coast, and about 40 miles north of but the note in Robespierre has far more city, and when that has been ascertained ness, and when she died Cameron nearly of the tragic element than in Barbara Freitche. In the Sardou's drama, or not it will be necessary to go further son he started east with the body, travel-"France and the World" are spectators up the creek. It is probable, however, ing via Victoria, San Francisco, Panama and Seven assays gave obtained in the obtained in the that it will be necessary to do so. The downfall of the tyrant, while in Barbara city engineer strongly favors a system of be left (ariboo as he thought for ever, and it will be necessary to do so. The years later, after increasing his fortune, in Victoria. I revisited the lo-Freitche our tears are shed for the un-timely end of a noble soldier of the Union, and as true and brave and noble a type of Southern maid as American literature has ever produced. Legislation, which will entail a constant iterature has ever produced. I wishl dear old Thackery were alive, expenditure for operation and mainten-

and that that dearest, kindest and best ance. It will be necessary to go high and that that dearest, kindest and best ance. It will be necessary to go many of all the great literateurs of our century enough up in order to bring the water by the entire countryside, and Tally-ho formity about the mountains. This fall coaching parties, were some of the diverand speak and act as Mrs. Fiske makes the water-works investigation has been her do upon the New York stage. This concluded, the question of sewerage and is the greatest adaption of the age. It is drainage will next have to be considered, Thackery's "Becky" to the roots of her and Mr. Alston is in communication with hair; and side by side, fully parallel to the various cities as to the septic tank a lengthy absence had changed. Without Mrs. Fiske's great creation is a Major and other systems, which would be adapt-Rawden Crawley that is as true to life ed to the conditions of this city.

GRAND FORKS NEWS.

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and to the original as anything I have ever yet beheld. Maurice Barrymore is Rawden Crawley. There was no earthly reason why Maurice Barrymore should A Music Hall to Be Built-Samplin not have forged ahead to supreme rank

Works May Be Established. on the American stage. He had the gen-Grand Forks, B. C., Dec. 13 .- (Special.) tus and the talent, but he lacked some-thing, and he never did himself full jus-sidering the advisability of establishing tice. But his Rawden Crawley is a grand extensive sampling works here. During a achievement, a work of art, and a work recent visit here he inspected various us, and I predict immense success sites, and before his departure announc-

s new and brilliant combination. | ed has intention of returning within a few es O'Neil is playing D'Artagnan in days.

Music these." For a time Blanche Alexander Dick, the well-known Ross-Music these." For a time Blanche Alexander Dick, the well-known Ross-Miladi with him, and those land mining expert, on behalf of promiwho had the good fortune to see them to nent capitalists, made a complete examin-gether beheld a performance that no two ation last week of the Pathfinder mine artists on the American stage could sur-

when I shall have paid the last tribute on respect to my deceased partner and friend, and erect a monument commemorating his memory and romantic exploits; then, and not till then, shall I feel happy.

The speaker was Robert Stevenson, a miner, who after 40 years intermittent search with varying success for the prec-

from fortune in placer mining in Cariboo in the and recorded it. The locality, roughly Champagne breakfasts, barbacues attended sions he got up for favored guests. Noth-ing daunted he determined to make a seconu clean-up, and started for the scene of his early triumphs. Conditions, during friends the former king of Cariboo, theu

well advanced in years, resolutely started to work on a new claim from which he expected great results. Fate, however, decreed otherwise. He fell ill, and died among strangers. He is buried on a bluff abreast of the goluen gulch which enrich

ed him in the early sixties. One can easily understand the generous motive that prompts b evenson to perform They already own the Montana stables the prospective act of kindness. He real- and the intention is to consolidate the izes that if his dead partner could express two. a wish, it would be to be laid to rest in the kirk yard overlooking the St. Lawr-ence. The career of Mr. Stevenson has likewise been crowded with perilous adventures and romantic experiences since he left home near Vankleek Hill, Ont. late in the fifties. The scene embraced deal for the purchase of the property, it and British Columbia. Long before the is understood, is impending. Mr. Dick artists on the American stage could sur-pass. O'Neill is a magnificent D'Arta-is understood, is impending. Mr. Dick stated that it would be premature to give to see Dumas' immortal creations live any details at this juncture. (Agnew's Ointment Will Soothe, cool and Heal It.

in the Chillicoten Indian war in the folhimself with giving us general directions.

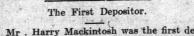
McLean's description, was the Mother Lode. The find consisted of a six-foot free milling quartz ledge. The mineral

boundary, in the heart of the Hope mountains. I brought out samples of the rock, and seven assays gave enormously high figures, which can be verified at the government assay offices Cameron found himself a poor man again. ter a month of ceaseless tramping over the summits, rediscovered the ledge. I intend to work the property in the spring. There is no doubt about its richness, and 1 feel that I have another fortune within

my grasp.' Mr. Stevenson exhibits some quartz that is literally bespattered with gold.

Purchased the Club Stables.

Mr. Harry Mackintosh and associates yesterday purchased the Club stables.



GREENWOOD INTELLIGENCS. Mineral Development in Progress in the of in o Boundary Country.

in our mining localities justly requires such legislation I do not see way they should not have it as against the sel-Greenwood, B. C., Dec. 14 .- [Special.] fish interest of half a hundred mine ownthe B. C. Copper company smelter, Greenwood, will be voted on on the 28th December. The bylew will ext the state of the bylew will be bylew bylew will be bylew by the B. C. Copper Greenwood, will be voted on on the 25th December. The bylaw will not, however, go into effect until a year from that date andthe money is not to be paid until 36,000 tons of ore have been smelted. At a meeting of the Council last night willcat" has never done much harm a letter was read from the minister of mines with reference to the application of the city to obtain permission to build been "wildeatted" out of from \$1 to $\pounds 2$

Mr. Harry Mackintosh was the first de-positor in the new Bank of Montreal. He deposited \$1,306.65 when the bank opened for business in its new quarters. A FIERY SKIN. not have any object in opposing it, unless some provisions were put in the bill that were likely to do injustice to other par-ties. Speaking for himself he thought us hope that these mine-owners will take note of the warning weather signals being its powers in undertaking such work, which should be left to private parties.

SMITH CURTIS. Rossland B. C., Dec. 20, 1899.

and if the general the great mass of

There is four feet of ore in the face of the drift in the Montana claim.

good grade. Since Decem has been running night an erage assay of the ore r tween December 12th and is \$8.50 per ton. On the the ore averaged \$12 per to and the concentrates wen and the concentrates wen enough wood on hand to l six weeks. The concentra forwarded to Penticton a returns should soon come

Is Pushing the

Mr. E. B. E Gillespie with his family from Peac has been for the past eight witt Mining & Develo which owns the claims nuarters of a mile west the west shore of Okano the west shore of Okano development consists of tapped the ledge after it 200 feet and the ledge b on both ways for 80 fee three and a half feet wide and copper, and the ore a to \$20 to the ton. A shat to a depth of 150 feet to depth. The company ha claims and is energetically velopment work. velopment work.

A Smelter for East

Mr. J. E. Saucier has absence of ten days in whither he went for the ining properties in which On the Pay Roll three sh The tunnel is now in fo ledge is seven feet in wi is a high grade galena. s a high grade galena. examined the property of Copper company, limited this property has been to company. Tenders have the sinking of a large sha this property is nine feet surface. The shaft is no surface. The shaft is no in depth. The people of have considerable faith is Roll and the Theo and have a future. Hon. Cole ed back from London on after a very successful t that he has secured the capital and has consider able for the purchase of mining properties. He sa sociates will erect a smel at some central point in Mr. Baker is one of the ers in the Theo Gold-Cop

Katie D. Green a

James Peterson, Joh Geeph Bernard, miners Latie D. Green mine, can