

FRENCH CABINET COUNCIL.

n removed from Revelstoke to Nelson.

ompany intend building a steel boat the lake trade. W. A. Bailie-Grohman, promoter of the e and the head of Kootenay lake, was iculed because the scheme was looked n as impracticable. But one of the ue the dyking work comm wing up a dyke that when completed nation company has a concession of r 35.000 acres of land in the valley, pro-

Had Judge Bond of Seattle, who held winter, employed a few ospectors instead of mining experts his reer in this country would not have ended such a ridiculous manner. One of his is, the Seattle, was relocated on Novper 15 by Dan McDonald Martin Manrer Black. They have a two-foot in, and get assays running from 200 to 00 ounces of silver per ton. Mike Keeley so relocated one of the Bond claims in October and values it at not one cent less han \$10,000. The vein is nine feet in vidth, and he has assays from it ranging

en, on Bear lake, to Franklin Farrel for Boards of Trade are to be organized at two chief towns on Kootenay lake. At

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rom 800 to 900 ounces. Although less than a year has elapsed ince the first transfer of mining property a Slocan district was placed on record, 200,934 in cold cash have been paid for neral claims situate in the district. here are now 750 locations on record in he office at New Denver. Assessment ork has been performed on 120 locations. work has been performed on 120 locations, mly 25 claims being abandoned. The ecords show that 300 bills of sale, agree-nents, and contracts have been recorded, and that \$554,500 is still due on sales and

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ow the Work Progresses-Trains to Ru From Spokane to Seattle by New Year's. No One to be Spared Who 'Is Guilty of Com-plicity in the Panama Frauds.

PARIS, Dec. 23 .- A cabinet council was held in the Elysee to-day. It was resolved turned yesterday from the Cascades. He that the Government would acquiesce in an unrestricted debate on M. Lucien Millevoye's interpretation regarding the alleged all possible speed. Track layers are now

voye's interpretation regarding the alleged use of money advanced by the Panama Canal Company in the service of the Gov-ernment. The cabinet is aware that the motion has been offered in a spirit of hos-tility to the administration, if not to the Republic. M. Millevoye has been known as an ardent supporter of General Boulan-ger, but President Carnot has given his de-cision that no one must be spared against whom there is evidence of guilty complicity in the frauds, and that the Government must welcome the most searching investi-tion. The Chamber of Deputies passed a vote of confidence in the Government to day by a large majority.

OFF TO SIBERIA! A Russian General Officer Sent to Siberia for

triking and Insulting His Superior. CHAMPION OF THE MASSES.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Information has been ceived here that the Czar has confirmed is Professional Laboring Man in England. received here that the Czar has confirmed the sentence of five years' penal servitude,

loss of rank and orders and exile to Siberia NEW YORK, Dec. 22. - A London despatch

reconly passed by a courtmartial at War-saw upon Gen. Reisenkampf, who was con-victed on a charge of striking and insulting his superior, Gen. Swistunow. The con-victed and disgraced general has a number of friends and acquaintances in this city, and visited the States a few years ago. The case has excited the greatest interest throughout Russis. Gen. Beisenkampf corps, of which Gen. Swistunow is com-mander in chief. Last autumn the latter arrival, he heard through the open door of the audience chamber his superior officer oundly abusing him. He restrained him. he sperior. Gen. Switter, The order in the strate with a superior of section at a salary of \$7.000 were stolen from the strate strate of the strate strate strate of the strate s

SPOKANE, Dec. 23. - Superintendent Allen of the Great Northern railroad restates that track laying on the switchback

across the mountains is being pushed with all possible speed. Track layers are now going down the west slope, and must lay nine miles from the foot of the mountain to reach the main line. He expects to make the connection on December 29, when the first train will be run from Spokane to Seattle, probably bearing President Hill and other officials of the Great Northern. Regular trains will be put on from Spokane to Seattle on January 1, but through pas-senger service from St. Paul to the Pacific coast will be delayed several days. The jubilees at. Spokane and Seattle over the completion of the road have been postponed until after through passenger service is established. The merchants here are pre-paring a grand reception for President Hill on account of the reduction of freight rates below terminal rates.

loss of rank and orders and exile to Siberia recently passed by a courtmartial at War-siw upon Gen. Reisenkampf, who was con-victed on a charge of striking and insulting his superior, Gen. Swistunow. The con-of friends and acquaintances in this city, and visited the supert given to the Liberal movement by the trades union element by appointing Henry Broadhurst to be Chief Inspector of Factories at a salary of \$7,000 and visited the supert given an allowance of \$25,000 a year

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fit to grant a handsome pension to Captain Harper Wilson of this city for his long and honorable service during United States. the war

As a preventive of the Grip Hood's Sarsapa rilla has grown into great favor. It fortilies the system and purifies the blood.