PRESIDENT METCALF GIVES THE RESULTS

Recommendations Made to Fruit Growers' Association Concerning Exhibits in the Northwest.

At the meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association, which has just been concluded at Nanaimo, the president, J. C. | cess and whithout the necessary to reperched at Wannipeg again for some time at lens

of our fruit and also as to the current prices for the same,
These cars were packed and loaded under the supervision of an expert packer brought in by the association from Salem, Ore. The packing of fruit was much improved over former years, as testimony was borne to this by parties receiving fruit. But there certainly is much room for improvement yet in this respect, because in doing so we do away with the oft repeated charge made against us of short weight in crates. It will fall to the ground and gradually drappear as we give greater attention to the packing of our fruits. Cars were all that could be desired in the matter of loading, only I would suggest here that fruits, such as pears, that have a tendency to ripen quickly after being picked, be loaded next to bunkers and at bottom of cars; fruits slower in ripening, such as appies, be loaded in centre, where mixed carloads are being shipped.

Three carleads were sulpped under the suspices of the association, and consigned to the following points: 1st car Wolseley, 2nd car Souris, 3rd car Melita, and were all about the same time in transit—seven days. The 4th car, from Vancouver Island, and consigned direct to the McPherson Fruit Co., Winnipeg, and by them forwarded to Holland, in southern Manitoba, was eight days to Winnipeg, and four cays more to Holland, in an 12 days. All these cars, with the exception of the first car, Woiseley, arrived in almost perfect condition. First car, Wolseley, had not been iced after leaving point of shipment. There was no ice in bunkers of Wolseley and Melita cars on arrival, car Souris naa possibly 100 pounds in each bunker of Wolseley and first care was no ice in bunkers of Wolseley and possibly 100 pounds in each bunker of a rivel, practically none as far as any bene-There was no ice in bunkers of Wolseley and Melita cars on arrival, car Souris nad possibly 140 pounds in each bunker on arrival, practically none as far as any benefit is concerned. Car from Vancouver Island, bear leed at North Bend and then at Winnipeg, and forwarded to Holiand, had been leed at North Bend and then at Winnipeg before being forwarded to Holiand, had practically none on arrival at Winnipeg, but had considerable lee on arrival at Holiand. Weather was cool and possibly had been iced just before leaving Winnipeg, it being a short run of 85 mites. Plum rot was evident to some extent in first car, Wolseley, and in some cars growers had used crates with basaces to pack crab apples. This is to be discouraged, as they are deceptive as to weight and are not used anywhere for that, purpose. Alwars was standard for that, purpose.

markets, and the possibilities of extension, it is extremely encouraging to note Calgary, Edmonton, Menicine Hat, Moosejaw, Regma, Indian Head, Qu'Appelle, Brandon, Portage la Prairie, Winnipeg and other places are points where fruit can be handled in carloads, whilst the smaller towns east and west, north and south, can be supplied by distributing from the larger points. I find a very increased demand for British Columbia fruit everywhere this season, owing mainly to the superior flavor of our-fruit over American. I also find very many points where they have not been able to obtain fruit heretofore, asking for and buying British Columbia fruit to such an extent that we are unable to supply the demand to a very small degree, particularly in plums, pears, pranes, crab apples and small, fruits. The country is apples and small, fruits. The country is within the Slocan mining division.

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3rd. By grading and packing carefully is cancelled, is cancelled.

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While on the other hand, neglect to all the defails will result in discouragement and loss.

Now to repeat in respect to transportation, it is absolutely necessary that our carriers of fruit assist us in the matter if we are to achieve success:

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20 YEARS OF VILE CATARRH.—Chas. On Brown, journalist, of Duiluth, Minn. writes: "I have been a sufferer from Threat and Nasal Catarrh for over 20 years, during which time my head has been stopped up and my condition truly miserable. Within 15 minutes after using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder I obtained relief. Three bottles have almost, if not entirely, cured me." 50c. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—73.

market is assured and that with a part of our growers and carriers, proint to us as fruit growers in this province.

J. C. METCALF.

GOVERNMENT E

In addition to this President Metcalf. as one of the delegates to the Winnipeg exhibition from the association, reported upon the display of fruit, etc., made. He favored the making of smaller exhibits at various points in the Northwest as a feature of next year's exhibition. The report follows:

To the Officers and Members of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association:

Gentlemen:—As one of the delegates appointed by your association to attend the winnipeg industrial earnotation in charge of exhibit on August 27th, 25th and 29th, I desire to state in the absence of Mr. Painer, who was associated with me in that capacity, that he has been suddenly and immediately called away, and that all the exact data collected by us was regisand Mr. Paimer has it in his possession.
But in a general way I may state that as an advertisement for British Commbin fruit and the possibilities of fruit growing in this country, it was a marked success any which the possibilities of the

Association, which has just been concluded at Nanaimo, the president, J. C. Metcalf, reported very fully upon the shipments of fruit to Manitoba last year. This report is of interest not only to the association but also to all fruit growers in the province. In this report the methods of packing and the condition in which the fruit reached its destination are all described and afford a valuable store of information for future guidance in such work. The report was as follows:

To the Officers and Members of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association:

Gentlemen:—I submit herewith a short report of fruit packed and loaded by your association and consigned to myself at different points in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories with the view of determining the carrying quadties of our fruit when packed and loaded under proper conditions, and further as to the extent and possibilities of these markets for the sale of our fruit and also as to the current prices for the same.

These cars were packed and loaded under the supervision of an expert packer brought in by the association from Salem, Ore. The packing of fruit was much mproved over former years, as testimony was borne to tails by parties receiving we make a number of smaller exhibits at the cannot complied applies, cherries tomatoes and blackberries, whilst we had from the province to decorative purposes, ivy, honly and cut flowers. The fruit arrived in excellent condition and stood up remarkably well through the three days of the exhibition, with two or three days of the exhibition, the fruit arrived in excellent condition and reverbed and for

to all the details required of us in these markets.

I would suggest here that another year we make a number of smaller exhibits at various points in the Northwest Territories.

In conclusion, I may say it was a wise move on the part of our association sending an exhibit just at this time to Winnipeg, and will result in great benefit to us as fruit growers in this province. I may also say we hope to present you with a dull report at our annual meeting in Victoria, to be held in the month of January.

J. C. METCALF.

ANOTHER RAILWAY IS NOTED IN GAZETTE

From Golden to the Coast-Batch Appointments and General Official Announcements.

Another railway is on the tapis. In the current issue of the Provincial Gazette Messrs. Harvey & McCarter give notice that at the next session of the legislature they will apply for an act incorporate the Kootenay, Cariboo & Pacific Railway Company, to construct Pacific Railway Company, to construct and operate a line of railway for the carrying of freight and passengers, commencing at a point on the Canadian mencing at a point on the Canadian contrary, he had been practically invited to make a statement by the detective, and rival at Winnipeg, but had considerable ice on arrival at Holland. Weather was cool and possibly had been iced just before leaving Winnipeg, it being a short run of 85 miles. Hum rot was evident to some extent in first car, Woiseley, and in some cars growers had used crates with basaets to pack crab apples. This is to be discouraged, as they are deceptive as to weight and are not used anywhere for that, purpose. Always use standard boxes for each variety of fruit. Our Bartlett pears stin present that irregularity in shape and russeded patches in appearance, but if wrapped, as they should always be, and proped, as they should always be, and proped and the course of the Course of the Nechaco and Skeena rivers, or by the most convenient route to tide water at or near Port Simpson, with authority to construct a branch line to the town of Barkerville, and other branch lines not exceeding 50 miles each in length.

The following companies have been incorporated: The Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Co., Ltd., capital \$100,000 in \$1 to the town of the course of the Columbia and Canoe rivers to a point at or near Tete Jaune Cache; thence northwesterly, following the course of the Fraser river to a point the course of the Fraser river to a point the course of the Fraser river to a point the course of the Nechaco and Skeena rivers, or by the most convenient route to tide water at or near Port Simpson, with authority to construct a branch line to the town of Barkerville, and other branch lines not exceeding 50 miles each in length.

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to such an extent that we are unable to supply the demand to a very small degree, particularly in plums, pears, prunes, crab apples and small fruits. The country is developing rapidly, people with money are coming in and buying up land everywhere, many branch lines of railway are built, more under construction and extension, rendering many points accessible at the present time that were not heretofore for the sale of our fruit.

Now, in view of these facts, the outless particularly bright and promising, in having these vast and increasing markets, comparatively speaking, so close to us, and unable in a commercial way to grow any variety of fruit for their own consumption. We, as fruit growers of wake up to the fact and make every endeavor to command and retain tist. By growing those varieties of fruit.

Now, in a five of the city of Greenwood, provincial constable, to be mining division.

Lewis Warner Patmore, of Fort Steele, to be a notary public in and for the kettle River mining division.

Lewis Warner Patmore, of Fort Steele, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia, and works for the Nelson division of any variety of fruit for their own consumption. We, as fruit growers, hardly realize in those provinces within our own confedence of the province of British Columbia, and works for the Nelson division of any variety of fruit for their own consumption. We, as fruit growers, hardly realize in those provinces within our own confedence of the province of British Columbia.

St. Magloirf, Que, Dec. 31.—There is no happier woman in all Quebec to-day than the good Dame Louis Brovosts. Two years ago broken in health and spirits she had almost resolved to give up the struggle. Too feeble to work, those markets for the sale of our various kinds of fruit.

GOVERNMENT BILLET

Appointment of Robert Renwick as Government Agent For Nelson a Popular One.

The appointment of Robt. A. Renwick, of Nelson, as government agent, assist-ant commissioner of lands and works for the Nelson division of West Kootenay, as announced in Thursday evening's issue of the Official Gazette, is certain to prove a popular one.

Mr. Renwick is widely known throughout the province, especially in this city, where he was employed on the staff of the News, not long after his arrival from the East. When the News went out of business he joined the staff of the Tribune at Nelson, remaining in the employ of Mr. Houston until this paper ceased publication, when he became connected with the Nelson News, establishd by F. J. Deane.

with men and affairs of the province. een appointed, with signal credit. Mr Renwick's official title is a rather conderous one, but he is brimfull of the energy of youth, and is not likely to be embarrassed by the following: Governnent agent and assistant commissione of lands and works for the Nelson division of West Kootenay, excepting the Slocan riding; gold commissioner for the Nelson, Arrow Lake and Goat River mining divisions; stipendiary magistrate for the county of Kootenay, and a court of revision and appeal for the Nelson as-

sessment district. He has been in this province about 12 ears, coming from Hamilton, Ont., his

Hearing Resumed in Police Court Friday Morning-Continued Friday Afternoon.

The hearing of the charge of robbery

The hearing of the charge of robbery with violence preferred against Conrade Sutter was resumed in the police court Friday morning and ultimately adjourned until the afternoon.

Two witnesses were examined, Edward Coleman, a moulder in the Albion Iron Works, and Detective Macdonald, who arrested Sutter at New Westminster. Goleman swore that he saw the accused enter the Leland bar room by the side door on the night of the 18th. The accused put a dollar on the bar to pay for drinks, and witness heard him say: "That sucker can't get away with me like that." There was another man with accused, and witness saw them both leave the place. They went up Princess avenue at a rapid pace.

Mr. More-by cross-examined the witness rather closely in regard to the remark he heard the accused make when he entered by the side door.

Detective Macdonald gave evidence as to arresting the accused in New Westminster.

Detective Macdonald gave evidence as to arresting the accused in New Westmin-ster. He said he read the warrant and warned Sutter, saying: "Con., you needn't tell me anything about this unless you like."

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4th. By using clean standard packages and putting our fruit up in an attractive form.

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5th. By care in marketing, handling and loading of cars for shipment.
6th. By asking and insisting on our carriers of fruit for better refrigerator cars, shorter time in transit and attention to examining and leing of the cars by someone whose duty it is to do so at icing stations throughout the trip.

Now, in conclusion, I may state for our growers, if we desire to command and example to do in the details outlined in this report. If we do so, we will find ready sale and an ever-increasing demand for our fault as the seasons come and go, at a fair price and profit to us as growers. While on the other hand, neglect to all the details will result in discouragement and loss.

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Now to report time in transit and attention to be held at Atlin on November 14th, 1902, is cancelled.

The North Fork Placer Company has tells it herself. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathizes with others and is anxiety in the story as Dame Brovosts tells it herself. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathizes with others and is anxiety in the story as Dame Brovosts tells it herself. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathites with others and is anxiety. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathites with others and is anxiety. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathites with others and is anxiety. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she sympathites with others and is anxiety. She never tires of telling it, for having suffered so much herself she st

from November 1st to May 1st; in North- and grew worse and worse. There was east Kootenay, from November 1st to three months I stopped taking everything

SEFARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Motion of Ald. McCandless Bearing On the "Chinese Segregation"

The question of segregating the Chinese pupils in the city schools will come ed on the bulletin board. The motion simply provides for an expression of ion on the part of the council regardwhich would mean the selection of a Creek. school oom for the use of the Chinese children has raised quite an agitation.

ture for school purposes, and as such Candless is desirous of obtaining from As a newspaper man-and a good one the city fathers an expression of opinion -he has been brought into close touch

on the question. His motion is as follows: "That in the and may be expected to perform the duties of the offices to which he has just trict should be created for the Chinese Silver Cup, Triune, Beatrice, Nettie L., pupils now attending the public schools, and a dozen others perhaps not quite so and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the board of school trustees."

MINSTREL FAVORITES.

West's Company Draw a Large Attendance-"Hunting for Hawkins" the Next Attraction.

minstrelsy has not lost its hold upon the and hear the popular West minstrels.

The regulation minstrel department inveloping ore bodies. troduced in the first part was in large itone singer. Another musical feature which was excellent in character was the arrangement of "Way Down Upon the Suwanee River," which introduces many Southern melodies given by a quartette. Billy Van in his monologues introduced

considerable new matter among his jokes. He was also ably seconded by John H. Among the special features of the entertainment deserving of special praise was the trick bicycle riding of the Zarrow trio. Their work was excellent, introducing as they did such wonderful

attractiveness of the second part also. . dent. TRADER LIBELED.

Claim For Forty Thousand Dollars Entered Against the Victoria Craft.

According to the Tacoma Ledger the collision between the two vessels. The ed in these properties by the knowing Ledger also reports that it is stated that the owners of the Trader will libel the Capital City for \$5,000, that being the though there is more than one exception extent of the damage which will be as- to this dictum, and for this we Lardeau serted. The Capital City has been raised from the beach of Dash point and towed to Seattle.

The method of raising the steamer was unique. Four powerful pile drivers were hauled alongside at high tide and after attaching hawsers to the boat she was raised by the engines on the floats. Being securely fastened, so that sinking was impossible, the tug Peerless took the scows and steamers in tow and hauled them to the beach at Old Tacoma. There it will be possible to fix her up so that she can go to the dry dock.

FATAL RESULT OF ACCIDENT.

John McNeil, of Humane Stables, Died This Morning at Jubilee Hospital.

John R. A. McNell, proprietor of the Humane stables, died Friday morning at the Jubilee hospital from the effects of a kick from a horse while driving. Ever since the accident the unfortunate man has been hovering between life and death, and but little hope was at any time held out by the attending physicians for his ultimate receivery. Deceased was 57 years of age and a native of Prince Edward Island. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and one daughter and a son. Mr. McNell was well known in Victoria, and his death will be received with general regret. The funeral is arranged to take place on Sunday from the family residence, 33 Frederick street. The death occurred yesterday at the Jubilee hospital of Miss M. Rollett. Deceased was 24 years of age and a native of Surrey, England. She came to this country last May. The remains have been removed to the parlors of W. J. Hanna, and the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon, the interment taking placed at the naval cemetery.

The funeral of the late Moses Nichols will be held to-diffy at 4 p. m. from W. J. Hanna's parlors.

The remains of the late John Thomas

Hanna's parlors.

The remains of the late John Thomas Williams were laid at rest yesterday morning, the funeral taking place from W. J. Hanna's parlors. Religious services were conducted by Rev. E. G. Miller. Deceased

was a native of Wales and was 42 years of

one of being able to find any remedy to save my life. I was so feeble I was unable to do anything. I suffered for sixteen years with Rheumatism. There were two years and a half I suffered from November 1st to May 1st. in Northeast Kootenay, fro

and I am well of my Bright's Disease and my Heart Disease and my Rheumatism. I am in perfect health and I am very joytul. Dodd's Kidney Pills saved my life."

From coal is obtained the means of producing over 400 shades of colors, a great various acids and medicines, insecticides, salts, sacebarin, fruit flavors, asphaltum, lubricating oils and varnish.

RICHES OF THE LARDEAU.

W. B. Pool Says Too Little is Known of the District.

W. B. Pool, who has recently put through a large deal with reference to ese pupils in the city schools will come before the city council at their regular meeting next Monday night. It will arise from a motion by Ald. McCandless, notice of which has just been post-with a representative of the Rossland with a representative of the Rossland World, declared that too little was known of his chosen field of operations. The free gold discoveries of recent date ng the creation of a new school district, had shown it to be a second Cripple

To instance this, reference need only punils whose association with the white be made to the Eva, bonded lately for \$200,000; the Rossland-Criterion-Oyster The school board, it is understood, may for \$95,000; the Beatrice, the Lucky establish an apartment for the purpose, Jack, Gold Finch, Camborne, among the in any portion of the city, and it is the most prominent of the too numerous gold Chinese pupils to this school. This, of course, would involve additional expenditure for school purposes and opinion of the mover that the city sup- properties of the Fish Creek country to must be met by the council. Ald. Mc- face showings. Nothing can more demonstrate the opinion of the experts on the real worth of this country, than this simple fact.

But besides this there are also silver well known.

The Lardeau country, entered on the northeast arm of Upper Arrow lake, and from the north, from Trout lake, is a district of some 1,000 square miles in extent. It is everwhere highly miner alized, full of timber and replenished by the greatest water power probably known even in such a country as Bri The attendance at the opera house last tish Columbia. The crag and fell for vening proved beyond any doubt that mation of the mountains lends itself readily to exploitation by tunnel, which, The house was crowded to see as is well known to mining engineers, is the easiest and cheapest method of de-

About four years ago he married the daughter of R. B. McMicking, of this city.

About four years ago he married the measure of the regulation stamp. Less attention, however, than is usual was paid to coon songs. Clement Stewart, may be said, generally, they are both The ore bodies themselves in so highly the tenor singer, who sang "In My Old Virginia Home," was accorded a great reception. Equally as good was the barmation, generally marking the low grade property, is almost entirely absent. But, unlike the Slocan, the ore bodies are not small, they run from 10 to 20 and 30 feet of free milling quality besides smelting ore. The silver lead areas are not as productive of so large leads in general, that is to say as far as the galena streak are concerned; but again, unlike the Slocan, these very silver leads are more often than not productive of gold and

gold copper values. The great drawback to the country at present is the lack of means of transportation. This is gradually coming and, acts as ascending a step ladder on a single wheel. The dancing of the Ford of the railroad and their penetration into brothers was also highly creditable, the intricacies of the Lardeau mining "Blootch," the singing dog, added to the region is becoming more and more evithe intricacies of the Lardeau mining

"Little, comparatively, has been shipped," said Mr. Pool. yet more than one mine has sent out more than sufficient to pay for its development. On the dumps are thousands of tons of ore awaiting treatment and transporation; in

the mines are millions. steamer Trader, of this port, which is owned by C. S. Baxter and others of Pool. "I am afraid to give you figures, Victoria, has been libeled by the owners but I am conservative in stating that of the steamer Capital City in the sum these run all the way from \$100 to of \$40,000 for damages sustained in the \$2,000 per ton. Capital has been investmen have to thank the assistance of our Rossland brethren in this particular."

LOCKED HIM IN.

Four Reformatory Boys Closed the Door on the Warden and Skipped.

Four of the reformatory incorrigibles escaped agian Fridy morning, the latest break being somewhat more sensational than previous escapades. Between seven and eight o'clock they got possession of the key and locked the warden, Mr. Hansen, in the place.

As soon as he became aware that he was a prisoner in the very institution over which he presided, the warden attempted to communicate with the jail authorities in the next building by ringing the electric bell. The youngsters, however, with Napoleonic foresight had cut the wires so that Mr. Hansen pressed the button in vain. By the time he was freed from his rather peculiar predicament the precious quartette had disappeared, and up till the time this paper went to press they were still at libetty.

Their names are Emory, Vasilatos, Hargraves and Forrest. The first two have escaped before. Four of the reformatory incorrig

LAND REGISTRY ACT. In the matter of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Section Forty-Eight (48), Spring Ridge, Victoria City. Notice is hereby given that it is my in-tention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the

above land, issued to George Stelly on the 12th day of March, 1881, and numbered 3374a. S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General Land Registry Office, Victoria, 25th day of September, 1902.

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the Share-holders of the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company will be held at the head office of the Company, Market Build-ing, Victoria, B. C., on Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1902, at 11 o'clock In the forenoon, at which meeting the general business of the Company will be considered. JAMES JEFFREY, Per F. M.,

VETERINARY COURSE BY MAIL—Farmers' sons wanted to take a practical veterinary course; the study is in the simplest of English language and completed at your home; the diploma granted on passing examination. Students desiring positions after graduating will be assisted; several are wanted now to fill positions. Write at once for full particulars. The Ontario Veterinary Correspondence School, London, Ontario, Canada.

Secretary.

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************************ MINERAL ACT.

(Form F.) CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

The "Tinto View" Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Che-mainus District. Where located: South end of Mount Brenton, Lot 65, Chemainus Dis-Take notice that I, Bobert Alian, free miner's certificate No. B70460, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder 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 improvements.

MINERAL ACT. (Form F.) CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE

ments.
Dated this first day of September, 1902.
ROBERT ALLAN.

VETERINARY COURSE BY MAIL—Farmers' sons wanted to take a practical veterinary course; the study is in the simplest of English language and completed at your home; the diploma granted on passing examination. Students desiring positions after graduating will be assisted; several are wanted now to fill positions. Write at once for full particulars. The Ontario Veterinary Correspondence School, London, Ontario, Canada.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D., 1902.

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similar work. 4. The average annual anthracite fields are mu average annual earnings requiring equal skill and 5. The rate of wages in coal fields is insufficient the mine workers, in view ous character of the occu and permanent disease,

rate and the short averag to this employment. 6. The annual earnings workers are insufficient t
American standard of livi
7. The increasel cost made it impossible to a standard of life upon th sent wages, and has not the mine workers from benefit from increased pro

made their condition poo workers are so low tha are prematurely forced in and mills instead of bein educated upon the ear

9. The wages are belo just earnings of mine w

dustry.
Second—A reduction of hours of labor without a earnings for all employe hour, day or week. The is similar to the first, in ed to increase the hour of mine workers employ week, and all the reason the first demand are aske to the second petition. In to we submit the followi 10. The 10-hour day is the health, life, safety ar

mine workers.

11. Shorter hours impr cal, mental and moral co mine workers. 12. Shorter hours in sity and efficiency of the 13. The tendency of the state government and of and of production gener

shorter hours.
14. A working day of ficiently long for the best working men of the con by which coal shall be w for by weight, wherever minimum rate per ton to a legal ton of 2,240 pound tials now existing at the to be maintained. This d account of the followi 1. Measurement by wherever practicable is t and just system of measings of mine workers.

2. When the operators port coal is on the basis of 2,240 pounds. 3. The excessive ton wa terded to compensate the weight of the small sizes were then discarded, but utlilized and sold, and is no present necessity for

other than the legal ton. 4. The adoption of this remove an incentive, bo ators and the worker, dishonesty, and would among the miners and discrimination and favori

5. The change of the