The Mineral Production has increased from \$2,608,608 in 1890 to \$7,146,425 in 1896.

The Production of the Lode Mines has increased from \$17,000 in 1887 to \$4,250,000 in 1896.

The Production of the Lode Mines rose from \$2,340,000 in 1895 to \$4,250,000 in 1896.

A Large Amount of Capital is now flowing into the Province to develop the mineral resources and New Districts, besides those now established, are proving to be Rich in Metalliferous Deposits.

Large Areas of Mineral Land are still open to location according to excellent and very liberal Mining Regulations.

Facilities for Transport and Communication are being rapidly extended.

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