pains to convey to the government its sairs to aid in every way in its power any action of the administration designed to foster or advance the mining industry. There is no doubt that an association like this, composed, as it now is, almost entirely of men actively engaged in either lode or placer nining, or in industries subsidiary to nining, can make useful suggestions or recommendations in respect to legslative or other action that a government may take. At the same time the convention did not hesitate to critiize what it considered were defects in the management of the bureau of mines a department of the admini. stration in which mining men naturally take a keen interest and to which they look for useful assistance. That the interests of the province would be advanced by the usefulness of the bureau being extended by larger appro. priations for its support was the animous opinion of the convention. The association has been engaged in preparing amendments to the Mineral and Placer Mining Acts, and .h se will be submitted to the legislature at its next session. Nearly every mining district in the province was represented at the convention. The meetin next year will be held in Vancouver. The meeting The objections hinted at in regard to past proceedings of the association are rather fanciful, for in point of fact that body has not from the first been concerned in "politics" in the rdinary sense of the word. Certainly its promoters and leaders had never any intention of making it a partisan affair. Now that the leading organs of the government have arrived at a more correct appreciation of the association and its work they may be ready to use their influence in baving the reforms which it advocates crystallized in legislation.

THE NEW JUDGE.

In selecting L. P. Duff, K. C., of Victoria, to fill the place on the supreme court bench left vacant by the irement of Mr. Justice Walkem the Oltawa government has made a wise hoice. The new judge is known throughout the province as an able lawyer and a man of high character in every respect. All the coast papers, respective of party, approve the apointment cordially. The Vancouver Province makes the following refernce: "The appointment of Mr. L. P. Duff, K. C., to the vacancy on the supreme court bench, created by the etirement of Mr. Justice Walkem, will give satisfaction alike to the legal profession and to the public. The thoice is a particularly happy one, as it adds to the judiciary of the province another man whose mental and physical powers are at their height, and who may therefore be confidently expected through many wears to occupy the bench with ever-increasing acceptance. As one of the keenest legal minds in British Columbia, with. did he desire to remain at it, the prosective leadership of the bar before lim, Mr. Duff will be missed by a large and increasing clientage, but his elevation to the judiciary will not be less gratifying to the people generally ause he has decided to devote to their benefit as judge the abilities as judge which he has so signally developed as a pleader."

The Conservative News-Advertiser and Colonist are no less commendatory. The former says: "Both with the bar, of which he has been one of the ablest members, and with the public, the appointment of Mr. Duff to the judiciary will be regarded with entire satisfaction. In the prime of life, we trust that Mr. Justice Duff will be pared to give the country the benefit of his services on the bench for many years, and with his integrity and ability, the bench of the highest court in the province will be still more capa-ble of dealing with the mass of bus-

THURSDAY	1904	ROS	ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER				
LIBERAL M.P. SPEAKS	will be an important one, inasmuch as Brandon is contemplating extensive	FOR GOOD	locked up the prisoner has been given every opportunity to see his wife.				
	public works. Major VanBuskirk's departure will	ION TOOD	Detective Rogers, of Toronto, was notified of Thamer's decision in re-				
W. A. GALLIHER ADDRESSED	be learned with surprise by most cit- izens. He had confided his intention to	OF MINING	spect to coming to Rossland, and last night the Ontario officer arrived here	The state of the state			
ROSSLAND LIBERALS LAST	a few only, and no formal resignation was required at this juncture, inas-	UF MININU	with the warrants for Thamer's ap- prehension. He leaves tonight for the	150-feet roll, 4 feet high	.84.75 For poultry and garden. Better than	old style. Of local dealer or us. Freight paid	
NIGHT.	much as he was among the five city officials discharged by the city council		east with his man. Thamer is stated to be well connect-	150-foot roll, 5 feet high 150-foot roll, 6 feet high	5.50 THE DACE WIE	E FENCE CO. LIMITED 253 Winnipeg St. John	
	on February 2. Of course this resolu-	C	ed in Ontario, a cousin, it is said, be	The second	D., General Agents, Victoria, Vancouver		
TALKED OF DRILL HALL AND OF MATTERS THROUGHOUT	tion was rescinded a few days since, but this did not affect Major VanBus-		name used by him on the forged pap-	the second second states and	to contra Agents, victoria, vancouver	and Kamioops.	
DOMINION.	kirk's position. When discharged on the 2nd inst, he was footloose and	Wake Up the Mines	er was that of Clemmons, a wealthy Waterloo county man, well known	ly rival teams from different towns.	JAPAN'S ELECTION.	the claim shall be deemed to be aban-	
DOMINION.	while the rescinding resolution was tantamount to the reinstatement of	Department.	throughout the district. The Spokane papers devoted considerable space to	has become inroughout Canada it te	Members of New Dist Chosen With	doned, and open to occupation and en- try by a free miner.	
From Friday's Daily.	all discharged officials, it could only take effect by the discharged officials		the case when it developed there, stat-	generally regarded as a trifle too strenuous for the average girl, and	out Disturbance	The boundaries of a claim may be	
Rossland Liberals had an excellent	accepting the new contract. In Major	Minonalogist Discussed	ing that Thamer was induced to re- main in Spokane pending further dev-	when ladies go in for the pastime they	TOKIO Mar 1-The general alac	defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yu-	
meeting at the board of trade rooms, the feature of the session being the	VanBuskirk's case he declined to ac- cept the new contract, having made		to him of a specified sum per dien	I they think the game as they play it	tion was held today in Japan and was without disturbance of any kind. An	kon Official Gazette. Hydraulic Mining, Yukon Territory—	
presence and speech of W. A. Galli-	other business arrangements elsewhere as stated.	Yesterday-Revolu-	Within a few days of arriving at this conclusion he agreed to come to Can-	for bockey to which enthusiasts have	imperial rescript convening the diet	Locations suitable for hydraulic min-	
her, M. P. The attendance was good and the enthusiasm manifested was	The city loses a valuable official by the departure of the ex-engineer. Ma-	tions Passed.	ada and surrender to the Canadian officials, and Rossland was selected for this purpose as being the nearest	become used. That hockey can be played, and played well too, by ladies	18th will be issued on March 2nd. This	five miles, and a depth of one mile or	
genuine and spontaneous. Mr. Galli-	jor. VanBuskirk came to the Golden City from Stratford, Ont., with a	and the second	for this purpose as being the nearest	has been demonstrated in Rossland, and last night's same was another in	most important bill to be presented is one which increases the land tax by	more, may be leased for twenty years, provided the ground has been pros-	
her was in fine form, and his remarks	splendid reputation for ability as an	VICTORIA Feb 25 The mask of	point on Canadian territory. As soon as this decision was reached the On-	dication of the fact. The teams lined up at \$:30 in the	1% per cent.	pected by the applicant or his agent; is found to be unsuitable for placer	
roused the members of the association into great appreciation. Generally	his occupancy of the office a number	this morning's session of the mining	tario authorities were advised, and Detective Rogers started west.	following order:	and the state of the state of the state of the	mining; and does not include within its boundaries any mining claims al-	
speaking, the representative's address	of important works were carried out and a thorough system of water works	convention was consumed in threshing out the complaints of mining men	The second second second second second	Goal	1.8m 2	ready granted. A rental of \$150 for	
was specially for Liberals, but at times he branched out into questions of wid-	control was instituted. A se of mun- icipal water records was started and	against the work of the provincial mineralogist. The different speakers	LIGHTING THE CITY	Mary Milne	" the set	each mile of frontage, and a royalty at the rate of two and one-half ver	
er interest and of local importance.	maintained which will be of great val-	alluded to their personal regard for Mr. Robertson, but they held that the		E. Blackman	SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS FOR	cent, on the value of the gold shipped from the Territory are charged. Opera-	
On the question of Rossland's drill hall Mr. Galliher gave the gratifying	Rossland generally will wish Maion	system followed was a direct injury to	SPECIAL SESSION OF CITY FATH-	Minnie Goninan	DISPOSAL OF MINERALS ON DO- MINION LANDS IN MANITOBA.	tions must be commenced within one year from the date of the lease, and	
assurance that there had not been, nor could there be, the slightest hitch	VanBuskirk every success in his fu- ture career,	the mining industry of the province. Mr. Robertson's methods were con-	ERS TO CONSIDER THE	Kittle Hamilton M. Corley	THE NORTHWEST TERRITOR-	not less than \$5,000 must be expended annually. The lease excludes all base	
in connection with the construction of	THE NEW GAME ACT.	trasted unfavorably with those of his predecessor, Mr. Carlyle, who, it was	QUESTION.	E. Demuth A. Buck Edna. Honey M. Buck	IES AND THE YUKON TERRI- TORY.	metals, quartz and coal, and provides	
the premises. There had been delays, but one of the prime reasons for this	Amendments Passed at the Recent	claimed, amid applause, had accom- plished much for the Trail Creek dis-	lu	Referee E. G. Conroy, Rossland.	Coal Coal lands may be purchased	for the witdrawal of unoperated land lor agricultural or building purposes.	
was the militia department's acquies- cence in the request for an extensive	Session of the Legislature.	trict by his reports. It was held that if Robertson had been in his place and	SOME LIGHT SHED ON VARIOUS	The ladies were most attractively costumed. Rossland wore dark skirts,	at \$10 per acre for soft coal and \$20 for anthracite. Not more than 320	PetroleumAll unappropriated Do- minion Lands in Manitoba, the North-	
addition to the original plan of the building. This enlargement was grant-	Following is the Game Protection	had got on to Red and Columbia moun-	POINTS NOW UP FOR CON-	white sweaters and dainty white toc- ques, while Revelstoke donned dark	acres can be acquired by one indivi- dual or company. Royalty at the rate	west Territories and within the Yukon Territory are open to prospecting for	
ed at the request of Rosslanders and necessitated the preparation of new	Amendment Act passed at the last ses- sion of the legislature. It is published	tains he would have given a report which would have made Rossland im-	SIDERATION.	skirts also, surmounted by green	of ten cents per ton of 2000 pounds	petroleum, and the minister may re- serve for an individual or company hav-	
plans, which, in turn, required to go	for the information of sportsmen:	possible. The prevalence of "lfs" and "buts" in Robertson's reports was	and the second s	sweaters and tweed caps. The local ladies' costumes were certainly most	shall be collected on gross output. Quartz.—Persons of eighteen years	ing machinery on the land to be pros-	
through the same official round as had the original plans. He had informed	"His majesty, by and with the ad- vice and consent of the legislative as-	strongly condemned, and it was held that his reports should deal with geo-	That the question of the lighting of	appropriate, especially the skirts, which hampered them less than those	and over and joint stock companies holding free miners' certificates may	pected, an area of 640 acres. Should the prospector discover oil in paying	
the department, however, that there was no reason why the extraction of	sembly of the province of British Col-	logical conditions only and not with mines.	the city will be one of the knottiest problems of the current civic year was	worn by the visitors. The latter, how-	obtain entry for a mining location. A free miner's certificate is granted	quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding	
stone for foundations of the building could not be proceeded, with at the		The Similkameen delegates voiced	demonstrated last night when the city		for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of		
present time, and supposed that the plans had reached here ere this. Next	"1. This act may be cited as the Game Protection Act, 1898, Amendment	the well known opposition to Robert- son in that district, where they say	council met informally to go into this and kindred matters respecting the	good looks and graceful skating.	\$7.50 per annum for an individual, and	will be sold to the discoverer at the rate of \$1.00 an acre, subject to royal-	
week he was leaving for Ottawa, and	Act, 1904.	prospectors dread his visits, as he only gives the camp a black eye. His re-	water and light supplies for the com-	skirts, and in five minutes the dis-	from \$50 to \$100 per annum for a com- pany, according to capital.	ty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council.	
it is his intention to take the matter ap immediately on his arrival there	"2. In this act the term 'deer' shall te construed as meaning quadruped	ports were in striking contrast with those of American engineers who had	munity. The immediate motive for the session was to consider the advisabil-		A free miner, having discovered coal in place, may locate a claim 1500x1500	JAMES A SMART.	
and insist that immediate action be taken. It must be remembered that	animals of the species of black-tailed	examined the same properties. The	ity of putting up the government fees	a little the best of the argument, and		Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. Department of the Interior, Ottawa,	
"large bodies moved slowly," but it was in his power, and he was glad to	deer and shall mean both old and young of these animals.		Trail creek applied for by ex-Mayor	combination play to a much higher		September, 1903.	
de it, to assure the citizens of Ross- land, and especially the members of	"3. It shall be unlawful at any time	models for such officials to follow. Col. Prior, who was present, said		degree than the visitors. The Revil- stoke forward line did not work to-	The claim shall be recorded within	NOTICE.	
the militia, that the building would go	to kill, except for actual use, on Van- couver island, to buy or sell any deer,	that Robertson was a good man, but he agreed that the system followed	for plans of the proposed water record.		fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one addi-	To delinquent co-owners:	
ahead at an early date, and that the government would come forward with	either alive or dead, or the skin or hide of any deer, and it shall be un-	was a bad one. He said that when he came into office he found the mineral-	He produced a neat plan prepared by order of the ex-mayor and showing	the other hand the Revelstoke defence was excellent, especially in Miss Cole-	tional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for re-	To B. Fenell, R. J. Baker, A. Trem- blay, Emilo Mirogaux or to whomso-	
all the funds required to finish it prop- erly, so that Rossland would have a	lawful, except as hereinafter men-	ogist doing a secretary's work, and he promptly appointed a deputy minister	a point of diversion-near the old Val-	man, who lifted the puck as cleverly as did Miss Goninan. Rossland's for-	cording a claim is \$5.00 At least \$100 must be expended on	ever they may have transferred their	
drill-hall of which every citizen would be proud.	tioned, to export from British Colum- bia any deer, or skin or hide of any	to do the clerical business, leaving the	was to conduct the water approxima-	ward combination quickly put the vis- itors on the defence, and this was the	the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof, When	interests in the Oro Plata mineral claim, situated on Sophie mountain,	
Touching on the interests of the Lib- eral party generally, Mr. Galliher said	deer. "4. Section 4 of the Game Protection	mineralogist free for field work. He agreed with a number of the delegates	where a total fall of 300 feet was se-	story of the first half, which resulted	\$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey	Trail Creek mining division. You are hereby notified that I have	
the party was in an extremely satis-	Act, 1898, is hereby repealed, so far as it prevents the exportation of deer	who thought there should be a staff of mineralogists. Col. Prior strongly ad-	VanBuskirk said 100 inches of water		made, and upon complying with the	expended \$100.00 in labor and improve- ments upon the above mentioned min-	
factory condition throughout the Do- minion. It was said by the Conserva-	skins or hides from any port in Brit- ish Columbia between the 21st day of	vised the convention not to adopt some of the resolutions offered, which were	could be secured, but 500 inches was altogether out of the question, unless,	6, Revelatoke 1.	other requirements, purchase the land at \$1.00 an acre.	eral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within 90 days	
tive press at the time of Mr. Tarte's defection from the party that his in-	March, 1904, and the 1st day of July,	too sweeping in their character, but to adopt one strongly recommending	as was Mr. Dean's idea, the flow in Trail creek should be very largely aug-		Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate	from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion	
fluence would be prejudicial to Liberal interests in the province of Quebec, but	1904, both days inclusive. "5. It shall be unlawful at any time	to the government such a course as	mented by water brought in by min- ing companies for concentrating pur-	they have practiced under the disa-	claims containing iron and mica, also	of the above mentioned sum, which is now due, together with all costs of	
recent bye-elections had disproved this atterly. A number of cabinet changes	to take, catch, kill, or have in posses- sion any trout of any kind or species	they wished it to pursue. He said the government would be very foolish	poses and turned into the creek after use at the mills. Such a contingency	vented practice altogether, while the	area not exceeding 160 acres.	advertising, your interest in said claim	
had necessitated these elections, and	under the size of six inches in length, and it shall be unlawful to take, catch,	which attempted to ignore the asso- ciation and did not avail itself of the	was, in Major VanBuskirk's epinion, too far in the future to be practicable	Rossland girls have had skating al- most without interruption since De-	shall provide for the payment of roy-	will become the property of the under- signed under section 4 of the "Mineral	
the Liberals had not lost a single seat. In Hochelaga and St. James the test	kill or have in possession any troat of any kind or species, except steel-	expert advise which the latter was able to offer.	as a basis of figuring at this juncture	tone alabed and ingite o gointo the tible	alty on the sales not exceeding 'ive per cent.	Act Amendment Act 1900." Rossland, B. C., Feb. 10, 1904.	
had been especially comprehensive, particularly in St. James, where there	head trout (Salmo gairdneri) between	This suggestion was adopted, and a resolution offered by Mr. Kirby was	the present time a plant at the point.	which they are certain to turn to ad- vantage on Monday night, and it is	Placer Mining, Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Terri-	GEORGE AGNEW.	
was a Conservative stronghold if one existed in the province, where a strong	the 15th day of November on any year and the 25th day of March in the fol-	passed. It asked the government to	selected by Mr. Dean would probably develop 100 horse power, and 150 horse	safe to predict that the Rossland girls will have a much harder task to car-	toryPlacer mining claims generally are 100 ft. square; entry fee, 55 re-	NOTICE.	
man had run in the Conservative in- terests and where Mr. Tarte's influ-	lowing year, and it shall be unlawful to take, catch or kill any steelhead	improve the efficiency of the mines de- partment and bring it into closer touch	power would be the maximum which any estimate could embrace.	ry off the laurels in tomorrow's match.	newable yearly. On the North Sas- katchewan river claims for either bar	At an Extra Ordinary General met-	
ence had been exerted to the utmost. The outcome was a triumph for Liber-	trout (Salmo Gairdneri) above tide- water between the 15th day of Nov-	with the mining, smelting and reduc- tion works in the province.	That 150 horse power is a bagatelle as compared to the amount required for	The Reveistoke girls accepted their defeat with equanimity and a sports-	or bench, the former being 100 feet	ing held jointly by the shareholders in	
alism, however, and the return of cab-	ember in any year and the 25th day of March in the following year. This sec-	The committee appointed yesterday to look into the state of the tariff	a civic lighting plant was evidenced	womanlike attitude that won them many friends.	long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes	the "Keremeos Copper Mines, Limit- ed," and the "Pontias Copper Mines,	
inet ministers by acclamation was a further evidence of the situation in	tion shall not apply to children under	with regard to mining machinery and supplies reported although much of	by the statement that 500 horse pow- er would be required to operate the	the second s		to amalgamete said companies under	
Quebec. The Conservative press was making	(15) years of age. "6. It shall be lawful for the Lieu-	these came under the head of free	be in use in the city at the pesent	WOMAN'S DANGERS	ceeding 1000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be		
much of the Liberal defeat in St. John; but he was prepared to show that Lib-	tenant-Governor in Council, on good cause shown, by proclamation in two	goods, a too rigid construction of the law resulted in a great deal of trou-	time, exclusive of power for the arc lamp system. Major VanBuskirk said.	MOMANS DAMULAS	obtained.	of the new company \$2,500,000. Said resolution was confirmed at a	
als need place no significance on this incident. St. John was an unreliable	successive issues of the British Col- umbia Gazette, to declare a closed sea-	ble. The committee recommended that the Dominion government be urged	however, that the site proposed by Mr. Dean would be suitable for acivic		Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yu-	subsequent General Meeting on the	
constituency, returning Liberals and	and for deer all months	to introduce such amendments as may seem necessary to secure the free in-	plant, using the water power avail- able for one generator and obtaining	THE LIVES OF ALL WOMEN BE- SET BY SECRET TROUBLES.	kon Territory.—A free miner may ob- tain only two leases of five miles each	19th day of July, 1908. (Rigned) A. C. SINCLAIR, Proc.	
Conservatives in rotation. The with- drawal from the government of Mr.	goat, or any one or more of same, in	troduction of machinery exclusively for mining purposes which is not of a	the balance of the power required by steam or leased electrical power, He	A Simple and Certain Method by	for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of	W. H. DANBY, Secretary. Romand, B. C., July 21st, 1963.	
Blair, who did not, however, withdraw from the Liberal party, was one of the	lod of time.	class manufactured in Canada. The report was adopted.	was unable to give an estimate of the	Which the Ills of Girlhood and Womanhood May Be Overcome.	the Interior. The lessee's right is confined to the		
influences that worked against the Lib- eral candidate. for Mr. Blair had a	"7. Any person offending against the provisions of this act, or of any	Sir Henri Joly was present during		Every woman's health depends upon	submargad had or hars of the river	THE RAZOR'STEEL, SECRET TEM	
very, wide, circle of personal friends	resulations under it, shall be liable	the morning, being received with loud	specifications on which the enterprise	has blood the data and the	the sights of all parsons who have or	ALL AND ALL AN	

