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on the wing," on Monday. He has had prior to the breaking up of the house the opportunity of imparting his knowlhas already brought many men back edge of British Columbia affairs to many from their pleasure jaunts, for it is telt very prominent business men, members that although dull markets may occa- of parliament and editors, opportunities sionally be left to look after themselves, in fact which are enjoyed by few. active departments present too attract-

### The Vancouver Smelter.

ive possibilities to be disregarded. I have been told by several that they The two markets just now are Yan-The two markets just now are Yan-kees (rails) and Kaffirs, and the great activity in the latter, which has been witnessed has to a certain extent de-internet of the the data of the build of the buil witnessed, has to a certain extent de- ital. This tallies with what I told you tracted from the newly formed British a few weeks ago, but for want of some-Columbian section, which, as I informed thing more definite I am not inclined to you in my special dispatch last week, is attach much importance to these state- building is completed. now accorded a little corner all to itself ments.

July and August it has been studiously

mate cause of complaint, for throughout

BONDED FUR \$50,000.

cultivated by every one who ever essays Joe Martin and Smith Curtis Acquire to follow contemporary events. Of Two Christina Lake Mines. GRAND FORKS, Aug. 24.-[Special.]course the Yukon and Klondike sections are chiefly responsible for all this, but in many quarters I find people disposed to think that this rush barristers, of Rossland, were in the city to Klondike must do good to British yesterday. They closed a deal last Sat-Columbia, for as a necessary preliminary urday whereby the St. Elmo property at means the bank is going in for Kootenay camp under favorable conditions, showto becoming interested in the more Christina lake changed hands, the con- business. literature they can secure about Cana-dian mining, and in this way your prov-down at the time of the sale the balance ince is quite well known here, and that to be paid in six and twelve months. is one of the prime necessities to ensure The St. Elmo was owned by a Mr. and the erection of a substantial build- of low grade ores and of the excessive your being taken up. Promoters who, twelve months ago, would not look at a and is a high grade proposition. The twelve months ago, would not look at a British Columbia property, are now closing of this deal has created quite a with the business public. eagerly asking for options and proper- stir all through the lower country and ties, and offering big sums for them. especially at Christina lake, as the gen-The tide has turned, and I hope that it eral impression is that the development will steadily flow on. Those of us here of the St. Elmo will bring more Rosswho have followed events closely in land capital into that section.

Columbia companies that have been above named gentlemen. launched during the past week or two. I hear that there are 50 more prospectuses ready to be launched in September only business of any importance that

and October, and from the temper of the market regarding the promised land I sidewalk bylaw a third time. can well believe this possible. Capital. Klondike Mining, Trading and Trans-

British Columbian and New Find Gold-500,000 is being made preparatory to the appli-Klondike Pioneer syndicate,..... 25,000

who, it is understood, is to have charge meeting; John B. Hastings, manager of of the branch to be opened here. Mr. the War Eagle and Crown Point mines; Dickey went with Mr. Pease and Sir George T. Crane and Frank Loring, of the arrived yesterday afternoon. Coun-Charles Ross to Victoria. He is ex- the Josie mine; John F. McCrea, man- cilmen Raymer, Fraser and McPherson via Nelson, the nearest postoffice, 30 pected to return within the next two ager of the Iron Colt mine; John R. were present. A communication was miles away, and the merchants are glad weeks, when he will open the new bank. Cook, of the Monita mine: Harold read from the committee appointed by It distribute the mail on account of the Monte Cristo and Co- the meeting of citizens held Friday patronage it brings them. an option on the two lots owned by Mrs. lonna mines; F. P. Low, A. B. Clabon, afternoon in Dominion hall in regard to Garrison on the northwest corner of C. O. Lalonde, John R. Reavis, Alex- the new sewerage system. In the com- ing the trail up the San Poil river from

tenay hotel being used until the new stated the object of the meeting. The entirely, and it was placed on file.

The Merchants' bank of Halifax is one transportation facilities to some suitable for the present, and the men will be laid of the oldest and best known banks in smelting point on the Columbia river. off and paid up to date. among the quotations of mining shares in the leading financial journals of the day. **Klondike and Kootenay.** But British Columbia has no legiti-mate cause of complaint, for throughout Smith, Henry G. Bauld, Hon. H. H. of not to exceed \$7 per ton. He thought A bylaw was passed authorizing the

ern Canada, chiefly in the maritime to make available the low grade ores of Jee Martin, ex-M.P., and Smith Curtis, provinces. At present there is no the camp. He then quoted from the branch west of Montreal, and the estab- memorial issued last week by the citizens lishing of a branch in Rossland is alto- of Rossland on the subject of an export gether a new departure. It undoubtedly duty on ore as to the tonnage of the

NEARLY A BAD ACCIDENT.

& Northern Train.

The north bound passenger train, on favorable. British Columbia believe that prosperity and progress will advance hand in hand. Klondike Companies. Your readers may be interested in the following little table, which shows the following little table, which shows the various Klondike, Yukon, and British number of ladies, was neither of the columbia companies that have been jamming on of the air in a manner that two or three times that much, which There was an adjourned meeting of the showed the engineer meant business. could be shipped. It would take a year city council last Monday afternoon. The The train was brought to a standstill in to get out the ore they had on hand. a remarkably short distance, but none About \$400,000 had already been spent was attended to was the reading of the too soon. Just in front of the cow- in work of the War Eagle, and probably

catcher was a boulder on the track, 15 times as much more would be spent. Thursday. Fred Wollaston, P. L. S., is busily enweighing a ton or two. It seems that a lad from Boston, he believed there were other pieces of gaged surveying three well known claims

named John Allan, was making his way ground in the camp, outside of the War to Rossland on foot. He came on the Eagle, Centre Star, and Josie, which boulder lying on the track and walked would be found to carry very large ore on the nearest house, half a mile away, bodies. to report it. The rancher informed him John R. Reavis mentioned the fact

crying need of the camp was better | It was decided to stop all street work

Fuller, M.L.C., and the Hon. David the ore should be carried to the smelter city to borrow \$25,000 pending the re-McKeen. The head office is at Halifax for 50 cents a ton. Low rates for trans- ceipt of the money from the sale of the and there are several branches in East portation and treatment were necessary bonds and the council then adjourned.

> ROSSLAND'S DEBENTURES. Offer of Par by a Toronto Firm Will

Be Accepted.

A telegram received Thursday from ing it would be possible to produce 2,500 issue of debentures. Toronto people

Howing Mr. McMillan was a short

ronto people, and all of the bids ranged closely around par. One party proferred

years, which was the highest tender Roi company": made in the latter class.

The negotiations just concluded Mayor Scott and the finance committee are not final, but will need to be confirmed by the city council.

Mr. Scott started for Rossland on This meant a very large business, but

# MAYOR SCOTT HOME AGAIN.

Found That Rossland Stood Well Eastern Financial Circles.

Mayor Scott got back again Tuesday of doing.

LOOKS LIKE A BONANZA.

Very High Grade Ore.

"A force of men is now at work widenthe Columbia, but it is uncertain whether or not the wagon road will be completed this fall. Its completion will on these, the present saloon of the Koo- Chairman McMillan clearly and briefly cilmen were disposed to ignore the letter mark an epoch in the ltfe of the camp, for at present all freight must be hauled in from Marcus, Wash., via Grand

Forks, a distance of about 75 miles. "Prospectors have taken up nearly all

"The Republic, the prize property of the district, is now employing about 60 men on the two claims owned by the company, and a number of other properties are being developed in a desultory way, while blasting is almost continuous in the neighboring hills.

"For several weeks past considerable attention has been paid to Ballarat, the Mayor Scott announced that he had new camp in Okanogan county. A succeeded in floating the city's entire large hill, well veined with the same decomposed porphyry that characteri

100 net for the 20-year bonds, and as left Eureka for the new camp on the night that the news of the find was received."

LE ROI COMPANY'S POLICY

Authoritative Statement of the Management as to Northport Smelter.

Spokane Spokesman - Review : The following statement was last night given out by the Le Roi Mining and Smelting company for publication. It was announced that it was made public "for the purpose of setting the minds of the people right as to the location of the Le Roi smelter and the attitude of the Le

"The Le Roi company has taken the position that it was to the best interests of the company, all things considered to erect its smelting plant at Northport, and it has already outstanding contracts for machinery and construction of the buildings which would make it practically impossible for the company to recede from its position, if it had any disposition to do so, which, in view of all the facts, it has not the slightest intention

from his eastern trip. He was looking "The smelter will be constructed and

mine were assured they would make legal fee of \$100, so that the municipality will realize \$49,900 net from the issue. Five offers were received, all from To-

money by holding their ore for better ready to take out if the conditions were

John Allan's Bace to Save a Spokane rates. The Josie had 25,000 tons of ore

& Fort Sheppard t ledge of pyritic which assays \$26

cotland) Evening ontains an inter-B. Bogle, who was cottish capital, on ndike placers and try of British Co-Rossland in par-

#### Debentures.

ittee of the city number of offers res, and will probke action upon the nge closely around ntire issue of de-\$50,000, and runper cent. es Rutherford. utherford, wife of ell known in this ome on the Little he city of Spokane, an illness of two rn at Northcote, was a woman of

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Klondike-Yukon Exploring syndicate... 25,000 Exploiters & Investors' trust (new issue\*) 25,000 To fit out expedition to British Columbia and Yukon, etc.

Gossip of the Market. As illustrative of the continual advance of interest in British Columbia I might tell you that Mr. W. F. Regan, so closely

desia, believes in Canadian mining. He the needs of the city's schools. Col. The lad was taken on board the train, day within a year. told me so himself the other day, and Baker was very favorably impressed and as soon as the obstruction was reclaims that three representatives he sent with .Rossland, and decided that the moved it proceeded to Northport. Here up to the Klondike at the beginning of schools needed considerable enlarge- he was given dinner by the conductor the year are the first who reached that ment. After consulting C. O. Lalonde, and introduced to the conductor of the far land as agents of London financiers. chairman of the local school board, Col. Rossland train, who brought him on Rossland two years ago when the Le Roi net." Mr. Cohen, of the Cassiar concessions, Baker announced that he would at once here. Among the passengers was W. J. and War Eagle were the only two mines is still busy with his plans, which have endeavor to secure from Mr. Corbin the Harris, of the Le Roi mine, who took much spoken of. He had talked with a not, however, fructified yet, so far as I gift of 20 lots in block 35, first railway the lad into his care, and he will be representative of the Kansas City Smeltcan gather. Mr. J. E. H. Moneypenny is hard at work, while Mr. Gerson is as of the city. If Mr. Corbin will give this busy as a bee. Many schemes are being land to the city the government will at was young Allan's remark, when several first thought of Arrowhead as the right from the Lardo country, where he has tion and has been most liberal in his hatched, but I do hope that they will not be killed by over-capitalization at school house upon the property, which the outset -a danger which is ever will be completed within 60 days from

the time the province receives a deed to present. The Cottonwood River company has the land in question.

decided to increase its capital, but this Colonel Baker also looked over the building and grounds of the present is a concern which has never attracted school house, situated in the south part By-the-bye, the Statist last Saturday of town. He was fully impressed with Spokane it is learned that the proposed much notice. By-the-bye, the Statist last Saturday of town. The was fully impressed with new contract between F. Aug. Heinze had come to him in Mon-our leading financial weekly news- the necessity for improvements here, new contract between F. Aug. Heinze and asked if the C. P. Chloride of silver, black sulphurets, the company is now making in the mine, (our leading financial weekly news-paper) severely criticized Tupper's new company, and truly it seems a preten-company, and truly it seems a pretentious cover-all-the-world kind of creation. school-yard could be purchased. If ad-urday night. The proposition of Mr. not object, but that Rossland was in C. Topping will put a force of men to work below its present workings.

Whiteman in London. G.F. Whiteman has just arrived. He called on me today to tell me that his four rooms. This addition, with the of \$11 per ton, and to enter into a new Rossland in the future as it might think address until further notice will be six-room building to be erected in the contract for an ore supply for his plant best. Tyler Hill, Canterbury, England. He upper part of town, will give the city for a term of four years from date at a "The C. P. R. is a powerful company," was very pleased to hear that a market school accommodation comprising 10 rate said to be in the neighborhood of he continued, "and we do not want to had actually been started during his rooms. passage. He hopes to do some good Pending the completion of the con- unwilling to bind itself to pay this rate same time I will say to you we are going

usiness before he leaves us. I am told that the African Estates school board was authorized to open matter rests. company, another big Kaffir company, another primary school on baseball flat, is becoming largely interested in your and for this purpose a sixth assistant will

province, another welcome recruit. be employed. Klondike Company Promoters. Death of J. L. DeVoin.

The interest in Klondike, which is J. L. DeVoin, of the firm of DeVoin &

being carefully fostered by the press, Sons, brokers, diel Saturday in Tacoma, the present workings, and a few shots and that something will be satisfactory who must regard it as a godsend to tide sustained by new issues, which are standing. About six weeks ago he went ore show a value of \$70.27 in gold, with over the great gooseberry season, is still meeting with very fair support, consid- to Tacoma, with his wife and two no tests for copper or silver. The lead erably more than was given to any British daughters in hopes of bettering his con- is well defined and runs parallel to the question of fuel supply. He thought erably more than was given to any British daughters in hopes of bettering ins out the work is being done. They Robson would be the smelting point for day by Azulay & Co.: 1,000 Monte during the past year. The Klondike death came on Saturday. The funeral all run east and west cutting the forma- the Rossland camp and he thought he Mines Trading and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company held was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company held was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company held was held yesterday in Tacoma. His son, belows to the Canada Mutual Mining and Transport company held was held yesterday and was held yesterday and was held yesterday and was held yesterday and was held yesterday held was held yesterday and was held yesterday held y Mines Trading and Transport company is another of John Lawles' promotions and this time he has associated with the last a and this time he has associated with the present at the burial.

ROSSLAND'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS. Col. Baker's Plans to Provide Ten due, and the lad at once started back to Booms-Another Teacher Allowed. the scene of the slide on the run. He could ship 800 tons-a day if favorable his time was spent in Galt, his old home, ever by Jannary 1 next. It will be de-The Hon. Col. Baker, minister of got there just in time, as he was less rates could be secured. Mr. Reavis also in Toronto and other signed for smelting its own ores and will

identified with the development of Rho- a short time in Rossland investigating tion, and signalled the engineer to stop. Monte Oristo could supply 100 tons a

NO NEW CONTRACT SIGNED.

will be increased in size from two to be treated at a freight and smelting rate the way of its making such rates to \$8.50 per ton. The Le Roi company was come in and crush Mr. Heinze. At the

Little Giant Strike.

Another strike has been made on the

Little Giant mine, situated on Lookout made up as to some things, and when I mountain. A few days ago a new ledge get back home and see our directors I was uncovered about 100 yards south of think we shall be able to say something,

Wash., of internal complications of long put in. Assays made today from the to Rossland." (Great applause.)

Vice President Shaughnessy then ad- and can point to no higher proof of the accomplish the result desired.

dressed the meeting. He said he was in

ing company at the time about building

ores were so little understood that it was group, three miles from Trout lake. ized any statement to the contrary.

invested a large sum of money.

templated improvements, the local for more than two years, and there the to see that Rossland ores are smelted in

Coke for \$5 Per Ton.

Mr. Shaughnessy then went into the

mines and education for the province, went north yesterday, after having spent be and pouring with perspira-went north yesterday, after having spent be and pouring with perspira-went north yesterday, after having spent be in the right side of the becauted. Intrate and the for the purchase of the spoke of ore bodies in the Sunset, Cliff, Wr. Kingsmill said the Colonna and be secured. Intrate and the for the purchase of the spoke of ore bodies in the Sunset, Cliff, Be in the market for the purchase of other ores from mines in British Colum-bia and elsewhere. James Breen super-

considerably more financial assistance intendent of the Le Roi smelter, is on from the east. I gave my personal at- the ground at Northport pushing the tention to floating the city's debentures, work as rapidly as men and money can

confidence felt in Rossland than the fact "The relations of the Le Roi company that I was able to float the bonds at par, with D. C. Corbin are at present and

always have been perfectly satisfactory on both sides. There are no straiged relations between Mr. Corbin and the Ethel Group, Near Trout Lake, Has Le Roi company, and never have been. Mr. Corbin has shown the Le Roi com-

Col. E. S. Topping, of Trail, is back pany the utmost courtesy and consideraacquired two claims known as the Ethel of the Le Roi company has ever author-

finally decided it would not be safe to They are situated on Broken hill, about "The Le Roi mine has developed into Heinze and Le Roi Company Have Not build the smelter at that time. Later on half a mile from the big glacier. The a great ore producer and the present Mr. Heinze came into the field and edge where exposed is wide and strong output, which amounts to 250 tons per From a gentleman just back from built a smelter and a railroad, and had and carries extraordinary high grade day, will in all probability be increased ore. Besides running well in gold the to 400 tons per day during the next five Mr. Heinze had come to him in Mon- ore has big values in silver and copper. or six months by the development work

> "If the Le Roi company should decide to concede 100 tons or more per day to the Trail smelter, this would not inter-

fere with the active operation of the J. H. Good informs us that there is a company's own plant at Northport, as Portland, Ore., company, incorporated there is every reason to believe that by the time the smelter is completed as the Rossland & Deer Park Gold Minthere will be furnished from the resering company, operating in the camp vation and other points contiguous to

and it is probably the company to which Northport 150 tons per day."

More Drills for the Le Roi. The Le Roi company is adopting In-S. Cohen, of Portland, Ore., is president gersoll-Sergeant drills for its mine, havand Mr. Conley, owner of the Imperial block, is local agent. The company ing placed an order with J. D. Sword, owns the Bald Head and Mountain Key agent of the Ingersoll-Sergeant Drill near the Northport wagon road, a short company, for six E24 Sergeant drills, which will be delivered immediately, distance this side of the international boundary line and is at present developmaking nine ordered in the last six weeks. This will make a complement of 30 drills, and as an evidence of the Rossland Mining Market.

The following sales were made Satur- large amount of mining development and ore stoping going on in this mine, it may be stated that of all the large

> Weeks, Rennedy & Co. BROKERS.

ditional ground be secured, as it doubt- Heinze was to cancel the old contract, P. R. territory and that the company on the property at once and expects to less can, the present school building under which about 20,000 tons remain to would not allow anything to stand in be shipping ore in 30 days.

The Second Deer Park Company.

John Thorn, of San Francisco referred British Columbia. I hoped to meet Mr. Heinze here and have an understanding in his letter to the editor. D. with him. I can not now make any definite announcement, but my mind is

ing these properties.

