Heddle and W. Mowett.

the ore is free milling:

mine today to continue development

which for the present will consist in sink-

ing the winze already started in the main

tunnel: This winze win be sunk to a

depth of 100 feet, and then drifts will be

run both ways on the vein. The vein in

should leave a very handsome profit, as

A large amount of work has already

been done on the Birdseye group, and the

be felt at the prospect they now have of reaping a good reward. D. Wilson, who

came out from England a few weeks ago

HIGH GRADE ORE.

Runs Over \$200

Mr. D. Snyder, superintendent of the

Saeridan camp nine miles northwest of

Republic, arrived in the city yesterday.

the Zala M. will be shipped to the Trail

smelter in a few days and it is estimated

I wenty-two men are employed in develop-

ment work on the mine. The stock of the

The Road Will Help Grand Forks.

Mr. W. K. C. Manly, hardware mer-

chant of Grand Forks, is in the city. He

came over for the purpose of accompany-

on their way to California, whither tuey

constructed from Grand Forks to Repub-

ic it will be of great help to the former

Forks, which is promised by Denver capi-

for a pyritic smelter, will also help mat-ters along. Rossland, he says, has im-

years. This is so much the case that he

Two Feet of Ore Met.

At a depth of 72 feet in the winze of the

No More Smallpox.

Dr. Reddick, the medical health officer,

thinks that the threatened smallpox epi-

demic is nearly over, but the regulations

will be enforced for some time as a mat-

ter of precaution. Two of the patients

at the isolated bospital will be released

wife and two children thus far

and Trail citizens

ergetically pushed.

THE CAMP'S OUTPUT

Shipments for January and February 31,972 Tons.

LE ROI IS STILL THE LEADER

The Green flountain Shaft Has Reached the 300 Foot Level and is to be Extended Amother 100 Feet -Late East Kootenay Mining Notes.

So far as it has been possible to obtain them, the corrected figures for the ore shipsmelter returns. Those from the War Eagle, Centre Star, Iron Mask and Monte The Evening Star had a car sent out yes- of blocked and stoped ore ready

| 31,972 tons, as shown in Le Roi 9,198 | 3,245.5 | 12,443.5 |
|--|---------|----------|
| War Eagle 8,221.5 | 2,381.5 | 10,603 |
| Centre Star 5,638.5 | 1,379. | 7,017.5 |
| Iron Mask 976.5 | 363.5 | 1,340 |
| Evening Star . 30 | 69.5 | 99.5 |
| I. X. L 48 | 105.5 | 153.5 |
| Monte Christo. 273 | | 273 |
| Giant 42 | | 42 |
| Total tons 24 427 5 | 7 544 5 | 31.979 |

Reached a Depth of 300 Feet.

Superintendent Lowry reports that the shaft on the Green Mountain has now reached a depth of 300 feet, and is to be continued on to the 400-foot level before crosscutting or drifting will be commenced. There continues to be an excellent showing of ore in the shaft

A RICH COUNTRY.

Mr. W. B. Townsend Tells of His Trip in East Kootenay.

Mr. W. B. Townsend returned day from a trip to East Kootenay, and expresses himself as having greater faith than ever in the mineral resources there. While there he visited the property of the St. Mary Mining and Milling company, which is located within sight of the famous North Star mine, which is now sending from 75 to 100 tons of ore daily to the Trail-smelter. The work done on the St. on two claims, the Anaconda and Rabbit's Mary company's property has disclosed Foot. We located the property last July that two leads, which are parallel, run and have been developing it ever since clear across the property known as the With our partners, Ole Dickson, W. A. Carrie Lee. One galena with considerable zinc, and the nelled in 65 feet on the Anaconda. other a great deal of copper, and looks hope to strike the vein on going a little as though it would also give good returns deeper, and, according to indications, we in gold and silver. Neither of the ledges have hopes of finding the ledge rich. The in gold and silver. Neither of the ledges have been sufficiently developed to deter in the Rabbit's Foot are on mine their value, and all that can be said the same lead. The vein is 12 feet wide of them at present is that they look promising. Mr. Townsend visited the Copper Crown and Excess claims, which are being operated by the Theo Gold Mining company, and found the men engaged in constructing a dam to turn away the water from the shaft, and which has been giving considerable trouble. The shaft is giving considerable trouble. The shaft is property has all the earmarks of a mine. from one claim. The ledge on which the eral other properties, all of which have

Mr. Townsend was favorably impressed ties." with the hospital and mission at cranhe had a n Father Coccole, the pioneer priest, who informed him that during the construction of the branch railway they had as many as 80 patients in the hospital at one time. Mr. Townsend said he thought what godsend it was to the poor fellows to have so comfortable a place in which to recover their health. In concluding his talk Mr. Townsend said: "I covered in four days time a journey that would have been a very hard four weeks' trip 10 years Mr. Townsend is a pioneer, and knows whereof he speaks.

THE NORTH STAR MINE.

Its Ore is Shipped to Trail But Goes to the United States.

The North Star mine near Kimberley has entered the ranks of the regular shippers. N. M. L. Curran, the financial man ager, in conversation with a Nelson Tri-

bune representative, said:
"The North Star branch of the Crow's Nest Pass line has been completed, as has been the aerial tramway from the mine to the railroad. This last has not yet been taken over by the company, but it is working very well for a new tramway. The mine had shipped two carloads of ore up to the time I left.'

"How much ore do you expect to ship regularly?"

The capacity of the tramway is 100 tons per day, and the directors' orders are to keep the tramway going at its full capacity for a month anyhow, and that rate of shipment will likely be kept up The ore goes to Trail, but is to be smelt ed at Omaha and Great Falls, as the former has plenty of lead ore on hand, while the two latter are in need of wet ore to mix with their dry ores."

"What wages do you pay," was the next question

We pay \$3 in dry places and \$3.50 in wet places and in shafts. All the work so far has been hand drilling. We have machines on the ground, but they have not started up yet. We employ between 60 and 75 men right along, and have never had any trouble with them."

When asked as to the amount of ore when asked as to the amount of the capitalization of \$1.

nave endeavored to imitate the Diamond ready paid up to \$12,500, the balance, \$8,500 by their productions have always proved miserable failures and deceptions. There is as much difference between the doubt but that this payment will also be met at the appointed time. The sum of of ore blocked out. The stock in the comas there is between the met at the appointed time. The sum of of McGill and Laval universities is engage. 500,000, so there must be immense reserves of ore blocked out. The stock in the company is practically all owned by ten eastern capitalists, Dan Mann, who owns one third; W. Mackenzie, who has only a signal interest. Sir William Van Horne, that you get them Mr. Ross and others.

THE PATHFINDER PLANT.

Will Be in Operation Inside of th Next 30 Days.

The compressor plant and machinery plant recently purchased in Rossland for the Pathfinder mine in the Boundary Creek country has all been hauled up to the mine, the owners being very fortunate in

getting it in before the thaw set in. The plant is now being set in place fast as men can do the work, and it is confidently expected to have the machinery in operation within a month at most, and probably within the next three weeks. No men are working under ground now the entire force being employed in setting the machinery and getting in readiness for its operation. When this plant is started ments from Rossland camp for January up the mine will be in good shape to conand February are given herewith. The tinue development to a depth of 300 feet tonnage for the Le Roi, Evening Star, or more, and by the time that depth is I. X. L. and the Giant are taken from the reached the property will be sufficiently opened up to place it in shape for

commencement of steady shipments. The Pathfinder is one of the richest and Christo are approximations. The Le Roi largest ore bodies in the entire North Fork sent down a carload of ore on the 27th. country, and already has a large quantity ment. Both the Northport and Trail smelt-

Copper Prospects

A. P. Benton and J. W. Forrest, who have arrived at Skagway from the copper properties at White Horse, are suggesting to the ton. The richer portion is alongside the establishment at Skagway of a smel- the banging wall. The principal values ter for the reduction of the output. Although many claims have been located in the White Horse country, the vided with concentrating tables. British American company and the com-pany of which these two are members are the only ones doing development work. But next summer, they say, many con-cerns will be at work and the camp will hum. White Horse will be a big mining centre.

Benton has been mining for years in California, Arizona, the Black Hills, Cenhe has seen nothing in copper ore to beat that of the Puebla mine at White Horse, owned by the British American company owner of the Le Roi. According to expert estimate, there is 15.000 tons of solid ore in sight at the Puebla mine. The surface rock of the Puebla, goes \$57 to the ton in copper and something in gold, and it is section needs a wagon road, and its im-understood that from the shaft they have portance demands it. The road to do the taken ore which assays \$100 to the ton in copper. The ore body there is 200 feet main line of the Columbia & Western at

wide and solid. owner," says Benton, "are a short tance from the Yukon and just a little way from White Horse. We have worked of these leads carries Puckett and Charles Ward, we have tun-We and the ore from either property assays from 20 to 65 per cent. in copper and \$36 in gold to the ton. The ore is of solid

about 70 feet in depth. There is a good believe if it were stripped 100 men coul pears to be a solid body of ore, and I showing of copper ore in the shaft. This be employed taking out the solid or inspected the Snowshoe and sev-two claims are located is traceable 12 her properties, all of which have miles. Yet this is but one of the leads excellent showings of ore. The snow, he of the district. We could have sold last says, is all gone at Cranbrook, although year to two or three big concerns ,but there is considerable in the higher ground prefer to develop ourselves, feeling confident we have exceedingly rich proper-

Caused a Lot of Troubl

His Honor Judge Forin returned to his home in Nelson after concluding court chambers here on Saturday. The Judge was a good deal annoved by the statemen which not only appeared in all the coas papers but which was also wired to the East that he was suffering from a dangerous attack of smallpox. ne had beer receipt of many letters and telegraphic messages inquiring as to his recovery and sympathizing with him over hi troubles. The Judge was a passenger on the Canadian Pacific railway steamer at Nelson on which a case of smallpox was discovered, and like the rest of the pasengers he was quarantined for 10 days, being allowed by the health authorities to emain at his residence during this time. This was the foundation for the statement that he had contracted the disease.

Benledi a Winner

Mr. Ernest Kennedy received a telegram last evening which stated that his mare Benledi had won in the six furlong race at Oakland, Cal. As the telegram put it, she won galloping. This is all the more wonderful when at the pool box 20 to 1 was bet against Benledi.

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THE RICH CASCADE

A Good O e Shoot Has Been Found In Its Tunnel.

STRIKE ON THE LARDEAU MINES

the Ore Shoot is Increasing in Width and Value With Depth. - Work on the Mystery averages \$35 in gold to the ton, which

The Greenville Mountain section is coming to the front rapidly, and during the showing is considered by mining engineers forthcoming open season there will be to be second to none in the camp. E. great deal of activity there. Messrs. Nelson Fell, M. E., superintendent of the stephen Brailo and Edward Terzick reand it is understood that his report was turned yesterday from that section where extremely favorable. The Wilson broththey have been since Christmas, pushing ers have spent large sums of moner in of the ore. One was sorted and the other operations on the Cascade claim, which is mining in this district during the past was sent just as it was taken from the the property of the Cascade Gold Mining & Milling company. The principal stockholders of the company are located in this small car load of 20 tons. The total ship when shipments are begun.

Cascade for a distance of 100 feet, for the return home in about a fortnight. last 20 feet the ledge has improved wonder fully in both width and values. The pay part of the ledge is about five feet wide There is a rich paystreak in this 18 inches in width, which goes \$100 to the ton, and the remainder of the five feet will go \$20 White Horse are in gold, and the ore is fuee milling and could be easily reduced in a mill procompany expects to push the work ously till the spring, and by the middle of the summer it is expected that there the 150-foot level. A carload of ore from will be ore enough in sight for a quartz mill. The management believes with the expenditure of a few thousand dollars that it will net about \$200 to the ton. that the Cascade can be made a dividend-

paver. On the Alhambra, Mr. Brailo says a tuna distance of 50 feet.

On the John Bull, which is near Gladstone, work is making good progress on the tunnel, which is in for over 200 feet. The Norway and Greenville Mountain most good should be constructed from the wide and solid.

"The properties of which I am part run over Greenville mountain to Norway Mr. Manly says if the Kettle River Valley road could be built on an easy grade, and would tap all the leading properties in that section. It could be constructed for \$5,000, and would made productive a very important mining section. The mines of tuis section are nearly all owned in Rossland, and naturally this city will get all the trade from there.

A Strike in the Lardeau Mines

A telegram was received Friday from Mr. O. McClymont, who is in charge of the operations on the Lardeau mines. He reports that he has struck the ledge for which he has been driving a tunnel for the past three months, and that he is coming to this city with some very fine samples of ore from the ledge.

Norway Mountain Looking Well.

Mr. S. E. Griswold, who is operating the properties of the Norway Mountain com-pany, writes that the work is making the most satisfactory progress. The shaft now down 55 feet, and the ledge has widnow down 55 feet, and the ledge has wid-ened out to five feet and the ore is im-proving in value with dorth. Mr. Chin-diff and the private residence where the proving in value with depth. Mr. Grisis enthusiastic as to the outlook on the Norway Mountain, and is confident that it will make a mine of considerable

The Avon Tunnel.

Mr John Sinclair, foreman of the Avo writes from Burnt Basin to Mr. E. N. Oui mette, the secretary of the company, that the tunnel was lengthened 25 feet in Febary. The ground is hardening, and there are other signs which tend to show that a ledge is not far away, and Mr. Sinclair expects to meet it soon

Work on the Mystery.

Mr. Thompson, foreman of the Mystery, which is in Burnt Basin writes that the tunnel was extended 20 feet during February and is now in for 147 feet. The ground is becoming heavily mineralized, and it is thought the ledge will soon be

Operations in the Referendum

Advices received from the Referendum which is in the Nelson division, are to the effect that the shaft has now reached a the vicinity of the Refere the vicinity of the Referendum under which each will contribute his share toward the cost of building a wagon road. This road will be buut as early in the This road will be built as early in the season as possible. Then the five-stamp mill which the management of the Referendum company purchased some time since will be hauled in and installed. Soon after this the milling of the ore of the Ref-erendum will be commenced.

THE BIRDSEYE BOND.

A Payment of \$8,000 Made on it by Wilson Bros.

The Wilson Brothers have decided to take up the bond on the Birdseye group ranging for drafting a thousand on Morning mountain, and two big payments were made yesterday on the Birds amount has already been paid. Another gent was selected. big payment amounting to \$8,000 was made yesterday, which brings the amount al-

ings on Merning mountain aggregating opponents.

about 380 acres, confained in the follow-THE HUNGRYMAN ORE ng claims: The Birdseye, Lady Aber-leen, Minto, Haddo, Frisco, Ash and Princeton Fraction. The vendors of the

PLANS OF THE MANAGEMENT

ate News From the Bornite Bank Property Show That it is in an Excellent Condition Its Ore is High Grade-Returns From the Yellowstone.

Work on the Hungryman group continues. This is the property which was recently taken over by the New Deer Park Mining company. Mr. A. Lorne Becher, Athabasca, recently examined the mine, the general manager of this property, in speaking about it Saturday said smelter tests were recently made of the two lots three years, and universal satisfaction will vein. Strange to relate, the sorted ore went less that the unsorted. The returns were as follows: Sorted ore, \$14.20 to the ton; unsorted ore, \$17.20. Work has been powder house have been erected. A per-pendicular shaft 7x5 feet has been started on the west of the vein. The vein dips The Zala M. Is Getting Out Some That into the hill. When the shaft has reached to the 50-foot level, a crosscut will be made to the vein, and it will be drifted on so as to determine its extent. Zala M. mine which is located in the vein has been stripped for 150 feet, and if it proves as rich at depth as it is on the surface the management will feel satisfied. Republic, arrived in the city yesterday. The one is pyrrhotite, with a little The company is making a 160-foot upraise chalcopyrite mixed with it. There is, howfrom the bottom of the 235-foot level to ever, no appreciable quantity of copper or silver in it, the principal value being in gold. The management is highly elated over the smelter returns, and thinks that the Hungryman group is a valuable prop-

The Shaft in High Grade Ore All the Way Down

Mining company returned Friday night from a visit to the company's property, on Morning mountain, near Nelson. shaft is down 60 feet, and is still in the center of the ore body, neither wall being visible. The ore is improving in appearance with every foot sunk, inasmuch as i is getting more solid, but it is hardly to mountain, a distance of six miles. This railway gets its charter and the road is be anticipated that it will become any richer in value than the last assay, which went \$93.68 in gold and silver per ton. shaft, and the manager has brought back with him several splendid samples, from which assays will be made for gold, silver proved wonderfully in the last three and copper. All the ore being taken out of the shaft is being piled on the dump for shipment, and it is estimated that the dump now contains 100 tons.

A trial shipment will be made as soon as the snow permits the building of about a mile and a quarter of wagon road fron Mascot two feet of ore of a pay g ade, carrying gold and copper, has been met. The development of this property is being enthe mine to the Athabasca wagon road, which is only a four per cent grade to the smelter. This will place the Bornite Bank within seven miles of the Nelson smelter. But it is the intention of the company to thoroughly develop the mine and instal

The Bornite Bank is situated in an exeedingly rich mineral locality. The Venus licitors (if any) to Sylvester D. Stirling of and Juno and the Birdseye group are all 3 Crown Court, Old Broad Street, London close neighbors. The latter property has E. C., Chartered Accountant, the Liqui been bonded to an English syndicate for dator of said company, and if so require \$20,000, and \$8,000 of this has already been inst case occurred, has been raised. If paid down, so that the deal is assured, no further evil consequences result from On the Venus there is sufficient ore blockno further evil consequences result from the Venus there is sufficient ore block and prove their said debts or claims at the perambulances of Stevens, the third patient who gave himself up last week, the for two years. The Athabasca is about a in such notice, or in default thereof they nd a half north of the Bornite Bank and there are several other good proper-ties in sight of it. Some of the best paying mines in Kootenay will be found to

Wylie, the man who was stabbed last be located on Morning mountain week, still refuses to give the name of his assailant. He is reported to be in a very recarious condition

VANCOUVER.

doctor thinks no fresh cases will hap

Mayor Garden cabled the following mes-

arrested last week for issuing obscene advertisements. He put up \$500 cash bail, Nelson mining division may not be so large and felt so cheap at the exposure that he as to setartle the mining world but the val-forfeited the bail and skipped town. This ue of the gold shipped every month is suffinakes about \$3,000 in the last few days received by the city in forfeited bails and rambling fines.

Worrying over the 'longshoremen's strike is said to be the cause of W. Collis becom-ing mentally deranged. Collis had an idea that the Pacific Coast Steamship company ere in collusion with some one else to starve him to death. He ran amuck on the C. P. R. wharf and had to be overpow

is an expert linotype operator and is em ployed by the Vancouver Province.

To Fill the Vacant Places. Ottawa, March 5.-It is authoritatively

stated that the government will at once rrange for drafting 100 or 125 men, with three officers, to take the places of the Canadians killed or permanently disabled n South Africa. It is intended that these men shall leave with the Strathcona Horse on the Monterey on March 15. It is un-he has well earned his trip. He will visit derstood that they will be selected from the Harrison Hot Springs and Vancouver. each province, as the first contingent was. The minister of militia is engaged arans to take the place of the Leinster res eye and the Lady Aberdeen, says the Nelson Tribune of March 2nd. The Birdseye lt is proposed to select the thousand men iment now stationed at Halifax, who was bonded for \$20,000, and \$2,000 of this in the same manner as the first contin-

Ladysmith Celebrations.

Montreal, March 5 .- Friday's Ladysmith

Birdseye are John McRae, John McRae, Junior, Angus Shaw, David Lusk and A. Smelter Tests of it Give Excellenf E. Crosset, and of the Lady Aberdeen, R. A force of men will be sent up to the

THE BORNITE BANK

The manager of the Bornite Bank Gold There are, however, strong indications of copper in the ore at the bottom of the

machinery before commencing regular ship-

A Successful Trial Run

A cleanup has been made of the first 10 sage to Lord Roberts in the name of the people of Vancouver: "We grieve over the loss, but prize the glorious victory."

A young man named Harry Fink was This is very satisfactory to the managecient to pay the wages of 40 mine workers besides paying fairly good dividends on

Back From Haleyon.

Mr. John Boultbee, Rossland's police nagistrate, returned on Saturday night from a ten days' stay at Halcyon Springs. Mr. Boultbee says that he has the C. P. R. wharf and had to be overpowered by a squad of police.

Miss Catharine Logan of Victoria, and Mr. W. A. Pound of Vancouver, were married last week by Rev. Mr. Bainton. Miss E. Pound was bridesmaid. The groom

Miss E. Pound was bri nanager, had hard work to accomm all his guests. The police magistrate appeared on the bench yesterday morning,

Mr. C. G. Ross will act as locum tenens during Mr. McDonald's leave.

A NEW PLAGUE.

Well-known Canadian Contractor Has This to Say of the Great South American Nervine—He Was a La Grippe

"The Grippe had dragged me to the eage of the grave. My nervous system was shattered; I dropped from 180 pounds to 145 in less than a month. I began using South American Nervine. My strength, my amerite my weight came bed with South American Nervine. My strength, my appetite, my weight came back with leaps and bounds, and today I am as well and strong as ever I was, and only wish I could tell it to the thousands who are like the treet. This deposit is also used by sufferers of the aftermath of this plague."

Sold by Goodeve Bros.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Notice. Defiance No. 1 Fraction mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division

of kootenay district. Where located: On Trail creek in the city of Mossland, bounded on the west by the Spitzee Fractional and Fool Hen claims and on the south by the Fool Hen and Golden Horn claims and partly on the east by the Golden Horn claim.

Take notice that I, R. E. Young (acting as agent for Smith Curtis, free miner certificate No. 34,039 A and J. E. Poupore, free miner's certificate No. 10,849 A), free miner's certificate No. 13,446 B, intend, sixty days from 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, un-

the issuance of such certificate of improvements. Dated this 29th day of December, 1899. R. E. YOUNG, P.L.S.

der section 37, must be commenced before

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Standard mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Koot-

enay district. Where located: About three miles east of Rossland, B. C., south of and adjoining the Royal George mineral claim. m

Take notice that 1, William E. Devereux, acting as agent for Horace J. Raymer, F. M. C. No. B 29,047, Ida May Dunn, F. M. C. No. B 12,831, Mike Sullivan, F. M. C. No. B 13,156, T. W. Shipley, No. B 12,996, 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 improve-

Dated this 10th day of October, A. D.

WM. E. DEVEREUX. 1G-19-10t

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Notice. Maggie and Violet mineral claims situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. About two miles south Where located.

of Trail creek on Lake mountain, near the Southern Cross mineral claim. Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, (agent for John Gloyn, free miner's certificate No. 35485 A), free miner's ficate No. 29146 B, intend 60 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 claims. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be comme fore the issuance of such certificate of im-

Dated this 10th day of January, A. D., KENNETH L. BURNET.

In the Matter of The Victory & Triumph

Mines Development Syndicate, Limited. Notice is hereby given that the creditors of the above named company are required on or before the 24th day of March. 1900, to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses 3 Crown Court, Old Broad Street, London, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their will be excluded from the benefit of an distribution made before such debts are

Dated this 17th day of January, 1900. SYLVESTER D. STIRLING, 3 Crown Court, Old Broad Street, London E. C., Liquidator.

Brown Writes Smith All About What

Happened to Jones. My Dear Smith-Your pointer was a peach. I left for Chicago immediately after I saw you, and, of course, bought my ticket over the Wisconsin Central railway, from St. Paul to Chicago. I had plenty of time in St. Paul to go up

town and get my supper, as my train leaves St. Paul at 7:40 p. m.

I returned to the depot about 7:20. When passing through the gates, the gateman said, "There's your train to the right. "I handed my grip to the gentlemanty powder was placed it in my bath. manly porter, who placed it in my berth. (You will notice I call this my train, while it really belongs to the Wisconsin Central, I could not help but feel that I owned the train, and even the road, the emp about traveling! I have traveled all over the wide world, but never had a more deodate lightful trip than this one from to Chicago over the Wisconsin Central railway. I retired about 10 p. m., and enand fully assumed his duties once more. During the magistrate's enforced absence Mr. W. B. Townsend, J. P., acted in his stead.

Mr. B. R. McDonald, collector of customs, left on Sunday's train for Spokanc and the coast on a month's holiday. As this is his first vacation for some years, he has well earned his trin. Ha will wisit most sumptuous meal. All meals are served a la carte, as you know. My entire trip was a most delightful one. I will never cease to praise the Wisconsin Central railway, and I know that your sentiments are

> Our friend Jones reached Chicago via another route and was six hours late sequently, he missed connections for New York, and cannot make connection there with steamer for the Paris Exposition. Hence has given up his trip, and will return home via the Wisconsin Central railway.

Young Friend RROWN

P. S.—Since you were in Chicago, the Wisconsin Central railway, have changed

A CHAT WITH PAU

THURSDAY

SAYS THE GREEN WILL START ON

The Plant Was Ordere Eastern Visit-Sme

Re Low. Mr. Paul E. Johnson Saturday from Greenw general manager of th Copper company's sm which is now in cours and which he says is completed. The bigges flue is finished. The feet above the furnace. the blower house, store shop and carpenter she teen carpenters are no assay office, laboratory

residence, and these about three weeks. will come to hand in will come to hand in all The railroad has put in the smelter and ore bin at the Mother Lode n s being put in, to use being put in to use in sinking from 400-foot level. A crosso on the 200-foot level, a 100 feet across the vein be blown in on or about

They want to have a f tons of ore before the ing commences. "I returned from the and while in New Yor and while in New Yorl chinery for the smelter. Allis company of Mily Johnson. "The Allis colial man from Milwauke secure theorder. This tured the plant of the port, and the one I or similar, except for cer suit my method of smel "I also visited Montre Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy

Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy ore and coke. He gave figures. We can lay coke in Greenwood for I the English coke used when I was in charge of There is no coke that There is no coke that Crow's Nest product fo of this section. This is reason that the cost of amounts to two-thirds or ing. On account of the its comparative cheaps the cost of smelting in between \$3 and \$4 a price has been put on price has been put on ore from the Mother smelter. It is about down hill all the ways mine will be laid in a only one and a half mi Mr. Johnson is en r

Southern California. 'per company, which i same people who are in the British Columbi has just finished a sn was blown in on the the first time. He is look the plant. It was drawn by Mr. Johnso in 14 days. The Ma with a capacity of 150 furnace, but the plan four additional furna The companies has son of copper ore to draw not be long before will be added. The copper, and the vein is one of the largest

in California. FROM THE A Letter Written by

bell From

A letter has been Duncan Campbell, fro Africa. He is a cous the Second Lancashii Springfield Store, J Cape Town. on after an uneventful pleasantly by a six ho which is a most deli transhipped into the Cape and sailed up th ban, arriving late in We immediately dise up to Estcourt. Ther

uary 9th. Our time v fully occupied, and w manoeuvring. There w ontpost work, and or he got five nights a w some very uncomfor now the rainy season seen such torrents. customed to it, and sleep in a puddle of ably now. On Decer good time going up th armored train in con to 150,000 rounds of 6th brigade. It pour way back, and as, trucks would not le were fairly swimmin we got in our line wired to Frere and which we hitched to in quite comfortably 12 midnight. We sthe evening of the the 9th, the whole 5t consisting of the fe 63rd, 61st and 78th tillery, the 81st bein The Middlesex, Dor and Lancasters and iers; a full hospital umn, 14th Hussars. pack, 37th company wagons, each wagon rying 24 pontoons at

> rons of the Imper On arriving at Bu it to be in flood, and of three hours in a rived at Frere late morning and marche had two hours sle Springfield. Got rice easily there, and cre the enemy did not and came on about

stretcher bearers, two six 12-pound naval