LICENSE FEES LUNFAIR TO MINERS

Obnoxious Clause in Whitney's Mining Regulations.

ROADS BADLY NEEDEDINCOBALT

The Mineowners Doing Nothing, Men on the Way to Work Have to Flounder Through Swamps.

Cobalt, May 30.-The new mining act is soon to be in force within the Temis- simply a layover and their trains kaming mining division, and already Mr. Smith, the recorder, is reading up Its dips, spurs and angles. While none of the people here have been able to secure a copy and study it in its en-tirety, according to an extract read by Mr. Smith, the writer learns that the new act provides that all those connected with the working of a mine, save in a clerical position, are to be compelled to take out a miners' license before they can legally occupy any such position. The iniquity of this sys-tem has been long known to the people of British Columbia and the Yukon. Up to about 1899 or 1900 the law obtained in British Columbia that each mine manager must deduct \$5 from each employe's wages for a miner's license, providing the said employe could not produce one, and the same law existed in the Yukon, but for \$10, until about 1902.

As the case stands it appears that the Yukon, the Ontario Government essay to exact a tax on the mining popmention was made of this ruins. been trouble then there would have

Looking at the Government laborer in lieu of a tax upon the mine's royalty met with such opposition from the mine-owners that the Government would not face the music in that direction, but sought to load the burden upon the shoulders of the Knight of the Pick.

And then the price. Here where wages are but \$2 and \$2 25 and board, scholars fainted on reaching safety. the price of the license is the same as the Yukon, where wages reached \$15 per day, and it is twice as large as the license in British Columbia, which is \$5 per year, where miners' wages are surance.

The Government will certainly have the quicker they do so the better. The definition of valuable mineral in place as set forth by the new act is struction naturally brought back tinued apprehensions.

valuable mineral in such quantitles as many a fond recollection. will lead to the supposition that mineral in economic quantities exists the vicinity. If the inspectors are to live up to the letter of this law a man must have a

hardly to be anticipated that greater stringency will be exercised now than taken. formerly. One thing that the mining law does not recognize is that a good prospect may exist without the discovprospect may exist without the discovery of valuable mineral in place. Now that it appears the Government's intention is to tax mine laborers, one would naturally suppose we

might look for a guid pro quo in the way of road building. But what is their position? Not long ago I spoke The Guatemalan Revolutionist Alfonso to Provide \$90,000 a to an official about the probability of the Government putting a road into the Kerr Lake district. "Let the mines put it in," was the answer; "they can stand.it." But the mines are not putting in the road, and the consequence is that the laborer going and coming from town must wear out his system floundering over ungraded trails and through muskegs.

There has been a good deal of talk cause for the railroad prospector, and tenango. that his space were better employed

Recently a School of Science man in mala. the employ of the Government went morth to Abitibi to look into some copthat that the whole country is ripe for from Cordova and Seville; Salamian Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., counsel for the staggered out of his prison and fell wallace Nesbitt, K. C., counsel for the unconscious. He lay in a stuper until is is not known, but if they are shap-bad in Guatemala. Telegraphic com-spain's clergy, and hordes of blind defending himself, but the commission was drawn over his bones like parchthe discovery of mineral by prospectors cutting of wires on the Guatemalan of old Spain. At the corners bands ish stating that any agent could preand then gobble the rest they are work- side. ing to the country's ruin, for the world's history shows the school grad-dispatched from Ocos, where Gen. to the popular rejoicings. The schools possible that the Winnipeg agent could to the popular rejoicings. to the popular rejoicings. The schools and public institutions have been that the winning agent at the winning age of America.

per fields were universally condemned Thursday of this week. He is immenseby the men of science, as was our own little Rossland and the Rand: in fact the history of the geological surveys of Canada and the United States record Guatemala. Foreign planters have but few instances of these exploring been waiting for months for Gen. Bar-cabinet ministers, with the solemnity veloping into mines. No great mine has ever been so discovered.

The Government of Australia, while they have some of the best mining schools in the world, pay big bonuses

to the discoveries of new fields. The dream of wealth untold, the vast treasure store of nature that each man over the Mexican Central. They boardschools himself to think is fortune's just reward to him, spur the seeker to the highest effort in him, and, though he wins, his gain is but a poor proportion to the sacrifice. For humanity

he overcomes the wilderness. This, then, is the class the Government apparently would set at naught and would supplant by salaried officers. We'll see.

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MAY DESERT BROCKVILLE

Rumor Says G. T. R. Employes May Be Removed to Montreal.

Brockville, May 31.-Brockville's popand firemen to remove to Montreal, lected a hug and kiss. Callender is

which place would mean their headquarters. It is claimed the change is runs, viz. to Ottawa, Island Pond and Brockville. Those residing permanently here now would hereafter make it

would be arranged accordingly. The G. T. R. employes leave a large sum in Brockville monthly and their Mrs. Hageman kissing a boarder. loss would be seriously felt.

DEATH BY FIRE

Flee from Burning Building.

Port Huron, Mich., 30.-Four hunhigh school building burned Tuesday

the people of British Columbia and of

feel that this tax is placed upon the vany of them had gotten from the the harrowing effect which Premier The last oneof was in flames.

> afterward. saved and scholars and teachers alike are threatened by a complete failure of the Pacific section of the road delost coats and caps, which were in of the crops owing to unight. the cloak rooms and were not bothered with in the hasty rush for outdoors.

The first originated in a huge pile of waste paper which was stored in the basement in some unknown manner,

ed that it would be built next year. with the aid to be derived from the mine ere he has a prospect, but it is payment of the railroad back taxes. Now imediate action will have to be

IS IN RETREAT

Army Is Forced to Fall Back.

Mexico City, May 30 .- Gen. Castillo, commanding a regiment of Guatemalan revolutionists, after taking the city of Ocos, was forced to retire before superior forces. Castillo is now reported about railroad prospectors by certain to have taken a new base, and will scenes of tumultuous hilarity during and were vigorously refuted by W. C. correspondents, but if some of these be reinforced by several hundred good the present generation. latter would negotiate three or four fighting men from the steamer Emmiles of swamp trail with a pack on pire City. Gen. Barillas is in the his back he would find there was a mountains, making his way to Quezal-

Barillias has with him a fine body in agitating road construction. Both of picked men, and is reported to be British Columbia and the Yukon are steadily recruiting his force. No news celebrated for their good roads, but has been received here from Salvador, the Government's action here in this but the invading force should by this time be well advanced into Guate-

per finds reported from there. What the overthrow of Cabrera. The season the Government's actuating principle of rains has set in and the roads are ing to pursue the policy of awalting munication is difficult owing to the

Messengers on horseback will be pushing on to Quetzaltenango, a city given itself up to celebrating the policy. With this Mr. Shepley and that for 15 years he has prescribed of 40,000 inhabitants. This city is likely King's marriage. On the contrary, the Michigan cop- to be occupied by Gen. Bazillas on ly popular in that region.

widely spread of any in the history of illas to act. Practically all foreign interests and many of the better class fecting the future succession to the of natives support the revolution. Frequent abuse of power is charged to

the government. Gen. Barillas and Gen. Castillo and two aides left the city by strategy. drid, and Lord Hugh Cecil. May 11 they bought tickets to El Paso ed the night train, but left it a few miles out and returned here, where they boarded a Pullman car stocked with provisions and carrying their

saddles and special luggage. In this car they went over to Vera Cruz and Tehauntepec railways to eral. Tonala, on the Pacific coast, there switching to the new Pan-American railway, which now approaches the Guatemalan boundary. Their start towards the United States outwitted the Guatamalan representatives here.

but the animal that follows instinct is to the marriage. seldom left at the post.

ASKED \$20,000 FOR KISS

Denied Charge and Witness Told of Another Kiss.

Baltimore, May 31. - A jury today ulation is threatened with depletion if found it impossible to decide whether the G. T. R. management carry into a landlord had given a tenant a \$20,000 kiss. The case was that of Mrs. Mareffect a rumor that is going the rounds garet Hageman against Henry Callenthat an order may be received any day der, the plaintiff alleging that the derequesting the locomotive engineers fendant, after collecting the rent, col-74 years old, Mrs. Hageman is about

"He came to collect the rent as bound to come. The company are de- usual," said Mrs. Hageman, "and found sirous of having their engineers cen- me alone with my children. He got tralized in the metropolis so that they can be available for any of the three I don't like that kind of business and that's why I want damages." Mr. Callender said he did not kiss the

plaintiff. Then a Mrs. Keefer testified that she went to Mrs. Hageman's boardinghouse one day to do washing and saw

BITTER PILL FOR PEASANTS

Teachers and Scholars All Russia Illy Affected by the Refusal to Settle Agrarian Troubles.

London, Wednesday, May 30. - The dred teachers and students had a nar- St. Petersburg correspondent of the row escape from cremation when the Times, recording that the Douma rose early yesterday as a token of respect As the case stands it appears that notwithstanding the fact that this afternoon.

At 2 o'clock smoke appeared simulfor M. Andreirnoff, a village deputy building from a central shafe extending of a shock by the Government's reminutes later the structure, which was fusal to permit a settlement of the The mining bill published by the clause peasant members have fallen ill from When the smoke first appeared, the same cause. He says these painfire escapes and stairways, but before ful facts only too eloquently indicate production; or, in other words, that a in time as the roof contraction; bave throughout the country, especially None of the school paraphernalia was in the famine-stricken districts and that the policy of the Grand Trunk

> Telegrams reaching the Douma from being made. Several of the women teachers and various centers report that the peasants are holding mass meetings, at plied, when asked whether the road which they unanimously denounce the would be built eastward from the Government and proclaim their Pacific coast. "The company has sev-The loss is \$50,000, fully covered by in-surance. staunch determination to support their representatives. Thus for the real survey parties working in the Rocky Mountains, locating the best

that residents of this city watched the in their good sense. There has been pleted, reports are made and we de-The Government will certainly have building burn. Many of the most to climb down from this position, and building burn. Many of the most no violence reported, but the remoter cide on a route, we cannot begin conprominent citizens received their early districts are still to be heard from, and struction." the situation there gives rise to con- Mr. Hays further explained that it The rural members of the Douma to build from the coast eastward or

bureaucracy will yield except to force. would start. ROYAL LOVERS SIGN CONTRACT

Year Pin Money for the Princess Ena.

Madrid, May 30 .- All Spain is rejoicing on the eve of the wedding of charges of bad faith against the Con-

with fireworks and electrical illumina- on the witness stand. Mr. Shepley tions, while the streets are thronged asked the witness as to a 15-year anwith dense masses of people. All the nuity endownment policy, upon which central points are literally packed.

flowing robes, and with red turbans lady, who declared that the agent had Falls. Resident Guatemalans here state forming their native jota; gypsies receive a cash settlement of \$1,332. Mr. herders, in red velvet and tinseled gold, with many representatives of agent should have an opportunity of death. He was so thin that the skin beggars singing the melancholy music admitted the statement, Judge McTav- ment. play for street dancers.

The chief events of today were th King's reception to the foreign en-The revolution is said to be the most contract. The latter ceremony took American Bishop on Wonderful Transvoys and the signing of the wedding place at the Pardo Palace in the presbefitting a great state ceremonial af-

> throne. The witnesses for Princess Ena sen, the British ambassador at Ma-

> The witnesses for the King were the Marquis De Borja, intendant gen-

The marriage contract appears tonight in the official Gazette.

of the King's death, \$50,000. In article 3, Princess Victoria re-

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which to sign the document. The King laughingly accepted the gift, declaring that he always had definded the Spanish press against critiums. Many receptions were hold tonight, among them, one at the British embassy to the Prince of Vales.

G. T. P. READY IN 1907

Will Help to Handle That Year's Crop Says Mr. Hays.

Toronto, May 30.-Mr. C. M. Hays, second vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk, and Goremykin's declaration is bound to president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, in a statement made tonight said autheastern provinces, which Pacific in respect to the construction pended on the results of surveys now

'We cannot say just how or when construction will commence," he rerepresentatives. Thus far, the peasants possible foute with the most favorable It was with mingled joy and pathos have justified the most sanguine belief grades. Until these surveys are com-

> would be the policy of the company to instill confidence and patience, but until they were completed, the comare not confident themselves that the nounce where or just when the work sociated.

"Do you stil lhope to have the road sufficiently far advanced between Winnipeg and the mountains to engage in moving the wheat crop of the Northwest in 1907?" he was asked. "Yes," was his reply. "I am satisfied with the way in which our work is progressing and we hope to be in a position to move some of the crop."

INSURANCE COMMISSION

A Specific Charge of Bad Faith Is Vigorously Refuted.

Toronto, Ont., May 30. - Specific King Alfonso and Princess Ena, federation Life Assurance Company and the capital has not seen such were partially neard by the Dollandon insurance commission this morning, were partially heard by the Dominion MacDonald, the actuary of the com-Tonight the whole city is aglow pany, who spent the entire morning a Winnipeg lady had paid fifteen an-As the decorations and illuminations nual premiums of \$53 50: Upon the crew. take on their most lurid hues, it is a maturity of the policy a cash payment motley throng, with touches almost of \$828 30, a paid-up policy for \$1,332, or barbaric. Swarthy Moors, wrapped in an annuity of \$70 08 were offered the pocket marked Greensburg, Fa., to Fort on their heads; Austrian dancers, per- repeatedly assured her that she would out. Confederation Life, urged that the unconscious. He lay in a stupor until sent his case if he thought himself in-The municipality has given free rein jured. Mr. MacDonald said it was im-

POTTER PRAISES ENGLAND

closed his examination.

formation of Egypt.

London, May 30. - The Pilgrims' Society had a dinner in honor of Bishop Potter, of New York, at the Savoy Hotel. About 200 guests were were, among others, Sir Maurice Bun- present, including the Archbishop of Canterbury, Lord Allerton, Lord Brassey, Viscount Deerhurst, the Earl of Denbigh, Lord Fairfax, the Earl of Premier Moret, Senor Maurla, Gen. Kintore, the Earl of Malmesbury, Lord Acarraga, Gen. Montero Pios, the Strathcona, the Bishops of Bristol, Duke of Solomayer, chief of the Royal Nottingham, St. Alban's, Sheffield and Palace; the Marquis De La-Mina, Southwark, and other noted persons. chief of the royal hunt; Gen. Pacheco, The Archbishop of Canterbury, in chief of the royal halberdiers, and toasting the guests of the evening dwelt particularly upon Bishop Potter's claim to honor as a great citizen. He said that everyone knew how he had been to the fore in all that con-Article 2 gives the bride an annual cerned the well-being of the communincome of \$90,000, and, in the event ity. America had produced many such men, who always grasped every possibility, and occupied every opportunnounces all right of success! in to the ity for doing good, or opportunity for People who follow reason often fail, British throne. Other articles relate lifting local prosaic questions into the highest possible atmosphere. They Preceding the signatures of the con- were witnesses of inherent righteous-It takes nerve to turn down a holdup tract, the Spanish journalists presented ness and justice, without which no to King Alfonso a golden pen, with state could end otherwise than in ul-

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Dundas Street.

timate failure. He did not know what On the other hand, there has long been a movement here for a new and up-to-date building and it was expect to go in hatches to the the situation. They will try visable when the surveys are in, but one of the Douma to build from the coast eastward or Rishop Potter was going to do the next day, whether ne would preach at the preach at the situation. They will try visable when the surveys are in, but one of the Douma to build from the coast eastward or Rishop Potter was going to do the next day, whether ne would be for the adever it was it would be for the adthey will go with heavy hearts. They pany was not in a position to an- vantage of those with whom he as-

Bishop Potter's reply called for a ternate laughter, applause and silent emotion. He paid a tribute to Great Britain for achieving an incredible transformation in Egypt, whence he lately returned. Her triumph there, as elsewhere, he said, was founded on a splendid sense of justice, and was not to be ascribed to force or the

menace of diplomacy. IN CAR THREE WEEKS

Miner Wasted from 175 to 60 Pounds and Died of Starvation.

Pottsville, Pa., May 31. - Reduced from 175 pounds to 60 pounds, John Yacob, 35 years old, who was locked in a fright car for three weeks without food or drink, died at the county alms-

house today. Yacob, during the recent colliery suspension went west in search of work When the mines resumed he endeavored to get back east and climbed into the car to get free transportation. He was locked in unknown to the train

Where he boarded the car is not known, but a ticket was found in his The date could not be made

When the car was opened. Yacob

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Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 50c Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, sateen trimmed, nicely finished, ribbed wrist and

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Sale price 15c price, each50c Children's Long Sleeve Vests, taped neck. Sale price 8c

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25c Jar of Jelly, 18c Assorted Jellies, peach, pear, plum, etc., large jar, screw top, regu-

10c Paper, Friday, 3c Quire Best quality Note Paper, regular 10c. Sale price, quire 3c Tooth Brushes, filled with fine bristles. Sale price 5c

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