MINING

rice that while everything is now diness for the operation of the son plant, it is discovered at the ninute that the proper fluxes have been provided for, and consequently "blowing in" of the furnace has been postponed. The Inland other initely postponed. The Inland ter company, on the other, through their representative, state whether they receive a bonus or-their intention is to erect a smelter camloops. This sounds very well: why suggest works of so large a city as a thousand tons? There is loubt room for a smelter at Kamt a plant of even a daily capatem of granting cash bonuses to in-trial undertakings of this nature is olly wrong. If Kamloops has the ore, re will be no difficulty in finding men build a smelter to treat it.

is reported that the McGillivray k mines, some 35 miles distant from boet, and owned by the Anderson e Mining company, have been bondfor \$70,000 to a Mr. A. W. Hanks, Everett, representing Boston capital. e ore is somewhat low grade, but e deposits are said to be large and sily worked. The property is to be rked immediately, and the crushing bacity of the mill doubled by the addition of ten stamps.

e No. 2 furnace of the Granby ter, recently blown out for the pur-of rebricking, holds, it is claimed, world's record for continuous oper-having been progressly it. having been practically in con-use for a period of over 16 months, treating in that time over 160,000

ACTICAL MINE ADVERTISING. cts and figures are very well in is nothing like of The Australians nstration. The Australians long recognized the advantages of this od, and at all the great exhibitions have carried it out. The Westralian mineral section at the Paris itios proved a tremendous attractant of a capital advertisement on a capital advertisement. and a capital advertisement, on act of the way in which the exhibit made, and to the forthcoming Collexhibition at the Royal exchange, ion, West Australia is sending a sort Ided Cleopatra's Needle 239 tons of gold, or the total output the country from January, 1886, to ember, 1901. This will be duly anneed in large letters, with an alterve statement that the amount is 0,000 ounces, valued at £30,000,000. , it wouldn't, perhaps, be quite wise wite comparison which would not be of the ingots from the Cariboo

LEAD MINES AND AMERICAN SMELTERS.

Kretlow, ore purchaser for the can Smelting & Refining com-is accredited with having stated Kretlow is credited with the asser the programme of improve-the smelting plant will place level with the most modern in existence and that the chan will substantially reduce the cost of ction. He is also quoted as stating, this is the most vital feature of the ouncement, that most of the ore ted at the plant will be brought im the north," i.e., from the East tenay section of British Columbia, h is almost directly north of Great If this is true, and the trust pro-co again enter the British Colum-arket, the effect on the lead mindustry will be of a distinctly stimng character.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896. DERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

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ctoria Poultry Show, in a class of overirty entries. Octavius Allen, Victoria, B. C., the ducer and first importer of Orpingtons. C. Write for descriptive price list.

R. M. S. Empress of Japan is due to arrive at the outer wharf today from Yokohama, which port she left 11 days ago. With the coming of the Empress of Japan the C. P. R. will inaugurate their summer schedule under which the white liners will come and go every three weeks instead of every month as during the winter season, when travel is light. The Empress of China, which is due at this port three weeks hence, sails to-The Empress of China, which is due at this port three weeks hence, sails to-morrow from Hongkong for Victoria. The steamer Tacoma, of the Northern Pacific line, will arrive soon after the Empress of Japan. She is expected on Thursday. The Victoria, of the Northern Pacific line, is also on the way to this port from Yokohama, having left on March 26, and is due here on Tuesday next. day next.

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Steamer Queen City will sail for Ahousett and way ports on the West Coast tonight. Mr. Woollett, who has been steward on the steamer for some time will not go out on her this trip, having received a well-merited premotion to the steamer Charmer, and will be found in charge of the dining room and steward's department of the ferry steamer in future. Among the passengers booked on the steamer Queen City are J. Williams and wife, for Port Renfrew: J. Watkins, W. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, for Alberni. It is likely that a number of workmen will be taken to Bamfield Creek to assist in the work of construction of the department-tal buildings and stores now being erected at the cable landing. A quantity of additional material for the station will also form part of the cargo of the coast steamer.

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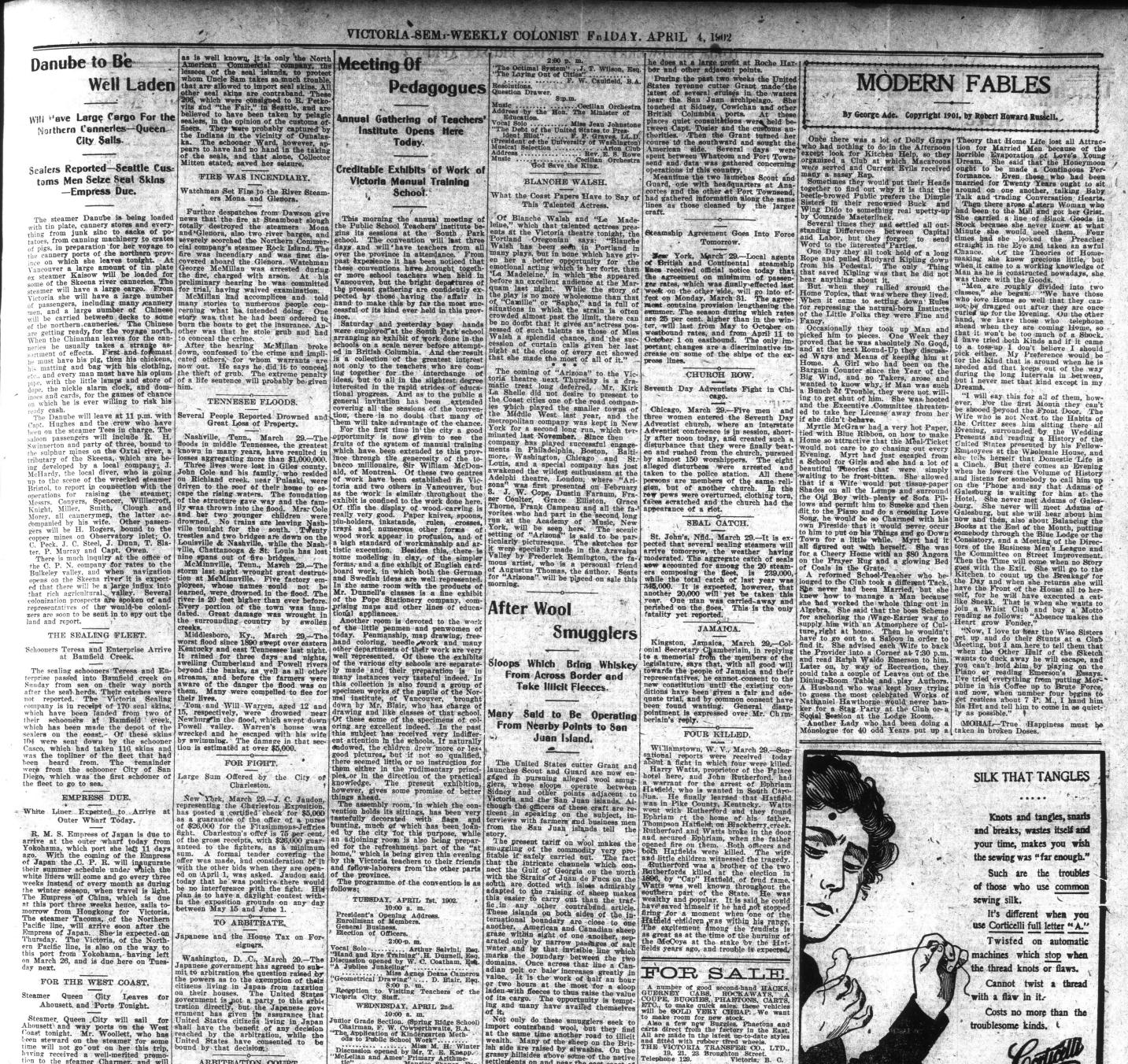
Steamer City of Puebla arrived at the outer wharf on Sunday morning from San Frâncisco, and sailed for the Sound about 10 a.m. She had a rough but uneventful trip. There were 126 passengers in all, 72 in the saloon. Twenty-eight debarked at Victoria. Among the leading imports brought up on the steamer from the Golden Gate were the following: 46.193 lbs. dried fruits, 498 pkgs. fresh fruits, 358 pkgs. fresh vezetables, 787 lbs. butter, 13 pkgs. machinery, 11 pkgs. hardward, 189 pkgs. steel and iron, 10.003 lbs. zinc, 3 bales dry goods, 100 lbs. beeswax, 3.400 lbs. meal, 16 pkgs. arms and ammunition, 125 tins matches, 456 gals. wine, 1,985 lbs. coffee, 4 rolls leather, 14 pkgs. groceries and series and 125 tins matches, 456 gals, winc, 1,950 lbs, coffee, 4 rolls leather, 14 pkgs, groceries and provisions, 4 cs. hats and caps, 38 cs. canned goods, 130 hales wine, 15 cs. oil, 1,561 lbs, bread, 3,776 hs. chocolate. 1 case drugs, 22 cs. whiskey, 2.083 pigs lead 18,998 lbs. blue-stone, 22 dogs, 20.128 lbs. oil cake meal, 15 cs. honey, 1.491 lbs. beans, 206 lbs. cheese, 7 cs. electrical goods, 45 rolls paper, 57,955 lbs. malt. 350 bxs. paste. Steamer Umatilla sailed from the outer wharf on Sunday evening for San Francisco. She had 1 coo tous at an Francisco. She had 1,600 ton ight and an average number of pas-

SEIZED SEAL SKINS. Schooner J. B. Ward Brought Contra-band Skins to Seattle.

A few days ago the schooner J. B. Ward arrived at Seattle from Ounalaska, and since her arrival the Seattle customs officers have discovered that she brought 266 seal skins which were labeled as fox furs. These skins, which are valued at about \$5,000, were seized by the United States customs officers, for,

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Rutherford was a brother of the two Rutherford was a brother of the two Rutherford killed at the election in 1896, by "Cay" Hatfield, of fend fame. Watts was well known throughout the southern part of the State. He was wealthy and popular. It is said he could have saved himself if he had not stopped firing for a moment when one of the Hatfield children was within his range. The excitement among the feudists is as great as at the time of the burning of the McCoys at the stake by the Hatfield syears ago, and trouble is expected.





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