THE CITY COUNCIL

By-Laws Permitting the City to Borrow Money.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Recommendations by Chief McKinnon For the Improvement of the Fire Service—Report of the Health Committee—Other Matters.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesevening, bylaws were introduced, authorizing the mayor to raise money by way of debentures or otherwise, for the purpose of meeting current expenditures, for street improvements, and to complete the sewerage system. The bylaws were read the first time. Future action as to the amount necessary to be raised for each purpose, will be taken at the next meeting. A bylaw for the maintenance of the fire department, has also been prepared, but must be accompanied by a petition, which will be submitted also, at the next meeting.

Wilson McKinnon, chief of the fire department, reported that changes and repairs had been completed on the fire station, and the quarters are now ready for occupancy.

Mr. McKinnon called attention to the necessity of having the water company lay a main on Second avenue, and to have hydrants placed at the corner of Spokane and Second, and Washington and Lincoln streets, in order to give protection to buildings on the hill, there being no hydrants nearer than First avenue and Washington street, and that one has only a four inch main, which would leave a poor force for fire, after running up such a steep hill.

Attention was also called to the necessity for compliance with the act requiring the construction of fire escapes in hotels and public buildings. It was also recommended that the 500 feet of rubber hose now in possession of the department be disposed of and that cotton hose be substituted. Other recommendations tending to increase the efficiency of the fire service were presented, and the committee on fire, light and water was directed to take such action as in their discretion, was requisite.

The health and relief committee has elected Alderman Edgren as chairman for the current year, and the commtttee will meet each Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

To the council the committee has recommended that Centre Star creek be immediately connected with the sewer at the corner of Spokane street and First aveuue, instead of with the present drain.

Since holding office the committee has expended $221 in purchasing groceries and fuel for the needy, medical attendance and hospital charges and transportation for city charges who had relatives or friends elsewhere to care for them.

A petition signed by about 130 ratepayers, asked that an overhead bridge be constructed over the railroad track, on Washington street south. The petition set forth that at present Washington street terminates abruptly at Le Roi avenue, and beyond that point it is impossible for traffic with horses or wagons and is in extremely bad condition for foot passengers, owing to the fact that the only means of travel over it is by the use of a very steep flight of steps.

The officers of the school of mines asked the council for co-operation and support in petitioning the government for such assistance as will aid in establishing the permanency of the institution.

The report of the sanitary inspector showed the receipts and expenditures for March, leaving a balance of $135 on hand.

The city clerk was instructed to give notice that tenders were wanted for the supplying of lumber in quantities for sidewalks. Tenders must be in by April 11.

The board of works was authorized to employ an engineer to assist in giving estimates on all matters of public improvement.

BOUNDARY REAL ANGRY

Says that Coast Cities Have Worked Against that Section.

The People There Recognize Rossland as a Financial and Business Center and Trade Here

D. A. Good of Cascade City has been in Rossland a few days and is very much pleased with the prospect of two railways in the Boundary country in the immediate future. These are the extension of the Crow's Nest branch from Kootenay lake and the Corbin road from some point on the Spokane Falls & Northern. To a reporter yesterday Mr. Good said: "The granting of the charter to the Kettle River Valley railway will mark the beginning of a prosperous era for the Boundary creek country. In assisting Mr. Corbin in securing this charter the people of the Boundary country were not acting with any malice toward the Canadian Pacific Railway company, neither did they desire to turn trade away from Canadian and into American channels. They all recognized that a branch of Canada's greatest railway through the district would do much towards developing the country and would serve to unite Eastern and Western Canada in a commercial way, which would be mutually beneficial to a high degree. They want and expect to see the Crow's Nest branch continued from Kootenay lake through to Penticton before the year shall have passed away. They worked for the Corbin charter because they knew they had a great and rich country, capable of supporting at least two railways, and were fully sensible of the effects of a lack of competition on any common carrier, and also on the counrty. Again, it was feared if a failure was made in the securing of the Kettle river valley railway charter that the C. P. R., as it has considerable construction work in progress, might bide its time and in all probability it would be a year or more, perhaps, before construction would begin. Then, too, the Canadian Pacific railway should not be afraid of competition with its immense resources. The business is there for them if they want it. One thing that we do hope is that when the C. P. R. does move that it will be from the Columbia river end of the route.

"The cities of Vancouver and Victoria do not deserve the patronage of our rich district. For the sake of selling canned goods and medicine chests to unsophisticated tenderfeet on their way to the Arctic regions, they have lured men on (many to ruin) and decried the inland portion of their own province, where more success can be attained in mining than in the inhospitable Klondike. Not only have they done this, but they have misrepresented our interests to the Federal government and worked tooth and nail against the plan of giving the Boundary country railway competition. The Boundary Creek people are a unit in their determination not to patronize Victoria or Vancouver, and will do everything in their power to build up closer business relations with Rossland and Eastern Canada. We recognize the fact that the financial and business interests of Southern British Columbia are fast centering in Rossland, and we are willing to deal with her bankers, brokers and wholesalers. They will be able to compete with any of the coast points for the wholesale trade just as soon as the Crow's Nest Pass branch is completed and a broad guage road is running into this city."

Caused Spokane to Rejoice.

VICTORIA, April 4. — The Spokane (Washington) Evening Chronicle of Thursday last, in speaking of the Corbin charter (Kettle River Valley railway) which was favorably reported on by the railway committee, says: "When the news was received in Spokane today there was great rejoicing among our merchants. The merchants of Spokane are delighted and say it is the best piece of good fortune Spokane has had for years, as the construction of the line will give them a new territory for their business, which territory must be in sympathy with Spokane."

MEAT HAS RISEN.

Wholesalers Raise the Price of Beef, Pork and Mutton.

There has been an advance in the wholesale price of beef, mutton and pork. Beef by the carcass has advanced from 9 to 10 cents per pound, mutton from 10 to 11 cents and pork from 10 to 11 cents.

A representative of the firm of P. Burns & Co. was seen yesterday in relation to this rise in the price of meats, and he said: "There is a shortage in the meat suply all over Canada and the United States. This is caused by the increased quantities that are and have been shipped abroad. Another cause is the talk of war between the United States and Spain. It is known if hostilities begin that there will be a big demand immediately created to supply the army of the United States. The recent drought in Ontario has caused a shortage in cattle that has not yet been made up, and there are little or none to be purchased in that province for export. A large number of cattle have been sent north to supply the Klondikers and this has cut the supply down in the northwest and in British Columbia materially. Most of the cattle which supply the Kootenay country come from Alberta. The next best source of supply is the Okanagan valley. The cattle are driven in from the latter place. They come via Grand Forks and then they are taken across into Washington and thence to Marcus and via Northport, the journey occupying 10 days. The last bunch that was brought here from the Okanagan valley arrived about Christmas. Another bunch is due from there in a few days. Most of the sheep used in this market come from the United States. The pork supply comes from eastern Canada and the United States. The salted meats from Kansas City and Omaha." This advance in price of meats means that the retailers will have to raise the price at least two cents on some portion of the meat and more on the choicer cuts.

WALKER IS DISGUSTED.

He Does Not Think Much of Wrangel, Skagway and Dyea.

Frank J. Walker, who left here a short time since for the purpose of trying his fortune in one of the mushroom towns that have sprung up along the line of the road to Klondike, wrote from Wrangel a few days since to C. F. Jackson of this city. He visited Dyea and Wrangel and says that these boom towns are on the wane, and that the majority of those who are there are figuring on how they can get out whole. The boom has about died out. The returning Klondikers who pass through these places seem to be billed to points in Canada and the United States like an express package. No matter how much gold they have with them they do not spend anything in these towns. They seem to be anxious to get into more civilized places before they spend anything, and regard the settlements mentioned in much the same way as a traveler looks at a way station. Jennie L. Stone, the lady broker, formerly of Rossland, opened a place as a concert hall for two nights, but it was such a frost that she closed it and turned it into a lodging house, which she calls the International. It is Mr. Walker's intention to return to Rossland within the next few days unless there is a very material change in the situation.

The Miner's Map of Rossland.

THE MINER'S birdseye view of Rossland and vicinity will be ready for issuance on or about the 15th of April. The gentleman who is superintending its publication at Vancouver writes that the first three days of April were occupied in putting the finishing touches of the map on the lithographic stones. The work of printing the several colors on the lithographic power press will occupy eight days time. The printing on the letter press will take up two days. Two days will be needed for the transportation of the maps from Vancouver to Rossland. This will bring the time up to the 15th of April. As great pains have been taken with this map it will be very complete. It will combine all the accuracy of a map with the beauty of an artistic picture. No resident of Rossland should be without one. Send them east to your relations in order that they may know the sort of a country in which you are living. Those who desire early copies should send in their orders at once. The rule is first come first served.

The Price of Silver.

NEW YORK, April 4. — Bar silver, 55½c. per ounce; silver certificates, 55⅝@56¼c.; Mexican dollars, 45c.

WAR EAGLE PLANT

It Will Include the Largest Electric Hoist in the World.

A LARGE COMPRESSOR

The Intention Is to Extend the Workings to a Depth of 2,700 Feet—The Power Will Be Obtained From the West Kootenay Power & Light Co.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 5.—The War Eagle Mining and Investment Company closed their contracts yesterday for new machinery for the War Eagle Mine. The compressors, hoists, etc., will be operated by electric power. The War Eagle company is the first one in the Kootenay district to take advantage of the cheap and abundant electric power rendered available by the installation of the plant of the West Kootenay Power & Light Co. The machinerv purchased includes a 40-drill compressor operated by a 400 horse power Canadian General Electric company synchronous motor. The hoisting machinery comprises the largest electric mining hoist so far undertaken in the world, being intended to operate a double compartment shaft to the 2,700 foot level to which it is expected the mine will be developed within the next two years. The motor operating the hoist is of what is known as the Canadian general electrical induction type, and has a capacity of 300-horse power. It is directly connected without belting to the hoist. The fact that the War Eagle company has adopted electric power for the operation of its new machinery may be taken as a recognition of the part of the most important financial interest connected with the mining industry in the Kootenay district, and of the important advantages to the mining industry, which are to be expected from the starting up of the plant of the West Kootenay Power & Light company.

This plant was suppied by the James Cooper Manufacturing Company.

A Valuable Map.

J. M. O'Toole of this city has issued a complete and accurate map of the Christina lake and Sheep creek sections. When it is considered that nearly all of the claims shown on the map are unsurveyed it is obvious that its getting up involved a large amount of labor. It is a very creditable map and will be found most useful to those having interests in that country and to others who intend to make purchases of mining properties there. All the claims on Sheep creek are shown. This is the section where the celebrated Velvet, Copper Chief and other properties are located and in which a deep interest is being taken at present. Those whose properties are not on the map can have them placed there by applying to Mr. O'Toole in room No. 3 at 115½ Columbia avenue east. The price of the map is $1.50.

Kennedy Bros. & Purgold

Stock Letter.

The stock market has been fairly active for the past week. Deer Park, which quieted down after the rise following the recent strike, has again taken a jump and is now steady at 13 cents. War Eagle, Mugwump and Monita have seen a good many transactions.

The Mountain Goat Gold Mining company has just been stocked in Rossland. The company has been formed to develop the Jubilee claim at Ymir. The prospects of the company are very bright. Assays have been taken running into thousands of dollars, and a smelter test recently taken from 1,000 pounds of ore showed $2,300 in gold. The first block of stock is being placed on the market at 5 cents. We can confidently recommend this stock as an investment and as being good for a rise.

A Slocan property which is rapidly working its way to the front is the Hillside. The company's claims are situated about three miles out of Whitewater. Recent assays gave 96 ounces in silver and 51 per cent. lead. We consider this stock to be a very good buy at the price quoted. We understand that $3,000 has been expended on working the claim.

NAME.	Par value.	Price this Week	Price last week
Arlington	$1 00	$ 12	$ 12
Butte	1 00	01	01
Commander	1 00	14	14
Deer Park	1 00	13	14
Dardanelles	1 00	14	14
Dundee	1 00	75	75
Evening Star	1 00	5	5
Good Hope	1 00	3	3
Great Western	1 00	9	9
Hillside	1 00	5	5
Iron Colt	1 00	13	13
Iron Mask	1 00	41	41
Josie	1 00	28	28
Kenneth	1 00	25	25
Keystone	1 00	20	20
Le Roi	5 00	7 50	7 50
Lerwick	1 00	15	15
Lily May	1 00	20	20
Monte Christo	1 00	21	21
Mountain Goat	1 00	5	..
Monte Christo Con	1 00	20	20
Novelty	1 00	4	4
Palo Alto	1 00	2	2
Peoria	1 00	3	3
Poorman	1 00	12	12
Silver Bell	1 00	3	3
Twin	1 00	25	25
Virginia	1 00	16	16
War Eagle	1 00	1 30	1 15

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Rossland, B. C., April 7, 1898.

Dear Sir:

We have to thank the investors in Rossland securities for the generous patronage given our new firm. The fact that our Mr. C. O'Brien Reddin is no longer connected with The Reddin-Jackson company has become generally known, and already we have a well established business.

A week is a short time, but our books show we sold over 150,000 shares of Rossland and Slocan stocks since the last issue of The Miner. Mugwump, Deer Park, Good Hope, Monte Christo Cons., Monita, Noble Five, Arlington and Iron Mask were the sellers in the order named.

The feature of the week's transaction as stated in our market letter of April 2 was the amount of Rossland money put in mining stocks. When local buyers are in the field the outside investor has reason to feel encouraged. The indications are for an increased volume of business and a decided rise in values.

Non-resident investors not caring to select their own investments can send us their money for investment. We will handle it as carefully as if it were our own. We have made money by investing in Rossland securities, and can make money for you if you avail yourself of our services. We will be pleased to furnish you with satisfactory references.

We again recommend Good Hope as being in our judgment the best low priced buy in this market. It is bound to increase in price and we think it a decidedly safe investment.

1898 will be a historic year in Rossland securities. The most favorable conditions are at hand--increased smelter facilities--lower freight and smelter charges--increased output in the mines--less expensive mining through the application of electricity--larger payroll--and better than all an ever increasing confidence on the part of investors the world over.

Sincerely Yours,

C. O'BRIEN REDDIN & Co.

License Authorizing an Extra-Provincial Company to Carry on Business.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

CANADA: PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

No. 75.

This is to certify that "The Alaska Goldfields, Limited," is authorized and licensed to carry on business with the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the company is situated in England.

The amount of the capital of the company is £100,000, divided into 100,000 shares of £1 each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate at Rossland, and Charles Robert Hamilton, barrister and solicitor, whose address is Rossland, is the attorney for the company.

The objects for which the company has been established are:

a. To work, operate, buy, sell, lease, take on lease, locate, acquire, acquire options over, procure, hold, and deal in mines, mining rights, metals, minerals, and mineral claims, and other lands of every kind and description within the possession and territories in North America of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the United States of America, or either of them:

b. To carry on and conduct the businesses of miners, mine owners, mining engineers, smelters, metallurgists, refiners, mechanical engineers, builders and contractors, and of the milling, reduction, and making merchantable of ores, metals, minerals, and metallic substance:

c. To carry on the general business of miners by working and developing all or any of the mines, reefs, auriferous or other deposits, setts, grants, conveyances, or leases, acquired by the company, and to work, treat, and render marketable the produce thereof, and to sell the same:

d. To purchase, acquire, hold, erect and operate electric light and power plants for the purpose of mining and treating ore, and for the purpose of furnishing light and creating power forall purposes:

e. To bond, buy, locate, lease, and hold ditches, flumes, and water rights, and other rights and easements connected with mining:

f. To construct, lease, buy, sell, build, or operate railroads, ferries, steamers, ships, tramways, and other means of transportation for tranporting ores, mining and other material:

g. To own, bond, buy, sell, lease and locate timber and timber claims:

h. To seek for and secure openings for the employment of capital in any of the possessions and territories aforesaid, and with a view hereto to prospect, inquire, examine, explore and test, and to dispatch and employ expeditions, commissioners, experts and other agents:

i. To acquire from any sovereign, state or authority, supreme, local or otherwise, any concessions, grants, decrees, rights, or privileges whatsoever, which may seem to the company capable of being turned to account, and to work, develop, carry out, exercise and turn to account thesame:

j. To purchase or otherwise acquire, sell, exchange, deal in, and turn to account property and rights of all kinds, and in particular lands, buildings, mines, mining rights, concessions, licenses, monopolies, stations, farms, public or private works, tolls, and business concerns and undertakings:

k. To carry on all kinds of exploration business and in particular to search for, prospect, examine, and explore mines and grounds supposed to contain minerals or precious stones, and to search for and obtain information in regard to mines, mining claims, mining districts and localities:

l. To carry on all kinds of promotion business and in particular to form, constitute, float, lend money to, assist, and control any companies, associations, or undertakings whatsoever:

m. To subscribe for, purchase, or otherwise acquire and hold, sell, dispose of and deal in, issue and place shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stock, bonds or securities of any nature or kind whatsoever:

n. To lend or advance money on such terms as may seem expedient and to give any guarantee or indemnity:

o. To carry on and undertake any business transaction or operation commonly carried on or undertaken by promoters of companies, financiers, concessionaries, contractors for public and other works, capitalists, merchants or traders, and to carry on any other business which may seem to the company capable of being carried on in connection with any of its objects, or calculated, directly or indirectly, to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the company's property or rights (except the issuing of policies on human life):

p. To entrust the possession, control and management of the whole or any part of the company's moneys, business, property and affairs to any corporation or company, or firm or persons or person in the United Kingdom or any other possessions or territories aforesaid:

q. To purchase from Charles William Bedford and take an assignment from him of, and to adopt and carry into effect, with or without modification, an agreement dated the 12th day of June, 1897, and made between H. Liebes & Co., of the one part, and Chas. Wm. Bedford, of the other part, and to undertake all the obligations of the said G. W. Bedford under such agreement, and to comply with all the terms and conditions thereof; and to adopt and carry into effect, with or without modification, an agreement dated the 13th day of July, 1897, and made between the said Chas. Wm. Bedford, of the one part, and William James Winbolt, on behalf of this company, then intended to be formed, of the other part:

r. To carry out, establish, construct, maintain, improve, manage, work, control and superintend anyroads, ways, tramways, railways, bridges, reservoirs, water courses, embankments, hydraulic works, telegraphs, telephones, sawmills, smelting works, furnaces, stores, shops, and other works and conveniences, and to contribute to or assist in the carrying out, establishment, construction, maintenance, improvement, management, working, control or superintendence of the same:

s. To enter into partnership or in any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, reciprocal concession or co-operation with any partnership, person or company, and either in perpetuity or otherwise, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares or stocks in, or securities of, and to subsidize or otherwise assist any such company, partnership or person, and to sell, hold, re-issue with or without guarntee, or otherwise deal with such shares, stock or securities.

t. To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business which this company is authorized to carry on or possesed of property suitable for the purposes of the company, and to pay for the same by shares, debentures, bonds, cash or otherwise:

u. To sell the undertaking of the company or anypart thereof for such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, bonds or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this company; to promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights or liabilities of this company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this company:

v. To invest money at interest on the security of land of any tenure, building, farming stock, stocks, shares, securities, merchandise, and any other property in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and generally to lend and advance money to any person or companies upon such securities and terms, and subject to such conditions as may seem expedient:

w. To accept surrenders of shares in the company on any terms and for any consideration:

x. To borrow or raise money for the purpose of the company's business; to mortgage and charge the undertaking and all or any of the real and personal property, present and future, and all or any of the uncalled capital for the time being of the company; to issue debentures, mortgage debentures and debenture stock, payable to bearer or otherwise, and either permanent or redeemable or repayable:

y. To draw, accept, indorse, execute and issue bills of exchange, promissory notes, debentures, bills of lading, and other negotiable or transferable instruments or securities.

z. To remunerate any parties for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing, or assisting to place, or guaranteeing the placing of any of the shares in the company's capital, or that of any other company, or any debentures, debenture stock, or other securities of the company, or any other company, or in or about the formation or promotion of the company, or any other company, or the conduct of the business of the company, or that of any other company; to pay the costs, charges and expenses preliminary and incidental to the promotion, formation, establishment and registration of the company, including the government registration fees, capital duty and stamp duty, and brokerage and commissions:

aa. To sell, improve, manage, develop, lease, mortgage, exchange, dispose of, turn to account or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the company:

bb. To procure the company to be registered or recognized in any of the territories or possessions aforesaid:

cc. To distribute among the members, in specie or otherwise, any property of the company, or any proceeds of sale or disposal of any property and rights of the company, and for such purpose to distinguish and separate capital from profits, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction (if any) for the time being required by law; to stipulate for and obtain for the members any property, rights, privileges or options:

dd. To do all or any of the above things, either as principals, agents, trustees, contractors or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, sub-contractors or otherwise:

ee. To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, and so that the word "company" in this clause shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and the intention is that the objects set forth in each paragraph of this clause shall have the widest possible construction, and shall be in no-wise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other paragraph of this clause or the name of the company.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 23rd day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

3-31-4t

Notice to Shareholders.

All shareholders in the Diamond Dust Consolidated Mining Company will please correspond with Edward Baillie within sixty days from date.

Rossland, March 31, 1898. 3-31-4t

Tenders Wanted.

Tenders are invited for the sinking of a shaft to a depth of 50 feet on the Tom Payne mineral claim, situated about one half mile from the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway, at the Porto Rico siding on Salmon river, and three and a half miles from Ymir.

On completion of this work the contractor will have the first refusal of a contract to sink or drift an additional 50 feet, if required. The owners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be opened on April 30.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned, to whom all tenders must be made in writing in a sealed envelope.

JOHN HARRIS, Trustee.
Box 328, Rossland, B. C.

Dated, Rossland, April 4, 1898.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Emu, Kurrajong, Whirroo, Hotstuph, Duphunnie mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Lookout mountain.

Take notice that I, N. F. Townsend, acting as agent for F. McIvor McIvor Campbell (as trustee) free miner's certificate No. 6,214 A, 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 claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

N. F. TOWNSEND.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1898. 4-7-10t

No. 87.

Certificate of the Registration of an Extra Provincial Company.

"COMPANIES' ACT, 1897."

"Chrysolite Gold Mining and Development Company."

Registered the 18th day of March, 1898.

I hereby certify that I have this day registered the "Chrysolite Gold Mining and Development Company," as an Extra-Provincial company under the "Companies' Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the company is situate in the city of Waitsburg, Walla Walla County, State of Washington.

The amount of the capital of the company is one million dollars, divided into one million shares of one dollar each.

The head office of the company in this province is situate in Rossland, B. C., and S. F. Griswold, superintendent of mines, whose address is Rossland, is the attorney for the company.

The time of the existence of the company is fifty years.

The objects for which the company has been established are:

To work, bond, buy, sell, lease, locate, and deal in mines, metals and mineral properties of every kind and description within the United States and the Province of Britsh Columbia; to bond, buy, lease, locate and hold ditches, flumes and water-rights; to construct, lease, buy, sell, and operate mills, concentrators, smelters and reduction works and mining machinery of every description; to bond, buy, lease, sell, build or operate railroads, ferries, tramways or other means of transportation for transporting ore and mining material; to own, bond, buy, sell, lease and locate timber and timber claims, and finally, to do everything consistent, proper and requisite for the carrying out of the objects and purposes aforesaid, in their fullest and broadest sense.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 18th day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
[L. S.] Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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