

Robb.—Owing to the spectacular nature of some ore taken from the Jamieson property in Robb Township there has been quite a rush to that section. It is reported that this claim has been optioned to Mr. C. A. Foster, of Haileybury, on a working option basis.

The Dome Extension Mining Company has taken over its own plant and may work it later in the summer. For several months the Dome Mining Company has rented the plant as an auxiliary.

Hollinger Reserve.—The General Development Company of New York, has rented the small mill at the McIntyre mine, in order to make a run of 200 tons of ore from the Hollinger Reserve mine, which they have under option. The ore is being hauled from the mine in Ogden Township to the mill at Schumacher.

DELORO GOLD CLAIMS SOLD.

Cobalt, April 4.—The Little Pet claim, the two Fogg claims and the two Woodhouse claims in the township of Deloro, Porcupine, just south of the Big Dome Mines, and surrounding the Porphyry Hill, figure in a deal completed yesterday. These claims were sold to Mr. Charles L. Shirill, of Buffalo, N.Y., and his associates in the Homestake Mines Finance Company. The deal involves more than \$100,000 in cash of which the initial payment of \$10,000 was made to the owners in Haileybury yesterday afternoon.

Preparations have already been made for a plant. Two 60 horse power boilers, a hoist and a six drill compressor are on the way to the camp and will be installed within a few weeks and active operations will commence on the claims within the next two months. The Little Pet has all necessary mine buildings, including the framework of a stamp mill and the new company will immediately order machinery for a twenty ton stamp mill to be installed this summer for testing purposes.

It is quite probable that the claims will be incorporated under a company to be known as the Porcupine Pet Mines.

Mr. Shirill is well known in Porcupine being connected with the Foley-O'Brien, Dome Lake, Shirill Porcupine and other properties in that camp.

The Little Pet was formerly owned by a company of that name and \$25,000 was paid on a deal for the claim. It was originally the Brydge claim, owned by John Brydge and a Haileybury syndicate and when the Little Pet Company failed to make the necessary payments it reverted to the original owners. Two shafts, one 100 feet and the other 50 feet have been sunk and this work will be continued. Some remarkably rich ore was mined by the Little Pet Company with which was associated Col. Weatherby of London, England, and Mr. Proctor Smith, of New York.

The Fogg and Woodhouse claims were also sold in the boom days of the camp but after a few payments were made they also reverted to the original owners, Mr. John Fogg, of Schumacher, and Mr. Harry Woodhouse, Mr. William Crawford and Mr. Teddy Edmunds of Haileybury, are the owners. The four claims had some good showings of gold but nothing extensive except surface work has been attempted.—Cobalt Nugget.

YUKON TERRITORY.

The Yukon Gold Co. has taken options on eight miles of Sixty-Mile river, where a gold strike recently occurred. The company has two Keystone drills on the

ground. It is stated that the strike appears to be the most important made in the Yukon since the discovery of the Fairbanks field, and is much more extensive than the Chisana field.

Advices from England state that there has lately been published in London an article, by Mr. Rowland Fielding Mimm, on the Klondike auriferous gravel mining industry, which, he says, has now reached a degree of importance unsurpassed elsewhere in any field of equal area. Two companies in 1913 produced \$5,000,000. The individual miner, with his rich bonanzas, has been superseded. The writer especially discusses the prospects of the Granville Company, of which Mr. Treadgold is managing director, and says that Granville will soon pay dividends on ordinary stock.

BRAZEAU COLLIERIES.

The Canadian Northern Railway Company finished its line to the mine several weeks ago, and this company has been shipping coal since the first day the steel reached the mine. The C.P.R. is finishing its line to Rocky Mountain House probably this month and will therefore provide another outlet. The stock of this company is not for sale.

VENEZUELA ORE.

A meeting of the bondholders of the Canadian Venezuela Ore Company has been called for April 9 at the Windsor Hotel, when the report of the engineer commissioned by the bondholders' committee to inspect the property in Venezuela will be read. The report is at present in the hands of Senator Curry as Chairman of the bondholders' committee. It has been summarized for presentation at the meeting on April 9 and is generally understood to be unfavorable.—Financial Times.

COBALT SHIPMENTS.

(The Daily Nugget.)

For a second week in succession nothing but high-grade material has left the Cobalt camp and seven mines figured in a total shipment of 612,965 lb. of ore which was sent out during the week ending April . The figures are just a few pounds below the shipments for the previous week when the same number of mines shipped eleven cars.

Of the shippers Crown Reserve had a high grade car for the Saxon Government from whom they hold a contract. Twenty tons of very rich ore went to Germany from the mine during the week. The Chambers-Ferland, an occasional shipper, appears on the list with a car of high-grade for Deloro. McKinley-Darragh leads off the weekly list with three cars of high with Coniagas second with two cars for their own smelter at Torold, Ont.

The shipments for the week ending April 3rd are:

	High-grade
McKinley-Darragh.	193,750
Coniagas.	147,400
Cobalt Townsite	63,720
Chambers-Ferland.	58,690
Trethewey.	47,070
Crown Reserve	40,000
Beaver.	62,435

Total. 612,965 lb.

The bullion shipments for the week are:

Mine.	Bars.	Ounces.	Value.
Nipissing.	61	71,771.69	\$41,627.58