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GOLD MINING DURING 1898

Prospects for the Industry All Over the World.

London, Eng., Mining Journal Gives a Review of the Prospects for the Coming Year—Many of the Celebrated Fields are Taken In—A Message About the Golden Cache.

In the Engineering and Mining Journal of London, Eng., appears a New Year's message about the prospects for the coming year. It takes up the different gold fields and winds up with Canada, South Africa is first dealt with.

In the Transvaal.
In the first place, we see an improved condition of things in South Africa. We cannot see a sudden awakening on the part of the Transvaal Government to the fact that the mining industry is not a thing of the past, but a thing of the future. We see a slow, half-hearted recognition of the fact that the mining industry is not a thing of the past, but a thing of the future. We see a slow, half-hearted recognition of the fact that the mining industry is not a thing of the past, but a thing of the future.

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Rhodesia's Hopes.
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In Australia.
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Ontario, B.C. and Yukon.
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Golden Cache.
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Poor Postal Service.
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PUBLIC AND HIGH SCHOOLS

The Terrors of Consumption

Can Never Be Lessened Until the Government Changes Existing Conditions by Enforcing Sanitary Regulations Upon Us.

Dr. Ferguson Writes Strongly Against the Proposed Union.

He Combats the Chief Arguments Which Have Been Raised in Support of Amalgamation—He Says It Would Be Penny Wise and Pound Foolish—Comparison of Cost at Toronto, London and Hamilton.

In accordance with a resolution passed at the inaugural meeting, Council met to-day to fill the vacancies caused by the death of the late Mr. McEachern, Patterson, Wilson, Scott, Houston and Denton on the High School Board. The object in postponing the performance of this duty, it will be remembered, was to give opportunity to express their views on the question of amalgamation with the Public School Board. It was decided that only those favoring amalgamation would be appointed.

Against Amalgamation.
Dr. John Ferguson, chairman of the School Management Committee of the appointed Board, in the course of a long letter to the Mayor and Council, written Saturday, combats the arguments in favor of union.

The advocates of this change," he says, "have advanced no arguments that are of such a character as to justify the change. Reviewing the charge of staff inefficiency in the Public Schools, the fact is that as a result of the care taken in selecting the teachers, the staff of the Public Schools is one of the best in the world. The fact that the Toronto schools won 45 per cent of all the honors and awards at the University examination of last year, in competition with all the schools in Ontario, is a sufficient proof of the high quality of the staff.

Then he declares no economy could be effected by the proposed change. Salaries of teachers, considering the cost of living, are none too high. An increase of fees would become prohibitive. It would be penny-wise and pound-foolish to spend less money on teachers and towards the maintenance of the schools. The three schools could not get along with the proposed change. The fact is that the Public Schools are one of the best in the world.

As to overlapping.
Amalgamation, he continues, would not prevent overlapping of studies, unless the Public Schools were to be wholly entrusted to a cheaper class of teachers. The fact is that the Public Schools are one of the best in the world.

Landmarks in the History of the City.
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Until that time, the press will be our chief hope for instructing the people at large as to preventive and rational treatment of this infectious disease. Consumption is a constitutional disease in which the whole body is implicated. The rigors of winter greatly multiply cases. Weakly people, who drag out a half-hearted existence during the milder seasons, succumb to the first rude storm of December. The portly physician, clad in furs, drives up with his elegant turn-out and pompously cross-examines the poor fellow, or delicate woman, who is stricken down with bronchitis, pleurisy, or pneumonia; he leaves a prescription in Latin, and drives away. My friends, you can save yourselves a world of trouble and doctors' bills by taking hold of your own case in time. The moment you feel you have taken cold, by a sense of depression, do what we do in our family, and what thousands of sensible people who are familiar with Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, and that is this: Pile on the blankets about you and put your feet and legs half way up to the knees in a foot-bath of mustard and very hot water; then take your first dose of Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, and you will begin to feel better.

Go to bed, keep warm, continue your Shiloh, and there will be no danger of extension of the trouble into the lungs. If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold at the small price of 25c., 50c., and \$1.00, does not cure you, take it back and the druggist will refund your money.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is a simple, safe, and effective remedy for all cases of cough, cold, bronchitis, pleurisy, pneumonia, and consumption. It is sold at the small price of 25c., 50c., and \$1.00, does not cure you, take it back and the druggist will refund your money.

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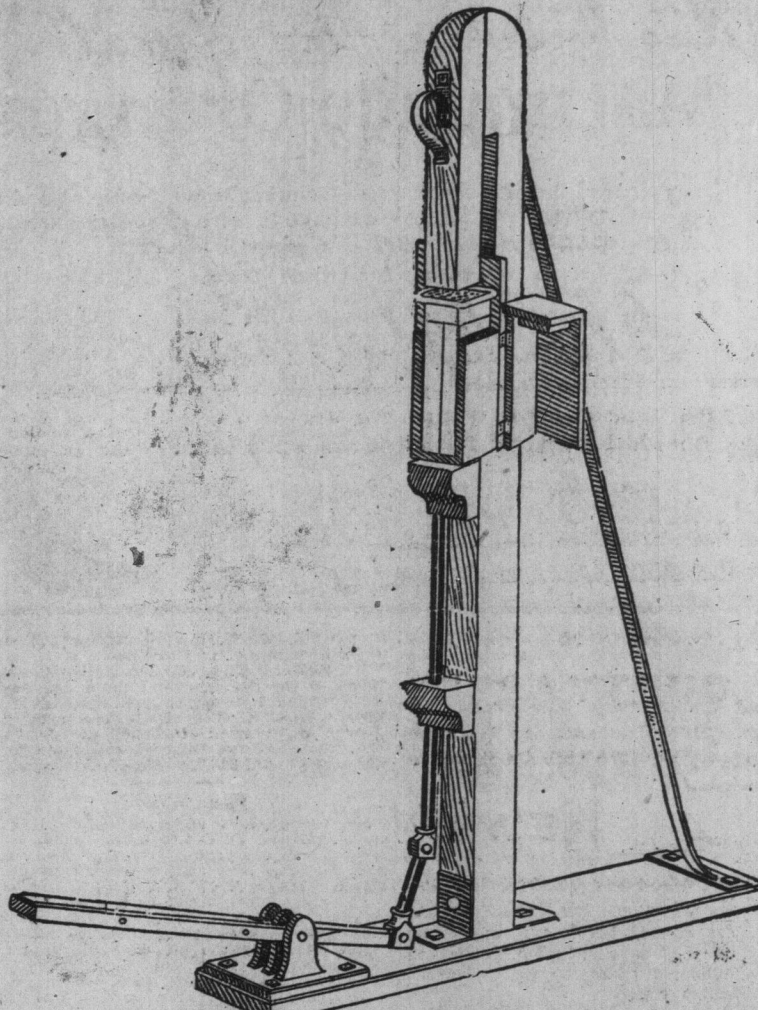
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Patented in Canada Oct. 16, 1897.

Tea-Packing Machine

The above is a correct cut of our new Tea Packer. This machine does not pound or break the tea. We claim it is the most simple, durable, easy to work, speedy, the best made in all its parts, and the cheapest. The Tea Packer yet invented. The plunger is permanent and the tea is pressed up against it to the desired size. In all other Tea Packers the tea is simply poured into a hole and pounded on the top, the same as being struck with a heavy hammer, making a tremendous noise. Our machine is almost noiseless. The simplicity of this machine does not need any description. A glance at the cut shows all the parts so simple that any person can understand it. A boy can work it all day and does not need to change every half hour, as is the case with the old-time Pounders.

There is only one letter to work. This is done with the foot. The slider is swung round with the hand, the action is quick, so rapid that a smart boy can pack from 10 to 12 packages a minute and keep it up all day, thus proving it to be the most speedy Tea Packer ever invented.

The frame of this machine is made of hard wood, the working parts of steel and iron, and the Tea Tubes are made of tinued steel. One of these machines with constant use will last a lifetime. There is nothing to wear or give out about it. Package Tea in sealed lead packages is the only way to hold your customers, and if you don't sell your own tea in this way you will soon be obliged to sell tea for some one else or lose your tea trade.

Ninety per cent of the tea that is consumed in Great Britain is sold in lead packages, and it is the only way to preserve the flavor. All original packages of tea are put in sealed lead or iron, and should be handed to the consumer in equal or light packages, in quantities that may be required.

The price of this machine is \$60.00, net cash. We will make draft ten days after shipping. Yours truly, A. H. CANNING & CO.

57 Front St. East, Toronto, Canada.

Toronto, Jan. 20, 1898.

A. H. Canning, Esq., City.
Dear Sir: We have been handed a circular of your Tea Packer, in the third paragraph of which, as we take it, you refer to the "Ideal" Machine; and state that your Packer, being able to turn out 10 or 12 packages per minute, is the most speedy in use.

Now, we shall value your \$100.00 that you cannot pack 10 or 12 packages a minute for five minutes in succession, with three boys working at the machine, that is, with a wrapper and boy at the machine, with the same number of boys. Then we shall value your "Ideal" Machine, which you claim to be the most speedy in use, that we can turn out two packages to your one in a day's work of eight hours, for three packages for your one in a week's work. In fact, if you want competition of any kind, we are quite willing to meet you in a fair spirit, as it would be a good business for the winner.

We would not have thought of issuing the above challenge but that the circular that you issued of your machine is certainly a novel. One of these machines with constant use will last a lifetime. There is nothing to wear or give out about it. Package Tea in sealed lead packages is the only way to hold your customers, and if you don't sell your own tea in this way you will soon be obliged to sell tea for some one else or lose your tea trade.

We have no ill-feeling towards you at all, but we feel we must defend what is to us a valuable property. We are, yours truly, P. C. LARKIN & CO.

Toronto, Jan. 22, 1898.

Gentlemen: Your letter of the 20th received, and, in reply, we beg to accept all your challenges.

We accept your offer of \$100.00 that we cannot pack ten packages in one minute with our machine. We claim we can, and are prepared to defend the statement.

We claim you cannot pack FIFTY packages in five minutes with your machine, and accept your offer of \$100.00. We claim we can, and are prepared to defend the statement.

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GREAT BRITAIN MUSIC

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