



**GRANBY RETURNS.**

During the last ten days of March the Granby smelter treated 34,525 tons of ore from the company's own properties at Phoenix, as well as 460 tons of customs ore, making a total treatment for the period of 35,005 tons. During the ten days the blister copper shipments were 717,000 lbs., giving a total for the month of March of 2,020,000 lbs.

For the first three months of the current year the smelter has treated 305,783 tons of ore from its own mines, and 3,094 tons of custom ores, or a total treatment of 308,077 tons. The blister copper shipments for the same period aggregated 5,588,245 lbs. The figures for the three months are as follows:

Granby ore treated: January, 100,881 tons; February, 96,971 tons; March, 107,931 tons.

Foreign ores treated: January, 1,268 tons; February, 886 tons; March, 107,931 tons.

Total ore treatment: January, 102,149 tons; February, 97,857 tons; March, 108,871 tons.

Copper shipments: January, 1,828,245 lbs.; February, 1,740,000 lbs.; March, 2,020,000 lbs.

The recovery of 5,588,245 lbs. of copper from 308,077 tons of ore smelted would give the Granby practically 18 1-7 lbs. per ton for the first three months of the current year. On a 15 cent copper market the Granby should realize from copper recovery alone the sum of \$837,969 from the first quarter of the year's operations. At the same rate of production for the remainder of 1913—and there is every reason to believe this will be maintained, if not increased, as the March shipments were 191,755 lbs. in excess of those of January, although the two months were of the same number of days, and February was a short month—the copper recovery for the year should be in the neighbourhood of 22,353,000 lbs., or \$3,352,950.