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in the minds of his hearers a sympathy toward, if not enthusiasm, the scheme which he is forwarding.

STRIKE THREATENED. Men Do Not Care to Do Switching.

N. D., Jan. 15.—A strike of servants is threatened by train of the Great Northern railroad.

Baldwin of Missoula, Mont., Windsor.

THE MINING REVIEW

An Important Find of Rich Ore in the Iron Mask.

MADE ON THE 400-FOOT LEVEL

The Evening Star Rejoins the List of Shippers—Giant Recommends the Sending of Ore to Northport—Machinery is Being Installed and Other Notes.

The week's review of the different mines shows that a large quantity of preliminary work is being done. New veins are being put in, shafts are being enlarged, additions being put to power plants and other improvements are being made.

The strike made on the 400-foot level east in the crosscut of the Iron Mask, is important, for the reason that the ore is the highest grade yet found in this mine, which is noted for the value of its ore.

The shipments of ore for the past week are very satisfactory, the sum total amounting to 4,773 tons, which approximation is rather under than over the mark.

The Iron Mask is, indeed, not quite up to its usual weekly standard, but this deficiency is more apparent than real, as the shortage is due to the lack of sleighing facilities in conveying the ore from the ore bins to the C. P. R. depot.

Table with columns: Week, Tons, Year, Tons. Rows include Le Roi, War Eagle, Iron Mask, Evening Star, Centre Star, L. X. L., Monte Christo, Giant, and a total row.

Iron Mask.—In the 300-foot level west, stoping is being proceeded with. A drift has been run in upon the vein recently encountered, to a distance of 45 feet, with the result that the ledge has opened up to seven feet in width, and is carrying very good values.

of these mines, as may be noted by the hexagonal housing just finishing for the water tank immediately below the main offices.

California.—The surface buildings are all completed, including the compressor, building, shaft house, blacksmith shop, office, powder magazine. The hoist is in place and is waiting for the electric motor.

Le Roi.—The Le Roi headed the list of shippers this week and matters are being pushed both on the surface and underground. A new electric hoist is being installed on the Black Bear tunnel.

Evening Star.—The Evening Star resumed shipments during the past week. The ore sent was from the copper-gold ledge, where it has been opened on the 125-foot level.

Giant.—The Giant sent 50 tons to Northport this week of the ore which is on the dump. The roads have been in such condition that they could not be hauled over advantageously till this week.

I. X. L.—Operations are being pushed on the I. X. L. On the lower level drifting is in progress, and an upraise is being made to connect it with the intermediate level.

Monte Christo.—The Monte Christo has shut down for a short time owing to the fact that the Trail smelter has plenty of iron ore for melting purposes.

New St. Elmo.—Drifting and crosscutting is in progress. The drift is in for a distance of 550 feet and the crosscut for 184 feet.

Columbia & Kootenay.—A station is being cut out on the No. 6 tunnel to receive the hoist for the three-compartment vertical shaft, which is designed to be sunk below this level.

Nickel Plate.—The widening of the shaft to a three-compartment one is in progress from the 400-foot level. Preparations are under way to sink to the 600-foot level.

Sunset No. 2.—Drifting to the west on No. 3 vein on the 100-foot level continues. The character of the ore met continues to improve.

Arthur.—A tunnel has been run along the ledge, which has now been driven for about 20 feet. The showing is of an encouraging character.

Deer Park.—Crosscutting toward the ledge on the 300-foot level continues. There were no developments of note during the week.

The White Man's Burden

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main adit is now in for a distance of 445 feet. Green Mountain.—The deepening of the shaft continues.

THE DIAMOND DRILL

It Has Been Used to a Large Extent in Th's Camp. SHOULD BE USED ONCE MORE

It is the Cheapest Known Method of Prospecting a Mining Property—The Foot Wall of the Ledge of the Wallingford Has Been Met.

Mr. H. M. Williams, who has been operating diamond drills for the past 10 years, is in the city. In speaking about diamond drills yesterday Mr. Williams said: "The contract price for diamond drill work is from \$2.50 to \$4 per foot against from \$20 to \$30 for drifting and from \$30 to \$50 per foot for shafting."

now being penetrated. The tunnel is in some 330 feet and has struck the footwall of the main ledge, dipping about one foot in six, and will probably cut across the vein matter in another 20 feet.

What kind of diamonds do we use? The diamonds used are of the black variety which comes from Brazil. The size used is from a karat to a half karat.

What does a diamond drill plant cost? They vary in price. A hand plant can be purchased for about \$400, while power plants run from \$400 to \$5,000.

Struck the Footwall. After fifteen months of persistent work, Mr. Archer reports that the footwall of the ledge under the main shaft of the Wallingford has been reached, and is

unsolicited testimonials that have been received by those who have suffered from the Catarrh Malady in all its forms, and for periods of suffering, whether the limit of a few days of Influenza or Cold in the Head to the cure of stubborn and deep-seated Catarrh of the Head and Nose, covering the almost incredible period of fifty years.

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The present condition of the mining stock market here reminds us of the story of the gentleman who wagered that it would be an almost impossible task to sell real sovereigns at one penny each on

London bridge. It is stated that he sold one after offering them to the passers by for a whole day.

As we all know, the recent British reverses in South Africa have been the only

factor in thus lowering the prices of mining stock. A few victories will have the opposite effect, and prices will at once jump to their old stand. These victories cannot much longer be delayed.

People who will take the trouble to think this matter over will at once see that now is the right time to buy. All good stocks, and even the best standards, are cheap. Our advice, then, is to buy, and don't wait too long. This we know for certain—the mines are better than they ever were; the buyer now has a 50 per cent better chance than was ever offered before to realize handsome profits.

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A Pump for the War Eagle. A 300-gallon pump was yesterday sold to the War Eagle mine of the Phoenix camp, Boundary Creek. It is to be used as a station pump and will be sent from this city during the next two or three days. The Jencks Machine company sold this pump.

The Green Mountain Shaft. The shaft on the Green Mountain had yesterday reached a depth of 385 feet.

Greenwood News. Greenwood, B. C., Jan. 15.—(Special.)—Mayor Hardy has received six applications from citizens to join the British Columbia contingent for the Transvaal and has telegraphed to the provincial secretary offering their services.

Will Join Roberts. Durban, Natal, Jan. 14.—(Sunday)—Foreign military attaches arrived here this morning, and will proceed on Monday to Cape Town to join Roberts.

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