Slocan Mineral Float.

Work on the Capella will be resumed this fall. All the miners lately employed at the Wakefield were paid \$3.50 a day. Perseverance claims, close to town.

The Bosun is closed down tight. When

mines, a strong ledge has been uncover-

A chute of clean ore was struck on a new vein of the Texas last week. It is J. E. Mitchell, who at one time managed one of the Reco group. The men on the Evening Star were laid is managed by Mr. J. Roderick Robert-

off last week. The property will be clos- son. It is said by the knowing ones that all

been driven 53 feet. The ledge is the full in kidneys.

Nine men are employed on the Ajax laid off, as the present hoist is too small Fraction. This force will be increased to meet requirements. to 20 as soon as the bunk house now building is completed.

on the Bosun quit work in compliance Sandiford refused to sign a paper guaranteeing the men employed on contract work \$3.50 per day, and the men were Berlin have purchased an interest in the

of labor in the Slocan, will resume opera- um Pup mineral claim, and the Mikado, tions before the 16th of August. This re- all in this district. port is said to be authentic. The new be added. Manager Hand believes in well ment of the same. taking care of his men.-New Denver Ledge.

East Kootenay.

It is his impression that East Kootenay destined to be a mining region of more than ordinary importance, and one favorable feature is that the mines are rich from the surface, and hence pay or can be mined from the very grass roots. At the Swansea, which is being operated by the Derby Mining Company, it has been opened by three shafts, which are now 95 feet. 70 feet and 40 feet deep reonsiderable drifting and crosscutting. to eight feet in width. The ledge is 30 feet in width. Recently in the north shaft there was struck a paystreak of high grade copper ore, the 70 per cent. in copper.

creek, a small shipment of ore was recently made to the smelter, and it gave

On Hidden Creek E. H. Winslow and
L. J. Winslow have two claims, Green

California Through them

Mitchell-Innes syndicate of Glasgow, Scotland, is operating this group. The property is being opened in a satisfactory manner and the showing of shipping ore

creek, on Horse Thief creek, is located a about four miles from the railroad. big property, which was recently bended big property, which was recently bonded by the Hon. C. H. Mackintosh. This, it will be continued up the creek for a disis claimed, is the most wonderful property in British Columbia. The showing is so large that it has caused a rush of the lead on the Guienne mineral claim prospectors into that section, and the

hills are almost black with them. On Toby creek the work has been starton Toby creek the work has been start-ed by the East Kootenay Copper Com-pany on the Broad Gauge group, and the intention is to keep up the work contin-ing a tunnel some 60 feet on the lead. J. intention is to keep up the work continuously. Samples have been found in this property that run as high as 28 per cent. ment of ore from the latter property, the mill.-Nelson Miner. which was recently sent to the Trail Among the many prominent Red Moun-

The Similkameen Country. Mr. David Morgan has been visiting the the Copper Farm.

to be found there.

\$500 to the Pan.

At the Ward mine, Horsefly, richer gravel than ever before found here was ed that will cut the ledge at a depth of struck last week. The gold lays in over 10 feet.—Silvertonian. struck last week. The gold lays in sheets in places a quarter of an inch thick. Mr. Ward has carried into his There were several stories of rich a half feet wide. office seven pans and several powder strikes current on the streets on Friday | It is not the first time nickel has been boxes filled with unwashed dirt that and if they all turn out to be as reported Three pans gave \$2,000. It is a wonder-

being made with the shaft, which is blasting some rock the other day and now down 250 feet, and the main station is being put in. This will take of remarkably rich ore, which runs about about ten days, when sinking will be resumed. There has been no increase in the water for the past fifty feet. On much more important than the one men.

Another strike that will likely turn out Windermere, was \$105.03 per ton.

The Estella shows a large amount of much more important than the one men. the contrary it has diminished somewhat and is under complete control. The gravel is very tight and works well. It is of excellent character, mostly quartz, and prospects letter in gold ed for at so great a distance from bedrock.- Ashcroft Journal.

Dredging at Quesnelle. It is reported that the dredging com-

oper.ed up before very long. Miners From Ontario. Wakefield were paid \$3.50 a day.

Work will be put upon the Ruby and Perseverance claims, close to town.

The Bosun is closed down tight. When work is resumed it will be with a full wine Owners. Association. The imported men were sent to Ymir on a stands now. Local men are anxious to the property as it prospectors have gone in.

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On the White Horse, near the Galena

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Kamloops Camp.

Work on the Noonday is going along the Slocan mines will be in full blast in steadily. The shaft is now down 100 a month's time, and that \$3 will be the feet.

The Chieftain Group, owned by R. H. The tunnel on the Queen Fraction has Lee, has been bonded to Henry Croft. The Pothook management are anxiouswidth of the tunnel and ore is coming in ly awaiting the arrival of their new ma-Some of the men have been

L. Boillot, Paris, and L. P. Fearn, of claims at Jack Lake, and intend prosewith orders from the union. Manager cuting active work on the property short-

The Companie Francaise, of Paris and Golden Chest Mining Co., the Kamloops-The Payne mine, the largest employer Treadwell Mining Company, the Skook-

Messrs. Monckton and Colquboun have bunkhouse will by that time be ready for occupancy. It is the best furnished and Esk cinnabar mining claim, situated on most comfortable mine building that has Criss creek, where they intend pushing ever been built in British Columbia. It development work, and if the body of ore is heated by steam and will be lighted by is found for which they are looking, mod- From Slocan Cityelectricity. A modern bath house will ern furnaces will be erected for the treat-

A carload of ore is being sacked for shipment to the Trail smelter, through Messrs. Redman & Outhett, the agents here, from the Gordon group, near Har Mr. F. A. Mullholland has just returned per's ranch. This carries well in gold, to Rossland from a visit to East Koote- assaying all the way from \$16 to \$76 per nay, where he has been for the past ton. Three men have been engaged for month. He says that there is a scarcity several months on this property, and if of miners along Boulder and Horse Thief, the smelter returns meet expectations accreeks and elsewhere in East Kootenay. tive development work will be carried

Ymir Notes.

Adolf Gaudet and Ernest Morin, of Ymir are back from Sixteen Mile creek, where they have been doing work on the California group, composed of the California and Sacramento mineral claims. They report that they have uncovered a large ledge of rose quartz well mineralspectively. Besides the shafts there is some 6,000 feet. The vein is from six ized with galena which can be traced

The Ymir mill has shut down owing to the breaking of the main fly wheel better portions of which runs as high as which runs the stamps. The company have telegraphed to Chicago to the Gates Iron Works for a duplicate which will

A very promising property situated on Mountain and California, Through them Boulder ereek, is the Pretty Girl. The runs a strong ledge of pure white quartz, well mixed with white iron and zinc. The ledge is from two to four feet in width and can be traced the length of the claims; only surface work has been done, but an average assay is obtain-On the Sitting Bull and the Mary G., able of \$5 in gold. The owners intend on the sitting Bull and the Mary G., on Horse Thief creek, Osler and Hammond of Toronto, have struck a good big property is a fissure in granite, and lies

L. J. Winslow has charge of the work

An average assay across four feet of went in vold \$19 64. silver \$8.40 Total \$28.04. This property is near the Black Petrie, Willie Blais and C. E. Desros iers are the owners of the property.

The Canadian Pacific Exploration in copper and \$14 in gold, and this from Co., Ltd., owning and operating the Porore taken from the surface. A number, to Rico group at Ymir, intend to put in of other claims, such as the Mineral an electric power plant at an early date King, Hot Punch, Vulcan and the Del- It will be installed at the forks and will phine, are promising, and are being de- run the compressor and mill. It is also the veloped with favorable results. A ship- intention of the management to enlarge

smelter, gave a return of \$109 to the ton. tain properties is the A. E. This is a Shaft No. 2 shows a depth of 30 feet, 21/2 big gold-copper proposition and lies between the Congo group and Little Daisy Similkameen country, looking after his claim. The A. E. ledge shows on the interests in Copper mountain and else- in British Columbia, being fully 100 feet which when reached will give a vertical where. He has interests in a dozen wide. The strike of the vein is northeast claims, and says he is pleased with the and southwest, with a dip or pitch into showings that have been made with the the mountain of about 60 degrees. The work so far done. In that section he vein is what would be known in the states there are about 1,000 prospectors Rossland or Boundary country as a big and miners. Copper mountain is the scene, "fron cap," and a hole drilled anywhere of considerable activity, and Dr. Deeks in it and blasted exposed ore that carries of Montreal, has a large force at work large quantities of iron, more or less there developing the Helen Gardiner and copper sulphides and in places considerthle molybdentte. All of this ore car-There is considerable work at Twenty- ries values in gold varying from a few Mile creek, and it promises to be considerents to \$25, and as depth is gained a erable of a camp. In conclusion he stat- remarkable improvement is noticeable in ed that there is mineral everywhere in both the gold and copper values. A that country, and all sorts of metals are large amount of labor has been expended in prospecting the surface of this ledge, numerous shallow openings having been made. Lately a tunnel has been start-

Four Rich Strikes.

At the Miocene mine good progress is Duncan railway, near Howser Lake, were district.—Fort Steel Prospector.

It is a wet ore proposition and a twelve- nel, which is now in 70 feet. foot ledge of exceptionally rich ore has At the Chichamun Stone work is being

pany operating some ten miles up the been unearthed. The Miner was shown prosecuted with great vigor and is pro- on an extensive scale has aiready com- crowded. Tramways are being pany operating some ten lines up the stress and the ore on Friday, and it gressing rapidly. The air shaft connectmenced. Preparations are now being ed from the shafts to the bins, wh cessful run, and that their wash-up certainly is one of the finest pieces of galing with the main tunnel is now commade for a winter camp; the ore is also under construction. The work A few men are at work on the French it turns out that the story has not been further up the hill; this shaft will give company's ground, the Columbia Min- exaggerated and that there are really a depth of 105 feet. A winze is being very promising proposition situated in good progress. There is a stamp ing Company, as it is called. The fu- twelve feet of such ore it would stagger sunk 100 feet in the lower tunnel, another ture plans of the company are not one to estimate the value of the property. tunnel is to be run 100 feet below and mine north fork of Toby creck, known, but it now seems very likely There are 17 feet of a poorer grade of an upraise to connect the winze. The disthat this valuable property will be galena, which, however, appears to be tance now run on the vein is 221 feet. now less than \$303,000 for the property as it prospectors have gone in.

mine in the Slocan. The Ymir mine Dutchman, and 1% miles west of the Sil- As the work progresses, the ground bement. The owners state that an assay as may be found necessary.

> make a fortune out of. over.-Nelson Miner.

Slocan Ore Shipments. The shipment of ore from Slocan Lake points, up to and including last week, From Bosun Landing-Bosun From New Denver-Marion ... From Ten Mile-Enterprise ... Tam uac From Silverton-Comstock Comstock concentrates 100 Emily Edith Fidelity Noonday

Vancouver

Total

The Lardeau Promises Well. A. W. Siegel, a mining operator from Spokane, has been visiting the Lardeau claim, on the north fork of Lardeau river. He says that there is considerable asthe development of what is undoubtedly a very rich mineral belt. Mr. Siegel re- new tunnels are being driven. turned by way of Slocan lake, and visited by Frank Watson and Judge Spinks. tunnel to tap the vein.

near New Denver, have been the order to 300 feet. The Silver Hill has the same claims which have elapsed. Eight parties claim, belonging to the Richelien Company, fore the season closes. went out one night. The properties at the head of Ten-Mile shipments.

in progress.-Nelson Tribune. J. C. McLellan, clerk in the government

s will be obtained. The office, Nelson, has returned from Goat All the men employed in the river district, where he was on official starting at Kitchener, is completed for a distance of twenty-one miles, and a force be secured in the ten-hour shifts. of men are rushing it to completion. The trail is opening up a mineral district and there are a good many prospectors in the sessment work on claims already record-

> On Palmer Mountain. William Kelly gives the following information relative to the Palmer Bar

district. He says: "The Belleville group of claims on Palner mountain are situated on the east fork of Palmer Bar creek. The group consists of four claims, Belleville, Lookout, Belleville fraction and B. & B. mincral claims. The property is developed by two shafts. No. 1 on the Belleville is feet of galena with six feet of the lead well mineralized. The property is further developed by a tunnel at present in surface to be one of the biggest veins 187 feet to cross-cut the main ledge, depth of 120 feet; the cross-cut is expected to strike the lead at any moment When this lead is encountered ore will be taken out for shipment. If the theorMr. John O. Norbom will, on behalf of the

Rich Nickel Ore.

The finding of nickel ore which, according to reliable analysis will run 121/2 per cent. nickel to the ton, does not cause a tipple of excitement among our people who have become accustomed to mineral surprises. The claim from which the ore was taken is not a dozen miles from Fort down on the Comox on Monday night with Steele and was not located until the 16th the news that the striking miners had all of last month. An incline tunnel has been left the island and that seventy-five men the vein exposed at that depth is two and Vancouver Province reporter he said that

will yield from \$400 to \$500 per pan, there are certainly some lucky prospect manent has before been uncovered. In found in this vicinity, but nothing pertors in the country. The first that came the present instance should the per cen- "I have a lot more men coming," said Mr. fal showing and Klondike can show ro- to the ears of a Miner man was from the tage of nickel continue it will give a Treat, "and they will be at work before Lardo. The men at work on the Lardo- substantial boom to all mining in the

East Kootenay.

The gross returns from the smelter o the ore from the Delphine mine, near

work. The shaft is now down 85 feet and Bros., the original locators of the Noble the same character of ore is encountered Five. Their strike was made at Midge as in the earlier working of the shaft. creek, otherwise known as 16 Mile creek, Development work on the Tontine group which is in a district that has been of mines on Quartz creek is progressing thought to contain no mineral resources rapidly. Seven men are at present employed working two shifts running a tun-

ena that anyone would wish to see. If pleted. Another shaft will be started gray-copper and argentiferous galena. 50-ton concentrator, which the rich enough to pay for treatment, which Shipments of ore will commence shortly. on McDonald creek. Development work makes 29 feet of mineral matter. Bob | About 30 miles up Dutch creek some Hennessey has visited the property with discoveries have been made recently

in over the Crow's Nest Pass road. They were contracted for at Sudbury by Mr.

Spokane end falls through. Work will rich pay streak similar to the one on the be started as soon as possible. ranging wall was found. In running the The owners of the Agricola, on Toad crosscut numerous stringers were found Mountain, one mile east of the Flying in the vein all of which show free gold. ver King, claim to have struck it very comes softer and therefore more easily rich. The Miner was shown a sample of worked. The work will be continued and the ore which was a very pretty speci-, the force augmented from time to time

showed a value of \$19 in gold, 54 ounces Work is being systematically pushed in silver and from 73 to 78 per cent. cop- every department of the Lake Shore per. There are eight inches of very rich mine. The huge boiler for the compresore in a ledge from two to three feet sor plant has been put in place and the wide. If the half of this is true there is! bricklayers are now building the furnace. a wonderful property for someone to The three shifts working in the new tunnel are making good progress.

Another piece of ore which was fairly At present there are from 12 to 15 men bubbling over with chunks of pure gold employed working two shifts each on the was seen. It was found quite near the tunnel and shaft of the Polen group. The On Monday all the underground miners interest in the Wheel Tamar group of story now might interfere with a deal quality, and in the shaft good ore has for its development it will have to hold been encountered. So far the work has been of a most satisfactory character, and the owners express themselves as much pleased with the showing.

The bonding of the Golden Fleece, Stanley, Gold Dollar, and Little Johnny to E. C. Egan for \$40,000 shows the confidence that gentleman has in East Kootenay properties. The claims show considerable development, one tunnel on the lead is now in 72 feet besides five open cuts varying from 15 to 35 feet. A contract will immediately be let to run a 400-foot tunnel, which it is thought will pretty continuing to the west about 125 feet ed east of the Columbia & Koote thoroughly develop the mine. The average assays made from the ore are about \$30, although assays running as high as showing a mass of lower grade ore. \$169 have been made. These properties are on the divide between Louis and Tracy creeks and adjoining the Minnie rich surface showing of ore about 529 unbroken. The intention is to cross M. and Tiger. The character of the ore feet west of the main shaft, and the ore at the 300-foot level, and it is more the is similar to that in the Estella and other claims in the immediate vicinity.

In Crawford Bay.

...... 2,643 T. J. Roy has returned to Nelson from the Richelieu Mining Company's property on Canyon creek, in the Crawford Ray district, where he has a force of fifteen district, where he let a contract for a He has now things in shape for a good men developing a group of three claims. 200-foot tunnel on the Black Diamond winter's work. In addition to considerable surface work, there is a 50-foot tunnel in upon the lead, which averages about sessment work being done around Fergu- cighteen inches in width. The ore is a would prove it a paying mine. son, but the lack of capital is retarding grey copper, carrying high values in silver as well as lead and copper values. Two

Adjoining the Richelien Company's prothe Rockland claim, which is situated at perty is the Silver Hill and other claims, the head of Four Mile creek and is owned which are being developed by the London Consolidated Company, a sister company fine-looking gold-copper ore, and a force men at work on this group, and cousi lerof men have started to work driving a able development has been done. One tunnel is in 600 feet and there are two or Midnight excursions to Silver mountain, three other tunnels which are in from 200 and is in position to make considerable

are in favor just now, and another batch | Work is also being presecuted on the work on the Crown Point at the stage of of experts have been up the creek making Humboldt claim on Sawyer creek, four development reached in that property. A an examination. Two or three deals are ndles from the Richelieu Company's profew months more active development and periy. The tunnel is in 100 feet and work the Crown Point workings might have outcrop is still in progress, and the sur on it is being continued.

Bay district are paid \$3.50 for the eight- any one property in this section succeed business. He says that the twenty-five hour shift, and the mine managers in that mile government trail up Goat river, section say that they get as much work siderable extent so as to satisfy those out of the men in the eight hours as could

Good Reports From Ainsworth,

Good progress is being made by Maxcountry, besides those who are doing as- well Stevenson on the Highlander tunnel. It is now in about 100 feet and is getting into firmer ground, which will permit the use of power drills. It is expected that the compressor will be ready for use in about two weeks. When this is used the nachine men will be paid at the rate of \$1 per day.

Although Ainsworth is generally regarded as a low-price camp, there are a great many mer here who are receiving the Union scale of \$3.50 per day for eight hours. There has been less trouble over the wage question in Ainsworth than in any camp in Kootenay. The Little Phil property is shipping

about forty tons per day. The output is being put through the Highlander concentrator. The No. 1 mine is shipping again. There are fifty men working on the property .-

Nelson Tribune. Another Smelter.

ed the famous Hall Mines smelter, while of the mining machinery department of the carloads or 840 tons of ore to Trail during B. C. Iron Works.

Situation at Van Anda. Mr. H. W. Treat, of Van Anda, came

run, which is now in twenty feet, and started work on Monday morning. To a a stranger would never notice that the mine was not fully supplied with men. The seventy-five men are all first-class next Sunday. The smelter is working smoothly, the strike not having affected

We expect to make another

and the other 5 per cent, will be gold and Around Windermere. week.

The Fraser and Chambers syndicate of New York made the first payment on developed by the Pennsylvania Mining Rossland camp. He is sinking the Paying Teller and Dividend groups, Company. It is located a mile and a half ledge, which is about four feet in situated on Boulder creek during the past week. The original locators of the Sophle mountain. Two double compart- This is considered good near the st property are William Houpt, T. N. Tay. ment shafts are being sunk on the pro- It is characteristic of this section that lor, Harry Mathers. Development work perty, and the work of these is being the ore improves with depth.

weeks we shall send down a carload that

silver.'

McLean and Keith have located a is building near Sheep station, the immediate vicinity of the Delphine

Preparations for a winter camp are being made at the Red Line group is now being pushed on a large scale under the foremanship of H. L. Amme. Banks Bros. expect to start work on the Alps group on or about the 10th of

Pat Dooley and partners have located mediate vicinity of the famous Red Great Western.-The work Line group, Macdonald creek. It is unnew gallows frame of the Great derstood that they have an exceptional is about half finished. By the

fine showing. William Houpt et al have uncovered an immense showing on a group of claims recently located by them, situat- in progress all week. ed on Boulder creek. Development work is progressing very

favorably on the Phoenix group on the Jumbo fork of Toby creek. J. R. McLeod is developing the Breakwinner on Boulder creek.

Homestake Mine

At the second annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Homestake Mine, Ltd., held in Rossland yesterday, the report of the directors and of Mr. F. D. Howe, the consulting engineer of the company, was made.

in November, 1898, and since then 110 feet of sinking and 950 feet of drifting have been done, besides cutting of stations and installation of pumping plant. A discovery, which is regarded a The amount expended by the company portant, was made on Friday. While to date is about \$25,000. The principal work consisted in sinking a shaft by the ner of the concentrator, a vein of former company to the 200-foot level, inches in width was uncovered. The and running a drift 457 feet, and the carries gold, silver and copper, and s making of crosscuts thereon north and to be of a high grade, although no south. The drift on the 200-foot level says have yet been made to determine was begun on a small vein of arsenical value. The claim was staked for the co ore, and continued 180 feet to a dyke. pany in 15 minutes after it was discovered West of the dyke a large body of chered. acteristic Rossland ore was encountered, and of shipping values. West of this Four men are engaged in sinking a the level has been continued 180 feet, White Bear. - Operations are This drift from the 200-foot level was shaft is now down to a depth of 2 begun for the purpose of developing a and the formation has become solid chute referred to was unexpected. Work is being actively pushed, and in about six weeks the levels will be continued to a point underneath the valuable surface showing. At the same time crosscutting is being done from the tunne and a raise being made on the ore chute. Mr. Howe assured the shareholders that the formation found in the Home stake was similar in all respects to that in the Le Roi and War Eagle, and expressed the greatest confidence that fur ther development of the Homestake

The old board of directors were tendered a vote of thanks for their past services and unanimously re-elected,

Rossland Camp. The Rossland Miner in its weekly min-

ing review says: There is on the property a 42-foot lead of to the Richelieu. There are twenty-five The fact that the Deep Park Company started men to work on the mine again just as the week closes, will be very well Three shifts are at work sinking a shaft received in the camp. Between the pro- The shaft was started on the vein an rerties now being worked on the south belt that particular section should be during the week to stake a number of ledge that is opened up on the Indication fairly well prospected and understood be- ed a depth of 190 feet and the showing

> It has always been a matter of regret that the War Eagle Company ceased taught Rossland's mining engineers many in developing shipping ore to any conwho are watching the matter very closely, that permanent bodies of pay ore exist here beyond reasonable doubt, the effect on the camp would be instantaneous.

The showing of the I. X. I. on O. K. mountain continues to improve, and with Belle Group, which is operated by the further development this section may again come to the front with a rush. The ore shipments this last week, while rot as high as the previous week, are very fairly up to the average expected of the camp. The War Eagle had serious trouble with its machinery and power supply during the week, and was shut down for two days and naturally the

mine shipments fell off. The Le Roi ex-

ceeded its average output, sending down

approximately 2,112 tons, or an average of

slightly over 300 tons per day. Altogether 131 carloads were sent out of the camp. Of this Northport received 66, or 2,112 tons approximately, and the Trail smelter 65 or 1950 tons. In both instances the details given are taken directly from the books of the Great Northern and the Canadian Pacific railways. War Eagle.-The situation at the 750foot level of the War Eagle has been be taken out for singlified. If the decision of the locators are demonstrated Monles of the locators are demonstrated Montana capitalists will take hold and depeny, erect and fit a smelter in the neighpoint in the main shaft. After some difficulty the ore cars in the big shaft have made to resume rapid sinking from this sayed \$2.80. On the Caseade property we been adjusted so as to run balanced and cade there was found a vein of free m Mr. Norboni is well known, not only in this will facilitate shipping in the future. ing ore, but now at a point some 200 f connection with the Union Iron Works, of . The mine was shut down for two days San Francisco, but as at one time manager during the week. The mine sent down 28

> Centre Star .- Shipments from the Centre Star have steadily increased. This last week they exceeded those of the War Eagle by 120 tons. Thirty-two carloads containing approximately 960 tons made up the output. Mr. Kirby, the new man-find of ore that goes \$104 in gold desirous of still further increasing the mine's output. Combined with the War ing good progress with the development Eagle the shipments averaged about 259 of the E. R. They are sinking a men and all are working for \$3 per day. tion for the new compressor plant and gallows frame have been completed and a great deal of material for the new operations on the Wellington. The building has been hauled up to the ground.

> shipment of matte shortly and in a few ! Nickel Plate.-The construction of the building covering the hoist of the Nickel distance of 250 feet above the old will open the eyes of the refiners. This Plate is about half finished. It does not ings and has found the porphyry. matte will contain 95 per cent. of copper in any way interfere with the mine op- is the contact of the vein, and her erations. Sinking on the new shaft to locate the ledge in the next few the 300-foot level has been in progress all Mr. W. B. Hogan is working

Mountain Trail.-This property is being tion, with ore similar to that west of the station at Sheep creek, on The ore averages about \$12 to th

the concentrator, and the plan finished will be a complete

respect. Le Roi.-The output from for the past week passed the mark. Sixty-six cars of ore sent down to Northport con proximately 2.112 tons. Work gressed steadily all week mine, but beyond the ore there is nothing of note to rece month the management will resume work on the property. Velvet .- Work on the Velvet ha

New St. Elmo.-The work of the foundation for the comp is in progress. The long tunne driven in for a distance of 600 crosscut is now being made fro The crosscut is in 25 feet and th running it is to explore for ore Evening Star.-The work of the shaft from the lower tunnel gress. During the past week has been cut out and timbered whim installed to carry on the sinking. The shipments have been The present company began operations ed this week somewhat, but two carloaded and ready to ship. The system is to send three carloads at a time.

> are 11 men at work at the mine cavating for the foundation for one

Royal George.-This property is pushed on this property with vigor. probable that the work of deepening shaft will be continued on to the 400-fo

Deer Park .- Work was resumed with full force on Friday on the Deer Par The property is opened to a depth of 3 feet and it is thought with some explation on that level that a pay ore sho will be met.

Wallingford.-Drifting is in progress ward the shaft from the tunnel. T drift is in a distance of 70 feet. Du the past few days a quantity of co has been encountered in seams and in formation, which is considered a g sign. Three shifts are working, and a gress in the drift is being made at rate of about three feet per day. anticipated that some favorable dev ment will shortly take place.

Road View .- The Road View is located east of Sheep creek sta its entire bottom is in ore. Green Mountain.-The shaft has read

shifts are now at work. Coxey.-Manager Baker is doing a tle surveying to determine if the outc is on a line with the tunnel. The wor of sinking the two inclined shafts on the face is being thoroughly prospected. Homestake.-Work continues Homestake. The development work sti gives results of an encouraging character

45 feet. Gertrude.-Crosscutting north and south from the 200-foot level is in progress. The surface is being thoroughly prospected.

Protests of leader Brya ed a big consolidated Norway Mountain tor of the car lay down Mr. S. F. Griswold is in from the No way Mountain section, and says that h

is greatly pleased with the situation at outlook there. A number of claims ha teen staked and considerable developm work is in progress. He reports that has made a strike of shipping ore or Minnie Belle. There is three feet in the ledge, half of which is shir ore. He has had it assayed and it \$81.68 in gold to the ton. The strike made at a depth of 15 feet and Mr G wold is greatly pleased over it. On t surface the ore from this ledge only away from the original workings larger ledge was found. The free m ledge and the base ledge merge into another. The big ledge carries and galena. A depth of 300 feet made on this large ledge by drifting tunnel for a distance of 150 feet.

On the Greenville, E. J. Liljegra pushing the development with a good

Messrs. Terzick & Carpenter are make on the ledge, and the showing is encouraging character.

considerable free milling ore on the perty and it promises in time to ma mine. He went up the mountain Iron Bar. It is a copper-gold

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Associated Press

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Pretoria, Aug.

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I.X.L.-Drifting on the vein in the low er tunnel is in progress. Four feet quartz has been uncovered, most which is of shipping grade. In fact, th property is looking exceedingly well There are 10 men at work. Copper Belle Group .- On the Cop Juanita & Trail Creek Mining Company

operations continue. The shaft is down Jumbo.-Work on the tunnel continue

> fired several shots at revolver. Nobody w shooting dispersed the SEIZED TOO CL Canadian Fishing Boats

United States

Seattle, Aug. 15.—Th says: The recent seizu fishing boats near Poi United States customs bably be settled in a d ease of the boats. The seizure took place report of the officers on of the line. The matte ect of diplomatic d finally referred to Uni Attorney Wilson R.

General Griggs. Mr. Gay reported the made so close to the l when it was possible Gration, that it might lease the boats. The wired him yesterday thought best. Mr. Gay Collector Huestis, advis cats go.

CABLE STEAMER

Manila, Aug. 15.—The more and Concord hav dessful attempt to t States cable steamer grounded in the chann leved to be impossible

THE FAMOUS B Ount Esterhazy Main Wrote It-Labori' London, Aug. 15.—Co

the Evening News to-d real truth" in regard in the Dreyfus case, wrote it. The documen