ein has been struck on rd Hamilton's group, on mill has just started

in camp, is tied up by says that there will rge hydraulic properties on besides other smaller the cleanup will ast \$3,000,000.

CHALLENGE

Cannot Produce Any tary Evidence.

or, publishes a letter Challenge to Mr. Turn-says: "I hereby challr, or any one else, to any letter or letters press the alleged letuly or any letters openons above referred to. of two things now, Mr. I am a liar. If they or the other and I s up his sleeve, but is produce. Now is the show up or for decency

KEPT SECRET.

nnes Savs His Father lesign for Two Years.

.. June 4.-(Special.)-At in Nanaimo on Saturday Melnnes, speaking of his in recent political occur-would let the audience inily secret. For the past ther had been in comthe authorities at Ottawa resigning, being sick and

replying, said: "That is and the records at Otme out."

BOSE CALL.

Men Overcome by the

nd employes of the surrushed to the scene of ffocated men were being twos and threes from a ith drift in No. 1 tunnel. ots was fired about 11 Robert Barrow and Harry nto the raise and were deadly gas. Others gothe sufferers were also The general alarm was elp came from the Snowdozen men were laid out of the tunnel, including row of the Snowshoe and and Manager Easton of All the physicians in quickly, and it is believed recover. It was a close

son's Carnival.

n made with Winnipeg crew to visit Nelson during ater carnival on July 2 and race against a four from ral is to be the most expen-British Columbia, and in night display upon Kootexcel anything before

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# ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER.

Two Dollars a Year.

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Provide Better Ventilation for the Minechinery Sold to Mining Companies - Etc.

Somewhere along in the near future the Nickel Plate mine will be shipping 400 have not yet extended to the depths here tons a day. Certain development work will have to be done at the newer levels before this can be attained, but once the drop out with depth. mine is in shape there is no doubt of the mine making a show that will be second

to few in the camp.

It is well known that a vertical shaft of What Is Being Done There By Miners three compartments has been sunk to the 600 level, that ore bins of 750-ton capacity are to be constructed and a railway run in under the big hoist. It has also been the past tew days from the Burnt Basin is section. He reports that the Basin is published in the columns of the Miner that a very powerful hoist has been installed and that one of the wire ropes operations on the Mecklenburg group, has been reaved. At the moment guides which is owned by a Canadian and British for the working cage are being fitted down the west compartment and thus in a short time the hoisting arangements will be work is making rapid progress. Mr. Hectime the hoisting arangements will be completed, and are sufficient in capacity tor McPherson is devoting all his energies to the development of the Tammany to deal with the output stated.

Below, the state of affairs is hardly as fold Mining company, and in which he far advanced, as far as the immediate is one of the largest shareholders. A shipments to the extent mentioned is concerned. But to bring the mine to that condition not a very extraordinary amount of work remains to be done. the lead. The ore is a quartz carrying ers, and after discussion was, an motion done on the 200 level. Here the explor-atory work of the mine has been carried atory work of the mine has been carried Brothers have two shifts at work drivover thousands of feet of prospecting, over thousands of feet of prospecting, ing a crosscut tunnel to tap the ledge. whose ramifications extend widely. Three huge zones of ore have been located which will have to be driven 60 feet further beped. These lie in a northeasterly and the Contact consists of eight feet of quartz southwesterly direction, and which vary carrying free gold. It is one of from 25 to 125 feet in distance the one from the other. Parts of these belts have been Richard Cooper has a fine property and is stoped out, the ore lying where broken pushing his tunnel toward his ledge. down ready for shipment. Some of these Mr. Edgar Plewman has commend

consequently too devious for practical and should make a mine. economical working. On the other hand, The country rock is a great deal softer all these workings are in sweet fresh air, in Burnt Basin than in the Rossland as connection has been made underground camp, and the work there is not nearly with the workings from the old shaft as costly as it is here. There are sor

Now the stopes in this level alone are Rea says he thinks the Burnt Basin will capable of producing a great quantity of ore which, however, could not be shipped to the amount named, for a sufficient number of men could not be employed on the ber of men could not be employed on the backings exposed. Nor would all of these undercuts be worked economically if all were started at once, since the ore from were started at once, since the ore from Rosslanders have bought interests in and many of them would have to be transaround the Basin, and they declare that ported over many unnecessary feet of ported over many unnecessary feet of ground. The proposition is therefore to work at those stopes in this level which landers interested there include some of lie close to the vertical shaft, and to drive the leading men of the city, and lively straight the continuous bodies of ore, tapping those which are located farther away season closes. by means of crosscuts from the main galleries. Above much the same system one or other of the openings to the sur- Mining and Politics in This Province face in order to secure the proper ventila-

Below the headings at the 400 and 600 levels will have to be extended so as to a visit to Ottawa, where he was called open the ore bodies above in a similar as counsel for the appellants in the case Brandon & Golden Crown Mining commanner. Thus two more levels could be put would be considerable, and would at This was in the final court of appeal. conservative estimate attain the 400- Judgment at present has been reserved.

ton mark of daily shipment. In the meantime there are no extensive these will be taken in hand. At the 600 opportunity of meeting a large number of a crosscut has been driven south and has friends, both Liberal and Conservative, struck a fine ore body some three feet in and the universal expression of opinion width, of exceptionally good value. Drift- amongst them was that it would be noth- in appearance and quality to that of the ing is being started on this. On the north ing short of disastrous to the interests the crosscut has not at present penetrated to the northern zone but has ran into of British Columbia if Mr. Joseph Maranother vein lying between the northern tin was retained in power. The opinion and middle belts, showing that the coun-try at depth, and it is a depth which is more valuable because they naturally lower than the working levels of either spoke from a knowledge of Mr. Martin of the contiguous mines, the War Eagle and his methods of government. While or Centre Star, is even more highly mineralized than that above. Those various getic politician in conducting an election, headings will be extended until the stop- they thought that he had proved himing ground is reached shown in the levels self incapable of managing any govern-

Further, it will be necessary to make nected. The universal hope amongst an upraise to the surface from the lower those who were at all interested in the levels, which will emerge at some point to welfare of British Columbia and of Rossorder to secure the due ventilation of the H. Mackintosh would be elected to repworkings which would otherwise be soon resent this riding. Mr. Galt heard nothfilled with the noxious gases generated ing but congratulatory remarks on the by the constant blasting necessary in the ex-governor. Naturally enough, Mr. Curstoping down of ore. With the comple- tis' qualifications were entirely unknown, tion of this work the Nickel Plate will as he has heretofore had no experience \$26.68. be ready to take rank as a shipper, whose and no record by which he could be output will form no inconsiderable per- judged. centage of the yield of the camp.

strike the visitor to the mine. The first has been realized by people on the coast and most apparent is the width, continuity and extent of the ore bodies. The has not received the consideration which great stope on the second level is upwards was due to it at the hands of the legisof 28 feet in width of good shipping ore. lature. People in the east do not care The other stopes which have been start- to argue whether the eight-hour law is erably so. The question of profit is the only one to be taken into account when these vast ore bodies of low grade are ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it only one to be taken into account when ought to be submitted to both before it of the spring for a bucket of water. considered. If sufficient in extent the ore is put in force. They realize that the significance will be of shipping grade, even were it to fall below \$10 in value, as has been regard to the interests of capitalists who regard to the interests of capitalists who proved by the average rock shipped by some of the mines of this camp. But the Nickel Plate can and will ship ore of high er values than this from these very stopes. The seam of higher grade ore, reported legislature shortening the ordinary and the child was scorched severely on the side of the face and on the hands. The building, which was a one-story frame, together with all its contents, were completely dement is on foot to raise a final factories. has not been proved in a sufficient number prejudically affected to express any opinextent, though its values are undoubted, will thus be seen not to form the main standing of the mine, which rather devices that so long as the rights long as the rights with by the legislature of British Columbas to themselves that so long as the rights have, who has been here on a business with by the legislature of British Columbas to themselves that so long as the rights have, who has been here on a business with by the legislature of British Columbas to themselves that so long as the rights have, who has been here on a business with the past few days, left for his with by the legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days, left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his legislature of British Columbas to the past few days left for his

PLATE pends upon its value on the vast extent of its ore bodies of low but profit-bearing grade than on the presence of any one particular lode of exceptional worth.

It Could Easily Ship 400 Tons of Ore to the property of the point which clearly establishes itself is this, that at a point in the point work and ill-considered legislation, but the property has been awarded to predominate that so long as Mr. Martin was at the head of affairs there would be always this liability to heaty and ill-considered legislation, but to heaty and ill-considered legislation, but the property has been awarded to Jack Olsen to extend the tunnel on the Diblic group of mines for a distance of 50 doing assessment work on some minimal property and ill-considered legislation, but the fold of the capture of capture of the captu lishes itself is this, that at a point in the slopes of Red mountain, which is deeper that if an end could be put to this rethan any other working of any other gime a more stable form of governmen mine, the country is found to contain ore might well be expected. EXTENT OF ITS DEVELOPMENT of as good a value as almost any heretoif or obtained, but which is in addition
if the messrs. Gooderham or Blackstock, more highly mineralized than the district as both these gentlemen were away on a trip to Europe. They are, however, expected back shortly.

East Le Roi may congratulate themselves on their holdings, and moreover, those of contiguous properties whose workings attained, may feel fairly confident that the bottoms to their properties will not

BURNT BASIN SECTION.

and Prospectors.

Mr. T. H. Rea has been in the city for very lively. Mr. Rae is in charge of the Below, the state of affairs is hardly as group, which is owned by the Tammany

been found in place wherever tap- fore the ledge is tapped. The ledge on

stopes are close to the vertical shaft and operations on the Edison group, which stopes are close to the vertical same.

some are at a considerable distance.

These bodies, as it were, had to be felt this group carries gold, copper and gather than the control of the

which was commenced before the East strong companies interested in that sec-which was company was formed for dealing tion, and it will not be long before it will be heard from on the shipping lists. Mr.

A VIIT TO THE EAST.

Through Eastern Spectacles.

Mr. A. C. Galt has just returned from of Adams against the Bank of Montreal. pany, returned recently from the Welling

anent the recent election. Mr. Galt had an Three hundred ment with which he has been as yet con-

This in land in particular, was that the Hon. C.

As regards mining interests, the polit There are one or two points which must ical outlook has had a great effect. It The Wells Family Lose Their Home-A width but not very consid- a good or a bad measure. Their point of dled a fire in the kitchen stove and went The seam of higher grade ore, reported legislature shortening the ordinary work- family as the fire wiped out all their posat its discovery at 401 feet in the shaft, ing hours without enabling those who are ion on the subject. They naturally say

NEW DIRECTORS CHOSEN.

Annual Meeting of the Salmo Consolidated Gold M. & D. Co., Ltd.

The fourth annual meeting of the share lengthy discussion among the stockholders centage of work done during the summer of all matters relating to the past history of the company, in which certain disagreeoughly threshed out. A conclusion in perfect harmony was arrived at, and the orbrought back with him from the east the wishes of the eastern stockholders, relative to the future management of the company, the meeting unanimously decided to acquiesce in the desires of the sharethe board of directors for the ensuing year be nine in number, six of whom shall be remaining three to form the local board at Rossland. That all future business of the commany shall be subject to the approval of the eastern board before being

Brandon & Golden Crown

Mr. W. L. Orde, the secretary of the ton camp, in the Boundary Creek country He says everthing about the mine is pro ceeding like clockwork, and the prospec With regard to the feeling in the east of the company never were been shipped to the Trail sme'ter, and values. Mr. Orde says the ore is similar

higher in values.

The company has reason to congratulate itself on its proud position, which Mr. G. H. Collins, the managing director, has brought the property to. There are large reserve ore bodies at the 100 and 150 foot levels, and the mine will be a steady shipper from this out. The pay roll of the mine averages \$3,500 a month, and the present force of 20 men will be increased, so that the development work will keep pace with the output of ore.

president of the company, the Hon. T. Mayne Daly, Q. C., from Denver, Col., of the five tons of Golden Crown ore taken there by Mr. Laidlaw for experimental purposes was highly satisfactory, being gold \$22.40, silver 78 cents, and copper 2 and 6-10 per cent, in all values

A FIRE AT TRAIL.

Trail, June 13 .- The residence of Mr Wells was destroyed by fire shortly after 6 o'clock this morning. Mr. Wells re-turned from work in the smelter and kin-

Mr. James L. Crotty, attorney of Spo-

ood and tireenwood.

the Boundary from several properties in son to believe that this season will witthat district.

THE LARDEAU.

The Old Gold Is Showing up Well-Reports of Other Properties.

Mr. Beck of Rossland has six men working on the Selkirk group. Mr. Rosenburg of Nelson is in looking

over the Eva group. Messrs. Thorburnson, Tollifon and P.

prosecuted with vigor.

The men working on the Ruby Silver,

Valkyrie shortly. This claim, which is located on Lexington creek, is owned by W. Price, and has a lead exposing eight the erection of a further statup limit, so vided. This will be the trial snapment to taking the possible output from 35,000 to test the smelting capacity of the ore. When the Granby smelter is blown in, which expected to be running before the end is expected to be running the end i

town and are outlitting to do a lot of work ton, the annual profit, with the 80-stamp Pass creek. and brought down a qu on the Maid of Erin, a claim they own mill working its full capacity, should on the Maid of Erin, a claim they own mill working its full capacity, should the head of Haskins creek. This therefore amount to \$320,000 per annum; change claims. The former claim has had no particular amount of work done being the district and is likely to be heard from before the season is over, as several level proved the continuity of the vein large samples of the ore left at the Galarge samples of t parties will inspect it during the summer.

F. Ackers has charge of the work on the Pool creek trail and Mr. Featherstone been augmented by the employment of has charge of the Lexington creek trail. two capable young mining engineers, who The wagon road from Comaplix to Camborne has been fixed up a little, and it part of the road has not been touched. J. T. Lauthers has completed his con-tract on the E. G. About 80 feet of tun-nel has been driven, but with no result their local staff in British Columbia un-their local staff in British Columbia un-their local staff in British Columbia un-their local staff in British Columbia unup to the present, for the reason that a dertook the management and working of fault occurs right at the point where the the undertaking there, which arrangement made some time ago from surface rock, tunnel intersects the vein. Drifts will be enabled the work of the mines to be carried and obtained values of \$8 in gold, but no driven through this fault and the vein ried out in the best and most efficient assays are reported from the deeper workcaught up at another point. It is expected that a good chute of ore will be exposed, as the surface showing is a splendid one.

J. W. Westfall, superintendent of the Old Gold, just came in from the properties. He says the development on the Old Gold, Primrose and Guinea Gold is very satisfactory. They have just discovered a very promising lead on the Old Gold some 80 feet north and paralleling the lead, where the present work is being done. The new discovery seems to be a very important one, as there is some 30 manner, but relieved the company to some extent of the cost of administration on the other side. Owing to the extension of the extension of the company's business, and the difficulty of procuring suitable offices, a town lot has been purchased and offices at town lot has been purchased and offices were now complete and occupied. This building was of brick, and built in good style, but useless ornament and lavish expenditure had been carefully avoided."

In the company to some extent of the cost of administration on the other side. Owing to the extension of the extension of the working shaft has broken into ore at town lot has been purchased and offices a depth of 117 feet. The shaft was sunk vertically above the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the lead with the expectation of catching it in the course of 125 feet, or such a matter, the dip of the caught up at another point. It is expected manner, but relieved the company to a very important one, as there is some 30 and six to eight inches of clean ore vis-ible on the surface for a considerable distance. There is now a double shift at work driving a tunnel on the discovery.

EAST KOOTENAY.

The St. Eugene Concentrator-Wild Horse Creek-The Sullivan.

on the Black Bear. Over 100 tons of ore is being daily ship-

ped from the North Star.

Considerable work is being done on the different claims on Perry creek. /
Work is being continue on the Estella,

and the property is improving.

A large amount of assessment w eing done on claims on the St. and its tributaries.

With the work now being done on the

Montana, Mr. Bielenburg believes a good property will be opened up.

ble group of mines for a distance of 50 doing assessment work on some min

THE REPORT ON THE YMIR MINE flume is being built for a water supply looking after some of his property.

Granbrooke, Fort Steel, Ymir, Burnt Basin, made for a tramway from the mine to Grand Forks, Phoenix, Summit Camp, Dead- Mark creek, at a point a short distance below the terminal of the North Star Emma, a prominent north fork property tramway. N. C. McKinstry, who has owned by Mann & Mackenzie, the big The disturbing effect of the electric left, and will shortly commence work on

The fourth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Salmo Con. G. M. & D. Co., Ltd. was held in the office of the company, Lincoln street, on Tuesday the 12th make a group several men are employed in desired to the industry of this upper section of the province. Nevertheless the reports, the usual preliminaries were proceeded with, after which the chairman rose and addressed the shareholders, explaining that owing to certain unforseencauses the annual meeting was this year actively carried on the province especially in the province especially in the province especially in the shown by the smaller properties, is well shown by the smaller properties, in the province of the placers are in activity on Wild Horse this season than for several years past; many of the placers are in activity on the back are.

The B. C. mine is building a new wagon many of the placers are in activity on the back are.

The B. C. mine is bu somewhat later than usual. After a year. It is to be expected that the percentage of work done during the summer been done. Over the divide from Boulwill far exceed the usual stride that the der creek, a tributary of Wild Horse, country takes from season to season.

Especial notice will doubtless be given as the Star Group. In addition to these, work is being done on the claims known there are a number of smaller properties ness great changes in the mining situa-

Report of the London and British Colum-

Messrs, Grode and D. McLeod are doing further development work on the way from Montreal, arrives.

Commodore Group, near the Ymir mine.

The C. P. R. promised to A substantial cabin has been erected and Larsen are working on their claims on McDougal creek.

The work of driving the 100-foot tunnel on the Monitor and Mogul is being drive it a further 50 feet, after which a ever, will probably delay matters some second tunnel will be run on the vein what.

from a point lower down the hill. The vein Up

proval of the eastern board before being acted upon or ratified. That the development of the property be under the adding the received property, are getting and the property be under the adding the received property, are getting and the property be under the adding the received property, are getting and the property be under the adding the received property, are getting and the property be under the adding the property be under the adding the property be under the adding the property of the property be under the adding the property of the property be under the adding the property of the property be under the adding the property of the property be under the adding the property of the security to the executive office, twhich shall be in Sarnia, Ont.) as to all business done. The present directors having tendered their resignation, and the same being accepted, the following gentlemen were unanimously declare elected as directors for the current year: Wm. Malloy, Eaq., B. A., editor of the Tribune, Stoutfille, Ont.; Rev. H. O. Speller and Marshal A. Sanders, Eaq. of Sarnia, Ont.; Data Me-Kadgen, Eaq., and G. W. Chisholin, Eeq. to the principal of the high school, Windsor, principal of the high school, Windsor, of the property of the cornected of C. O. Lionde, Eag., Chas. Dempeter, of the Cornected of C. O. Lionde, Eag., Chas. Dempeter, of the cornected have property, which is sowed by Gory Menning of completed, a number of congratulatory addresses were made that now complete harmony existed among all members of the company, the intrinsic merit of the company the protection of the company, the intrinsic merit of the company the intrinsic merit of the company and the same being accepted, and the probability and the property addresses were made that now complete the properties will in the immediate feet of fine concentrating ore.

Messrs. Schonberg and Hayes are in ses and taking the profit at about \$5 per J. D. Schonberg and the concentrating ore. two capable young mining engineers, who acted as assistants to Mr. Fowler—an arrangement which had been found to work satisfactorily, and reduced the cost of adlaction of the Mary L. claim, a shaft is ministration in British Columbia without down about 20 feet, all in ore, and a

Development work on the Earthquake

group in Brown's camp is having excellent assessment work on their claims in Cen-

The lead has been encountered in the Strawberry on the north fork. The ore is high grade.

is now all in operation, except the new

cage, which has not yet arrived. cage, which has not yet arrived.

Aldham & Blunt, the surveyors, are doing some work on the War Eagle, and Mining company, is in the city.

and Remington in Summit camp under the superintendence of Jack Hanley.

Dan Morrison and Hector Kelly are

property near Volcanic mountain.

Wm. Austin of Republic has returned

40x80 compressor building for the The Sullivan mines are shipping about Knob Hill is rapidly nearing completion. a carload of ore daily. Surveys are being The machinery is to be shipped from Sherbrooke, Que., on the 22nd inst.

Work has been resumed upon the The Platte and Phoenix claims

tions on the mining industry of the Big Dipper.

There is more activity on Wild Horse purchased by Massam & Laidlaw of Spo-Deadwood camp are reported to have been

This week a force of men was started at work by the Grey Eagle Gold Mining company on the Banner claim, adjoining the Old Ironsides. For the present the work will be on the surface.

Word received from Andrew Laidlaw says that the pyritic treatment of the Boundary creek ore is a complete success. few days, when work will be begun on the Marguerite.

The B. C. mine is now shipping a car per day. The new compressor is working ed above the old one, is not yet in use, and will not be till the cage, now on the

The C. P. R. promised that the spur to the Granby smelter should be complet-

Un to date the work done on the Knob The men working on the Ruby Silver, from a point lower down the land on a Lexington creek property, are getting as now exposed is nine feet wide and consists of white quartz, neavily mineralized on the Old Ironsides 2,865 feet, and on the Victoria 2,468 feet; making a total of

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and 22 tons of high grade ore have been
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level. Arrangements have been made for at Trail as soon as wagons can be proinvestors, as it has done in the past, and

Work will be begun on the Useless and the erection of a further stamp mill, so vided. This will be the trial shipment to

> J. D. Sears returned last Saturday from zette office shows a quantity of copper pyrites and some peacock copper, mixed with a fine quartz gangue. The claim is

impairing its efficiency. Whenever possi- drift is now being run. The ore is similar to the characteristic ores of this country, being a white iron in a quartz gangue, ings. Mr. E. Spraggett is heavily interest-

looks as fine as any ever taken out of the mine. The shaft will be continued to a The Pathfinder, Golden Eagle and Other Properties.

depth of 125 feet before a crosscut is run to determine the width of the ore body. This shaft will show some interesting developments on the Pathfinder, and its progress will be closely watched by the exclusively tributary to this city, and the Pathfinder is the most important property yet developed in the north fork

Tregear Will Look After the Winnipeg

Mr. Nicholas Tregear, for a long times s high grade.

The Gold Drop is making arrangements the superintendent of the Le Roi mine and for making a trial shipment to the Trail favorably known in mining circles in smelter.

Montana and elsewhere, has been appoint-At the 100-foot level on the Hartford a body of ore 20 feet in thickness has been will take charge on Saturday net. Mr. Tregear is a man of energy and skill, and should soon make a showing with such a mine as the Winnipeg.

Mr. J. M. Williams, of the Chaplean

THURSDAY ...

MINES

Work on the Fit

BLACK BEAR FLA

The New Forty Drill Co

Has Arrived and Wi

Weeks Other Notes

The annual meeti

Mining company of

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### A CONTRACT SYSTEM

The Method Used by Superintendent Davis.

### **GIVES ROOM FOR MORE WORKERS**

Mew it Applies to the War Ragle and Centre Star Mines-Nore Hen Employed at Highe Wages, Yet the Ore is Extracted Par flore

There are two waysein which contract work is usually undertaken in a mine; the one is the me ned of paying for each foot of advance and the other per ton extracted. The first is open to the objection that untrained men will not break away as much rock at each lift as men who are better skilled. Sometimes an excessive quantity of dynamice is used, and Official Report of the First Annual Meet sometimes the holes are not broken out to their full extent. The loss partly falls upon the miner, as he gets paid only by mesults, but a time in getting his work for loss falling on casion them to the men will form the opin remuneration work done is not comreceived for t the exertion applied mensurate wit dynamite is fraquently considerable. Again, this kind of contract, though restraight driving or sinking, cannot easily be used in stoping. For in this latter case the excavation, instead of being regalar, follows the shape of the deposit, which, lying often in curves, convesities and concavities, has a breadth extremely wariable Hence it cannot readily be calcu-

On the other hand, the method of payment per ton extracted is open to the same objections, and has another super-added. This is the cumbersome nature of the necessary details and the expense entailing therunto in order to keep each man's output separate from that of his fellow worker. There is also another objection, which is equally applicable to either of these systems, and that is that both are insufficiently elastic. For should it be requisite in the economical working of the mine to set an extra number of drills going at any one particular part of faces or headings for a short period, fresh contracts have to be labert ously entered upon with a consequent loss of time which is itself the very essence of the reason of the temporary change de-

At the War Eagle Superintendent Davis has hit upon a third method, which, while retaining all the advantages of contract work, takes unto itself the mobility of day labor. Instead of paying contractors per ton or per foot excavated, they are being paid per foot drilled. A contract is made with each separate machine. Two shifts. each of eight hours, are employed instead of three. One round of holes each of so many feet depth, usually five, is drilled during these two shifts. Nor is the whereabouts and the direction of the whereabouts and the direction of the holes so drilled left to the individual will of the men with the machine. On the contrary the foreman, a thoroughly com-petent miner, marks before the beginning of the work the place and the direction of the hole that has to be drilled. Two men at the expiration of the work go round to every heading and charge the face pre-

It will at once be seen that this being done during the third, or late night shift, prevents time being wasted. The air also as sweet and wholesome by the time the ontractors are again ready to proceed. Natural ventilation where existant alone will clear the atmosphere of the generated gases. Thus there is less call upon the blowers or suckers to create an artificial draught so as to render the air fit to breathe within a short period. Even with these artificial appliances, under the old system the air was seldom purified under 30 to 45 minutes. Here again a saving is effected. In the quantity of dynamite used restriction is necessarily employed, for where it would be hard to detect waste 400 or 500 employes, it is easy to detect the culprit where only two or three responsible persons are employed for this portion of the work. Further, the system has the great advantage of mobility; the machines can be moved from one part of the mine to another. The only account necessary to be kept is the miners' place of working from day to day, and the rate per foot which is obing at the various headings, or backs, at which they are employed.

So much for the theory, Superintendent

Davis informs a representative of The Miner that it has worked so far exceedingly well in practice. Taking some hypothetical figures, and remembering that 70 feet of drifting was supposed to be a good month's work in such mines as the War Eagle or Iron Mask, the following results are obtained. Seventy feet used to cost the labor of three shifts of two men upon each. In other words, the work of six men for one month represented 70 feet. It is now found that four mer under the new system will accomplish 100 to 125 feet. To effect this latter amount under the old system 50 to 60 days would be required at an average payment per man of \$3.50. Now this same work is by four men, who obtain a considerable higher wage. A saving of 40 per cent is thus effected. More than this there 's less misdirection of energy, less waste of skill, time and material, which together will bring the economical working of the mine under the present system in vogue to an even smaller percentage on the old-

Nor must it be considered that this To cost of mining and develsaving is made from out of the pockets or out of the vital reserves of the miner. He is only working eight hours a day, and he can do, and maintains that he is able To tools and appliances, etc... he can do, and maintains that he is able to do, as much in those eight hours as in To organization expenses..... ten with less fatigue. Fewer men are employed at any one heading, but this is To general expenses...... ployed at any one heading, but this is fully made up by the greater amount of To Montreal office expenses... back undercut on which other machines can be employed. Further, as this method reduces the cost of mining, bodies of low grade ore formerly untouchable, as they would not pay the expense of working, ight into the mining practic abilities, and men will soon be out deposits that formerly had to be left

Thus, from either point of view, from that of the worker or from that of the operator, the system is a great success. It employs more men at a higher wage, and yet does more economical work.

Cascade and Bonanza No. 2.

Mr. John Reagh has returned from visit to the Cascade and the Bonanza No. 2 on Grenville mountain. The tunnel which is being driven in on No 3 vein on the Cascade is in a distance of 130 feet grade. On the Bonariza No. 2 work has been started. A shaft has been sunk to a depth of eight feet, and in the bottor there is a vein of quartz two and a haif

Will Operate the Sunset.

Mr. W. H. Jeffery, the expert for the district. Slocan, which has been acquired under a \$30,000 bond by the Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate. Mr. Jeffery will start a force to work on the Sunset, and it is anticipated that it will not be a great while before shipments of ore will be commenced.

THE PAYNE.

The first annual meeting of the share holders of the Payne Consolidated Mining Company, Limited, was held at the office of the company, Montreal Street Railway Chambers, on uesday, the 8th day of May, 1900, at 12:30 p. m. Present-Colonel F. C. Henshaw, presi-

Present—Colonel F. C. Henshaw, president (in the chair); Hon. L. J. Forger, Messrs. James Ross, W. G. Ross, Wm. Hanson, C. J. McCuaig, A. Porcheron, Wm. Strachan, A. W. Stevenson, G. A. Greene, T. B. Brown, R. Forget, and about 20 others. The notice calling the annual meeting

was read. Minutes of the shareholders meeting of May 22d, and June 26th, 1899, were taken is read and signed.

The auditor's report for the year end ing March 31, was read.

The president, on moving the adoption

of the annual report, seconded by Hon. L. J. Forget, stated that the same was now open for discussion, and the following questions were asked:

What does 90 ounces silver and 45 percent lead mean? Also that the manager's report states that "The future of the mine depends largely on what will be found in number 8." And when will di-vidends be resumed? To which the President replied that 90 ounces silver and 45 per cent. lead meant about \$42 per ton. and in regard to the 800 foot level the president stated that our manager, Mr. Hand, expressed the utmost confidence of finding the ore in that tunnel, and that in the event of finding it, it would add very greatly to the value of the

In regard to the dividends the President stated that as yet this had not been discussed by the Directors, but that personally be hoped that they would be resumed about July. And on the question being asked if they were to be resumed on the old basis? The President replied on the old basis? that at present at present he was not prepared to answer that question.

The question was asked if it was correct that the old company had paid divi dends to the amount of 20 per cent of the old capital? To which the President replied that he was not in a position to

A shareholder stated that when the company suspended the payment of dividends last fall, it was generally understood that the company had still quite a large cash balance on hand. To which he President replied, that this was an artive asset, and that the Directors are of the opinion that the same should expended only on account of capital, and not for the payment of dividends.

The question was also asked, what uantity of ore was in sight and blocked out in the mine? And in reply it was tated that the net value of ore in sight necording to Mr. Bernard McDonald's report at the time the property was taken over was about \$900,000, and that according to Mr. Cooper has quite a lot of ore ready for shipment.

Gowing, Langman, Soper and Heaslip have a group of claims west of Cooper's group and are pushing work and showing up plenty of ore. ing to Mr. Hand's report there was fully as much ore in sight at the present

On further discussion the report was adopted. Messrs. A. D. Porcheron and Wm. Strachan were requested to act as

scrutineers. On motion of Mr. A. W. Stevenson one ballot was cast for the re-election of the old Board of Directors. The scrutineers reported that the Board of Direc-

ors had been re-elected. Mr. A. Stewart was elected Auditor for the ensuing year. The financial state-ment for the ten months ended 31st March, 1900, shows:

Financial Statement. For ten months ending 31st March,

Mines, mineral claims and assets......\$2,595,050 85 14.525 24 Permanent equiment..... Office furniture..... Mine supplies and stores on hand, as per inventory ....

12,357 67 Liabilities. Capital stock ...........\$3,000,000 00 Less in treasury..... Accounts payable.....

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### WHERE THE NEXT BOOM WILL BE

MR. BOGLE FAVORABLY IMPRESS. ED WITH THE BURNT BASIN.

Declares That Its Mineral Resources Were a Revelation to Him-Remarkable Outcrops.

Mr. D. B. Bogle and Mr. P. R. McDonald took the opportunity of being in Gladstone to look over the Burnt Basin district. Mr. McDonald, who is a miner Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate, left on and prospector of long experience, ex-Monday for the Sunset property in the pressed himself as much surprised at the excellence of the showings he saw there, and said he had no idea that a camp of so much promise existed so close to Ross-land. In conversation with a member of The Miner staff, Mr. Bogle said: "I had heard a good deal about Burnt Basin through the Jackson brothers, who are very old friends of mine, but the Basin was a revelation to me of mineral resourto see very much. Mr. McDonald and myself just took a hurried ride through, but we saw enough to convince us that a great camp awaits development there. The Basin consists of an elevated plateau broken up with rocky knolls. Through the entire length of the northern side runs a gold belt which contains some very remarkable outcrops of mineral on the surface. It is a free milling quartz. There can be no question about the ledge being in place. The formation is traversed by number of porphyry dykes and quartz outcrops follow these dykes. These dykes themselves contains traces of gold, and remind one of the Republic

camp very much.
"We saw the Mother Lode, now proved to a depth of 90 feet, and showing a great body of rich mineral at that depth. No prettier milling and concentrating proposition ever gladdened the eyes. I am sured by a conservative orgineer who has tested it that the whole nine feet of ore is of payable grade.
"Some distance away the Jackson broth-

ers have opened up an even more remarkable showing on the Contact claim. Here they have 10 or 12 feet of quartz croppings showing plenty of gold visible to the naked eye. I was told that the great ledges on this belt had been opened up in many other places, and everywhere with very satisfactory results. There is quartz enough in the Burnt Basin to keep hundreds of stamps working. All it needs is capital. To the south of this belt there are some fine showings of base ore rich in old, copper and silver. The most developed is known as Cooper's group. It is a prospect to make a mining man's mouth vater, and I did not see the half of it.

"On all sides of Burnt Basin rich strikes are being made this summer. The extent of this great belt is nothing like defined. It undoubtedly crosses the railway in an easterly direction, and prospectors are ushing out all around. It needs capital hat country, and it needs it hadly; but as soon as one big company takes hold and gets results, its development should and will be rapid. The next boom in this nort of British Columbia will be Burnt Basin boom.

MINES AROUND GLADSTONE.

Some of the Promisising Properties in Burnt Basin

Mr. Chris Foley has just returned from Gladstone and reports a good deal of work being done on mineral claims in that vicinity with most encouraging re-sults. In Burnt Basin Richard Cooper of Rossland is pushing work on his group and has a splendid showing of a galeng vein carrying good silver values. A parallel vein of gold-copper ore is close

up plenty of ore.

Edgar Plewman is doing assessment work on his claims, which adjoin Cooper's

John Sinclair is driving a tunnel on the Ennismore property, which appears to have a continuation of the fine quartz have a continuation of the fine quartz lead on the Mother Lode. The latter is not working now. There is a good deal of pay ore on its dump and has the most work done on it of any in the district. Hector McPherson is working a crew of

men on his property and is pleased with the results so far obtained. One of the recent big finds is on the Contact property, where a splendid quartz vein resembling the Mother Lode vein and carrying equally high gold values, has been encountered. It is probably a continuation of the Mother Lode Jackson Bros. and our old friend, Mike Shick, are the owners and are driv

most promising quartz properties in the Hugh Breakell has a good property lying alongside the well-known Mystery

depth. This is unquestionably one of th

tunnel to tap the vein at 60 feet

fine claims operated by Kellar, Kerr, McKinnon and others.

A mile up McRae creek from Gladstone is a new find, the Orion claim, owned by Messrs. O'Donell and Grant Brothers. The surface rock shows over 10 per cent copper and large gold values assaying ovor \$100 per ton.
One mile to the east of town are

claims operated by G. T. Curtis, James Cameron and Mathieson. Another of the best known claims is \$2,652,283 51 the John Bull, which has a splendid surface showing, the veins being observable a mile away. The ore carries good values in copper. This claim is one of the best

INTERESTING MINING CASE.

5,824 66 The May Day Never Became Waste Land to the Owner.

Messrs. Taylor & Hannington, of Nel-4,000 00 son, have received the full text of the judgment of the full court in the celebrat-26,150 61 ed case of Grutchfield vs. Harbottle. This 104,000 00 case has an especial interest for mining men. The facts are that a free miner named Beadles, of Salmo, staked the May Day Mineral claim, near Ymir, on May 1, 1897, and on the 6th day of the 4,251 75 same month he gave a bill of sale to J. Harbottle, of Nelson, who neglected to

tered his bill of sale, the ground was re-docated by William Grutchfield in Octo

ber, 1897, as the Equilier. Section 9 of the Mineral Act provide that if a free miner allows his certificate to lapse his mineral claim becomes forfeited to the crown, but if he has a co owner it is not forfeited, but the whole claim goes to the co-owner, provided the co-owner keeps his certificate alive, which

in this instance Harbottle did.
Section 49 of the Mineral Act also h bearing upon the case in that it states that while a bill of sale unregistered is that while a bill of sale unregistered is good between the parties, yet it is not good as to third parties. Section 50 of the act further provides that a bill of sale is not enforceable until it is registered. S. S. Taylor, who conducted the case for Harbottle at the trial, contended that (1) Grutchfield was not a third party, because unless he could lawfuly locate the ground he could not get the standing of a third party in law: (2) that Grutchfield third party in law; (2) that Grutchfield could not lawfully locate the ground because Harbottle was a co-owner, and in fact the May Day never became waste land of the crown, and under section 9 of the act Grutchfield could not locate the ground or get any standing until such

At the trial of the action Mr. Justice Martin held for the plaintiff Grutchfield; holding that Grutchfield was a third party, and that while Harbottle was a co owner under section 9, yet all his rights of co-ownership were postponed to Grutch-field's rights because Harbottle had not registered his bill of sale in the mean-time. The case was appealed to the full court at Victoria, and the unanimous judgment of the court reversed the judgment of Mr. Justice Martin, and as given by Chief Justice McCall is in the follow-

ing words: "The facts are fully stated in the judg ment of Mr. Justice Martin.

"There is apparently a conflict between sections 40 and 50 of the act. The former

provides that an assignment, though not recorded within a time limit, shall be valid as between the parties; and the latter that it shall not be enforceable between them until after having been re "In my opinion, the failure to record

did not result in the claim becoming waste lands of the crown, open to location.

"An assignment is ordinarily enforceable against an unwilling party only by some legal process, and I think that section 50 could and ought to be construed as meaning mere'v that the court should not af ford relief before record of assignment; thus giving effect to both sections. I think the reason for this is to be found in the provision for payment of a fee for each

"The appeal is allowed with costs." The property involved in this case it now a very valuable one. Some \$2,000 worth of work has been done upon it and is said to be worth something like \$30,000

Mrs. Dalby Morkill and Mrs. Gustavus
Lucke left vesterday on the C. P. R. for
Montreal and Sherbrooke. Mrs. -Morkill
is going back to Quebec to visit her parents and will remain during the sumer, returning to Rossland probably in eptember. Mrs. Lucke was so enamored of the country that it is very likely she will return with Mrs. Morkill and spend another year here.

### DYSPEPSIA'S VICTIMS

THE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE AND HOW TO OVERCOME IT.

It Frequently Produces Headache, Heartburn, Dizziness and Other Distressing Symptoms-A Victim Tells of Her Re-

From the Telegraph, Quebec. Ine primary cause of indigestion or dyspepsia is tack of vitality; the absence of nerve force; the loss of the life-sustaining elements in the blood. No organ can properly perform its functions when the source of autriment fails. When stomach is robbed of the nutriment demanded by nature, assimilation ceases, unnatural gases are generated and the en-

tire system responds to the discord.

A practical illustration of the symptoms and torture of dyspepsia is furnished by the case of Mrs. A. Labonte, who lives in the village of Stadacona, When interviewed by a reporter of lives in the village of Stadacona, Que. When interviewed by a reporter of the Quebec Telegraph, Mrs. Labonte looked the picture of Quebec Telegraph, Mrs. Labonte looked the picture of vigorous health, showing no traces of the malady that had made her life for the time miserable. Speaking of er's Certificate No. B 6775, intend, sixty life for the time miserable. Speaking of her illness, Mrs. Labonte said: For about two years I suffered dreadfully. My digestive organs were impaired, and the food I ate did not assimilate, and left me with a feeling of flatulency, pain and acidity of the stomach, and frequently heartburn. This condition of affairs soon told on my system in other ways, with the result that I had frequent headaches, dizziness and at times a dimness of vision that I had before my with spots apparently dancing before my eyes. I became so much run down that it was with difficulty I could do my house-hold work, and at all times I felt weak, depressed and nervous. While I was at my worst, one of my friends, seeing that the doctor was not helping me, urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My hus band then got me half a dozen boxes and I began taking them. After I had used two boxes I began to enjoy my meals and the various symptoms of my trouble began to disappear. I continued the pills until Lbed used the half dozen boxes when I I had used the half dozen boxes, when I again felt perfectly well. My stomach was as healthy as ever it had been. I could sleep well and my head was clear and free from the dizziness and aches that and free from the my muserple. The forin, F. I so long helped make me miserable. It is more than a year since I stopped taking the pills, and health has continued betgrateful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the misery they have released her from,

and she always advises friends who are ailing to use them.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going Dr. Williams' Fink Pins cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapper bearing the full trade mark. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If \$264,912 71

Transtorte, of Nesson, who hegieted to reject the interval, namely July, 1897, Beadles allowed his free miners' certificate to hapse, and Harbottle, not having regis—williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

THE FIRE HALL.

A Start Has Been Made-The Excava tions Are Being Dug.

Until such time as the city council car make up its mind to settle on a plan for the fire hall and library there will be no work attempted on the superstructure. Excavations are, however being started in the foundation, and by such time as these are finished, which will be within about two weeks, it is just possible that a working plan will be definitely accepted. It is stated that the Mayor will allow of no plan to be passed by him unless it includes adequate accommodation for the library, as the money law was obtained from the people on the understanding that such a building would be erected.

Unfortunately, with the present com-promise the library will occupy that space in the fireman's quarters which should be fiiled by a sitting room and a gymnasi um. This may look like luxury, but the men, it is urged, require more accommo-dation than a mere bed room to sit in and as for the gymnasium, practice muscles make efficient workers

The architect will have fresh which will be the sixth or seventh set already prepared to submit to the council this evening.

Fire Hall Notes

The firemen are to give an entertain nent for the purpose of fitting up a gym tee of arrangements, consisting of Messrs. harles Collins, William Boyd, Fran Raymer, Fred Wilson, Frank French and William Woods, has been appointed. An ntertainment of merit is promised.

The Rossland home team has been of ganized by the election of Mr. John Alen as trainer and Mr. Charles Collins as manager. It has been decided by the team to enter the firemen's contests at Freenwood on June 29th and 30th, and at Nelson on July 2nd and 3rd.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Form F-Certificate of Improvements-Notice.

Camden mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Koot-enay district. Wherelocated: On Spo-kane mountain, north of and adjoining the mineral claim, Gold King, Lot 1,229 G 1. Take notice that I. H. B. Smith, acting as agent for M. A. Green, Free miner's cortificate No. B 29,302, and T. R. McMack on, Free Miner's certificate No. B. 13,568, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to tificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above

And further take notice that action, un der section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improve

ments.
Dated this 30th day of April, 1900. H. B. SMTH.

MINERAL ACT, 1896. Form F-Certificate of Improvements Notice.

Viking & Putnam mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On the north slope of Monte Christo mountain east of and adjoining the Silverine mineral claim. Take notice that I, R. Smith, F. M. C., No. 29,315 B, acting as agent for Thomas A. Cameron, special F. M. C., No. 689 and W. S. McCrea, special. Free miner's certificate No. 1,914. Intend, 60 days from the date hereof to apply te the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtainimprovements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claims. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before der section 37, must be commenced

Dated this 12th day of April, 1900. R. SMITH, P. L. S

ERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Notice.

Canada and Swan mineral claims, situ te in the Trail Creek Mining Division of Vest Kootenay Dietrict. Where located: In Sophie Mountain on the Dewdney

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting days from the date hereof, to apply to he Mining Recorder for a Certificate of mprovements, for the purpose of obtain-ng a Crown Grant of the above claims. And further take notice that action. under section 37, must be commenced beore the issuance of such certificate Dated this 25th day of April, 1900.

F. A. WILKIN. -26-10t.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Notice.

Boundary No. 2 and Rossland Fraction mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay dis-trict. Where located: On Maulde moun-Take notice that I. Kenneth L. Burnet.

F. M. C. No. B. 29146, agent for Charles Connell, F. M. C. No. 35630 A., P. McL. Forin, F. M. C. No. B. 29305, George Lemon, F. M. C. No. 155, special, and John Andrew Forin, Free Miner's Certithe pills, and health has constant.

If cate No. B. 11138, intend, sixty days from the than it was for years before." Mrs the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Laboute added that she will always feel the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Mecorder for a Certificate of Improvement of the pills for the pills ments, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grant of the above claims. And further take notice that action inder Section 37, must be commenced

before the issuance of such Certificate of Dated this Seventeenth day of May, A. D. 1900. KENNETH L. BURNET.

A. C. GALT Barrister, Etc., Rossland. Postoffice Building.

Telephone 47.

ERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Notice.

Snow Bird mineral claim, situate in the rail Creek Mining Division of West Kootensy District, Where located: About wo miles northeast of Rossland, near columbia & Western railway.

Take notice that I, R. E. Young, (actng as agent for H. S. Crotty, Free Minr's Certificate No. B 36154), Free Minr's Certificate No. B 13446, intend, sixty ays from the date hereof, to apply to he Mining Recorder for a Certificate of mprovements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action. under section 37, must be commenced

ore the issuance of such certificate of Dated this nineteenth day of April. A

R. E. YOUNG, P. L. S. -26-10t.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS Notice.

Firefly mineral claim. Situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district.
Where located: One mile south of Rossland, adjoining the Nest Egg mineral

Take notice that I. F. niner's certificate No. P gent for the Nest Fox

Mining company, free mine s come No. 19962 B, intend ou days from the hereof , to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the

And further take notice that action, un-

der section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this nineteenth day of April, F. W. ROLT.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRIT-ISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Land Registry Act and the Land Registry Act Amendment Act, 1898.

And in the Matter of the Title to Lot

678, Group 1, Kootenay District, nown as the O. K. Mineral Clava. Notice is hereby given that three month from the date hereof application will be made by the Old National Bank of Spo-

kane, Washington, to the Honorable Montague William Tyrwhitt Drake, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, for an Order directing British Columbia, for an Order directing the Registrar General of Titles to register the Old National Bank of Spokane, Wash-ington, as owners in fee of Lot 678, Group 1, Kootenay District, known as the O. K. Mineral Claim, notwithstanding the non-production of the prior documents of production of the prior documents

And further take notice that any person claiming to have interest in said land and desiring to oppose said application must attend at the Chamber Court, in the Court House, Government street, Victoria, B. C., on Thursday, the 12th day of July, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forencon, at which time and place the said application will be bessed

Dated this 12th day of April, 1900.

BODWELL & DUFF,
Solicitors for Applican KENNETH MINING AND DEVELOP-

MENT CO., LIMITED LIABILITY Rossland, May 10, 1900. I beg to give notice that a special extraordinary meeting of the above named company will be held at the offices of the company, Wallace Block, Columbia avenue, in the city of Rossand, on Thursday, the 28th day of June, 1900, at

4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the fol-lowing resolutions will be submitted: 1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Arthur Marsh, in the City of Roseland, in the Province of British Columbia, Esquire, be, and hereby is, appointed liquidator for the purpose of such

winding-up.

2. That the said liquidator be, and hereby is, authorized to consent to registration of a new company, to be named: 'The Tamarac Mines, Limited," named: "The Tamarac Mines, Limited,"
with a memorandum and articles of association which have already been prepared
with the privity and approval of the directors of this Company.

3. That the draft agreement submitted
to this meeting, and expressed to be
made between the Company and its

liquidator, of the one part, and "The Tamarac Mines, Limited," of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved; and that the said liquidator be and he hereby is authorized, pursuant to sec tion 13 of the Companies' Winding-Up Act, 1898, one of the statutes of British Columbia, to enter into an agreement with such new company, (when incorpor ated), in the terms of said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as they think expedi-

The transfer books of the company will be closed from June 14th to June 28th, in-

ARTHUR MARSH, Secretary-Treasurer

Mayne Daly, Q. C. C. R. Hamilton. W. deV. le Maistre. Daly, Hamilton & le Maistre

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on which there is one of the best surface from vertical. showing in Republic camp. In view of the fact that properties near the Flag Hill have been showing up very well of late under development work, good results are expected when the veins are intersected in the tunnel, which is now in for a distance of over 250 feet. Mr. Hugh S. Baker formerly the superintendent of the Gertrude of this camp, has been appointed manager of the Flag Hill.

BLACK BEAR FLAT.

Machinery Going in.

What used to be a waste extent of level and occupied alone by the lone compressor of the Le Roi, is now considerably changed. At the eastern end a huge ore bin is being erected of which the first the district. course is already up. This is an ore bin in which the ore from the big five compartment shaft of the Le Roi mine will be dumped for shipmont. Below a side to be constructed from the main line which runs just south. Above an aerial tramway with a capacity of 750 tons in ten hours will bring the ore down to the bins. Nor is this a project for the distant future. It is something that is already taken in hand. The ore bin below is already in course of construction, and the tremendous shaft above is already opened at its collar to the full width of five compartments and the timulation of the compartments and the compartments and the compartments and the compartments are steadily being the compartments. bers are in place and are steadily being put in position downwards. It is a mat-ter of weeks only before the whole sys-tem will be in active operation. The distance between shaft and ore bin is but

boiler house runs a steam pipe connecting with the compressor house a little

further to the west. The new forty-drill compressor, its foundations long since ready, is in course of installation and parts of the machin-ery have already been bolted to the huge coping stones set in the concrete founda tions and connected with the latter by massive iron clamps. This will make 80 drills here, and it is understood that a third compressor also of forty-drill power, will soon be erected alongside of the other two. The boilers at present connected with the first compressor plant of 40 drills, are to be removed and the two and later three compressors will be supplied with their motive power, ster from the big boiler house, one hundred feet away. This scheme by which the boiler house, with its furnaces, is de-tached from the expensive compressor plants is one of the latest improvements made by modern engineering science and the arrangement, besides possessing other and technical advantages, lessens the danger of fire and practically restricts the greater risk to the machinery of the

lesser value. Above and behind the boiler house and ore bins a cedar cribbing 20 feet high, filled in with the refuse rock, forms an extensive terrace which will form a splendid timber yard, access to which is gained by a railway spur running in from the extreme west point of the flat behind all the buildings. On this terrace are erect-ed several buildings of which the largest a timber framing shop fitted with the latest improvements in the way of spec machinery. There is also a large blacksmith shop, and at the entrance to the tunnel which will be in a short time entrance to the mine another com modious building has been constructed

which serves several purposes

On the western extremity of the flat is the lower terminus of the gravity tramwa- communicating with the No. 1 and Josie mines. This is practically complete The ore bin is also nearly completed and the putting in of a railway spur for undred or so feet will leave the arrangements for shipping from the West Le Roi mines at the lower part of the tramway finished. There is an ugly swamp in a part of the flat partly formed by the northern branch of Trail creek and partly by the overflow of surplus water from the ume which draws its supply two miles away from the west branch of Little Sheep creek near the Jumbo. This will also be taken in hand and filled in with an underground conduit for the water discharging the overplus into Trail creek, just west of the base ball spur of the flat.

The Big Compressor Arrives.

Practically all of the 40-drill compressor for the Le Roi has arrived from on Friday and is registered at the Allan.

BLACK BEAR FLAT A BUSY PLACE The Management Purposes Expending \$30,000 in Developing It.

fairly test the veins on the property at depth. Considerable development work has already been done on the Flag Hill,

THE SUNSET.

An Important Strike Has Been Made at the 200 Foot Level.

Greenwood, B. C., June 11.-(Special.)-Superintendent Johns reports an immense strike at the 200 foot level of the Sunset in Deadwood camp. The ore encountered in the drift is 320 feet from the shaft. Thirty-seven feet of heavy sulphide, Great Changes Are Being Made—Costly It is typical of the Deadwood camp lode with this distinction that the ore is more heavily charged with pyrrhotite and carries more gold and less copper than usual in that camp. The mine is owned by the Montreal-Boundary Creek company, and has equipped one of the largest plants in

Le Roi Hoist House.

The concrete foundations for the hoist ing machinery at the Le Roi are being closed in rapidly. The framing is nearly filled up and the iron clamps and screws are set in place. Foundations for the other parts of the hoist are being exca-

MINING NOTES.

The American Corporation, Limited, o Cleveland, Ohio., has purchased the Leiter claim, on Sophie mountain, and is negotiating for the Copper Wonder,

which adjoins the Leiter.

The Jonckes Machine company yester

about the end of June. They play in Tacoma on the 19th and 20th of June, and in Seattle on June 22nd and 23rd. Mr. Weaver, the manager of the club, says the on the trip where professionals are not on the Pacific coast. It was founded by the late Leland Stanford in memory of his son, who died when he was young. The larger portion of Mr. Stanford's immense fortune was used in endowing it.

EVADERS OF QUARANTINE.

A Number of Them Have Been Arrested and Fined

There has been considerable trouble experience by Dr. A. C. Sinclair, the Dominion health quarantine officer, through parties coming in over the trails and thus resisting the officers at the entrance to the province. They cross the boundary line at Sheep creek and also at Juanita This was the case to such an extent that acting under the instructions of Dr. Sin clair, a number of arrests have been made by Mr. A. Paterson, deputy custom officer and ex-officio quarantine officer, at Sheep creek, and Mr. John Nolan, who acts in a like capacity at Juanita. The quarantine officer or his deputies or subcollectors of customs are empowered by virtue of the law and its regulations, to arrest and bring before a magistrate all persons endeavoring to evade the quarantine. It is within the option of the court before whom the offenders are brought to fine or imprison them. A number of arrests have been made, and the delinquents have been fined. In the future breakers of the quarantine law will be more severely dealt with.

Will Give a Picnic.

The Eagles held a social session last night, which was well attended and greatly enjoyed by those present. It was de-cided, upon the recommendation of the committee, which had under consideration the matter of the holding of the Eagles annual picnic, to give, sometime in July or August, a picnic. It has been decided to give the picnic at some point on the lower Arrow lake. Last year the Eagles gave a picnic at Loon Lake, but this point is too far away, and this year some point closer to Rossland will be selected, so that those who participate will not be tired by the long journey.

Spokane Mining Men Are Strongly in Favor of the Election of Hon. C. H. Province of British Columbia Mackintosh.

The New Forty Drill Compressor for the LeRel
Has Arrived and Will be in Notice in Three
Weeks Other Notes of Interest.

Some time ago Mr. S. H. McCoy submitted to the Mabel management at Lima, Ohio, plans for the development of that property which will require the expenditure of a sum aggregating \$30,000.

The annual meeting of the Fiag Hill
Mining company of epublic, was held last week. The former directorate, which was elected a year ago, and which held its office for six months, notwithstanding that a majority of the shares was held by a Mabel are standard Oil magnates Mr. More of the principal owners of the Mabel.

Alderman Hector McRae returned yesterday morning from Spokane, where he has been for the past six days. He reports that he is greatly pleased with the Province of feet all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia, and to carry on business within the Province of the same for the past six days. He reports that he is greatly pleased with the "British Canadian Goldfields of the Klondike, Limited," is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of feet all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia, and to carry on the same for the past six days. He reports that he is greatly pleased with the "British Canadian Goldfields of the Klondike, Limited," is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of feet all or any of the objects hereinafter.

Northern system. All one has to do is to sleep in Rossiand and wake up in Spokane and vice versa on returning.

The head office of the Company is attended to the Mabel are standard Oil magnates Mr. Mr. McCoy has received word from the provide and licensed to the day long that the will be fortished.

The has been for the past week. The former directorate, which was selected a year ago, and which held its effect or six months, notwithstanding that a majority of the shares was held by a hand are sindard Oil magnates, Mr. McDandian syndicate, was superseded by a new directorate, consisting of the following: D. F. Hallahan, (president,) Philip Creasor, (vice-president,) E. G. Thursby Pelham, D. George McAvity and S. George Rideout. The property is controlled by a syndicate with which Messrs. Alex. Dick and R. G. Edwards Leckie Alex been identified for the past year, lower of directors would not carry out the development as the syndicate resident of the past year, of the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property in me months since, It is the intention to resume work at once and to fairly test the veins on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the property in me months since, It is the intention to resume work at once and to fairly test the veins on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at the conducted, work was suspended on the property at days the matter will be adjusted at Court.

Nickel Plate, Columbia-Kootenay and No. 1 mines would be dead issues. In view of that fact that the quidnuncs, better known as mining experts, had all condemned these properties and therefore the former owners could not secure the capital with which to operate them. Mr. Mackintosh's faith in the ore zone of the camp was such that he considered there were other mines on Red mountain besides the Le Roi, War Eagle, Centre Star and Iron Mask and the development work on the properties which he purchased for the B. A. C. has proven that his estimate of their worth was correct. They are certain that there world no be one half the number of men working here that there are were it not for the investments which he made on behalf of the company which he repres-Nickel Plate, Columbia-Kootenay and No. 1 mines would be dead issues. In view of that fact that the quidnuncs, better known as mining experts, had all condemned these properties and there-obtain ore obtain ore would no be one half the number of men working here that there are were it not for the investments which he made on behalf of the company which he repres-ented, and they, therefore, regard him as the best friend the worker has in this

leading Liberals, and as he knows the common sense of the electorate of the riding and is a good judge of human nature his opinion carries weight. Messrs. Standford team expects to win every game on the trip where professionals are not Porter, the Clarks, Colonel Ridpath, Jack engaged. They will not play on Sundays. The members of this team all attend the Stanford university, which, next to the University of California, is the largest on the Pacific coast. It was founded by of the province for the nnext five years They think that the election of the Gov ernor is certain to restore confidence. They look upon Hon. Joseph Martin as a disturbing element and say that he can be of little or no service in building up

the province." JOINED THE NEWSBOYS' UNION.

Lad Was Initiated Yesterday With

rites when they occurred, and was doubt-less surprised by the suddeness and vioitiate him," and a big lad who wore a good sized shoe, walked up to the novice and kicked him. Then another newsboy shouted the same words, and again the novice was kicked. This went on till all the officers and members had shied their right foot at he boy. Then they shouted like a lot of red Indians in chorus, "finitiate him; initiate him; initiate him," and so the dance went on. Then they tore up his stock of papers and he was when he went home to her.

in the simplest of beginnings-food fernentation and indigestion-a disordered stomach—the money's gone—the physician has failed to cure but Dr. Stan's Pineapple Tablets have proved the little "specialists" in a thousand cases—and a box of 60 of them have made a tendence of any such work and concure costs just 35 cents: Sold by Good-

No. 181.

This is to certify that the "British

(b.) To purchase, lease, license, take in headquarters.

Mr. McRae in speaking of political exchange or otherwise acquire in the matters said: 'In Spokane I found that name of the Company, or in the name or the company, or in the name or the company, or in the name or the company, or in the name of the company, or in the name or the company. all the leading mining men, who are interested in British Columbia mines, are or otherwise, any mines mining rights. all the leading mining men, who are interested in British Columbia mines, are anxious for the success of Governor Mackintosh in the forthcoming election. They recognize in Governor Mackintosh a man of undoubted ability and one who will be the premier of the next government of the province, and who will do his utmost for the advancement of the mining industry. They, therefore, feel that to elect him would be a distinct forward step on the part of the people of this riding and are certain that such a this riding and are certain that such a icies, book-debts and claims against any step would be of immonse benefit to such property, or against any persons or the mining and other industries of the Company, or in any other real or perthe mining and other industries of the province, as he is a man of advanced and progressive ideas and one who has the energy and ability to put his plans of its objects or purposes, and to lease, into practice.

"Spokane mining men say that were it not for Governor Mackintosh the Josie, not for Governor Mackintosh the Josie, or otherwise turn the same to account in Plate, Columbia-Kootenay and any manner the Company may deem ex-

quired or controlled by the Company, and to colonize the same, and for such purpose to lend and grant any sums of mote, or concur in establishing, forming, money for any purpose which may be, or registering or promoting any other com-

(h.) To lay out towns or villages on any lands acquired or controlled by the Company, or in which the Company is in any way interested, and to carry on any business, the carrying on of which the Company may think, directly or indirectly, conducive to the development of any property in which it is interested:

(i.) To purchase or otherwise acquire hold, sell, manipulate, exchange, turn to account, dispose of and deal in agricultural, plantation, forestal, fishing and trading rights; and in all or any products of farms, plantations, forests, fisheries and the earth, including animals, grains, A Lad was initiated Testerday with Rites and Ceremonies.

A boy joined the Newsboys' Union yesterday, and like all new members, he had terday, and like all new members, he had to be initiated. He was a nice little boy and evidently his mother's pet. The intitating ceremony took place on Washington street, near the Allan hotel, and was participated in by about every officer and the property of the prope nember of the union. It was a simple, tured, or partly manufactured, or other yet touching ceremony-at least the lad wise, and to advance money at interest who was the central figure thought so. He was not expecting the ceremony and dities, and to carry on business as merlence. Suddenly someone shouted, "in- purchase, hire, make, construct, or otherwise acquire or provide and maintain, improve, equip, control, manage, and work prove, equip, control, manage, and work from time to time any works, undertakings and operations of all kinds, both public and private, in any part of the world, and in particular any roads, tramworld, and in particular any roads, tramways, railways, bridges, harbors, quays, benture stock, bonds or other securities, ways, railways, bridges, harbors, quays, landing places, wells, reservoirs, water-courses, canals, irrigations, drainage, aqueducts, shafts, adits, tunnels, furnaces, crushing mills, hydraulic works, electri-cal and gas works, chemical works or redeclared to be a free and accepted mom- duction works of any kind, warehouses, ber of the Rossland Newsboys' union. workshops, factories, dwellinghouses, Doubtless the mother of the new member wept at the condition of his clothes and the black and blue spots on his body when he went home to her.

hotels, shops, stores or other buildings, engines, plant, machinery, ships, boats, barges, implements, appliances, tools, stock, goods and other works, conven 35 Cents vs. Doctor—Some people have spent fortunes seeking to repair the incode of disease which have had origin the simplest of heginnings food fermany's business or for developing, utilizing or turning to account any of the dered Company's property or otherwise, and to contribute to, subsidize, or otherwise assist or take part in the construction, ac-

veniences:
(j.) To fit out and dispatch

MINES AND MINING Sherbrooke, Que., and Mr. Alex Cross, the construction engineer for the Jenckes Machine company, has arrived from Nelson for the purpose of superintending the putting together of the same tending the putting together of the same in running order in about three weeks.

THE NIGHT TRAIN SERVICE LICENCE AUTHORISING AN EXTRA
PROVINCIAL COMPANY TO purchase, lease, or otherwise as the Company shall farms, mines, minerals, ores, mining and other rights or claims, lands, hereditaments as aforesaid, and to pay the extenses, fees, costs and charges thereof, and of any agents, mining experts, lega! (v.) To provide for the welfare of per-

mechanical or other contrivances useful, or supposed to be useful, for any of the purposes of the Company, and to license, deal with, or dispose of the same or any interest therein respectively:

(1.) To institute, enter into, assist or participate in, carry on and undertake all and any hydrogen specific and to make donations to subscribe or guarantee money for chartical error benevolent objects, or other objects as the Company may think fit:

(w.) To procure the Company to be constituted or incorporated or registered in the Dominion of Canada, or elsewhere, and to make donations to subscribe or guarantee money for chartical error objects, or other objects as the Company may think fit:

(w.) To procure the Company to be constituted or incorporated or registered in the Dominion of Canada, or elsewhere, as may be found expedient, either as a may be found expedient.

agents, land companies, surveyors, bankers, bullion dealers, assayers, metal brokers, dealers in mineral of all descriptions, of precious stones, timber merchants, any part of the world where it may desire ers, dealers in mineral of all descriptions, of precious stones, timber merchants, any part of the world where it may describe to carry on the same:

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(x.) To apply to any Government, Parforeign Legislature, or

and circulate reports, maps, plans, prospectuses, proxies and documents of every (y.) To advance or lend money to such kind whatsoever, whether for the purpersons and on such terms, with or withposes of this Company or others, and act as printers and publishers for newspapers or other journals relating to or affecting with the Company, and to guarantee the

cutors, administrators, receivers, commit-tees, managers, attornies, delegates, substitutes, treasurers, trustees, and any other offices or situations of trust or confidence, and to perform and discharge the dertake obligations of every kind and duties and functions incident thereto, for any persons, companies, or syndicates, or the like:

(p.) To purchase or otherwise acquire or undertake all or any part of the business, property and liabilities of any other

tem will be in active operation. The distance between shaft and ore bin is but 1,000 feet.

The Jordckes Machine company yester day sold a 25 horse nower boiler and fit ings to the R. Bell mine, near Grand Forks.

Further west on the flat the boiler space for nine boilers each of 100 horse power, and capable of restraining a pressure of 125 pounds to the square inch. These are divided into three batteries are divided into three batteries. These are divided into three boilers which are linked to getter. Six of these boilers, forming two batteresters already in position and are bricked up, their smokestacks, elevated and the steam conduits in place.

Advices have been received to the effect that the Stanford Basebal team will play in Portland, Tacoma, Seath the steam conduits in place.

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The Jorckes Machine company yester day sold a 25 horse nower boiler and fit into the company with the feet power has the tings to the R. Bell mine, near Grand for the company which he 'represented, and they, therefore, regard him as the best friend the worker has in this morthwestern country."

Mr. George B. McAulay, the managing three days of the Sand three that the stanford Basebal team will be treed by the company or corporation whose objects are negotiable or transferable or any limited interests, any of the property conditionally, or any of its undertaking, for sude considerations as the Company, or all or any of its undertaking, for sude considerations as the Dominion of Canada or in any other company with the Dominion of Canada or in any other company with the Dominion of Canada or in any other beat friend the worker has in this beat friend the worker has in the Dominion of Canada or in any other control to the world:

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other contingency:

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pany, corporation, association or private undertaking, whose objects shall include the acquisition and taking over of all or Company, or any proceeds of sale or disany part of the property or rights of this Company, or the carrying out of all or any of the objects of this Company, or the carrying out of all or any of the objects of this Company, or any property or rights of the Company, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital between shall be in any manner calculated to en-hance either directly or indirectly the inhance either directly or indirectly the in-terests of the Company or otherwise, and to acquire and hold shares, stocks, or se-curities of, or guarantee the payment of curities of, or guarantee the payment of of shares, on such terms and any securities issued by or any other obliner as may seem expedient: any securities issued by or any other obligations of any such company, corporation, association or undertaking, and to defray all or any of the expenses of the establishment, registering, promotion and advertising of any such company or corporation, association or undertaking as aforestion, association or undertaking or transaction which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on or undertaken in connection with the above-mentioned objects, or that may be calculated, directly or indirectly, to or hance the value of the destablishment. the expenses and costs of or nature, or otherwise assist any such or properties of the Company, or turn the or nature, or otherwise assist any such company, corporation, association or undertaking, and to guarantee, place or underwrite subscriptions, or to subscribe for the same or any part thereof, or to employ others to guarantee, underwrite, place or subscribe therefor, and to pay or place or subscribe therefor, and to pay or tractor, or otherwise, and either alone or conjunction with others, and either in the company of or by or through any corporation. contribute towards the payment of any the name of, or by, or through any corbrokerage, brokers' fees, commission or remuneration for so doing, and either in casn, shares, debentures or debenture (gg.) To increase the capital of the stock; and to undertake the management and secretarial or other work, duties and business of any company on such terms be thought expedient, or to consolidate as may be determined:

water- or any interest in the revenues or profits of any company, corporation, associ partnership or person, whether British, foreign or colonial, and either carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, or any other business, and upon any return of capital, distribution of assets, or division of assets, or division of profits, to distribute such shares, stock, debentures, debenture stock, bonds or other securities among the members of this Company, if advisable:

(u.) To borrow and raise money upon loan or otherwise for the purpose of the Company, and to create and issue at par or at a premium or discount, bonds or debentures to bearer or otherwise, or debenture stock, mortgages and other inbentures to bearer or otherwise, or de-benture stock, mortgages and other in-struments for securing the repayments thereof, with or without charge upon the undertaking and property of the Company, both present and future, or its uncalled capital, or upon its income or

and of any agents, mining experts, legal counsel, and all persons useful or supposed to be useful for such purposes:

(k.) To acquire by purchase, concession, exchange, license, or otherwise, absolutely or conditionally, the rights, either generally, exclusively, or particularly, of or in all or any patent rights or processes, or in all or any patent rights or processes, or in the employment of the Company, or formerly in their employment, and the widows and children of such persons, and others dependent upon them, by granting money or pensions, providing schools, reading-rooms, houses, places of recreation, or otherwise, and to make donations to subscribe or guarantee money for characteristics.

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publishers, advertisement agents, commission agents, commission merchants, capitalists, promoters, financiers, and concessionaires, buyers and sellers in all kinds of goods, merchandise, and produce generally, whether manufactured or in a raw ment, rights, powers, concessions and privileges that may seem conducive to the (m.) To carry on the business of engineers (consulting, mechanical, and mining), to supply machinery and other articles used in building or mining operations, or their like:

(n.) To establish and regulate agencies for carrying out the objects herein mentioned, and to print, publish, advertise pany's constitution, or any other puraged of the same, or to apply and reincorporating its members, or for effecting any modification in the Company's constitution, or any other puraged to the grand of the printing of them.

payment of money or performance of con-tracts whether secured or not, by any persons, companies, corporations or others, and generally to transact and undertake and carry into effect all such guarantee, indemnity, commercial, financial, trading or other businesses or operations, either gratuitously or otherwise as may seem directly or indirectly conducive to any of the Company's objects, and to un-

description:
(z.) To invest, lend, or otherwise deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities or without any security, and generally in such manner as from time to time may be such manner as from time to time may be determined, and particularly to apply the funds of the Company in paying the legal expenses incurred in or about the formation or establishment of the Company or its registration, and in paying brokerage, commissions or other remuneration for services rendered by any person in placing or procuring subscriptions for any of its share, debenture or other capital or such manner as from time to time may its share, debenture or other capital, or in negotiating for or obtaining contracts or orders for the Company:

or orders for the Company:

(aa.) To receive moneys, securities and
valuables of all kinds on deposit, at interest or otherwise, or for safe custody, and
generally to carry on the business of a
Safe Deposit Company:

(bb.) To draw, make, accept, indorse,
discount, execute, issue, buy, sell and deal
in promissory notes, bills, of exchange

other company or corporation as aforesaid, or by partnership or any arrange ment of the nature of partnership, or

any other manner:
(dd.) To distribute among the members in kind or in specie any property of the amounting to a reduction of capital be made except with the sanction for the

whatever kind or render profitable any of the business

and divide capital into shares of larger

(hh.) To execute and do generally all such other things as the Company may at any time consider incidental or conducive to the carrying out or attainment of

the above objects, or any of them.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this twenty-second day of May, one ousand and nine hundred.
[L.S.] S. Y. W L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companie

A Well Patronized Train.

The night train running between here and Spokane is well patronized, and so far has paid expenses. It is thought the traffic will increase and that it can be

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The government of Hon. Joseph Martin has been overthrown by the ballots of the people and a new and better condition of affairs will be inaugurated at Victoria. It is probable that with the collapse of Mr. Martin and his ambitions, Lieutenant Governor McInnes will retire into the obscurity of private life from which heought never to have emerged, and his office will be filled, it is hoped, by some man of reason and sound judgment. The result of the contest must be most grati fying to every one who has the interest of the province at heart, even though the Legislature, owing to the diverse elements of which it is composed, will undoubtedly be in a somewhat chaotic state during the first days of the session. As, however, the members elect are, in the main, men of standing and intelligence, and men who, it is believed, have the good of the country at heart, they will, without doubt, be able very quickly to bring about a state of order, and will hold together if for no other reason than to render impos sible the success of any further machina tions on the part of Hon. Joseph Martin. The elements exist for the composition of a good, sound business government, and it is hoped that all political differences and animosities may be sunk in the endeavor to create such a government Rossland has reason to deplore the defeat of Hon. C. H. Mackintosh. The constitnency will very quickly perceive the error which has been made in his rejection by Who will be called upon to form the the electors. Had he been returned to the legislature he would have made a most capable leader of the house; in fact, will exercise the minds of the people durthere is no one in the new legislature who ing the next week or two. By the dewould have had so many claims to that position, and this riding would have had intosh and Charles Wilson the question the honor of being represented by the is considerably complicated. Mr. Mackpremier. As it is, we have as our representative a gentleman who will be regarded by the government as an irreconcilable opponent, and this largely because his large knowledge of public affairs, his of his staunch adherence to Mr. Joseph freedom from affiliation with any of the

The majority has spoken, however, and we must submit, let the consequences be what they may. Martinism, however, has been defeated, and all good citizens will breathe more freely.

#### THE RESULT IN THIS RIDING.

The election in the Rossla resulted in the return of Hon, Smith Curtis by a majority of 36, and in the defeat of Hon. C. H. Mackintosh. The will of the majority prevails, and Mr. Curtis will, it would seem, occupy a seat in the legislature. Two things added materially in the election of the successful candidate and made it difficult for his wery popular opponent to make much headway in the face of such fortuitous circumstances. One thing which greatly assisted Mr. Curtis was his taking the initiative in the settlement of the labor troubles which so disturbed the affairs of neither private ends or public ambitions the Rossland camp a few weeks since. to serve. This made Mr. Curtis friends among the members of the Miners' union and other bodies of a like character, and secured him not a few supporters among the business men of the city. This caused him to have the majority which he did in this and deaths from starvation are taking city. In the Boundary country his promise to give the people there a competing railway, it is certain, gave him many supsporters there. These two circumstances. coupled with a mistaken idea that the most estimable gentleman who ran against him was not a friend of organized labor. caused his election. It is certain that had a man of less personal popularity than Governor Mackintosh, or one who has done less for the mining interests of the camp, ran against Mr. Curtis, he would have been beaten by a much larger majority than he was. It will, however, as the Miner has frequently pointed out during the campaign, be a barren victory for the Rossland riding, and it would theve been much better if Mr. Mackintosh had been the winner. Hon. Joseph Martin is no longer premier of British Colnmbia; he will be hopelessly in the mi- and hence there is no chance for storing nority in the legislature, and Mr. Curtis surplus food for the years when there he is not greatly to be pitied if he descovwill occupy one of the seats on the opposition side of the house. Under the at intervals, as the regular seasons are. circumstances he will be unable to do The people of India are unsuited to meet shut himself off from all possibility of a much for the riding, as the government any sudden emergency or catastrophe, as political career. will not be inclined to favor a constitu- they are improvident, shiftless, and but ency which sends a representative which little better than children. is opposed to it. On the other hand, had Mr. Mackintosh been returned he would have been able to do a great deal that periodical famines, which are the result the field which is making a geological would benefit the people of this riding, of meterological contingencies. Canals survey of the country between Rossland as he would be a supporter of the govern- have been made from the principal water and Midway. The work of making a geo- there is no alternative open to the Lieu- be adopted in British Columbia without

ment. It is regrettable, therefore, that was not chosen.

THE NEXT GOVERNMENT.

The Local Legislature will meet on the

fifth of July, not quite four weeks from

today, and in the interval the utmost

efforts should be made by the members

elect representing the various elements

who stood in opposition to Martinism to coalesce and form a good sound business administration. No party distinctions should be permitted to stand in the way of such a consummation. There are no differences of opinion so absolute that they cannot be reconciled. The great issue in the campaign was the overthrow of the unconstitutional compact formed by McInnes and Martin and until these gentlemen and their adherents have been taught that British Columbia is not a field on which they will be allowed to conduct their machinations for their personal or political aggrandisement, their opponents should lay aside all differences of views and hold together for the public good. Out of 38 seats Mr. Martin has obtained eight, so that he is in a hopeless minority. Whether the elements opposed to him do combine, as they ought to, one thing is certain, the man who is primarily responsible for giving Mr. Martin his undue prominence during the past few months, the man who, had he displayed any shadow of sound judgment, any desire for the interest of the province of which he is the Lieutenant-Governor, might have saved all this turmoil by aiding in the formation of a quite allowable coalition of the members of the last legislature—this man must no longer be permitted to bring himself and the province into contempt by his muddleheaded manner of conducting business entrusted to his charge. A man who, like Lieutenant-Governor McInnes. can be made the tool of every political adventurer who flatters his vanity or appeals to his personal or family ambition, is not a fit and proper person to be ever the nominal head of a province like British Columbia, and if he does not take the step which his son assured the electors of Nanaimo, he had for two years contemplated taking, then he should be summarily dismissed by the government at Ot-

next administration is a question which feat of candidates like Hon. C. H. Mackintosh would have been the ideal man for the position, and his election would have set the matter at once at rest. With various factions and his reputation as a province, he would have been able to a cabinet, it is an indication that the bring the anti-Martinites together, and Conservatives are convinced that they see the desirability of recognizing the regard, the result of the elections as a triumph for the Conservative party, nor must he attempt to fill his cabinet with Island representatives. If he does there will be trouble at once, as any government so constructed will be built on an exceedingly sandy foundation.

Let us have an administration which will legislate in the interests of the whole country, and the members of which have the Assembly for the benefit of the con-

#### THE FAMINE IN INDIA.

One of the greatest famines of the present century is now raging in India, place by the thousands. It seems prob- of New Westminster, has decided to abanable that the famine of 1769, in which don the political field, which he resignthree millions died from lack of food, ed his postmastership to enter, and is demay be duplicated, or even surpassed be sirous of obtaining a more lucrative govfore the land again becomes fruitful ernment position than he formerly held. enough to support the 300,000,000 of peo- If this is so, if he entered the Martin ple who inhabit the country. The pic- government under the impression that it tures published in the current illustrated might be returned to power and that publications of groups of the poor, hun- in that event a cabinet position might gry people is enough to stir the stoutest lead to some high-paid office; and now heart to pity. The cause of the famine that he finds himself and his colleagues was a failure of the rains to come last in a hopeless minority he wishes to retire fall, and this prevented the storage of into the obscrurity of a collectorship which water to grow the usual crop of rice and will assure him a comfortable living, he millet, and the result is that the coun- should be set adrift as too venal for any try over vast areas has become a desert, consideration whatever. Mr. Brown in which even the deepest wells have dried up. The country is so overpopulated that the crops, even in wet seasons, barely give the people enough to eat,

The British government has done much to mitigate the effects of the

ways, and millions of acres have been logical survey of Canada was first com- tenant-Governor but the resignation of disadvantage. Women in Great Britain of many miles of irrigating canals, which area of the country, it is still in progress, his utterances endorsed by 99 out of every draw their water from unfailing sources, and will continue for many years to 100 voters in the province; and yet Mr. and many women have been elected on and in the land adjacent to these, rice, come. The work done by the geological McInnes insists on holding on to his posi- school boards and as poor law guardians millet and other foodstuffs can be raised surveyors is invaluable to miners and pros- tion. He insists on doing so despite the whether the monsoon brings the rain or pectors. The work consists primarily in fact that he has been censured by the not. In former famines many of the peo- the preparation of maps, showing the authorities at Ottawa, that he is dis- ther extended, and now they can sit as ple could not be reached owing to the horizontal distribution of the various for credited in British Columbia, and that limited means of transportation. Rail- mations and of sections showing the ver- his whole course has been severelly conways and wagon roads have been con-tical arrangements. The facts exhibited demned by every unbiassed mind acquaintstructed so that the relief department of by maps and sections are called respect ed with the first rudiments of constituthe Indian government can reach almost ively the areal geology and structural ge- tional procedure. He does so, too, in face everywhere with whatever food or medi- ology. For their complication it is neces of the carefully-kept family secret, whis giving to women of the suffrage would have cine can be procured for the starving peo- sary that the rocks be classified, and the pered in the ears of the electors of Nanaiple. The Indian government has, therefore, been able to mitigate the famine to of classification involves the determinations, that his father had been anxious a large extent, which would not have tion of their position and other physical to resign for two years. If he has been been the case had it not planned and put characteristics, and also the determination possessed with a yearning to resign, durinto effect these means of protection. of the fossils which they contain. In ing all that time, why does he not do so ly election canvass, but this may per-

means at the disposal of the government erly handle. It is a situation which denands an exercise of the sympathy of tain extent it is receiving this, and in a dia. The people of Eastern Canada are contributing liberally to the famine fund. raised a large fund and have just sent a shipload of corn to India. The government of the United States contributed the \$40,000 which paid the charter of the ship which will carry the corn to India. the famine in India. They have been called upon to contribute to many charitable objects of late. This, however,

starvation with all its fearful pangs. has added a new misery to starvation. of plenty who will refuse to contribute a of a people in such dire distress?

#### LIBERALS MUST BE CONSULTED.

If there is any truth in the report from the Coast that the Conservative memberselect from Vancouver, Messrs. Garden and Tatlow, have offered their services on to form a government, fill his cabiclaims not of one, but of all the elements net entirely with Conservatives he will opposed to "Fighting Joe." He must not be guilty of an error which may cost the province another election, and he will most certainly then go back to the Legislature with a greatly diminished following. The Liberals did indeed take no action as a party in any of the constituencies but worked and voved for the best man in the field irrespective of party affilia tions, and generally in opposition to Martin, and it is not very likely that they will tamely submit to a manipulation of servative organization in the province. If Mr. Turner is called on he will best serve his own and the country's interests by attempting to form an administration composed of the best men of the various factions, with the exception of the Martin- as is the Lieutenant Governor. The men

It would appear that Mr. J. C. Brown, possesses all the demagogic attributes of his leader, Mr. Joseph Martin without that gentleman's courage, and if he gives rein to his political aspirations, and becomes renegade to all his old time associations in an attempt to seize a portfolio obtaining a government billet but has

### THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The Dominion government has a party in

nade famine proof by the construction menced in 1842, and, owing to the vast his office. His opinion is shared in, and for many years past, have voted for all study of the formations for the pur, ose mo by his son William, prior to the elec-There are some 60,000,000 affected by regions not provided with previous topog- now? He never had a better opportunity haps, be mere masculine prejudice, and the famine, and it is impossible with the raphical maps on which to delineate the of doing so to the completest satisfaction outcrops of the formation, the geological of all the residents of the province, with to do nearly all that should be done. It corps has to perform topographical as well the exception of Hon. Joseph Martin in the light of the advantages which the is a most lamentable situation, and is as the geological work. The party that and his handful of adherents. Surely he advocates of female suffrage claim would one which is too great for even the won- is at present working in this vicinity has does not wish to incur the contempt as result, provided their ideas could be carderful resources of Great Britain to prop- a topographical as well as a geological well as the hostility of the Legislature.

corps with it. The expert geologist knows that the his job, he will have to face on the 5th a custom which prevaled is the entire civilized world, and to a cer- precious metals are only found in cer- of July. tain formations and are entirely missing substantial way. The people of Great in others, and hence with the completed Britain are sending what they can to In- geological survey of a mining district be fore him, the miner or prospector knows The citizens of the United States have to find mines of the sort he may be search enviable position. He is confronted by a ing for.

The shortage of water and the fact that bring the exponets of geology into disretific knowledge are combined in the same if he is, it is to be hoped that he will July. Should Mr. Turner, if he is called surveyors in the Kootenays, which is the richest quartz mining section in Canada for the purpose of increasing the scientific knowledge of a section, which is des

#### VANCOUVER LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

The action of the so-called Liberal Asso ciation at Vancouver in passing a resolution condemning the suggested action of the Dominion Government in dismissing Lieutenant Governor McInnes will not meet with the approval of any consider able portion of the Liberals throughout the Province: in fact the Vancouver Association is very nearly as much discredited with the Liberals of British Columbia bers of this organization are Hon. Joseph Martin's most obedient political slaves, willing and anxious to obey his commands no matter what they may be or how inimical to the interests of the Province. It was they who lent him so much assistance in his gallant effort to pack the Provincial convention which was recently held in that city; and an organization, the majority of whose will countenance methods of this kind, can hardly hope to command the respect or confidence of its party or of the people at large. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will scarcely be inclined to heed the outcry of men who have not only displayed their hostility to good government, but to the long established principles of Liberalism in Canada.

#### HE SHOULD RESIGN.

long and honorable career in the Legislative Assembly of this province, entitles ernor McInnes in calling upon Hon, Joimous sentiment of the members of the

which, in case he continues to hold down

#### A POLITICAL ISHMAELITE.

The Hon. Joseph Martin, having burned exactly the place where he is most likely all bridges behind him, is in a most unsuperior force, and one which is bitterly There is a tendency, too, on the part of hostile to him and his methods. The some to descry the mining geologist, which majority of those elected on the Island, is entirely wrong. This is principally be- and who may be classed as Turnerites, cause in the first place, there are some men bear him no love, for they blame him The residents of Western Canada have in every mining community who know partially for the downfall of the governbeen so absorbed by the war in South just enough about geology to make many ment of which Mr. Turner was the head. Africa and their own business for several mistakes. With them it is the old story The Cottonites who were elected have nonths past that they have overlooked of a little knowledge being a dangerous nothing but contempt for the man from thing. In the second place, there are Manitoba, who, when he found he could geologists who come into mining regions not rule the Semlin government, of which full of knowledge which the books give he was a part, ruined it. That portion should not deter them from giving what them, but armed with little or no practi- of the labor party which is under the leadthey can afford to save the poor famine- cal experience. Until they have acquir- ership of Mr. Ralph Smith, is not in touch stricken people of India from a death by ed a practical knowledge they sometimes with Mr. Martin, for the reason that their make mistakes. This has a tendency to standard-bearer was abused and misrepresented during the recent campaign, by people have been compelled to drink that pute with those who know nothing about Mr. Martin and most of his henchmen, which is stagnant and full of disease- it except what they have learned for on every possible occasion. The larger breeding microbes when in an enfeebled themselves by actual observation. The portion of the electors of the province are ondition, has brought on an epidemic of man from the college, wno is well ground opposed to Mr. Martin, which is plainly that dread scourge, the cholera, and this ed in the science of geology, and who then shown by the result of the election. Thus secures the proper amount of experience it is that the present premier finds him-The cup of misfortunes of the people of in a mining country, is invaluable, as he self a political ishmaelite distrusted by a drouth-stricken sections of India is in- not only has the practical experience majority of the people and hated by a deed, full, and who is there in this land gained by his own observation, but he large number of his colleagues. Turn also knows all that the masters of science where he will he cannot possibly, we bemite towards ameliorating the condition who spent diffetimes in acquiring a knowl- lieve, form a combination with any eleedge of the structure of the earth, can ment that would be effective or which teach him. While the practical mining would give him any semblance of authorman has done a great deal for mining, ity. This is so because it seems certain and is a most valuable personage in the that any of the members of the legislatics, notwithstanding his Coeur d'Alene economy of mining, how much more useful ture, except the government members, who would he be were he to have the book would form a coalition with this now dislearning regarding the industry which he credited and defeated minister, would renfollows. We believe the very best re- er themselves buttittle short of infamous steady and unwavering friend of the to Mr. Turner towards the formation of sults, other things being equal, are arrived All that he can possibly do, under the at where practical experience and scien-circumstances, in the words of Shakespeare, is to "play the dog and bark and from amongst them have chosen a cab- have secured a position from which they individual. Therefore, those who decry bite." This he will certainly do, but he inet which would have given every assur- can control the country. They are, scientific knowledge in mining make a is reduced to such a condition of im- Oregon and Washington. Buck hares rance of honest measures and progressive however, acting somewhat hastily, and very serious mistake, and the Dominion potence that even if he does this he with long pedigrees sell for as high as Regislation. It is not unlikely now that we imagine they will perceive their mis- government is doing a wise thing in put-Mr. Turner may be called on again, and take even before the House assembles in ting corps of geological and topographical dict of the people, rendered on June 9th, come as wild as the tulip craze in Europe, want him; that is, powerless to do harm. price. If Hon. Joseph Martin had only As the position now is, it is evident from thought of it in time he could have put the want of love and respect that a a Belgian hare plank in his platform in tined to become of paramount import- large majority of the legislators bear for the way of a promise to promote the inhim that whenever he shows his head in dustry, under governmental ownership, a defiant or a belligerent attitude, that which might have resulted in returning a there will be plenty of members ready majority of his supporters, but then, to shy clubs at him, and from the temper of his colleagues, it is plain that "Fighting Joe" will have more trouble on his hands than even he has stomach or heart for. Under the circumstances, he would show considerable wisdom and avoid a number of unpleasant experiences if he were to resign for this would be his shortest way out of a sea of trouble.

#### WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

During the rectnt campaign Hon. Smith Curtis was asked what his attitude was on the question of woman suffrage in this Province, and in reply he publicly pledged himself to support it if he were elected. As he was elected he stands pledged, and so does the riding, to support woman suffrage. As Mr. Curtis belongs to the minority, his advocacy of the cause of downtrodden women will not be very potent. unless a measure giving the ballot to woman is favored by the dominant por-tion of the legislature. We believe that the powers is felt to remove a threatenthere has been no great, no overpowering demand on the part of the women of give evidence that the Empress Dowager British Columbia for the ballot, although there are some women here, as elsewhere, who would like to have a voice in the selection of public officers. This portion discredited, and is resented as a bit of inof womankind, we believe, would go fur-ther than even to give women equal rights pression that Russian sympathy is with Hon. Robert Beaven of Victoria, whose with men. They would like things restored to those which prevailed during the by the utmost reserve, for while it would matriarchate, instead of the patriarchate, him to a respectful hearing, has severely period, as during the former women large forces in China, the Russian force censured the conduct of Lieutenant-Gor- reigned supreme, the arbiter of her own reigned supreme, the arbiter of her own insignificant, mainly for the reason that destiny, the protector of her children, the Russia desired to be wholly free from any seph Martin to form a government at a builder of all there was of home life, of imputation of ulterior motives. It time when that gentleman was at open religion and of government, while man stated that the Belgian secretary of legawar with every member of the House, then was a mere cipher. The mother Mr. Beaven has not only condemned Mr. was all sufficient, and family descent and in Washington, and prominent in social and official circles.

We believe a limited suffrage like that late House, but he has made it plain that which prevailes in Great Britain, could

offices except members of parliament, A cable from London a day or two since. states that their privileges have been furmembers of county councils. Throughout Ireland women vote for poor law guardians, in the seaport towns for harbor boards, and in the city of Belfast for municipal officers. It is possible that the a purifying influence on politics, which it is claimed by suffragists that it would, There are many men who would not care to see their wives, daughters, sisters, cousins and aunts participating in a livetherefore, something of no very great moment, and perhaps not worth considering After all, it would be

tory of England. As far back of Wiliam the Conc

enrolled among the innabitants as householders, who were "burgeresses," or voters, and down to the seventeenth century women voted for members of parliament. and in the earlier centuries, sat in the councils of state and church as members.

In connection with this subject it is inderesting to note that in a recent issue of Harper's Weekly Governor Steunenberg of Idaho has an article on woman suffrage in his state. In 1898, he states, the women cast fully 40 per cent of the votes cast. considering the larger number of men in the sate. Further than that, the governor says, there is every reason to believe that the percentage will increase until it is fully as large as that of the men.

"As to the character of the vote." says the governor, "it does not appear to come from any particular classes or places; the city and the county districts alike give their quota of women votes. although the tendency of women in the cities toward voting is rather greater than that of the country places.

"In a general sense, there can be no doubt that the participation of women in our public affairs has had a most elevating influence. All parties see the necessity of nominating the best individuals of their parties. Instead of seeking extremes of reform, as had been predicted, they are interested in a stable and conservative administration for the benefit of the homes and the children."

From all of which it is to be gathered that the governor is not yet out of poliexperience, and that he expects to get the women's vote again.

#### MARTIN'S FATAL OMISSION.

The Belgian hare industry has overwhelmed California and Michigan, and is creening northward and has invaded even Mr. Martin's foresight is not as good as his hindsight.

#### RUSSIAN INFLUENCE.

The Northern Power Officially Denies That It Has Ulterior Motives in China.

Washington, D. C., June 13.-The state department has heard nothing about the reported killing of the American missionary and the Japanese secretary of legation at Peking officially. In fact nothing has been heard from Conger since his cablegram last night up to close of office hours. The news of the killing of the American missionary caused a shock at the department, where it is realized that this adds awaiting settlement by the United States.

Definite official information was received today from the foreign office of

one of the most powers stating the Tsung Li Yamen had notified the minister of that power at Pekin that the Dowager Empres not object to the presence of foreign troops to China territory. The Empress ed complication and at the same time to

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WERE WITHOUT FOOD FOR DAYS

They were Compelled to Make Their Way Down the Northern Bank of Arrow Lake and Kennedy had to be Left Behind While Roberts

Messrs. Duncan G. Kennedy and Thomas Roberts passed through an adventure last week on the west shore of Arrow lake in which they had a very narrow escape with their lives. As it was they were three days without food, and Mr Kennedy gave up, as he could go no further, and had not Mr. Roberts been strong enough to go on and send assistance to Mr. Kennedy, both would probably have perished before help could have reached them. Mr. Kennedy, in recounting his trying experience yesterday said:

formerly the foreman of the Rathmullen, for the purpose of examining the claims in order to determine what I should do with them. We intended to get off the boat at Dog Creek and take a skiff and row up the lake to a point close to where the claims are, disembark, and after we had finished an examination of the claims there board the steamer. At Robson we took the steamer Rossland, and the people in charge of the steamer said the tter way to reach our destination would be for us to go on with the steamer and we would be landed near the claims. They promised to leave word at Nakusp for the Kootenay so that the steamer would pick us up on the down trip, in the afternoon. Subsequent developments showed us that they forgot all about leaving word for the other steamer to pick us up. We landed and made our examination of the properties. Then we came down to the shore, lighted a bon fire and waited for the steamer Kootenay. She was hugging the east shore of lowing: the lake. We signalled and signalled and there in that desolate region without a mouthful to eat. We had eaten the light lunch we brought at 11 in the forenoon. There are no trails along the shore of Arrow lake, but we determined to walk along the shore to Dog Creek. It was only 20 miles in an air line, but it must have been 75 miles the way we went. In order that we might not get lost we de-termined to follow the shore. The water is high at present and every half mile we would come up to a cliff which would rise from 800 to 1,000 feet from the

water. Then we would have to go inland and a mile or two as the case might be and make our way up almost perpenular heights in order to get around it. This would take us hours sometim and we walked from 3 o'clock on Tuesday morning until 9 o'clock that night, and we only made seven miles in an air line where we started and the way was awfully rough. The brush seemed almost we tramped must have been at least 30 miles. We saw grouse, several deer and a big fat black bear that looked as though he would have made good eating, and we were so famished that we could have to kill him with. I ran out of cigarettes. "Wednesday we made an early start, and how hungry we were. The travel experience Great high cliffs every little ways, and sometimes we would have the greatest difficulty in clinging to the sides of the steep places, going up and coming down, when we came to cliffs, and to let

go meant certain death. We virtually beld our lives in our hands and feet. We were afflicted with an overpowering thirst. Our mouths seemed as parched as the interior of hot ovens, and we dare not drie muci. When near the lake we would go into the water and rinse out our mouths, but this aid not seem to do any good, as in five minutes the thirst was as great as ever. Mr. Roberts had his pipe, and tobacco, and this gave him some comfort. We saw the steamer coming and lighted another fire, and I put my shirt on a pole. ed along and those on board evidently did not see us. We saw plenty of game, but could not get close enough to it to kill it with rocks. I was so hungry by this time that I was ready to attack a bear with a good sized rock and false economy of the niggardliness now then if we got to close quarters he would have eaten me or I would have eaten part of him. It was weary work, I tell you. The hunger did not seem to be so painful as the thirst, which was something almost unbearable. We walked until late in the afternoon, and then it was apparent that I was too weak to go further, but Roberts, who weighs nearly a hundred pounds more than I do, held up pretty well. Finally I grew so weak that I felt that I could go no further. Roberts had to hang back so that he would not leave me. I was so completely done

up that it seemed to me that I could not go a step further. I told Roberts to hurry on to Dog Creek, and I would stay where I was till he sent a boat after me. He went on and got to Dog Creek at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning. He sent a boatman after me.
"I remained where I was a part of Wednesday and until Thursday at 5 o'clock. By this time I was delirious, and saw steamers, sailing boats and other craft, which were coming to my relief Com all quarters on the lake, but when they got close to me would disappear

"Finally I saw a man rowing a boat the game was really played principally by along the shore. It seemed to me that the batteries of the two teams. Armthis was another hallucination, as by this strong and Venner for the clerks proved time I was certain that Roberts had excellent fielders. Shea, the catcher for given out and that we both would perish the Rossland team, was umpire. The miserably of starvation. Finally the score by innings was as follows, only five miserably of starvation. Finally the score by innings was as follows, only five boat landed on the shingle, and I said innings being played.

into the lake or run up into the skies in

"Baptiste was the man who had come the wine clerks and the clerks the Rossland Stars held to my relief, and he had plenty of provisions with him, but I could not touch a practice game. No score was kept of lead.

At the conclusion of the game between ally with the European powers. In the existing situation Japan would not be willing to see any single power take the anything, as the mere sight of food nau- this.

seated me. Baptiste built a fire and made a cap of tea, and this revived me. While we were doing this the steamer came along. I took off my white shirt and put it on a long pole and waved it. Baptiste nred 16 shots from his rifle in order to attract the attention of the steamer, but those on board failed to see or hear us and passed on.

"It was blowing great guns, and Baptiste did not wish to take the chances of going down the lake, as he said we would be drowned, but I was so tired of the place that I insisted on starting. hoisted sail and when out in the waves Baptiste said he had been on the lake we were tacking near the shore the boat cover a portion of this sum, as the brew-was capsized. Fortunately the water was only a few feet deep, and we were en-abled to put the boat on even keel, to bail her out and resume our journey. Had the boat been upset in the midde of the lake we would surely have been drowned. Finally, late in the evening, we reached Dog Creek. There I managed to eat Sunday I went up to the claims again. but this time I took a boat with me, and had it pushed off the deck of the steamer into the water. I went ashore in the hoat. On Monday I rowed out into the ke, caught the steamer, and arrived

ck in Rossland last night.
"I think some method should be devis by which those who desire to signal steamer along the lake shou. be

with Air. Inomas Roberts, who was able to do so. A lookout with a spy glass should be kept busy examining the banks for stray passengers. As for myself, I do not care, as I will never allow myself to be caught in such a perilous pre dicament, but it may be the means of saving the life of some poor beggar in a Roberts and myself found ourselves. It return to Dog Creek in the skiff and is an experience which no sum of money tempt me to pass through again,

MR. DURANT'S AT HOME.

It Was Greatly Enjoyed by a Number of

Mr. Edwin Durant of the B. A. C. entertained a large number of his friends at of the 10th instant. Songs were rendered by Mrs. Courson, Mrs. Frank Oliver, Mr. Hector McRae, Mr. Frank Oliver, Mr. Le Maistre, Mr. Morkill and others. Among the guests were the fol-

Hon. C. H. Mackintosh, Hon. T. Mayne Daly, Mr. and Mrs. C. St. L. Mackintosh Mr. and Mrs. Morkill, Dr. and Mrs. Mackenzie Mr. and Mrs. Hector McRae, Mrs. Lucke, Mrs. Dr. Armstrong. Miss Troup, Mrs. and Miss Long, Miss Kinnear.

Mrs. Kingsmill, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. G. Abbott, srs. John M. Smith, Alexander Dick H. F. Myttco, Arthur Marsh, D. J. Macdonald, J. S. C. Fraser, H. C. Ellis, W. F. Tye, A. H. McNeill, A. B. Mac B. Kerr, N. F. Townshend, W. de V. le Maistre, A. J. McMillan, G.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Courson,

THE FIRE HALL.

The Arrangements for Library and Gym

The accepted plans of the architect, Mr. John Honeyman, for the fire hall and li-brary, leave the ground floor of the fire Excellency the Governor-General. drawings, untouched. Above the library takes up half of the upper floor and was a repetition of the previous day's measures 60x30 feet, with a part taken off dormitory. A separate staircase leads down to the library entrance on Lincoln

A sitting room, which is cut up by a staircase, and further invaded by a private office shut in by a screen with glass sashes on its upper half, is provided for the men. An iron grating front and rear gives light to the basement, which is intended for a gymnasium amongst several other uses. It is true that neither rings, nor a trapeze, nor a vaulting horse, nor A sitting room, which is cut up by a

the unpractised muscles of the firemen unequal to the call made upon them, the

shown will become apparent. A practical way out of the difficulty yould have been to have built-a wooder annex in the rear of the fire hall, which would prove both uncostly and yet adequate to the needs of an efficient fire service. That this could have been done is evidenced by the permits granted to various people as late as today to build wooden structures within the fire limit, to Hewitt Bostock. as the bylaw only becomes operative on the

The firemen are, however, getting up an entertainment to raise the necessary funds to do these things for themselves, and it can be left in the hands of the citizens to meet their efforts half way.

WINE CLERKS VS. CLERKS.

defiance of the laws of gravitation. I pitcher and Joiner catcher, and they was partially out of my head for four or did effective work. Erb was pitcher and Fay was catcher for the wine clerks, and

here is a sure enough boat, and no figment of a delirium. I never was so glad to see a human being before.

Case Argued and Submitted.

Mr. C. R. Hamilton has returned from ourpose of arguing for the bank before the Supreme Court of Canada the case of Montreal. Mr. A. C. Galt appeared for the Adams & Burns company. The case grew out of the liquidation of the Kootenay Brewing, Malting and Distiling company of Trail. The bank held mortgage on the property of the com-pany which was sold and the entire sum, amounting to about \$25,000, was turned over to the bank in partial payment of for years and never had he seen the wind the claims which were secured by a mort-blow so hard or so squally. Once when gage. Messrs. Adams & Burns sued to re-

A Through Sleeper.

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PROVINCIAL POLITICS.

Robert Beaven Thinks That McInnes Should Send in His Resignation.

Victoria R C June 13.-(Special.) McInnes is still at Government House, and Martin, who arrived tonight, has not esigned. Robert Beaven, the premier in 1882-3, in an interview, said:
"The action of the Lieutenant-Governo

in dismissing the Semlin-Cotton government and inviting Martin to form an administration were both justifiable acts up to that point, in my opinion, under the Mr. Martin was called in, and it passed a resolution condemning the selection His honor ignored the opinion of the representatives of the people, and pro-rogued the House. By that act he set up his own personal opinion in opposition to that of the persons elected to the assembly, or in other words, substituted a personal for

a parliamentary government. This is where, in my opinion, he made a great error, and assumed an unnecessary re-sponsibility which was quite uncalled for. The next grave mistake his honor made is in allowing Mr. Martin and the colleagues he selected to conduct the affairs of government for so long a period with out their being endorsed by any portion of the electorate. An appeal to the people has at last been made. The Hon. Joseph Martin's government has been con emned in a most marked degree, and, as a consequence, the Lieutenant-Governor's action in connection with it. When be powerless to prevent an incursi demned Mr. Martin as premier, his hon-or. Lieutenant-Governor McInnes, practically said: "I understand the wishes of fore, send you to your homes and shall continue Mr. Martin in power, and shall

appeal to the people."

The electors have practically answered:
"We do not want Mr. Martin's government." This endorses the view held by
the legislature and condemns his honor's

What can any person with any self-respect do under the circumstances, when an appeal has been made and a conder natory verdict returned by the high court of public opinion? There is only one an wer and one course now open for his honor, and no doubt he has taken it, and

MARTIN WILL RESIGN.

Leader by the Opposition.

Victoria, B. C., June 13.-According to news received from the West Coast today,

nor a trapeze, nor a vaulting horse, nor swarming poles, or rope ladders, nor even a horizontal bar can be placed within the so-called gymnasium, but it is also a fact that parallel bars can be put into a corner if not in the way of swinging a night, but had nothing to say for publica-short club or a round with the gloves.

When the stress of a serious fire finds mediately after the opposition caucus at Vancouver has chosen a leader.

> DOES NOT SPEAK FOR LIBERALS. The Martinite Association of Vancouver Passes Resolutions.

Vancouver, B. C., June 13 .- (Special.)-

A Japanese Sphere of Influence.

der of Japanese legation at Pekin is regarded as likely to lead to serious complic but no decision has been reached by Japan as to what political measures will be The Latter Defeat the Former at a Game of Base Ball.

The game on Sunday between the wine clerks and the clerks resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 8 to 9. Of course, it was an amateur game, but to considerable fun was extracted from it by the 350 people who attended. The battery for the clerks was Hatrup pitcher and Joiner catcher, and they did offective. Japan is not likely to some and convenient homes in the west.

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ONE OF THE FINEST BUSINESS that goes to make one of the most hand-south of the Yang Tse river is in the British sphere. Japan is not likely to some and convenient homes in the west. necessary to meet the situation. Rela-British sphere. Japan is not likely to take a step which might be distasteful to Great Britain.

China, it was learned by a representative of the Associated Press at the Japanese embassy today that the attitude of Japan in the Chinese crisis is to co-operate loy-ally with the European powers. In the existing situation Japan would not be

CAPE MINISTRY HAVE RESIGNED he will make his forces felt. A despatch from Joubert's farm, under today's date,

Schreiner Gives up the Struggle as Hopeless--Kruger's Capital Still on the Move-- Swaziland Rumors---Portuguese Fear a Boer Incursion.

spatch from Lord Roberts clearing up the situation at Pretoria and along the com-

General Buller entered Volkvest Wedesday, passed through Charleston and encamped near Laing's Nek. The tunnel was not much damaged. Both ends were blown up, but the engineers think repairs can be effected in four days. The advance mated 8,000 Boers were withdrawn. The towns-people at Ermelo counted 15 guns. Three hundred Free Staters released from guard duty have great to be the law to the law from guard duty have gone to join President Steyn's force in the eastern part of

the Orange River colony.

General Rundle has sent a notice to the Free Staters that unless they surrender by June 15th their farms and other pos-

essions will be confiscated. President Kruger, according to a de spatch from Lorenzo Marques, keeps a locomotive with steam up attached to the car in which he concentrates the execupeculiar condition of affairs then existing. tive office of the government, and he in-But the legislature was in session when establish the Transvaal capital at Nelspruit, in the mountains, a fine defensive

The state printing press at Machadadorp is spreading leaflets containing war news for distribution among the Boers. It is again reported at Lorenzo Marque

that the Boers are advancing through Swaziland. Lord Roberts, it appears, he countermanded the order given to Strathcona Horse to land on the coast and to Swazi country.

Mr. Schreiner, the premier, and his col-

leagues resigned last night. Sir Alfred Milner accepted their resignations. General Buller's casualties on June 10th have been issued by the war office. They were 27 killed, 127 wounded, 3 missing.

The Portuguese government is again re-ported as fearing that the Boers will enter Delagoa Bay when forced to retreat from Lydenburg. The Portuguese have only 1,500 troops in East Africa, and would

TWO VICTORIES.

Successes Gained Over Botha and Dewet

London, June 13.—A lengthy despatch forwarded to the war office by Major-General Knox from Kroonstad, presumably sent there by messenger, reads as

"Kroonstad, June 12.—We have been requested to forward you from Lord Roberts the following despatch from Pretoria residency at 8:30 a.m. today:

"Pretoria, June 12.—Pretoria and Johannesburg are perfectly quiet and several of the inhabitants have expressed gratitude for the peace and order which

"After surrendering the city Boths retired to a place about 15 miles east of the Middleburg road. He had a small force at first, but during the last few days his numbers increased and his being so near the town kept up the excitement in the country, prevented the burghers from

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London, June 14.-3:55 a. m .- The de- | with the collection of supplies. It, there

munications stands alone. Military observers noting that no mention is made of prisoners, assume that General DeWet got away with his forces intact.

General Rullan autoral Vallan arteral Vallan artera experiences were his most vulnerable parts. I sent French with Porter's and mounted infantry round by our left, and Ian Hamilton with Broadwood's and Gordon's cavalry brigades, Ridley's mounted infantry and Bruce Hamilton s infantry around by our right.

key to the enemy's defense on their lert flank. This was almost gained before dark and I ordered the force to bivouac

on the ground they had won.

"Pole-Carew with his division occupied our centre. As I have explained, he could not attack, but he gradually advanced so as to support Ian Hamilton and, when I left the field, he was on the line held by the enemy's outposts in the

"I hurried back to get news of Methuen's movements. On hearing that the Free Staters had taken advantage of our crossing the Vaal to interrupt our line communications. I sent Kitchener Vredefort with orders to push south and communicate with Methuen, who I knew had a very compact force in the vicinity of Heilbron. I also despatched a special dessonger to Methuen, instructing him push on at all speed to the main line of railway.

These two officers met at Vredefort station on the evening of June 10th. They marched yesterday to Rhenoster iver, where Methuen gained a complete victory over Dewet and took possession of is camp and scattered his troops in all directions. He and Kitchener marched

today toward Kroonstad.
"Her Majesty's government need have no apprehension as to the security of the army in South Africa. The enemy gained a slight success, which was unfortunate, but which will be remedied very shortly, and it will not take long to repair the damage done to the railway. As these diversions are all in existence I am now able to hold the line between this and Rhenoster in strength. Methuen will ar-"Hunter should be at Potchestroom today. He will then move on Johannesburg. We have communicated with Buller, who will no doubt soon make the presence of his force in the field felt."

"Our losses yesterday were not, I trust, serious, but I denute the dath of that gallant soldier, the Earl of Airlie. The only other casualties reported as yet are: Seventeenth Lancers—Major the Hon, Lionel Fortescue ansd Lieut, the Hon, C. Cavendish, both killed.

"General Knox adds that Kroonstad is

OCCUPIES VOLKSRUST.

Buller Is Pushing Forward-Surrender

London, June 13.—General Buller is

successful march, the occupation of Volks-rust without opposition and the capture of a number of prisoners, while the Boer casualties yesterday are reported to have been very heavy.

A special despatch from Cape Town re-

ports that the Boers recently captured a train at Smalldeel and destroyed two miles of the lines. But subsequent despatches show that General Hunter routed all the Boers in that neighborhood.

the city. These properties adjoin the celebrated Red Line claim, which is being operated by Fraser & Chalmers.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Last Chance mineral claim, situate in he Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On the west slope of Sophie mountain ad-

oining the Portland mine. Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, (agent for George M. Miller, F. M. C. No. B. 31250). Free Miner's Certificate No. B. 31110, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown

And further take notice that action under section 37, must be commenced be fore the issuance of such certificate of

Dated this Fourteenth day of June, A. KENNETH L. BURNET.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Iron Clad, Spokane, Millie Grey, Pitts-

burg, Delta and Sampson mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On Sullivan creek, about three miles from Columbia river.

Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet,

(agent for Thomas Cameron, F. M. C. No. B. 31105 Jerome L. Drumheller, F. M. No. 31214, and H. M. Williams, F. M. C. No. B. 41087), Free Miner's Certificate No. B. 31110, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining refor the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claims.

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Dated this Twenty-first day of June, A KENNETH L. BURNET.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Princess mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On west slope of Sophie mountain, adjoining the L.'Nora and X Ray mineral claims.

Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, (agent for Allan G. White, F. M. C. No. B. 30943, and Nicholas Reuter, F. M. C. No. 30952), Free Miner's Certificate No. B. 31110, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of

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#### TO MARTINISM BLOW

The People Pronounce Against an Unconstitution and Unstable Administration by an Overwhelming Majority---28 Seats Carried by the Opposition.

Ashwell (Con.) ..... The detailed returns from the various constituencies received Saturday night were most imperfect, owing to the wretched Cowichan-Ford (Gov.) ..... service which was given by the C. P. R. Dickie (Cottonite) ......

Dickie electéd, Telegraph company. It would be well if the company were to look into the busi-The incomplete detailed returns receive ness as managed by its head efficials in ness as managed by its head efficials in the province, and insist that a better system prevail for the future. The returns, 22; Hunter, 28. Fraser Lake—Kinchant, however, which were received showed, beyond all question that Martinism has received its death blow in British Columbia. ceived its death blow in British Colum-bia, and that Lieutenant Governor Mc-Hundred and Fifty Mile House-Kin-Innes and "Fighting" Joe have been em-chant, 33; Jones, 27; Rogers, 27; Hunter, Innes and "Fighting" Joe have been emphatically turned down by the people. Out of the 38 constituencies the opposi- Comox-McPhee (Gov.) ........... tion parties have captured 28, and Pre-Mounce (Cottonite) ..... mier Martin seven, leaving three yet to Detailed returns are: Cumberland— Mounce, 161; McPhee, 94. Union Bay— Mounce, 28; McPhee, 10. Courteney— Mounce, 55; McPhee, 97. be heard from, namely, Cassiar, which has two seats and one on the Island. The government was sustained in the following constituencies: Chilliwack, Delta, North Nanaimo, Rossland, two in Van. Delta-Oliver (Gov.) couver and New Westminster. All Forster (Labor) ..... the others have gone opposition and Berry (Con.) ..... most of them by good majori-Oliver elected. ties. Three leaders were defeated namely, Mr. F. C. Cotton in Vancouver, Oliver, 14; Forster, 20; Berry, 4. Lard-uers—Oliver, 101; Forster, 2; Berry, 81.

Mr. Charles Wilson in Vancouver. Vancouver Island gave the largest following to the Turnerites, as was expected, while Turnerites, as was expected, while Forster, 2; Berry, 12. Langley Prairie the Cottonites obtained the largest following on the mainland of any of the part-Westminster—Oliver, 24; Berry, 30. South Westminster—Oliver, 34; Forster, 17; ies engaged in the contest. Mr. Martin Berry, 13. developed unexpected strength in Vic-Whitham (Gov.) toria, where he obtained a considerable McBride (Con.) ..... personal vote and was not far from being McBride elected. The detailed returns are: Port Modie elected. In Vancouver the election of -McBride, 46 Witham, 32. Port Hammond-McBride, 37; Whitham, 41. Port Mayor Garden and Mr. Tatlow at the head of the poll, was somewhat of a sur-prise, as this constituency was regarded as a Martin stronghold. The result in Southeast Kootenay was hardly expected and the excellent showing made by Mr.

Mond—McBride, 37; Whitham, 41. Port Harney—McBride, 38; Whitham, 24. Mis-sion City—McBride, 72; Whitham, 37. Harrison—McBride, 22; Whitham, 9. Ag-assiz—McBride, 20; Whitham, 21. Port Moody—McBride, 46; Whitham, 32. Smith, the government candidate, must Esquimalt (two seats)be attributed to the presence in the field Fraser (Gov.) ..... of Mr. Costigan, who nearly succeeded in defeating Mr. Fernie, who was elected. In Rossland the result was very far from being expected and is an indication that Nanaima City-Mr. Mackintosh's whole vote was not polled or he certainly would have been returned. The following press despatch and imperfect returns give a summary of the result:

#### STILL DEFIANT.

Martin Claims He Can Yet Get Outside Support.

Vancouver, B. C., June 9.-The Martin government has been overwhelmingly defeated as a result of today's election for members of the provincial parliament. The Legislature is composed of 38 members, and at midnight returns have been received from 35 constituencies indicating the election of 28 opposition and only seven straight supporters of the governnt. The three seats which are still in doubt will probably return opposition members. Premier Martin does not acknowledge an absolute defeat, but claims his ability to induce half a dozen members elected, who are counted among the opposition, to support his government upon a vote of want of confidence in the House. The straight Conservatives wil have the strongest individual following in the next Parliament, having elected 13 members. Martin, the Premier, is elected in Vancouver, as is also Smith Curtis, minister of mines, in Rossland district, and J. C. Brown, of Westminster, minister of finance. Two of the ministers, Yates, of Victoria and Beebe are defeated. Charles Wilson, leader of the Conservatives, and F. L. Carter-Cotton, leader of the Provincial party, are both defeated in Vancouver city, where Mayor Garden led the poll in the Conservative interest. Many predict that when the House meets and the government has been overthrown upon a vote of want of confidence, that then either ExPremier Turner, of Victoria; Mayor Garden, of Vancouver, or H. D. Helmcken, of Victoria, will be called upon to form a Conservative government.

#### THE ISLAND.

The Opposition Sweep Everything Before Them-Martin Hopelessly Beaten.

Victoria, B. C., June 9.-(Special.)-The opposition have carried all of the seats in the island except the government one, the labor party (Ralph Smith) one and one still to hear from. In Victoria the big four, Turner, Hall, Helmcken and McPhillips are returned by good majorities. Hayward and Pooley defeated Martinites in Esquimalt, causing them to lose deposits. South Nanaimo elected Dunsmuir; Alberni, Neill; Comox, Mounce; Cowichan, Dickie; North Nanaimo, McInnes; Nanaimo, Ralph Smith; South Victoria, Eberts; North Victoria still to hear from, but in the province Martin has got seven seats up to

the present.

RETURNS BY RIDINGS.		Taylor (Con.)	McRae
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McGuigan	22	2		4
Enterprise	6	0		3
Lardo	0	4		1
Silverton	65	5		23
Slocan Lake	64	5		23
Balfour	7	4		14
Duncan City	15	3		4
Argenta	7	1		3
Kaslo	125	61		64
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Kootenay, S. E. Smith (Gov.) Fernie (Ind.) Costigan (Con.)				

	Smith (Gov.)	Fernie (Ind.)	Con.)
Moyie	. 69	29	31
Cranbrook	. 122	7	75
Wardner	. 10	3	8
Clko	. 6	7	10
Tracy Creek	. 3	3	. 0
Fort Steele		79	6
Fernie		202	27
Michella		5	31
Wasa	6	8	1
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Smith and Fernie tie.

Bizanton (Gov.) .....

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Pooley (Cottonite) .....

McInnes (Gov.) .....

Bryden (Cottonite) .....

Radcliffe (Labor.)..... .....

Dunsmuir (Cons.).....

Houston (Cottonite.).....

Fletcher (Con.).....

Nanaimo North-

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Prentice elected.

17: Graham 1.

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Majority for Houston, 225.

Prentice (Cons.)....

The detailed returns are: Hut Creek, Pret ce 30; Graham 3. Clinton, Prentice

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Skinner (Ind.).....

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Burnett (Gov.).....

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	Brown elected.
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9	Palmer (Gov.)
	Deane (Cottonite)
	Fulton (Ind.)
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	Yale W-
	Beebe (Gov.)
	Murphy (Ind.)
i	Murphy elected.
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Raymer (Ind.)

THE LOCAL ISSUE

Smith Curtis Wins After a Hard Fight With a Small Majority.

The polls opened today with the prospects for either candidate, Mackintosh or Curtis, about equal. The voting was arranged to take place in the spacious hall of the Miners union. Seven separate compartments had been constructed for voters who were classified alphabetically. The returning officer, Thomas Parker, appointed seven deputies, who, with their poll clerks, took charge of the several compartments. In the first A B the deputy was S. Mc-Tavish: poll clerk, E. J. Weston; scruti-

neer for Mackintosh, J. L. G. Abbott; for Curtis, C. E. Gillan. Burnett (Gov.) Booth No. 2, C E.—Deputy, W. P. Wells (Ind.) Dockerill; poll clerk, Thos A. Hammer; Armstrong (Con.) scrutineers for Mackintosh, N. F. Townsend and F. W. Guernsey; for Curtis, A C. Thompson.

Booth No 3, F H.—Deputy J. D. Mc-Lean; poll clerk, G. C. Chalmers; scru-tineers for Mackintosh, A. Muir and W. H. Finlaison; for Curtis, T. Beamish.
Booth No. 4, I L.—Deputy, F. C. Lawe;

poll clerk, W. Thomas; scrutineers for Mackintosh, T. Corsan and R. W. Armstrong; for Curtis, W. Hodge.

Booth No. 5, M.—Deputy, D. Whiteside

poll clerk; A. Dyer; scrutineers for Mackintosh, P. R. McDonald and H. E. B. Courtney: for Curtis, John McLaren.

Booth No. 6, N R.—Deputy, W. J. Farmer; poll clerk, C. P. Bowker; scrutineers for Mackintosh, G. E. Townsend and J. Belton; for Curtis, D. T. McDonald.

Booth No. 7, S Z.—Deputy G. S. H.
Winn; poll clerk, A. O. R. Brown; scrutineers for Mackintosh, H. W. C. Jacknd J. P. Paston; for Curtis, S. Thorn-

ton Langley. The voters came in fairly well through the whole day, although an occasional rush occurred. When the news of the rush occurred. When the news of the sulendid majority given for Mackintosh at Trail was received at the polling station at a little after 5 p. m. it much m

offset the reception of the Curtis majority offset the reception of the Curtis majority at Cascade, which was the first to arrive. Shortly afterwards the returns from Eholt, Phoenix and Gladstone brought the rival candidates once more nearly together, but the news from Midway placed the Governor decidedly in the lead.

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These comprised all the polling stations which, not being incorporated cities, closed at 5 p. m. There was renewed excitement in the expressions of opinion. The party of the Governor were naturally jubilant, but the opposition were reckoning anxiously their chances of Grand Forks, Columbia and Greenwood. With the declaration of the result of the poll in this city the lead was reversed, and although columbia nearly equalled the total votes on either, the unexpected returns from Grand Forks and Greenwood placed Mr. Curtis at the head of the poll with a marrow majority of 36, which was at first Curtis at the head of the poll with a narrow majority of 36, which was at first agents sell them.

The crowd at once adjourned to the tion, address,

committee rooms of the successful candidate, who addressed it from a hastily ar-

date, who addressed it from a hastily arranged platform on the sidewalk.

Mr. Curtis said that he felt himself extremely honored by the selection made, and that he was pleased to have been elected were it only by the narrow majority reported. While he had hoped that the friends of the cause he had espoused would have reallied even more strongly would have rallied even more strongly round the banner, yet Mr. Curtis stated he was better pleased with a majority of 50 in this city than if he had had a majority of 500 in any other place in the province. He considered that the voters of this riding, seeing the weight and far-reaching extent of the influences around them and of the pressure brought to bear in numberless and often unappreciated because unseen ways, had reason to congratulate themselves upon the outcome of the struggle. The speaker thanked again the voters of the riding and said that as long as he retained a seat in the Legisla-ture he would ever try to do his best for them and their interests. And this not only in the more immediate needs of the district but in the enactment of such laws as were desired by the general advance of

humanity the world over.

At the conclusion the enthusiastic mob seized the platform on which the speaker was standing and raising it upon their shoulders bore the successful candidate in triumph down Columbia avenue, preceded by a banner bearer waving a huge red

Then cheering again and again till hoarse with the excitement and the strain of the prolonged shouting. Mr. Curtis was allowed to get into a carriage, which was driven at a walk through the principal streets of the city, the winners in the hotly contested struggle following with brooms steeped in coal oil flaming brightly in the

gathering darkness.

Once again brought back in triumph to his committee rooms, the newly elected member was called upon for a speech. He responded but shortly, and was suc eeded by Jas. Devine. Tom Beamish and J. T. Brownlee, who wound un by singing the national anthem, as it were, in consecration of the success obtained.

Mr. James L Crotty, a prominent attorney, of Spokane, is in the city visiting his relatives.

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at Trail . Appended are be week ending June 9 a Appended is a sta ments for the past we

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THE MINING REVIEW

THE SMELTER TO BE ENLARGED

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pressor plant. The corporation already inery will be installed. pacity of 132 drills. This will give the B. A. C. the largest compressor capacity its turn, is being proved. Work is also plant like this it is certain carried on oh a large

ination, and the result is that a wagon ing well. road is to be immediately constructed from Northport to the Velvet mine on Sophie mountain. This step was decided at a recent meeting of the Northport board of trade, and a Mr. Ogilvie has been appointed to take charge of the construcovernment will soon get into working order at Victoria, so that a wagon road Sophie mountain section, as the diversion of this trade to the other side of the

The Output.

The output of ore for the past week, Trail smelter. This is because the smelter ear amount of backs ready for stoping. at Northport is not of a sufficient capacity to handle all the ore that the Le Roi can send to it. A car load of second-class ore was being loaded for Trail yesterday afternoon and further shipments will be

ments for the	past week an	d year	to date:
	Week To		
Le Roi		3,020	38,982
War Fagle		-	10,603
Centre Star			7,017.
Iron Mask		_	1,434.
Evening Star		_	356
Monte Christo			273
I. X. L		_	266
Iron Colt			50
Giant		1	42
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Le Roi.-Considerable work is in progress, both on the surface of the mine and at the headings below. The output has been somewhat retarded by the shortage in ore cars; and in a measure by insufficiency of the smelter in Northport under its present capacity to take all of the shipment. Second class ore will therefore be shipped to Trail to the C. P. R. smelter for such time as is necessary to allow of the needed extension of capacity to be made in the company's plant at Northport. The compres sor has arrived and is fast being erected. The power supplied even by this will be insufficient for the growing needs of the West Le Roi company taken into conjunction with those of the Le Roi itself It is therefore proposed to install a third compressor on the Black Bear flat, which will have an equal capacity with the other two. The ore bins are being erected on Black Bear flat, and considerable progress has been made. On the combination shaft the work of cutting out the compartments to their full dimensions and the timbering up of the same is be-

War Eagle.-The tramway is now being veakness in several places during the past and push work on a large scale. fall and winter, and indeed, has given constant trouble through certain defects in the usual way all over the mine. The in its original construction. Advantage management is, however, now getting is being taken of the present lull in ship ready to take advantage of the installaments to place the gravity tram line in tion of the compressor now fast approachment trusts that when the work is ments for shipping. The short spur to the completed there will arise no trouble in foot of the bins from the main railway future except those inherent to the orig- track, it is understood, is about to be inal construction and which it is impos- built in. sible to modify to a very great extent. The ore bins are also in process of con- of the mine is still in progress. Drifting the liver, kidneys or stomach. not resumed last week as anticipated, but beyond the opening of the current week. ments may be able to be resumed before life. No other remedy in the world he At the same time the headings in the long, as the development work has now seventh level will also be taken up, and

along on this level for 120 feet. An up finished. B. A. C. Orders Another Forty

B. A. C. Orders Another Forty tion is to continue the main shaft from

Northport, is finished, a 15 drill compressor will be installed, and this will be so arranged that it will be the half of a acter. 30-drill compressor, and it is expected that inside of a year after the first 15-Sent to Trail, as the Northport Plant is Too drill compressor is installed the other half will be added. The Velvet would have put in a compressor plant long since was the calling by the B. A. C. for will be finished in about six weeks, and is employed and the work of developmen monosais for an additional 40-drill com- as soon thereafter as possible the mach-

bas a 40 and a 12-drill compressor in use Columbia-Kootenay.—Recently much atand is erecting a 40-drill plant, all of which has not arrived fro much factory. arrived fro much factory. When, however, the one which the com- countered, crosscut and proved, as repany is about to order is installed, the ported last week, another lead has been compressor plants will have a united car encountered not far from the mouth of

B. A. C. the largest compressor capacity going forward on the vertical shaft from but there is nothing of importance to reof any quartz mining company in CanNo. 6 tunnel, which is now proceeding port. down to the 400 level below that drift. A new road is being surveyed connecting with the city and the mine road between it is understood, is to be able to handle 1,500 tons per in the valley below has also been placed in thorough repair. the lower workings and the compressor

The smelter is scarcely able to Centre Star.—On the big hoist the head ers, a few days since, returned from the shandle the present output of the Le Roi, sheaves are at last in place. Work is kettle River valley, and while there vis-and as the Josie, No. 1, Nickel Plate and still proceeding around the hoist, the tim-Columbia will, it is thought, before a ber-framing yard and various shops are the finest in that section. The land is great while, join the list of shippers, there in process of construction. The skips for rich bottom and is irrigated by water from will be need for the increased smelter cathe hoist have arrived, but no promise Fourth of July creek. The entire place As the Northport smelter is has yet been received of the shipment of is in a high state of cultivation. There crowded, the intention of the B. A. C. is the compressor from Eastern Canada, are some 60 acres devoted to an orchard to ship some of the second class ore to Below the development work is proceed and here are apple, pear, prune, peach Trail to be treated there. This will reing on the lines of the previous week. lieve the congestion at Northport until A good deal of ore is being stoped out, berries, currants, strawberries and rasp such time as the new half to be added and that brought to the surface has overto the smelter plant is brought into use. flowed the bins and is being dumped in the Vancouver and Spokane fairs last vet Mines, limited, have formed a com- made during the previous week is look- next week and the other fruits will fol-

Nickel Plate.-There is no sign of immediate shipment from this mine. On the surface the hoist engine is being prepared to do the work of the mine in future, and the smaller hoist is to be removed. A level spot has been selected tion of the highway. It is hoped that the for the sorting floor and part of the shipmay be constructed from this city to the low ore has been encountered in a crossthe weather boarding over the hoist. Becut 38 feet away from the foot of the shaft on the north side. The mine is line means a considerable loss to the merthat the surface water has all flowed off, far more than of sufficient power to keep pace with the inrush.

owing to various causes, was limited to
3,020 tons, which all came from the Le
Roi. The falling off was due to some is is only awaited, as its development is

Josie.—Like the No. 1, this mine is preparing for shipment. As is well known, it Will Play the Rossland Club on the
First of July. Josie.-Like the No. 1, this mine is pre changes in the tram made necessary by sufficiently advanced, for the necessary the erection of an extra ore bin of 500 compressor, the gravity tramway and the

.I X. L.-Stoping on the No. 2 level con considerable ore to the smelter at Northport and received a net return of \$6,000 made from time to time. The intention is therefrom, while the operating expenses to increase the capacity of the smelter were only \$700. Mr. John S. Baker, the managing director of the l. X. L. com-

> feet. The work of sinking the winze in this station has been commenced. The winze is to be sunk on a vein of ofe that is seven feet in width. It is clean shipping ore from wall to wall. Two machines are at work. During the week a frictional hoist and a hoisting engine will be installed in this station over the winze. The air used in driving the drills s generated at the Iron Horse compres sor at a point 2,994 feet from where it is used, and there is no appreciable loss i

the transmission. Mountain Trail.-Mr. S. W. Anderson, of the Philadelphia Mining company has been in this vicinity for the past three or four days, and it is understood that he intends to have work resumed on the Mountain Trail. When work was suspended on this property a few weeks since there was a good showing of copper ore in the drift from the main tunnel The intention is to develop this shoot of ore. The Philadelphia Mining company has spent about \$100,000 in the development of the Deer Trail and in the erec

tion of a concentrator.

Northern Belle.—Mr. R. E. Palmer has been placed in charge of the Northern Belle and has put some men to work cleaning up around the old workings and getting things in shape for a resumption of work. Early this week a contract will be let for a drift along the ledge. The intention is to do considerable work during the summer and in the 'fall, if the deplaced in thorough repair, as it has shown velopment warrants it, to put in a plant

No. 1.-Development work is proceeding thorough working order, and the maning a finish, and are making arrange-

Iron Mask.—The work on the east end struction. Sinking in the main shaft was is also proceeding from the levels at the bottom of the two development shafts undercut quite a large amount of backs. contracts for the same are already in Douglas.-Work continues on the lower

Velvet .- Drifting on the 300-foot level intention is to commence marketing the continues. The vein has been drifted ore as soon as the road from Northport is

results as have heretofore been obtained the 300 to the 400-foot level. As soon as Cascade.-Drifting along the ledge conthe road which is now being built from tinues. The drift tunnel is in for a distance of 135 feet, and the showing of ore continues to be of an encouraging char-

Portland.-Work on the tunnel con tinues, and it is in for a distance of 580 feet. It is being driven to tap the main ledge on the property.

California.-Work continues in the tunis making good progress.

White Bear.-Arrangements art being made to do some prospecting on the White Bear by means of a diamond drill.

Big Four.—Work continues in the lower tunnel and the showing of ore there is of an encouraging nature. Iron Colt.-The shaft is being timbered up and one machine is drifting on the

north vein. St Elmo.-Work along the usual lines,

One in the Kettle River Valley Worth

Mr. W. T. Kelleher, of Hunter Brothhot houses in which he is raising flower plants, and he intends to market thes in Rossland to a large extent.

compressor, the gravity tramway and the totown and tell the good news, and so tons' capacity, which was put up at the head house. Since this was finished there have not been enough ore cars to make up for those which could not be shipped in the early part of the week. The shipments for the week before last were 4,112 tons. The intention is to send a portion of men upon the property is working as usual on the extension of the various and the good news, and so that they could be here on election day.

Mr. M. B. Bridgford, of the Roseland base ball club, has received a letter from the management of the Stanford team, requesting a date on July 1. There are some details to arrange yet before the in shortly. In the meanwhile the force of the week before last were 4,112 to send a portion as usual on the extension of the various has ball club, has received a letter from the management of the Stanford team, requesting a date on July 1. There are some details to arrange yet before the intention to operate the property himself, for dis confident that the club will play here and hopes to have the Rossland team. Mr. M. B. Bridgford, of the Rossland have not been enough ore cars to make up for those which could not be shipped in the early part of the week. The shipments for the week before last were 4,114 tons. The intention is to send a portion of the ore extracted hereafter to the Trail smelter. This is because the smelter

niver and main line points arrives at 11:05
a. m., and from Nelson and the Crow's
Nest at 7:10 p. m.

an old and experienced miner, has been placed in charge. Two men were put to work cutting a trail and others are place

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States that at all events since he has been in office she has received no charity, and as far as he is aware she has received none. It is also alleged that Mrs. L. Hill is friends at an At Home on Sunday is fond of whisky.

With the passing of the fire limit by law the owner of the property found that into nerve, brain and tissue substance is easily and fully brought about without waste of nervous energy or wear upon

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it. It is now anticipated that the road nel and in the shaft. A good size force Salvation Comes to All Who Suffer from Kidney Trouble in the when the disease is of the most stubborn character. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Use of South American Kid-Inflammation of the Bladder and the ney Cure, which will Cure the all find their conqueror in South American Kidney Cure. Most Desperate Kidney and We have stopped publishing testimonials, for they have reached to immense volume. You have read about them Bladder Diseases.

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Gold-The Development of the Bosun is Pro

Messrs. Hugh E. Macconald and David

suing blast disclosed a vein carrying gold

copper, iron and quartz. The find is eight

feet wide. Mr. Macdonald shouted to his

partner, "This is a great find," and he

said they felt like cheering over the good luck. They concluded, however, to come

to town and tell the good news, and so

is causing an assay to be made. The vein,

he says, is a strong one, and runs for a considerable distance through the prop-erty. The Black Iron is located about

200 feet to the east of the Arthur. The

same ledge runs through both properties. Mr. Macdonald will return on Monday

for the purpose of resuming operations on the Black Iron.

Work Resumed on Bornite Bank.

There is considerable of a rush to the vicinity of the new find in the hope of finding other properties of a similar character.

Development of the Bosun.

turning out in a very satisfactory man-ner, says the New Denver Ledger. The new No. 5 tunnel has run into two feet

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The developments at the Bosun are

It Has Been Located on the Black Iron IT HAS A WIDTH OF EIGHT FEET

berries. For fruits he took the prize a The residents of Northport and the Vel large quantities alongside. The strike year. The berries and cherries will ripen low. Mr. Covert settled on this farm 17 years since, and its condition shows that he has not been idle. The farm is a very valuable one. It is understood that Mr Covert refused \$50,000 for it. He finds a ready market for the product of his farm in the town of the Kettle River valley, and does not think he will have any sur McDermott arrived in the city yesterday ping bin. Carpenters are at work placing the weether bearding over the hoist bearding the brought with him branches of goose from the Black Jack, on Sheep Creek, where they report rather an important berry, apple, current and cherry which were loaded down with fruit. Near strike. They had sunk through the iron Mr. Covert's place a farmer has two large capping for a distance of six feet, when they put in a couple of holes and the en-

THE STANFORD TEAM.

so strong by that time that it will be able to defeat it. This would be quite a feather in the cap of the home team, as the manager of the Stanfords has stated that he expects his team to defeat all but professional clubs during the journey from San Francisco to Rossland.

New C. P. R. Schedule.

## ing a horse whim in position. Further on the intention is to increase the force. Mr. Cranston says that all of Nelson division is more or less excited over a find that has been made by Mr. Saul Johns and associates. The discovery was made at a point two miles west of the Bornite Bank. The ledge is two feet in width and the white quartz carries large masses of free gold. Mr. Sauls and associates have been offered \$80,000 for their find.

The skin and eyes are two unfailing thermometers of health. If the skin has been encountered in the face of No. 4 tunnel below. These tunnels are both in the Fidelity claims. The difference of the skin has

builds up the weak, wasting and deceaswork will not be delayed, it is trusted, good showing, and it is trusted that ship health that guarantee a long and happy ever done such a true and noble work for

hand. The development work, as reported last week, is in progress on the same lines.

Douglas.—work continues on the lower tunnel on the lower tunnel in the lower tunnel continues strong and the ore in it is of a past made. The and the ore in it is of a pay grade. The and strong.

### A PROMISING LEDGE Oriel Mining and Milling Co., Limited Owning the Good Hope Group, Ymir, B. C.

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the London stock exchange, but with none on the market. Mr. Sandiford is determined that the Bosun shall be a model give her a lot rent free on which she mine, all work being done in first class

A WIDOW EVICTED.

the corner of First avenue and Spokane was lame, and the city would have to supstreet to witness the last act of the eviction of Mrs. L. Hill, who was conveyed to to be shifted. the lockup by the police authorities in Yesterday morning the sheriff told her order to provide her a lodging for the that she must agree to move or he would

Goodeve got up a small subscription for neighbor offered a room to Mrs. Hill. her and she bought some shacks on an She refused, saying that she would remain otherwise unoccupied piece of land on the northwest corner of Spokane and First avenue. Here she found means to support herself by washing and mending. Not being able to do much walking, she chose her dwelling in the location indicated, as she would thus have a better the sent the woman to the lockup for the night, and then proceeded to house the odd remnants of furniture and bedding in the location indicated, as The skin and eyes are two unfailing thermometers of health. If the skin has spots, eruptions, an unhealthy palor or a yellow appearance, and the eyes a glazed look, with yellow whites, it is high time to purify and cleanse the blood and regulation to purify an getting clothes given to her for washing had been placed and which itself stands than if she was living in an outlying su- in the middle of First avenue, west of the liver and kidneys of the strain that is brought upon them whenever impure blood is pouring through their substance. It has been fully proved by eminent

taken into the stomach. Paine's Celery Compound increases the appetite and puts the digestive organs into shape to pass the food over to the blood in such a perfectly perpared condition that the change into nerve, brain and tissue substance the mine. The directors in Double in the directors in the directors in Double in the directors in Double from erecting other than a brick or stone Dalby Morkill and house. He, in consequence, told Mrs. L. Lucke, Mr. Hector McRae and wife, Dr. Hill to get off the ground. She refused. McKenzie and wife, Mrs. Dr. Armstrong, He promised to let her have her miserable Miss Troup, Miss Kinnear, Mrs. Long,

might place her property. The mayor in addition went to see her, in company with Alderman McKenzie, and arranged with Mr. Wilson to shift her shacks for \$25, She Was Put Off a Lot Last Night by Officers of the Law. sent to that part of town she would not A large crowd collected last evening at be able to obtain any washing, as she

order to provide her a lodging for the that she must agree to move or he would night, as she wished to remain on the put the writ into execution at 2 o'clock street to guard her furniture and the in the afternoon. Mrs. Hill would not clothes entrusted to her to wash. Her go. She said she would camp on the distusce children found an asylum in the used end of First avenue in a tent and use the old humber for firewood. The sheriff, with two men, proceeded to execution as a long to the contract of the contrac about 18 months since. She is a widow cute his writ, and tore down the house, with two children and is lame. Mayor removing the furniture into the street. A Mayor removing the furniture into the street. A

had been placed and which itself stands

MR. DURANT'S AT HOME.

It Was Greatly Enjoyed by a Number of

He promised to let her have her miserable shacks if she would move them off as she had no money. Still Mrs. Hill refused to budge. Mr. W. S. Rugh then filed proceedings in the supreme court, who is sued an order to Sheriff Robinson to put him in possession of the property. This was on the 26th of May. The sheriff saw Mrs. A thur Marsh, Mr. D. J. Macdonald, Mr. Mrs. Hill, and then pitying her ease, waited 14 days before execution. In the meantime Mr. Deschamps, hearing of the

## WHAT WILL GOV. M'INNES DO? THE STOCK REVIEW

EAST KOOTENAY NORTH.

LILLOOET WEST.

R. Smith (Labor) .....

NEW WESTMINSTER.

NORTH NANAIMO.

 Dixon (Labor)
 73

 Majority for McInnes
 43

NORTH VICTORIA

SOUTH VICTORIA.

Eberts (Tunnerite) ...... 259

Sangster (Gov.) ...... 208

 Beckwith (Gov.)
 1,418

 Four Turnerites elected.
 Majority for McPhillips
 85

VANCOUVER CITY.

Garden (Con.) 1,737
Martin (Gov.) 1,663
Tatlow (Con.) 1,462

WEST KOOTENAY ,SLOCAN.

Taylor (Con.) ...... 504

Majority for Taylor ..... EAST YALE (Incomplete.

Ellison (Turnerite) ......

Fulton (Ind.) ......

Deane (P. P.)
Palmer (Gov.)

Majority for Fulton .....

Murphy (Ind.) ......

WEST YALE.

OFFICIAL RECOUNT.

Gilmour's Majority Has Increased From

Six to Twelve.

Vancouver, B. C., June 11.—(Special:)

—The local election interest is centered in the official count of ballots being made

today by Returning Officer Beattie. To-night about half of the total number of

ballots had been counted and Ex-Alder-

Wilson has increased from the original six to 12. Premier Martin was standing

at the returning officer's elbow all day

and prompted him frequently. A galaxy

of politicians and lawyers with their coats off had surrounded the official desk

five deep all day. The count will not be

SMITH'S ELECTION.

The Ballot Boxes Were Stolen-A Re

count Impossible.

Victoria, June 11.—(Special.)—During the celebration over Mr. Smith's election

at Fort Steele the returning officer was

completed until tomorrow.

WEST KOOTENAY, REVELSTOKE.

Booth (P. P.) .....

That is the Ouestion Which the Coast Politic ians are Asking--Late Returns Show that the Government has Eight Seats and the Opposition Thirty.

Victoria, B. C., June 11.—Special.)—
Has the Lieutenant Governor been dismissed Has he resigned? Who will he

Majority for Smith 43 call upon to form a government to suc-Wells (Ind.) ..... ceed Mr. Martin? These are the questions passed from mouth to mouth among local politicians and in answer to all of them it can only be said that the most diligent inquiry fails in arriving at any conclusion which may be considered authoritative. A fillip to the interest in the Lachore day, and Winchester Brown tonight. when asked for an expression of opinion on the situation, replied that he had nothing to say for publication. He had come down from the upper country on business he said; there were several matters which required attention, and until this had been dune he did not care to talk. McKechnie was equally non-communicative. In his opinion the situation was too complex to admit of a judicious estimate of the result of the elections. Asked as to whether it was not likely that Ralph Smith would be called upon to form a government, the doctor repned that he would not be at all surprised if the Governor should so decide, and he further expressed the belief that it was evident that Mr. Smith's chances for success would not be entirely hopeless. Although he will make no statement, it is known that Hon. J. C. Brown, finance 
 White (Gov.)
 117

 Robertson (Ind.)
 41

 Majority for Booth
 6
 minister, entered the cabinet on the disfinct understanding that in the event of Mr. Martin making a fair showing at the elections he (Mr. Brown) would be called upon by the Governor to form a ministry and be granted another appeal to the In well advised quarters it is believed

that the Governor will take that action, though prominent Liberals assert that the Governor will be dismissed forthwith, Hewitt Bostock, M. P., succeeding him. Rumors have been afloat since Martin's defeat to the effect that the Lieutenant 

Governor had forwarded his resignation to the Federal authorities, but the most dil-igent inquiry failed to develop anything corroborating the statement. Another ru-mor to the effect that Mr. Martin will hang onto office till the House meets, if he is permitted to do so by the Lieutenant Governor.

The Martinites are tonight holding a

meeting here to "discuss the situation," as one of them puts it. The opposition will hold convention at vancouver on Monday to include all opponents of Mar-tinism. A recount is to be held in Vancouver, where Wilson's friends allege that with an impartial tally it will be found he is elected over Gilmour. A mistake was made by the scrutineers.

McQueen (GOV.)

Wood (Con.)

Dixon (Labor.)

Cotton (P. P.)

Williams (Labor)

MacClain (Labor)

Maiority for Gilmany From the returns now received it is evident that results have been as indi-cated in the subjoined paragraph. In the case of Cassiar the results will not be obtainable for some time, but as there has been nothing to show a change of sentiment there, the seats are concded to Messrs. Irving and Clifford. Houston (P. P.) ...... 772

opposition, Captain Irving; Conserva-tive, C. W. Clifford; Cariboo, opposition, S. A. Rogers, Jos. Hunter; Chilliwack, provincial party, C. Munro; Cowichan, opposition, G. H. Dickie; Delta, government, J. Oliver; Dewdney, opposition, R. McBride; Esquimalt, opposition, C. E. Pooley, W. H. Hayward; Lillooet, East, opposition, J. D. Prentice; Lillooet West, opposition, A. W. Smith; Kootenay N. E., independent, W. C. Wells; Kootenay S. E., government, E. C. Smith; Kootenay West, Slocan, provincial party, R. F. Green; Kootenay West, Rossland, government, Hon. Smith Curtis Kootenay West, Nelson, provincial party, J. Houston; Kootenay West, Revelstoke, Conservative, T. E. L. Taylor; Nanaimo City, opposition, labor, R. Smith; Nanaimo North, independent, W. W. B. McLines; Nanaimo South, opposition, J. Dunsmuir New Westminster, government, Hon. J. C. Brown, Richmond, government, Dun-

Victoria City, opposition, H. D. Helme ken; J. H. Turner, R. Hall, A. E. Mc-Phillips; Victoria North, opposition, J. Booth; Victoria South, opposition, D. M.

Vancouver City, government, Hon. Jos. Martin, Hugh Gilmour; Conservative, J. F. Garden; R. G. Tatlow; Yale West, opposition, D. Murphy; Yale East, opposition, F. Ellison; 1ale North, opposition, F. J. Fulton.

MAJORITIES OF MEMBERS.

The Vote as Recorded in the Various Constituencies.

(By Associated Press.) COWICHAN.

Dickie (Turnerite) .....

Ford (Gov.)
Majority for Dickie
CARIBOO.
Rogers (Con.)
Hunter (Con.)
Jones (P. P.)
Kinchant (P. P.)
Majority for Rogers
30 : f- II

Oliver (Gov.) 306 relieved of the keys to his office, where Berry (Con.) 226 the boxes were collected. At 11 o'clock last evening on his going by the office,

Majority for Oliver ...... 80 the door was found open, and on exam DEWDNEY. ination two of the boxes were discovered to be stolen. The police were at once no-

 
 Whetham (Gov.)
 285

 Majority for McBride
 55
 

Higgins (Ind.) ...... 103 Fraser (Gov.) ...... 74 Bizanton ..... Majority for Hayward 169 in the city on a visit, and is much im-Majority for Pooley 132 pressed with the possibilities of the camp. EAST KOOTENAY SOUTH.

Mr. R. E. McEntire, wife and daughter passed through the city en route for Smith (Gov.) ...... 423 Greenwood.

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When Money Becomes Easier the Market Will be Lively.

### A FLURRY IN SHARES OF GIANT

same condition during the week ending last evening as it was during the previous week. There were sales every day, but the number was limited. It will take some little time for the market to reach the same condition as in ante-bellum days, said a well known banker yesterday. The industrial activity continues in the east, A. W. Smith (P. P.) ...... 135 Prentice (Ind.) ...... 165 122 be money available for specimation in mining stock, and then would come the market which has been so long waited for. worst days, and from now on there would be a gradual improvement in prices and 

The sales for the past week by days were

follows:	
Thursday	14,590
Friday	12,000
Saturday	13,000
Monday	9,000
Tuesday	32,000
Wednesday	7,000

Against 88,500 for the previous week. was in Giant. Ever since the Philadelmand for the stock. C. O'Brien Reddin of Spokane, bought a great deal of the Giant Turner (Turnerite) . . . . 1,863 tracted for would be called in within 24 McPhillips (Turnerite) . . . . 1,729 hours. This meant the immediate delivwas a tremendous effort on the part of those who were short to cover their contracts. This caused the price to advance broker here received an order for 50,000 shares from Spokane at 4 cents, but could not secure the stock here, as local hold rs refused to sell at the price offered. According to Spokane advices the new own-ers of the Giant are considering the question of erecting a smelter for reducing Giant ore at Spokane. This seems to be 1,433 a premature move as ore in sufficient 1,392 quantities should first be found in the

,349 Giant before reduction works are erected. 856 In the meanwhile work is being pushed 909 on the Giant with considerable energy. ing the week, and on Tuesday there was one sale for 16, but yesterday the 4,500 disposed of brought 15 1-2. The Winnipeg company has secured the services of Mr. Nicholas Tregear, formerly the super-intendent of the Giant, and better results

> Deer Trail is being handled extensively. This is particularly the case at Spokane, where calls are selling for from 7 3-8 to 7 3-8. On the local board 7 1-2 is asked and Oak for Ross Thompson et al.

Athabasca mill will amount to \$25,000. This estimate is based on the fact that 200 ounces of gold were taken from the plates

Brandon & Golden Crown is selling for 21 cents. Ore is now being regularly shipped from the mine and shipments are to and the management anticipate that the small indebtedness against the company will soon be paid, and that the runnin expenses can, at the same time, be paid. It is thought from the favorable manner that the Brandon will be able to pay dividends some time next year.

ening Star and 8 bid for it. Since the company began the use of machine drills the progress has been rapid in the mine showing in the Evening Star is so good that holders of shares are not in-clined to part with them at current quot-

There is some inquiry for War Eagle, and \$1.50 is asked for it and \$1.50 bid.

There has been an increase in the de-mand for Morning Glory, of the Republic camp, and yesterday it was worth 3 7-8.

There is considerable inquiry for Water-loo, and it is worth from 3 3-4 to 4 3-4.

and the price ranges from 17 1-2 to 19. The mine is taking out considerable ore and it is being reduced in the custom mill at Republic and the returns are very

board 4 1-2 is asked and 3 3-4 bid. There has been a number of transa tions in Similkameen Copper at 3.

Thursday's Sales.

Winnipeg, 500 at 15c., 1,000, 1,000 at 15 1-4c., 500, 500, 500 at 15 1-2c., 2,000 at 15 1-2c.; White Bear, 2,000 at 2c.; Deer Trail 1.000 at 7c.; Similkameen Copper Mining Co, 1,000, 1,000, 1,500, 2,000 at 3c.

Friday's Sales. Winnipeg, 1,000, 1,500 at 15 1-4c.; Waterloo, 1,000 at 5 1-4c. Giant, 5,000 at 3 1-4c.; Similkameen Copper Co., 4,000

Similkameen Copper Company, Limited 1,500 at 3, 500 at 3, 1,000 at 3, 1,500 at 3; Winnipeg 1,500 at 15 1-2, Peoria 5,000 at 1 1-2; Black Tail 500 at 19 1-2; Giant 1,500

Mr. F. Label, a merchant of Montreal, is at 3 1-2. Tuesday's Sales. Winnipeg 2,000 at 15 1-2, 1,000 at 15 1-4, 4,500 at 15 1-4, 1,000 at 16; Giant, 3,000 at meen Copper Co. 1,500 at 3.

Winnipeg, 1,000, 1,000, 500, 2,000 at 15 12c.; Giant, 1,000, 2,0:0 at 4 1-4c. Appended are the official quotations

festerday of the Rossland Mining and

Stock exchange:		
	ASKED	BID
Athahasa	25	20
Athabasca	21/2	4
ni mi		31/4
Big Three	5	17%
Black Tail	19.,	8
Californ'a	111/2	
Brandon & Golden Crown	20	, 18
Canadian Gold Fields	634	5%
Cariboo (Camp McKinney)	95	85
Centre Star	\$1.55	\$1.50
Crows Nest Pass Coal	12 00	\$37 00
Deer Trail No 2	71/2	6%
Deer Port	3	
Deer Park, new	15	tr
Dundee	10	8
Evening Star		
Giant	434	4
Homestake [assess. paid]	21/6	
Iron Mask	40	35
Iron Colt	4	
I X. L	18	12
Jumbo	25	20
King (Oro Denoro)	11	7
Knob Hill	59	44
	16%	14
Lone Pine	1078	
Minnehaha		
Monte Christo	5	3 2
Montreal Gold Fields	339	
Morrison.	334	2
Mountain Lion	95	85
Noble Five	5%	31/2
Noble Five North Star [East Kootenay]	11.05	\$1 00
Novelty	3	2
Okanogan [assess. paid]	256	114
Old Ironsides	80	75
Payne		\$1,00
Peoria Mines	3	
	5	316
Princess Maud		3/1
Q iilp	20	2116
Kambler-Cariboo	24	
Republic	95	90
St. Elmo Consolidated	33/4	1
Sullivan		11
Tamarac (Kenneth)	41/2	33/4
Tom Thumb	25	23
Van Anda		3
Virginia		2
War Eagle Consolidated	£1 60	\$1 40
Waterloo		23/
		132
White Bear	-72	174

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GRAND FORKS NEWS.

Development Work in Progress on the Earthquake Group.

The new working shaft on the Earth-quake group, Brown's camp, north fork of Kettle river, has attained a depth of siderable development work has been done The ore at the bottom of the shaft is It is said to be owned by the Sandard Oil and gold. The ledge extends and is easily traceable for several hundred feet to the shaft of the adjoining property, the Gold-

purpose drifting at the 50-foot level, The and then a crosscut will be extended to catch the two parallel veins.

The values are expected to exceed \$50 per ton.

FROM THE RECORDS.

Bills of Sale.

stantine to W. J. Whiteside, \$15.

June 1.—Golden Circle, all; C. Hite shue to F. Hiteshue, \$1. Browne to M. Browne, \$1. Certificates of Work.

light for L. H. Merrill and W. Paulson. June 8.-To W. Hooper on the Roya

June 8.-To O. Owens on the U. P. for far from the Nickel Plate, and it is said M. A. Owens on work done on the Min- that work on the proposed smelter will

ord for J. S. Clute, Jr.
June 2.—To J. Finnegan on the June 9.—To J. Finnegas on the Glad-stone for G. H. Suckling et al. June 9.-To J. Kolstado on the Berger

June 19 To J Kloman on the Big-Sheep for Joe Conrads. June 12.-To J. Kloman on the Jo Jo

for J. Kloman June 12.-To K. L. Burnett on the On-June 13 .- To A. Janette on the Montreal for A. Janette et al. Thread for A. Janette et al.

hospital yesterday from the effects of ered on the Mountain Chief yesterday, Victoria, B. C., June 11.—Queen Bright's disease of the kidney's. He had and the owners think the new find will Adelaide, from the Orient, brings files een in the hospital for only two days. go higher in copper than the samples they had assayed. clared that he rould only live a day or two, as he was in the last stages of the disease. McClusky was 55 years of age and a carpenter by occupation. He has lived in this city for the past three months lived in this city for the past three months as the breast is a little beyond the out-and was a member of the Salvation Army. The members of the army have telegraph- erties are being developed in the car ed to his relations, and the funeral arrangements will be made today. The didate for this constituency, held a meet-

The First Macadamized Street in Camp Is Now Being Laid.

The Aboriginal cart track through the War Eagle village has lately been improved wonderfully. Water mains, sidewalks, grass plats and a regular street of offices, hotels and private houses now adorn the thoroughfare. The latest improvement has been to screen a part of the water decreases the respective of the water decreases. waste dumps from the mines and lay the finer sharp-edged fragments upon the roadway. The residents on Savage avenue will shortly be far better off than their neighbors on civilized Columbia, in-asmuch as they will be able to cross the main street without getting a mud bath.

### NEWS FROM THE SIMILKAMEEN

MUCH DEVELOPMENT WORK NOW GOING FORWARD.

Some of the Properties Which Are Making Great Showings-Great Outlook

Olalla, June 7th, 1900. Considerable assessment work is being done at Summit camp, about eight miles northwest of this place. It is rather a series of camps at the headwaters of the six or seven creeks which rise here. Three of these, Keremeos, Cedar and Olalla creeks, flow eastward to Keremeos

horses can get up quite easily.

The celebrated Nickel Plate mine is sitmated near the head of 20-Mile creek, and pend a certain sum in improving streets there are several other high grade propgroup of five claims, located at the head of Olalla creek, has recently been sold to Mr. E. Bullock-Webster, J. P. of Kere-

The ore bodies at Summit camp are not very large, averaging from two to six seems pretty certain that both will pass, feet in width, but they are very rich. Assays from the Nickel Plate ore gave values of considerably more than \$100 to John Widdicomb of this city has been the ton. While some of the samples from appointed Dominion quarantine officer at the Yuneman group have gone still higher. The ore is a heavy black arsenical Chief iron, and carries high gold values, little or no copper being found as yet. But Mr. father is dangerously ill Yuneman told me last week that he had recently come across some copper stains and other indications that copper will be found there with depth. Free gold is al-

on the Yuneman group, but Mr. Webster thinks he has one of the big things of the Similkameen country. He intends to stock it later on, and is now engaged in developing it for that. purpose. Nels The Golconda Mining company has predeveloping it for that. purpose. Nels Pearson of Rossland, has four or five good claims at the head of Cedar creek, and Gibson of Rossland, camped here a couple of weeks ago on his way to Summit camp. No doubt you have heard something about the Nickel Plate up 20-Mile creek company magnates, or Rockefeller, at least. The representative at the mine is Mr. K. Rogers, who bought the prop-

erty from the two men who located it, Messrs Arundel and Wollaston. They went to Victoria in the spring of 1898 and took a sample of the ore with them for assay. The were surprised at the result The heavy black stuff went nearly \$200 per ton. Mr. Rogers was staying at the The Golden Eagle will shortly make an experimental shipment to the Trail smelt- with the looks of the rock and the assay then and there. He paid them \$1,000 down, and last fall paid them the rull amount of \$60,000. They had never even put a pick in the ground. Arundel, a Devonshire man, went home with \$30,-000 to enjoy himself.

The Nickel Plate is worked as a close corporation. So close, indeed, that no one is allowed to enter the mine or any of the buildings. It is said that the owners do not like to have the property written up, as they prefer to have its value depreciated so that they may purchase the surrounding properties at their own figures. It is a game of freeze out, but the prospectors who are fortunate enough to own claims on the same lead are suffi-

June 8.—To O. Owens on the Red Cap for the purchase of the mine and all the or M. A. Owens. On work done on the development work done since. A smelter June 9.- To J. Finnegan on the Bon Re- rather Summit camp, will shortly be making a stir in the mining world. The only feasible route for a wagon road to Brown is to be called by the Lieutenant-Summit camp is up Olalla creek from

Keremeos valley.

At Olalla itself things are looking very promising. An assay from a claim on Goat creek, about four miles from town, went \$18 in gold, \$22 in silver and 10 per went \$18 in gold, \$22 in silver and 10 per cent copper. Returns of an assay of rock from the Mountain Chief, about a mile Innes, he must resign." from town, were received yesterday, giving 11.55 per cent copper, worth \$41.18. From another lead on the same property the returns were \$6 in gold and 3 1-2 per cent copper. Both samples were from the surface. On another claim, half a mile from town, the assay went \$0.80 in gold town seem to be ignorant of the purposes and 20.68 per cent copper, worth \$75.25 of their chief.

George McClusky died in the Sisters' taining rich copper sulphides, was uncovospital yesterday from the effects of ered on the Mountain Chief yesterday. work continues on the Flagstaff, the

Mr. W. J. Snodgrass, the Liberal canbody is at Beatty's undertaking parlors. ing here last Saturday night. There was a large audience, and Mr. Snodgrass re ceived quite an ovation, it being very evident that the majority of his hearers were sympathizers with the government, the railway promises of Mr. Joseph Martin being no doubt responsible for this. Through the courtesy of Mr. Snodgrass, his oppon-ent, Mr. Price Ellison, was allowed to address the meeting, and after that we were treated to a very good speech by Mr.

McKelvie of the Vernon News, who is
touring the constituency in behalf of Mr.

> All three gentlemen are to be compli mented on their command of language, their knowledge of the affairs of the province and their definitions of the intention of Mr. Joseph Martin. As the election will be a thing of the past ere etc. and is complete in every particular. this is published, I need not enter into details of either of the speeches.

ing recorder for Olalla, a very necessary convenience, which saves us a 40-mile ride when we wish to record a location or assessment.

If capitalists are on the lookout for

snaps in mineral claims, let them come to Olalla. We have more than one good thing to show them. Now that the Boer war is over let us hope capital will no longe get timid about coming to B. C.
R. W. NORTHEY.

GREENWOOD NEWS.

Anaconda to Be Annexed to the Big

Greenwood, B. C., June 9th .- (Special.)

Next to politics, interest has again centered in the bylaw for the annexation of the townsite of Anaconda within the municipal limits of the city of Greenwood. Some time back Anaconda realcreeks flow west and then south to the Similkameen. There are good trails up all these creeks from Olalla, and pack city dads praying for annexation. Negotiations were entered into and an agreement made whereby the city is to exand laying sidewalks and water connecshape of a bylaw, which will be voted on meos, who intends developing the property and has a force of men at work there another bylaw for the purpose of raising \$20,000 to improve the streets and walks will also come up for public vote. It

Chief of the Fire Department Henton has been called to St. Paul, where his

J. L. White, the druggist, has gone to Slocan City for a few days visit. E. Dewdney, of the Rossland branch of the Bank of Montreal, is in the city, so found in considerable quantity.

Not much work has as yet been done bers of the local staff take their holiday, W. L. Orde, the Rossland broker, is again here in connection with the Bran-

> sented to John Z. Beaton, who lost his left hand by a premature powder explosion in its mine last February, with 10,000 shares of the company's stock.

F. M. McLeod, barrister, is back again after a brief trip through the Kootenay and Nelson districts. J. C. Hass, M. E., Spokane, after a few days visit here, has returned to his

Brown After a Fat Billet-Resuscitation of the Old Island Party.

There is very little change in the political situation here since the election. The up" was noticeable on all sides. The atmosphere is very close and thundery.. It is, of course, said that J. C. Brown, minster, is angling after the shortly-to-be vacated berth of collector of customs, when Mr. Peter Grant is superannuated, a step expected shortly. Brown has been chasing Premier Martin around corners, but the Hon. Joe is "not at home" to him, evidently having heard that Brown wants

to resign with this plum in view, and feeling sore at it.

There is an unconfirmed report that Mayor Garden and R. G. Tatlow, old members here on the Conservative party sistance to J. H. Tumer, a step viewed with some surprise, especially as it has been intimated from several mainland properties.

There is sufficient ore on the dump at island party would be anything but wel-

PREMIER BROWN!

Conflicting Rumors as to Brown of New

Victoria, B. C., June 12.-(Special.)-Governor to form a ministry, while on he is to resign his portfolio to accept the collectorship of customs at New Westmin ster. Robert Beaven.

Today has been given over entirely among the politicians to conjecture as to what will be the outcome of the political enigma in this province. The premier seems to be playing a waiting game, and even those of his ministers who are in

over the landing of a Japanese trader,

murder of the Chinese general Yang Loh while parleying with the Boxers Ting Fu. He was cut down from behind and hacked to pieces.

found to be supplying arms to the rebels in South China and the Chinese govern-ment asked for his removal.

Victoria, B. C., June 12.-News has reached the city that the steamer Flora reached Dawson on her second trip on

Machinery Sold.

The Canadian Rand Drill company has sold a 10-drill compressor plant to the British Columbia Exploration company.

The Granite mine at Nelson vesterday purchased three drills, stoning bars, etc., Mr. D. Black has been appointed min- from the Canadian Rand Drill company

Two Dollar

FROM OTHE

THE YEAR'S SLOC

can and the Boundary terest From Many Car

There is an interest

Kamloops district this derfoot mine, which, Monckton, is a first-c position. From the will peruse with inter coveries made upon the Gold properties, which good properties here ago. The Nettie L. h body of nearly solid A. C. are developing East Kootenay and th Mr. A. T. Pollett, re on the Hoskins grou same company have the possibilities of the are said to be contenduction of machiner ported on the Masco the Slocan and also o Boundary country, whily rich gold-copper or In the Similkameen th the latest which has tion of English capits

Report on the Tender Top and

The Iron Mask vei in the tunnel and so being encountered. has been cut through.

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The tunnel on the I

254 feet, and 48 feet o en through, of a valu ton. From the looks cations are that the r

be struck as iron ox ing in the seams.

The Delaney shaft in At a depth of 57 feet driven to the south will assay 2 per cent feet has been crossed which has been enco between 6 and 10 p cut shows bornite

cut shows bornite a face crosscut at 20 f shows very well.

Three strong lead quartz have been sho Top claim during the velopment work ha A number of shallout these houses are those been made cuts have been made existence of these beat able distance. The to each other and at 100 feet. The values Ine width of the the 4 feet and 4 feet resp been demonstrated t in a very fair way to portant one. B. C. two-third interest an leave for New York

and the Wheal Tame

The following is a report on the Tonde

Monckton: "The w deg. W. to the ore b tinued 19 feet in ore 7 feet at the end. F at 100 feet, a drift ha the hanging wall E. most all in ore. At been made N.E. 22 the location of this N. for 31 feet, which the commencement S.W. 9 feet in ore a the hanging wall. The vein over 18 feet, and ings. The upper we a length of 150 feet a none of them show t work here shows al ious prospect holes a than that througho east the ore crops considerable width. ing was the cause being located and tons, value \$55 per the smelter, the high grade streaks. for its value, but terial running about and a few dollars in comprises three-four take out. It is a a first-class location aerial tramway cou at is a conservative there are immedia

tons of 6 per cent for that metal, and ably \$20,000 for sil-tual value could b sampling the 115 t dump from the ne going calculations the question of co not more than \$2 for development, al, shipping and about \$1.60, total ore, total cost \$ 000 from copper c besides the value recovered. I think \$40,000, as a com build a concentrat their outlay fro