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ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER.

Two Dollars a Year.

ROSSLAND, B. C., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1899.

Fourth Year, Number 34

The Most Active Section of Southern B. C. Contract Work Being Carried Out in

made, named respectively the Silverton Boy and Rusty. These claims are near the Rusty Axe and are supposed to be Best.

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FROM OTHER CAMPS having located an immense silver-lead proposition.

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Active work will continue all winter on the Pay Roll group, which will, of course, necessitate a sleigh road being built. It

WINTER WEATHER CLOSING IN

with the second developments have proven be a good lead on the property, carrying high have to be built at the company's expense, for there are innumerable owners of mining properties in that region who will be equally benefitted.

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The deal for the Delphine, owned by the section of Southern B. Messrs. Kimpton, Stark and Harrison, as \$12,000, of which five per cent will be

The Swansea, Dividend, Silver Thread, ledge will be encounterd in another 15 feet. The rock from the surface has been unusually hard, and the driving of the length of the new controlling owners of the Delphine propose to work their property actively this winter under the management of Mr. Bruce.

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The B. C. Copper Syndicate have purchased the McRae properties on Jubilce and Spillimachene mountains, and propose pushing development work there.

C. P. Seale and W. H. Welch of Sandon struck it rich on Number Two creek,

THE OKANOGAN DIVIDEND PAID

During the Week and the Price is Ad-

Alderman A. Fisher has decided to build an hotel and music hall in Greenwood. The site selected is at the corner of Greenwood and Silver streets. The 50-foot lot owned by James Kerr has been secured, and the contract for building will be let at once.

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Arranging a Contract With the Smelter at Trail.

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BRITISH AMERICA CORPORATION, LIMITED.

This great corporation was organized in London, England, in 1898, for the purpose of purchasing and operating the famous Le Roi mining properties, at that time controlled by Spokane capitalists. The company was incorporated with a paid in capital of \$5,000,000.00, and was promoted by the Hon. C. H. Mackintosh, lieutenant-governor of the North West Territories of Canada. The valuable properties referred to cost the company the enormous sum of \$4,000,000.00. This was certainly a fabulous price to pay for a mine; but subsequent developments have demonstrated the conservative nature of the deal.

The properties now being developed by the British America Corporation, Limited, are herwitn given, with full details:

Le Roi—This property is superintendented by W. B. Wilson, late of Cripple Creek, Colorado, and employs 330 men. During the present year, over 62,000 tons of ore from this mine has been shipped to the company's smelter at Northport. These shiements of course, his much was promoted to the sample of the capital tons of the current year, is 59,632, 797 pounds. The total output of the mine shows shipment of 100,848 tons, of a gross smelter value of \$2,192,380.34. The daily output now averages 300 tons.

Dividends, Payrolls, Etc.

Colorado, and employs 330 men. During the present year, over 62,000 tons of ore from this mine has been shipped to the company's smelter at Northport. These shipments could have been materially inshipments could have been materially increased, but it has been the poucy of the company to extend the development of the mine in such a manner that large reserves, properly prepared for extraction, can insure a steady production and a large tonnage. Ine present incline shaft is down to the 900-foot level. Greater depths will be attained by the new shaft (three be attained by the new shaft (three compartments), now sunk from the interior end of the Black Bear tunnel to 700-foot level, and to be as rapidly as possible pushed down to the 1,400 or 1,500 foot level, after which a large vertical shaft will be sunk. Electric shaft will be snart will be sunk. Because dequipped with a double coned-drum hoist, operated by a 150-horse power inductor motor, and a double-decked cage may be put in each compartment. Shortly all men will be lowered and raised by this hoist, as wen as all mine timbers, supplies, etc., and very likely all, or a considerable part, of the ore will be raisd at this point.

of the ore will be raisd at this point.

The mine is now shipping from the 500, 600, 700 and 800-foot levels, and will shortly ship from the 900-foot level, where a large quantity of ore is now being exposed. The air compressor plant consists of a 40-drill cross compound, condensing Corliss steam engine, with compound air cylinders, made by the Canadian Rand Drill Company, and recently another of cylinders, made by the Canadian Rand Drill Company, and recently another of the same capacity, with all late improve-ments, has been ordered to be placed alongside of the older machine, and thus give a capacity for 80 drills. This air will be conveyed to all of the properties, ex-

West Le Roi Mining Company, Limited
—Superintendent, J. M. Long, No. 1 Mine.
The vertical shaft in now down to the 400-foot level. This is being made a threeompartment shaft, and sinking will be proceeded with without interruption. The vein is now exposed in the tunnel, and the 200-, 300- and 400-foot levels are being prepared for stoping. The shaft will soon be equipped with a double electric hoist, similar to the one ordered for the Le Rei similar to the one ordered for the Le Roi.

Josie Mine—The shaft is now down to Josie Mine—The shaft is now down to the 500-foot level, and, for the time being, development will proceed on the 300- and 500-foot levels, until the new compressor will permit the use of more drills. A tramway is shortly to be built to lower ore from these two mines to the railroad track. The number of men employed is

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now averages 300 tons.

Dividends, Payrolls, Etc.

The Centre Star mine is owned and operated by the Centre Star Mining Company, Limited. The authorized capitaliza-tion of the corporation is \$3,500,000.00. Its officers are: George Gooderham, president, and T. G. Blackstock, vice-president, with head office in Toronto, Ontario, and local office in Rossland, under the general man-

agement of Edmund B. Kirby.
Machinery Plant.

Machinery Plant.

Operations are now in progress for the erection of big hoist and steam compressor prince to operate 40 drills with corresponding sorting plant.

Workings.

These are operated from a large three-compartment shaft, now down 325 feet. There are about one and a half miles of drifts, tunnels, crosscuts, etc. So far but very little stoping has been done, and consequently but a small quantity of ore shipped. Such as has been shipped, however, was taken from a vein about 20 feet wide, the ore in this vein averaging about 16 feet.

Assay Value, Shipments, Etc.
Assays of the above ore show an average of about \$26.00 to the ton. No data is

of about \$26.00 to the ton. No data is available of the amount of ore shipped prior to the change of ownership.

There are about 150 miners and laborers employed at the Centre Star, and the monthly payroll amounts to about \$13,000.

The matter concerning the War Eagle and Centre Star has been prepared from carefully compiled data and is not only correct from a statistical standpoint, but is conservative to the last degree. These correct from a statistical standpoint, but is conservative to the last degree. These companies have done, and are doing, as much for the prosperity of Rossland and the Trail Creek district, by the development of the excellent properties under their control and by the immense sums monthly put into circulation through the medium of their perrils, as any two agencies in the district. The officers and directors of the companies manifest an intramway is shortly to be built to lower ore from these two mines to the railroad track. The number of men employed is 75.

East Le Ros Mining Company, Limited—Superintendent, W. S. Haskins, Nickel Plate Mine. A new vertical, two-compartment shaft is now down 375 feet, and extensive prospecting will be done when the 400-foot level is reach.

over \$50,000.00. Standing on the central business corner of the city, the fine structure is the feature of the city's architecture, and, when completed, the building will afford the Bank of Montreal one of the finest banking rooms in the province.

Mr. J. S. C. Fraser, the manager of the city.

Mest Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited.

Montreal, has been 21 years with the institution, and, since July, 1896, has been the resident manager in Rossland. He is a gentleman who possesses excellent social qualities as well as business ability, and is universally esteemed.

RATHMULLEN CON. MINING AND DEVELOPMENT CO., LTD.

Notice.

Among the mining corporations of the Kootenay country, few, dividend payers excepted, are doing more active development work or have brighter prospects for getting on a shipping basis than the Rathmullen Consolidated Mining & Development Company, Limited. This company owns 16 claims, known as the Students and experiment.

Man has long since recognized himself an infant in the comprehension of electricity, and, as its possibilities unfold in the mining recorder the mining company owns 16 claims, known as the Students and experiment. Social qualities as well as business ability, and is universally esteemed.

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

As the metropolis and financial center As the metropolis and financial center of one of the richest mineral districts on the North American continent, it is not surprising that Rossland has attracted to her gates some of the most stable and conservative financial institutions in the commercial world; but it is a compliment to the clear juugment and worthy enterprise of the general managers and directors of the institutions which have established branches here that they foresaw and assisted in making the healthy future of the camp. ture of the camp.

The first bank to open its doors for business in Rossland was the Bank of British

North America. This old and time-hon-ored house was founded in 1836, and was incorporated by royal charter four years later. Having its head office at Montreal, it has, in the 63 years of its honorable career, spread its ramifications through-out the provinces of Canada, and now has establishments in the Dominion at Mon-treal, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, Midland, Kingston, Hamilton, Brantford, London, treal, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, Midland, Kingston, Hamilton, Brantford, London, Hahfax, St. John, Fredericton, Victoria, Vancouver, Rossland, Trail (sub-agency), Kaslo, Greenwood, Ashcroft, Atlin, Bennett, Winnipeg, Brandon, and Dawson City. The bank's American agents are: Messrs. W. Lawson & J. C. Welsh, 52 Wall street, New York City, and Messrs. H. M. J. McMichael & J. R. Ambrose, 120 Sansome street, San Francisco. The London, England, office is situated at 3 Clement's lane Lombard street. E. C. Clement's lane, Lombard street, E. C.
The affairs of the Bank of British

land, and is a firm believer in the great wealth of the Kootenays.

The latest report of the financial condition of the bank, delivered by the court of directors, bears date of the 30th of June, 1899, and is renewed evidence of the great strength of this concern. The features of the report are the capital, fully paid up, £1,000,000, the reserve fund £300,000, and the total assets, which exceed £6,000,000. This excellent showing leaves nothing to be desired by the management and must be a source of felicitaleaves nothing to be desired by the man-agement and must be a source of felicita-tion to the thousands of patrons and friends of the institution. The confidence of the bank in the future of Rossland is richly evidenced by the fact that it has bought all the debentures issued by the

W. T. Oliver, manager of the local branch of the Bank of British North America, has been connected with the in-statute since 1883, having entered the bank at Brantford. He has since been

city since its incororation, aggregating

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ors, the world stands in awe, and in quires, "What next?" It transmits the the most perfect illumination, solar light excepted, known to man; it enables the vision to penetrate opaque substances; it supplies the power for locomotion; it conduces to the health of the infirm—in short it is a factor in almost every utility short, it is a factor in almost every utility

known to human experience.

The Kootenay-Rossiand power transmission is in many respects one of the greatest exploits of electrical genius recorded in the annals of the unknown force." To properly appreciate the colossal undertaking it has been to install and put into greateting a system the man and put into operation a system the mag-nitude of that now being conducted by the West Kootenay Power & Light Com-pany, Limited, one must be an electric-ian and be acquainted with the country and conditions. To properly appreciate what the success of the enterprise means for the future of the Kootenay country

one of the most irregular and rugged reone of the most irregular and rugged regions on the North American continent, embracing, as it does, portions of the Selkirk, Purcell and Rocky mountain ranges. Its snow-fed torrents tumble through time-hewn canyons and empty their troubled waters into the surging Columbia. Columbia. The many water falls and cataracts in the district offer alluring opportunities for investment in power plants; but the difficulties of installation and transmission are only short of appalling—yet this is what the West Koot-

have accomplished.

The falls selected, as the most centrally The affairs of the Bank of British North America are conducted by a court of directors, composed of J. H. Brodie, Esq., J. J. Cater, Esq., Gaspard Farrer, Esq., Henry R. Farrer, Esq., Richard H. Glyn, Esq., E. A. Hoare, Esq., Henry J. B. Kendall, Esq., J. J. Kingsford, Esq., situated, and from there transmission lines communicate with distributing. station and Esq., a secretary. A. G. Wallis, the falls selected, as the most centrally located for furnishing power for the whole of the Kootenays, are the Lower Bonnington, 31 miles from Rossland and 12 miles from Nelson, on the Kootenay river. There the generating station is situated, and from there transmission lines communicate with distributing. situated, and from there transmission lines communicate with distributing sta-tions at Nelson, Trail, and Rossland. The man, Esq., a secretary, A. G. Wallis, lines communicate with distributing stations at Nelson, Trail, and Rossland. The horse power capable of being delivered by the lower and upper falls, combined, latter gentleman has twice visited Rossland, and is a firm believer in the great world to get the Company has found it necessively the company has as yet the company has found it necessary to avail itself only of a portion of the lower falls, which, under the minimum head of 40 feet, can be developed to give 100,000 horse power.

to give 100,000 horse power.

It would be impossible, within the limited space accorded this sketch, to give any idea in detail of the plant at the generating station. It must be estimated by the results wrought, and passed with the statement that it is one of the most modern, complete and valuable electrical plants on the Pacific coast. The transplants on the Pacific coast. The transmission lines are worthy of more than passing mention. The pole line from Bonnington to Rossland traverses a broken strip of country, heavily wooded, and varying in altitude at different points by more than 2,200 feet. At one place the Columbia river is crossed with a span 1,500 feet in length, without intermediate support of any kind whatever. The poles are set at intervals of 100 feet, and the cross arms are roofed, as a protection from the heavy snows of this section.

this section.

The plant of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, was built with especial reference to its utility for furnishing power to mines, mills, concentrators and manufacturing concerns of the Kootenays, and only about 12 per cent of the capacity is at present used in lighting. With that small percentage, the cities of Rossland, Trail and Nelson are illuminated at a lower cost than ob-

Rathmullen properties, in Summit camp, Boundary district. Crown grants have been applied for on six of their properties, while the requisite assessment work for crown grants has been done on each of their remaining along the contract of the contr for crown grants has been done on each of their remaining claims, and before the close of the present year the entire group will be crown granted. The properties, eight of which were located in 1895, and the balance more recently, are the Ratamullen, Westward Ho, Glasgow, Chiettain, Peerless, Trafalgar, Lansing, Rob Roy, Ione, Maple Leaf, North Star, Ben Hur, Malta, Helen Ray, Belle Marie and Toledo. The claims his in ore block and Toledo. The claims lie in one block and cover a surface area of 750 acres. In the Boundary district the general

now in operation. These added facilities will greatly expedite work on the propday and night. The prospecting on the Maple Leaf ledge consists of a main vertical shaft 75 feet deep, being sunk with the view of striking the ledge at about 10-12-1 the 150-foot level, and a crosscut from the 65-foot level, which has been run in At this point the vein is 29 feet wide, and is chiefly quartz, interspersed with ordinary rock. About six feet of the ledge matter is of a shipping grade. The ores run all the way from \$10 to \$40 per ton, principally gold, though selected samples principally gold, though selected samples exceed that value, notably three samples treated by Hastings & Parker of Rossland, which assayed \$41, \$12 and \$28. These results were confirmed by the assayer for the B. A. C., using the same pulp. The ledge has been traced for two miles and intersects a number of the Rathmullen properties. Development work has been prosecuted on the remaining claims, and, while not to the extent ntioned on the Maple Leaf, has been sufficient to warrant the company in fol lowing up the indications with rapid work. Diorite and porphyry contacts, C. mine, which is in the vicinity, are frequent, while a number of iron caps which have been prospected have given every promise of rich mineral deposits below. The Ben Hur was recently examined by a distinguished mining engineer, who made an excellent report upon the who made an excenent report upon the property, the ore running nine and one-half per cent copper and five ounces silver, valued at \$36 per ton.

The situation of the Rathmullen prop-

erties is most auspicious. Surrounded by the famous B. C., the Victor, Thirty-Seven and other rich properties, the Rath-mullen claims are in the midst of one of the richest mineralized sections of the Boundary district. Transportation and Boundary district. Transportation and smelting facilities will soon be such that Rathmullen ores can be treated at a minimum cost, and there is every reason to hope the day is not far distant when this proposition will be on a paying basis.

The Rathmullen Consolidated Mining & Development Company, Limited, was organized and incorporated in 1897, under the Companies Act, 1862 (Imperial). Its authorized capitalization is \$2,500,000.00, divided into 2,500,000 shares of a par divided into 2,500,000 shares of a par value of \$1 each, of which 1,000,000 shares

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

Dated this 23d day of September, 1890 J. A. KIRK

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Joanna mineral claim, situate in the formation is of diorite, in which porphyry
Trail Creek Mining division of West
dykes are of frequent occurrence. The Kootenay district. Where located: Five

Rathmullen properties are no exception in this respect, and, from all indications, are exceptionally rich in mineral deposits. The claim on which the company is

Kootenay district. Where located: Five miles southwest of Rossland.

Take notice, that T, Kenneth L. Burnet, as agent for Thomas H. Tracy, Esq., its. The claim on which the company is ian and be acquainted with the country and conditions. To properly appreciate doing the bulk of development work, is the success of the enterprise means for the future of the Kootenay country, one must be a philosopher.

The eastern half of British Columbia is the most irregular and rugged results, has recently been installed and is now in operation. These added facilities And further take notice that action,

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10-12-10t. KENNETH L. BURNET.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Daly mineral claim situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Record mountain. Take notice that I, Kenneth Burnet (agent for Smith Curtis, F. M. C. No. 34,039A and W. L. Lawry F. M. No. 34.063 A. intend. sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining refor the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action. under section 37 must be commenced be-fore the issuance of such certificate of Dated this eighteenth day of August,

KENNETH L. BURNET Young & Burnet, Rossland, B. C.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Notice.

Legal Tender Fraction mineral claim. situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: In the city of Rossland and adjoining the Le Roi mine.

Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet (acting as agent for Edmond Haney, Est., F. M. C. No. B13033) free miner's certifi-

A. D. 1899.

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THURSDAY

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THURSDAY October 17, 1809

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of the camp there has not been much to Mr. Kirby. The combined shipments news of importance to note during the of the mines for the past week totalled week just ended. The closing down of the 2,170 tons, a very good showing under the Evening Star mine after the property had circumstances. is to be regretted. The mine has a large electric power supply. As will be seen 40 days at the furthest, the superintend-from the mention made hereunder ent expects to strike the ledge. from the mention made hereunder both these properties are gradually overcoming the difficulties encountered of late, and before the end of the present year, when this is completed it will give the mines mentioned will be well supplied with temporary power. The decision of the Centre Star management to purchase of the control of the present year, when this is completed it will give the solution, and better the mines mentioned will be well supplied with temporary power. The decision of the Centre Star management to purchase of the mining recorder for a continuous control of the mining recorder for a continuous control of the present year, when this is completed it will give the work of sinking from No. 4524 A., Alexander Rogers, No. B. 11863, and David B. Bogle, No. 33588 A., intend 60 days from the date hereof to apply to one which is being taken out is of a high

coma, to the camp during the week brought month will be about \$2,500. The ship out a full report of the plans of the 1. met of 25 tons of ore to Northport from X. L. management. As Mr. Baker controls the mine about a week ago turned out

The building of the ore tramway for the Number One and Josie, which is now well under way, makes it fairly certain that the B. A. C. intend to ship from both these properties by the end of the year. The properties by the end of the year. The matters referred to by Mr. Baker was the properties by the end of the year. The matters referred to by Mr. Baker was the toba hard. Reference was made yester.

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Total 4,228 129.037.5 Camp and Lane company of Ohio. Owing matter. but it may be reasonably looked sion of spirits, wasting sickness, to the immense amount of work on hand, for shortly. the new hoist will not be installed probably for three months. The decision to use ago for the California, a small stall of the management has well weighed the respective merits of steam and electricity, and their who has been in charge of the Cannon who has been in charge of electricity as the coming power and an on the California from the time the propadvance on steam. After a great deal of erty was first developed until it closes

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ried cut to prevent any further delay in either mine. The plans for the permanent plant for the Centre Star have already appeared in detail in these columns. In the War Eagle the temporary hoists in the tunnel station at the 250-foot level are still awaiting the arrival of the skins. In presence all week in the Deer Park and the property during the week and was exceedingly well pleased with the development. Work is now at the 100-foot level in the new shaft. ENTRE STAR TO USE STEAM sides continuously. Mr. Carl R. Davis, formerly of Butte, Montana, who some Interest-New Steam Hoist Ordered by the time ago was appointed underground su-Interest—New Steam Hoist Ordered by the difference of both mines, arrived yestender of his discovered some extremely good terday and will assume his duties tomorrow. The work of crosscutting for the surface is being Pushed for Shipping Purpesses. tendent of the mines. Mr. Davis will have is thoroughly satisfied with the showing. Beyond the ordinary development work tendent of the mines. Mr. Davis will have full charge underground, reporting direct

been continuously worked for two years I. X. L.—On Wednesday of last week Mr. John S. Baker of Tacoma, paid a this week.

hurried visit to the I. X. L., and inspect- Mountain Trail.—The work of getting reserve of ore in sight which could be sent ed the progress made to date. Mr. Baker the concentrating plant into working or holds the controlling interest in the propher der is being proceeded with activery. One fitably under the present low rate obtainerty, and during his visit he stated that of the shafts is now down 110 feat, and able there of \$4.50 for freight and treatment. The misunderstanding which has arisen among those composing the management of the Evening Star is not understood to be serious and operations are expected to be resumed in the near future.

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Jumbo.—Work on the lower tunnel in the Jumbo has been in progress all week. No fresh developments are looked for unformation to the serious and operations are promptly forthcoming. No. 1 tunnel is now down 110 feet, and pay ore is met with. The temporary closing down of the Le number three over 300 feet, all in round Mabel reports work progressing as usual. Region order that some changes might be numbers, but sufficiently close to be ac-Roi in order that some changes might be numbers, but sufficiently close to be acmade in the old workings there affects curate approximately. At a point 300 feet counter the shipping returns for the week. It is in from the side of the hill in number week. three tunnel, crosscutting to strike the intended to resume operations on Tuesday vein about the face of No. 2 is now The War Eagle and the Centre Star have in progress. This crosscut is now driven formation regarding the both been in trouble during the week about 60 feet, and within the next 30 or part could be obtained.

a large steam hoist for the mine is worthy one and two, and three shifts will be at work in number three tunnel very shortly, The visit of Mr. John S. Baker of Ta-employing in all 24 men. The pay roll next X. L. management. As Mr. Baker controls the mine about a week ago turned out the property which is exciting so much interest, his observations will be noted with interest.

The building of the ore tramway for the The building of the ore tramway for the the manager not being able to obtain the in the city, near Alderman Lalonde's properties by the end of the year. The matters referred to by Mr. Baket was that took and therefore was made yester management, however, will not officially cheap rate for freight and treatment obtained at Northport. The management of the plans are. It is not tained at Northport. The management of the plans are in the Miner tained at Northport. state just what the plans are. It is not usual, however, for mine managers to build 1900-foot tramways merely for amusement and an official announcement may be expected shortly about these two new shippers.

Today is the date of the regular pay down of this carry. The Wey Regle. Centre was found that the best and cheanest plan any case, was taken into consideration. It is well known that is well known that small fruits of all kinds, also roses and garden flowers of every variety have been of Rossland, B. C., south of and adjoining the concentrates to the same trail Creek mining division of West Koot-office window. It is well known that small fruits of all kinds, also roses and garden flowers of every variety have been of Rossland, B. C., south of and adjoining the concentrates to the same trail Creek mining division of West Koot-office window. It is well known that small fruits of all kinds, also roses and garden flowers of every variety have been of Rossland, B. C., south of and adjoining the concentrates to the cost of shipping the concentrates to the perfection. These specimens of grain, any case, was taken into consideration, it also that the less tand cheanest plan any case, was taken into consideration. It is well known that is well known that small fruits of all kinds, also roses and garden flowers of every variety have been of the old residents. Take notice that I, William E. Deventon the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trail Creek mining division of West Koot-office window. It is well known that the less than the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trail Creek mining division of West Koot-office window. It is well known that the less than the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trails and the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trails and the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trails and the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trails and the cost of shipping the concentrates to the same trails and the cost of shipping the concentrates to Today is the date of the regular pay day of this camp. The War Eagle, Centre was found that the best and cheapest plan was found that the best and cheapest plan was found that the best and cheapest plan day of this camp. The War Eagle, Centre was found that the best and cheapest plan was found that the best and cheapest plan dere, prove successfully that the climate of Rossland is not as rigorous as outsiders the men will receive their wages tomorrow. The figures for the whole camp are not yet to hand, but it is safe to estimate that the climate of Rossland is not as rigorous as outsiders might imagine. It is only a matter of time when the gardens and lawns will be a constitute of Rossland life. the amount paid out last month will at the old O. K. tramway can be utilized, least be equalled, if not excelled. than at present. Mining men will watch What with the Le Roi closing down on the results of the development on the I.

Le Roi.-After sending down nearly 1, ing that the output of the camp for the 800 tons of ore to the Northport smelter week just ended has been as well maintained as it has. Approximately the ore shipments for the week amounted to 4, ments were made on that date or yes erday. Some repairs on the old workings snipments for the week amounted to 4, 228 tons, a decrease from the output of the previous week, when the shipments amounted to 5,180 tons, of 952 tons. Under the circumstances the total output is up to the average expected at this season of the year. Had not the big mines been of ore have been loaded and are on the obliged to close down as stated the shipments would have easily exceeded the required 5,000 tons which is now looked for every week. The Le Loi sent 1.792 the ments were made on that date or yes'erday which smashed up the tramway yesterday which smashed up the tramway yesterday which smashed up the tramway yesterday which smashed up the ore cars and otherwise demoralized the working gear. This will cut down the working gear. This will cut down the mine shipments somewhat this week, but only a slight delay will be necessary. Shipments would have easily exceeded the required 5,000 tons which is now looked for every week. The Le Loi sent 1.792 the present week. The ore tramway came required 5,000 tons which is now looked will not go on record until the end of the loss occasfor every week. The Le 1.01 sent 1,792 the present week. The ore tramway came ment expect to make good the loss occasthe present week. The Le 1.01 sent 1,792 the present week award owing to an accioned by the short delay before the end tons to Northport and did not ship on to grief during the week owing to an accordance of the short delay before the end of the week.

The December 1,752 of the present from the shipped 1,457 tons and the Centre Star jured and the track was displaced in 713 tons, both outputs going to the Trail smelter. The Iron Mask dispatched six once undertaken, and the tramway will explored to Trail on 198 tons. The France of the tramway will smelter the transport of the transport carloads to Trail, or 186 tons. The Evening Star has one carload of 60 tons to its credit and the Virginia got out 20 tons. The combined output of the War Eagle is being rushed to completion, and another

agement have to struggle with at the present time, but which are being graduthe Evening Star mine was closed down ally overcome. The Northport smelter neceived 1,852 tons and the Canadian smelter at Trail 2,376 tons during the week. The total estimated output of Descharge of the reason for stopping work. For Rossland camp for the year to October nearly two years now the mine has been continuously operated, and this year alone Appended is a detailed statement (approximately) of the camp's output for the week ending October 14th and year to reserve of ore in sight, and the property out to the smelter. There is an excellent reserve of ore in sight, and the property Paine's Celery Compound was looked upon very favorably by mining men generally when the shut down occurred. It is stated that a rearrangement of the company is expected, and a resump-tion of work is looked for in the near fu-

Josie and Number One.-The new 1,-900-foot tramway for bringing the ore of the Josie and Number One down to the and in running order in about six weeks health and vigorous strength. War Eagle and Centre Star.—The detime. It may be taken for granted that Paine's Celery Compound

machinery and plant ordered some time organic diseases of the heart, kidneys and steam in place of electricity is important. ago for the California, a small staff of stomach. final decision now made public, though Ball group on Christina lake all summer, culation, enabling a nerve-tired person to doubtless made in the best interests of is now mine foreman of the California, the property concerned, will be noted with under Mr. Wm. Y. Williams. Mr. Spauldregret by all those who have regarded ing was originally in charge of the work ly capable of doing all that it promises,

together to supply power temporarily to both properties, are now nearly complete. St. Elmo consolidated.—Installing the new compressor plant at ate advantage of the virtues of Paine's the New St. Elmo has been in progress. The machinery of four of these plants was all week. Meantime work on the cross-on the ground yesterday, and the fifth cut from the tunnel has been continued. the plant is only a temporary measure, car- operation and 27 men. Mr. W. H. Jaffery, three-penny telegrams.

still awaiting the arrival of the skips. In progress all week in the Deer Park, and the meantime one side of the big electric the showing in the new shaft continues to hoist is being worked hard to get out the be of an encouraging nature. During the ore. One side of the new compressor has been in use during the past week, but an power hoist from the Canadian Rand Drill effort will be made this week to run both company, which will be installed at t.e

w shaft at once. Homestake.—The work of drifting is continued on the 200-foot level, and crosscut-

Coxey.-Men have been busy all week sorting ore on the Coxey and getting the first shipment ready. The want of water makes the sorting slow work, but the management expect to get the first car load off on Tuesday or Wednesday of

countered in the lower workings this

Virginia.—It was reported that another good strike had been made, but no information regarding the truth of the re-Wallingford.-Work on the tunnel in

Portland.-Work is being actively pushed, and the tunnel is in now a distance of 120 feet.

Rossland Farms.

A New Hoist.

The management of the Deer Park has purchased a 10-horse power hoist from the Canadian Rand Drill company. The hoist will be at once installed at the new workings on the Deer Park.

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termination of the management of the both the properties mentioned will be and strengthens the kidneys, and enables Centre Star mine to purchase a large found among the camp's shippers before them to cleanse the blood of waste and Centre Star mine to purchase a large found among the camp's shippers better that are the direct steam hoist has been given the Webster The order has been given the Webster has not made any official statement in the has not made any official statement in the cause of drowsiness, melancholia, depressionally looked sion of spirits, wasting sickness, blood diseases, headaches and that general "run California .- Pending the arrival of the down" condition that opens the door to

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under section 37, must be commenced be-fore the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1808
9-21-10t.

N. F. TOWNSEND.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

Standard mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Koot-

Take notice that I, William E. Devereux, acting as agent for Horace J. Raymer, F. M. C. No. B. 29,047, Ida May Dunn F. M. C. No. B. 12,831, Mike Sullivan F. M. C. No. B. 13,156, T. W. Shipley No. B. 12,996, 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 the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before

der section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improve Dated this 10th day of October, A. D.

WM. E. DEVEREUX,

Take notice that I, as agent for K. T. Eugleskjen free miner's certificate No. B 13508; F. E. Empey, free certificate No. B 13507A: Martin of the week.

In Charge of the California.

Mr. J. W. Spaulding, who has been in charge of the Cannon Ball group on Christiana lake all summer, has been appointed foreman of the new workings on the California in this camp. Mr. Spaulding was in charge of the California three years ago, when the property closed down.

California in this camp. Mr. Spaulding to the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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And further take notcie that action, under section 37, must be commenced be fore the issuance of such certificate of Dated this 23th day of September, 1893

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COMPANIES' ACT, 1897,"
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Notice is hereby given that the California Gold Mining company has appointed William Yolen Williams, miner, of Rossland, B. C., the attorney for the company in place of W. T. McDonald, of Rossland aforesaid. The said attorney is not empowered to issue or transfer stock of the company.

of the company.

Dated the 15th day of May, A. D. 1899.

4t S. Y. WOOTTON,

Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

on the ground yesterday, and the fifth cut from the tunnel has been continued.

Sunset No. 2.—Work is progressing along will be in place this week. It must be clearly understood that the erection of the usual lines with two machine drills in the past.

George Smith, Sen., formerly section for the usual lines with two machine drills in considering the feasibility of introducing dropped dead on the road a short distance the past.

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Sons, Lamited. The author is Mr. J. H. word in its councils. Curle, whose information has been obtained at first hand since he has, during the past two years, personally inspected chief districts of the Transvaal, India, At a meeting of the Montreal Reform club ers, to the local labor market, and to the West Autsralia, Queensland, New Zealand, British Columbia and The work was undertaken with the object of providing the English investor in mines and mining stocks with trustworthy information regarding the gold mines and gold fields of these British

owes Mr. Curle a debt of gratitude, for we do not recollect a book on the subject of mines in which so much information is say that the population of this country given or in which greater honesty, moderation and judgment are displayed. Of eration and judgment are displayed. Of every part of his subject Mr. Curle shows ly its resources, and to live at peace with of the country. an equal mastery; but he devotes his the world. We are willing to defend the chief attention to the Transvaal and Ausland we live in, and the British flag, which trana as the countries in which English protects it against all aggression, but it capital is most largely invested and whose is another thing to go beyond this role, mining shares are the most eagerly sought and to throw us into the discussions and the United States to create the impression after by the English public. The gold wars with which Europe is constantly that the American people view Great mines of British Columbia are thus only touched on in a brief summary; but we to do with the things in Africa? What interests have we friendly eyes. Such sentiments, however, are bound to say that Mr. Curle, though in the Transvaal? Why should we take it may be unhesitatingly affirmed are contions of values entertained locally regarding our proved mines are perhaps unduly severe, draws a remarkably faithful industry as it at present exists in this to grow, the fact of Mr. Tarte being in province. He holds the view that British much an anomaly as Schreiner's occupancy of gold-mining. The gold reefs, he says, province. He holds the view that British have not yet passed out of the hands of should be removed from the government the prospector or small syndicate. "In as a disloyal subject and a man of quesother words the capacities of British Col- tionable public morals. umbia, as a gold-producer are almost unknown and it will be at least five years before an accurate estimate shall have be come possible. In the meantime it may be said that it is highly probable that the ducer. The southern portion of West tor in West Kootenay's output.

reduce the dividends. The War Eagle, ment throughout is a most singular one. which is controlled not from Montreal, as Mr. Curle's states, but from Toronto, he considers over-capitalized, and he predicts that the Centre Star will also be floated with an unwarranted capitalization. These mines and the Columbiadirect smelter charges amounted to \$16.25. tht reduction so as to allow of a small

tending thence down to the State of the numerous ways it has adopted of ing the forecast of the police commission-Washington will produce eventually a discriminating against the town.

The community is dependant for its limited and the labor of the musband-man been rewarded more than a hundred fold. Here almost all are blessed with number of sound low-grade mines. From The community is dependant for us tion. That that which did leak out came new flotation are implicitly believed in be-that the bubonic plague is raging at Santral this hurried exposition of his views it will growth and prosperity—for its very exist-

be apparent with what care the writer has investigated the subject which he has treated at such length.

THE CANADIAN CONTINGENT.

citizens, they cannot help feeling that the properties, a number of which require a judgment and yet we find, shall we say Federal government has decided to send rate for treatment, such as is now furnishe one of them, deciding in the matter for \$25,000. This would make the purchase in the New York market at a still higher a Dominion contingent to the Transvaal. ed by the Northport smelter, but which Had the cabinet determined against en-roling such a force it would have afforded essential transportation expenses should roling such a force it would have afforded the Opposition a splendid opportunity for charging the Liberals with still have afforded to a minimum. Every cent that the forecast did not come from him. for charging the Liberals with still har which is deducted from transportation He seemed ,too, to experience a very boring anti-Imperial views, and with being dominated by J. Israel Tarte, a man tional number of mines, means greater who is shrewdly suspected of being as dis- activity in the development of our mineral loyal to British interests as he is politic properties, and means increase in the population and self-seeking. Premier ulation and wealth of the town. Laurier, however, has not only silenced The C. P. R. has its spurs built to the AN EXCELLENT WORK ON MINING. the outcries of the Tories which they were mines, and an load its cars at them. The beginning to raise before they were hurt, character of the country is such that it an admirable work on "The Gold Mines knowledge of public feeling, but he has build independent switches. Now the flected from proper judicial etimette of the World," issued by the well-known demonstrated that the is the head of his Trail smelter cannot handle all the ore London publishing house of Waterlow & own government, and that his is the final extracted from the mines, and yet the

been accused of displaying an anti-British its switches to load its cars with ore spirit on this occasion, as on every occas- going to the Northport smelter, but inion where an opportunity was given him. sists, to the detriment of the mine ownpressed his own disapproval of the sending shall be transhipped at a comparatively poverty into the country of wealth, where a Canadian force, but he affected to high figure. As we have said, this conduct apparently very anxious should be re- to nothing but its own selfish interests. colonies and dependencies.

In our opinion the English investor He says: "We are in America. Canada very quickly find that financially even it to those who invest in it. The flotation has not, and should not have, any ambi-tion to play a role in European diplomacy. vantage to itself as well as to the camp. We believe we are not mistaken when we This, however, cannot be expected from his strictures upon the exaggerated not the money and the blood of our people to spend them in such far-away regions?"

ith the strong Imperial sentiment pre-vailing in Canada, and which will continue

FINDING OF THE COMMISSIONERS

The finding of the Police Commissioners which was submitted to the Council last country will become a great gold-pro- evening is a rather peculiar document and is calculated to create considerable com- ment has seen fit to pursue, the animatin Kootenay is without doubt one of the ment on the part of the citizens. We do principle, so far as politics are concerned great mineralized areas of the world." He not mean to question the correctness of is hatred of England. Their hostility, also advances the opinion that gold in a the conclusion at which the commissioners they formed a large or influential section oughly. A stranger, however, who knew always have to be reckoned with in any amived in fact we a nothing of local conditions would be conproducing capacities of the province. siderably amazed, if he were not amused, views, however, are not shared by the Descending to particulars, he briefly re- at the manner in which Jailer Mitchell is great majority of Americans, and it views the various districts, giving, of dealt with. The finding utterly discredits would, therefore, be a mistake to attach course, the most space to Rossland with the evidence offered against Mitchellits group of proved mines. The Le Roi says it is of a most contradictory character he ranks among the great mines of the and that the testimony of the one white world; but points out that it will come witness who deposed to giving the jailer to grief unless it is worked as a low-grade money was not borne out by the other evimine. The Rossland mines, he thinks, dence; and finally that while false acshould own their own smelters, and he is counts of supplies for the jail were of the opinion that the Le Roi sharehold- submitted they were so made up stinate adherence to uliberal oligarchic ers, when the new company was formed, by the order of the magistrate. In the ideals worthy of the worst period of the unitted a serious error in allowing face of all this, it is decided to discharge Middle Ages, they perfectly comprehend. the Northport smelter to be retained by Mitchell, without giving him the opporthe B. A. C. No matter how friendly the tunity of resigning, on the ground of ir relations between the two companies may regular conduct. While we think that the be the independent Le Roi shareholders, services of Mitchell are very properly disthe indirect smelting charges will greatly the finding for his dismissal. The docu-

THEIR USUAL POLICY. Last autumn when Mr. Curle was here, ment may be obviated. The lines of the the expense of development, mining, rail- two railways almost converge on Nickel way freight, indirect smelter charges and Plate flat and by simply constructing a forgo their exorbitant charges and has reconsidered its determination and ernment with every confidence in ultimate plans which they have formulated is carses little hope in the future for the has rejected a proposal which would be of success. and mines unless they own their much benefit to the whole community. It must be apparent to anyone that the acpresses the opinion that the numerous dictated by the hostility which it bears A question which is being asked by the free milling reefs near that place and ex- to the camp and that this is simply one of citizens is, who is responsible for nurnish why their investments are as certain, as the earth" have been yielded in such

gain to this city. It will mean an increase duct of the commissioners. A singular in the number of men employed, and large feature of the affair is that the two comwill mingle a certain amount of regret with er returns from their labor. As the Ross- missioners who sat on the case had not Bourjois and J. Morris. In 1891 Oliver

company owning that smelter refuses to Mr. Tarte, however, has not unjustly allow another line the privilege of using

AMERICA'S SYMPATHIES.

Attempts are being sedulously made in the American public.

The Dutch were the original settlers the State of New York, and even at the present day in that state and New Jersey considerable proportion of the inhab tants are of Dutch extraction. Governor Roosevelt, for instance, boasts of his un broken Dutch descent. We can hardly wonder that these people with their pride of race should espouse the cause of their kinsmen in the Transvaal, without stopping to consider the tyrannical character of the narrow and exclusive oligarchy which has its centre at Pretoria.

Of the other American citizens who have been "resoluting" so passionately against the course of the British-governwar that England might undertake. Their political importance to the platform vaporings which afford so much entertainment to the readers of newspapers.

The American people, as a whole, warm ly sympathize with the cause of England and are firmly antagonistic to the Boers. whose tyranny, misgovernment and ob

LAST EVENING'S MEETING.

While the public meeting last evening in Mr. Curle's judgment, should not be pensed with, we are hardly prepared to was a gratifying one in every respect and placed at the mercy of the B. A. C., as admit that sufficient grounds are given in as a tribute to Hon. Sydney Fisher and Mr. Bostock, at the hands of the people urging the Dominion government to ren- the Centre Star has 3,300,000 shares. That der assistance to Britain in the Transvaal, the history of the War Eagle will be re-The citizens of Rossland have learned The enthusiasm with which ... motion peated in the Centre Star seems a forewith regret, though it can hardly be said was received indicates the feeling of the peo- gone conclusion. The history of the War with surprise, that the C. P. R. company ple of this district—a feeling which anihas decided that it is not to its interests mates the subjects of the Empire wherore of this district will not run, he estifrom the mines in this camp to the smeltmates, shows \$16 a ton on the average.

The capital dispatch from Ottawa that in our special dispatch from Ottawa that the cabinet has decided to act in the capital from the mines in this camp to the smeltsmales, shows \$16 a ton on the average. mates, above \$16 a ton on the average.

That autumn when Mr. Curle was here.

The mines in this camp to the smell the cabinet has decided to act in the ment the Centre Star with its large respirit breathed in the resolution, will be spirit breathed in the resolution, will be hailed with approval, not only here, but in all parts of the Dominion, and the enholders and these shares are as sure to rise rolment of the troop which w... be sent in price as the day is to follow the night. lainly with such smelting and transport could be transferred from one line to the will probably occupy two instead of 10 They are men who turn everything that he mines were worked on their merits. loaded with ore and then sent to which railway freight charged on ore sent to pany might have its contract with. Some that in Canada today 50,000 recruits could to chance in any of their ventures. They il, have, it is stated, undergone a little time ago it was understood that an be obtained with as much ease as 500. look ahead and provide for every conarrangement on this basis had practically With a sentiment of this strength anirgin of profit. But it is unlikely, Mr. been entered into and the utmost satisle says, that the C. P. R., whose ac- faction was expressed on all hands. It is greater magnitude than the present one they will have nothing to do with guess

WHO WAS IT?

consent.

The fact is that in a case of this kind finding before it has been submitted to the council. Although in this particular case no injury has been done, still that does

CENTRE STAR FLOTATION.

There are but few who possess the magical hands that turn everything that they touch into gold. When individuals are known to possess this valuable quality on Tuesday night last, he not only exthere is luxury and ease. The individuals speak for the Premier, and in his paper, of the C. P. R. is quite in consonance who compose the Blackstock-Gooderham La Patrie, he sounds a note which he is with its time-honored policy of giving heed syndicate have the true golden hands and which, it seems, is certain to be profitable the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, or the more ore on their dumps and were in a under consideration is the Centre Star Mining company. This flotation is one of the most important events that has occurred for some time in mining circles. The mine manager should receive what, no he thought they had. He visited a number of the mines there. Among these were the Old Ironsides and Knob Hill, where red for some time in mining circles. The capital stock of the company is made up doubt, is to him an enormous salary, and they have 110 men at work, and each of \$3,300,000 shares of \$1 each, and of this he institutes comparisons that are not He also visited the Winnipeg, the Brannumber 1,320,000 are offered to the public, altogether happy. To the Premier of don & Golden Crown and the Oro Denero, the War Eagle shareholders having the preference, at the rate of \$1.50 per share. United States, the question of salary is This would make the entire value of the offered for sale \$4,950,000, or 50,000 less word which they receive, but simply an pices than did the mines of Rossland sevthey take all the 1,320,000 shares will pay \$1,980,000 for them, or \$20,000 less than and detriment of their private business.

\$2,000,000, which the Gooderham-BlackThe Governors-General of India and Can
The Governors-General of India and Canstock syndicate originally paid Oliver Durstock syndicate originally paid Oliver Durada and associates for the mine. Since ada have practically no responsibility, and there will be a large city in the Boundary the syndicate took charge of the mine are mere figureheads. Besides, men who Creek section. Phoenix, he says, gave the syndicate took charge of the mine are mere figureheads. Besides, men who him a favorable impression on account of about \$100,000 has been spent for develop-fill those exalted positions have at their its location in the midst of several im pened up, and its reserves of ore are very nation can give. large. The development work consists of occupies his position by virtue of tae important a place as Rossland is. Grand Forks and Columbia, too, he thinks, will make cities of more than ordinary important. and the main shaft is now down to a depth of over 500 feet.

Since the syndicate bought the Centre Star it has shipped about 10,000 tons of

treatment rate, notwithstanding the fact that its output is tied up for the next three years in the contract made with the Trail smelter at the rate of \$6 per ton, yet it is certain to pay big interest on the \$1.50 per share invested. The mine, we believe, is worth every cent that is being paid for it and it is certain that the investors will make a profit on the Centre Star shares which may be as large as was made by those who invested in the reorganized War Eagle company, after it was taken hold of by the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate.

War Eagle shares were placed on the market in January, 1897, at 80 cents per share. The capital stock was \$2,000,000. Now those who held on to these shares can realize \$3.10 for them, to say nothing of the dividends that have been paid by do incalculable injury to property, but Couver, has opened a law office in the Daniel & Chambers building on Columbia the company for some time past. There is might occasion the destruction of human this difference in favor of the War Eagle of Rossland, was a decided success, the however, that the latter company feature of it, after all, was the resolution issued only 1,650,000 paid-up shares, while manager include at least one of the great is only if they have there own smelters. The ore of this district will not run, he estiother, could run to the various mines, be days. The difficulty which will be enthey touch into gold and their venture in the various mines, be to then the direct smeltter rates and ever smelter the particular mining comthe says, that the C. P. R. might be entered on by the Imperial govors. The see to it that every detail of the rest of Canada are called upon to pay might be entered on by the Imperial govors. ried out with the utmost exactitude and all good for what they have received at

ence in fact—on the mines and their suc- reasonably certain and if the finding watch thing that they put their hands to and are towards those who are in penury or affliccessful development and productiveness. will be handed to the city council on Tuesthe greater the development and that day night is found to be practically idenmore numerous the properties tical with it then it will be in order to apwhich are worked the greater will be the point a commission to investigate the con-

> his associates had spent \$200,000 in its development. Then they sold it for \$2,000,000, his vein or ore deposit. Sometimes a small realizing a profit of \$1,800,000 on the transaction. The Idaho is still the property of Mr. Durant and his associates and will in time probably be sold for a large of the Comstock lode—was found by per-These facts show what immense profits there are sometimes for those who ing a little ore. A seam leading out from

THE MINE MANAGER.

consider to be a good price for it.

"According to a well-informed contem- Everything There Was Much Larger Than porary, Mr. Carlyle will receive £5,000 a year as manager of the Rio Tinto mine. is quite possible to pay too muc. even for visit to the Boundary Creek section, where 'A good man is worth a good price, but it the best article. Mr. Carlyle will now receive the same salary as that paid to the ports that he is greatly pleased with that Premier of Great Britain, and half that paid to the President of the United States, ed. The mines were larger, had Governors-General of India and Canada.' more advanced stage of development, while

The writer of the above item, which the cities have more buildings, more peomine at the price at which the stock is nor is it a salary in the strictest sense of the bout \$100,000 has been spent for develop and the property is now well disposal, the best advice which the portant mines with large pay rolls. These

Star it has shipped about 10,000 tons of lives of many people. He is compelled not lives of many people. He is compelled not lives of many people. Be information which regarding the Kootenay Applicants. which have been incurred during that peronal observation and hard physical labor, but he must also have good judgment in ordinary business and must know to manage large bodies of 3,300,000 shares that will not have cost to a very large sum. Still the Contents of a great mine content, which the manager of a great mine contents of manager of a great mine contents of manager and only a manager of a great mine contents of mono officers and only a manager of a great mine contents of manager of a great mine contents of manager of a great mine content of the contents of a dispatch received from Colonel Peters, in which it was stated that manager of a great mine content of the contents of a dispatch received from Colonel Peters, in which it was stated that is one of the most valuable mines in the camp and under the existing freight and any mine no matter how great. When, be place however, they are devoted to the services of a company which has invested in the property, placed in his charge, perhaps of good physical condition for a campaign. millions of money, a salary of \$25,000 for the proper fulfilment of his duties patch one was received by the Miner last the proper fulfilment of his duties evening from its special correspondent at certainly does not seem a very Ottawa, which said: large sum. It is to his ability, labor and foresight that the shareholders owe the dividends on their investments and that Columbia for the contingent." their property is guarded from depreciation and injury. He must not only exerise a general supervision, but must be more representatives may be selected from Rossland, the chief city of the Kootenays acquainted with every detail of the workings of the mine and be thoroughly familiar with the constantly changing conditions. He has, too, in his care the protection of the men working in the mine and an error on his part might not only

mrs. Donald Guthrie, wife of the fire chief, has returned from a trip to New manager include at least one of the great mines of the world, and the way in which he has conducted the second retaining the second retaining the conducted the second retaining the conducted the second retaining the sec he has conducted the affairs of his corporation have shown that he possesses all the an important position. To his knowledge his vacation. and engineering skill is largely due the ceive in his new position in Spain the the gainers. It is with a feeling of satis- companied by his son, and Mr. Allan Camfor the position of manager of the Rio

THANKSGIVING DAY.

This is Thanksgiving Day and the people of Rossland in common with those of the result is that they almost always win his hands during the past year. The resishareholders will take all they can afford ful for-more than theaverage man, even

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Tin has reached the highest price ever the satisfaction which, as good Canadian and mines in the main are low grade up until yesterday met to decide on their Durant and M. A. Tarbert purchased the known in modern times, being about 32

> seam, if followed, leads to a large and valuable ore body. The greatest and richest mass of ore known—the Big Bonanza sistently following a small seam containare in the mining business and have the courage of their convictions and stick to a Bisbee, Ariz., was noticed but was not good property until they get what they followed until years later, when it led to a much larger and richer deposit than that previously worked.

> > PLEASED WITH BOUNDARY.

Mr. C. F. Jackson has returned from a

The writer of the above item, which appears in the Colonial Goldfields Gahe thought they had. He visited a num-

United States, the question of salary is mine of importance. Railway spurs will not supposed to be a matter of moment—be built into each of them. They will begin operations under more favoral than \$5,000,000. The investors, provided indemnity for the period they may devote eral years ago, for they will have good indemnity for the period they may devote eral years ago, for they will have good to the affairs of the nation to the neglect transportation facilities and the advantage

in time, he thinks, will make Phoenix as

"Captain Blanchard, 5th Victoria, -It is not improbable that other appoint ments may yet be made and that one of

PERSONAL.

Mr. C. E. Gillam, who was some time ago with Mr. Smith Curtis, and more recently with Mr. D. J. Macdonell in Van-

Denver branch.

Mr. Edward W. Ward of the Bank of qualifications which are necessary to such British North America, has returned from

Mr. James Rutherford, mining man. leaves this morning for the Boundary coun try to look over some properties prior to

leaving for the Old Country.

Colonel F. D. Heustis, collector of customs for the Puget Sound district, is in shareholders would still be undoubtedly the city from Port Townsend. He is ac faction that Canadians have learned that eron, assistant general freight agent of the one of their countrymen has been chosen Canadian Pacific railway. They are en route for the Boundary Creek country for the purpose of arranging certain customs matters. Colonel Heustis first visited men who would be delighted to fill the Rossland four years ago, when there was changes wrought since then, he says, are simply marvelous.

Mr. Howard Jones has just return

from a trip to Butte. He says that the great copper center is showing great ac-

Aftermath of Drevfus Trial

Paris, Oct. 18 .- M. Gohier, writer of the the result is that they almost always win his hands during the past year. The resileading articles for the Dreyfusard organ success. This is why the War Eagle dents of this city have much to be thankof General Mercier, former minister of war. M. Mercier was pinked in the chest, but it is not thought to be seriously hurt.

Bubonic Plague in Brazil.

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 18.-The statement

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Orders for St Address

Payment of \$2,000 for P City Park

THE COMMISSIONER'S

erated Papers to be Sent General-The Park By-Law Time-Tenders Accepted-Acc

Aldermen Thompson and A the only absentees at the re meeting of the city council The presentation of the police ers' report on the recent was the most important bu the city fathers. The table i of the council chamber has b been arranged in a semicirc hall quite a parliamentary The following communicati

From the Gutta Percha

to the council:

Manufacturing company of knowledging the corporation 1,000 feet of "Eureka" hose, that the hose would be shipp From the Canadian Rubber Montreal, saying their had been instructed to take fective hose sold the city. I solicitors, who write under tober 2nd: In accordance tions our Mr. Abbott proc toria in the hope of securi council under sections 11 a Rossland Water & Light C The order was made coveri but it will be necessary under section 12. The ch er of lands and works holds t tisement inserted by the old begun too soon. The act car the 17th of April, and the began prior to this and only seeks. We may say, howe Mr. Abbott, from his conv Mr. Cotton and the Attorne great confidence in the being in favor of the city. Gore of Victoria, water under date of September Lieutenant-Governor in Co pleased to approve of the and diversion by the Rosa Light company, or their ass water of Stoney creek and creek, pursuant to section panies' act of incorporati tain ratepayers, asking that of Second avenue, on the Spokane street, in block proper shape, as at the p

is impossible to use same.

Jackson, F. E. Empey and
ers, asking that an arc ligh
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kane street. The petitioner has already lost his life at

COMMERCIAL CONTRACTOR

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS

OF THE

Boundary Homestake Mining Co.

Limited, Non-Personal Liability

INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ACT 1899, AND AMENDING ACTS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

CAPITAL STOCK \$1,000,000.00, IN ONE MILLION SHARES OF \$1.00 EACH

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BANKERS

REGISTERED OFFICE

Winnipeg Mine, Wellington Camp, Greenwood P. O., B. C.

TREASURY

The proceeds of the sale of the Treasury The proceeds of the sale of the Treasury Shares will be used for the development of the property of the Company and will be sold only from time to time as funds may be required for development purposes. A limited amount of these Shares is now offered for sale, after which the price will be advanced.

POOLED STOCK

The owners of all stock other than the 300,000 Treasury Stock have pooled their stock for a period of one and one-half

SHAREHOLDERS PROTECTED

There is no preferred stock in this Company. Purchasers of Treasury Stock enjoy all the rights and privileges of the original stockholders.

This Company was formed for the purchase of acquiring and has acquired (The

pose of acquiring, and has acquired "The Homestake Mineral Claim," being one of the best known properties in Summit Camp, Yale District, British Columbia. The title to this property is perfect, and a "Crown Grant" of the same is about

to be procured.

The Homestake claim was discovered and located in 1894 and has an area of

about forty acres.

Over \$1,000 has been expended in opening up the property, and the results are most gratifying. The development consists of a shaft thirty-five teet deep, and sists of a fifty-foot tunnel, a shaft thirty-five feet deep, and several crosscuts.

The mine is situated nine miles from Greenwood, B. C., the principal point of distribution of the famous Boundary Creek Mining district, and is but two miles from the new town of Eholt, on the Canadian Pacific Railway. The MAIN LINE OF THE CANADIAN PA-MAIN LINE OF THE CANADIAN PA-CIFIC RAILWAY RUNS ACROSS THE PROPERTY. Its shipping facilities, therefore, cannot be surpassed.

ASSAYS OF ORE

By J. Edwards Leckie, C. V. and M. E., Greenwood, B. C., June 28, 1899.

An average sample of ore taken from a small open cut gave gave: Gold, 75c; Silver, 0.8 ounces; value of silver at 65c per ounce, 5c; Copper, 2.78 per cent; value in copper at 17c, \$9.45. Total, \$10.20.

Two general samples of the ore taken from the thirty-foot shaft gave, respectively: Gold, \$1.10; Silver, 1.4 ounces; value 80c; Copper, 3.87 per cent; value, \$13.15. Total, \$14.95. And: Gold, \$1.10; Silver, 1.6 ounces; value, 97c; Copper, 5.32 per cent; Total, \$20.06.

A sample of sorted ore from the dump gave: Gold, \$4.10; Silver, 4.9 ounces; value, \$2.79. Copper, 11.06 per cent; \$37.60. Total, \$44.69.

NOTES ON HOMESTAKE

By J. Edwards Leckie, B. of S. and C. and M. E.

and M. E.

Greenwood, B. C., June 28, 1899.

There is a very well defined vein of chalcopyrite with a garnetiferous gangue, on this property.

The vein lies in a quartz-porphyry and is eight feet in width.

The dip is vertical and the strike approximately northeast and southwest.

A shaft has been sunk on the vein to a depth of thirty feet and some fine ore lies on the dump.

A SAMPLE TAKEN IN THE SHAFT A SAMPLE TAKEN IN THE SHAFT

ACROSS FIVE FEET GAVE THE FOL-LOWING RESULTS:

mestic purposes.

Some of the best copper properties in the district are being opened up in this camp. The Emma, adjoining, has a large body of ore and the Oro Denero, adjoin-

ing the Emma, has an excellent showing of chalcopyrite.

With development, there is a very fair chance of the Homestake proving to be a paying proposition, and the expenditure of a considerable sum for this purpose would be well warranted.

With regard to opening up the property I would suggest that the shaft be continued to a depth of one hundred feet and drifts driven on the vein at this level.

J. Edwards Leckie.
B. of S. and C. of M. E.

SUMMIT CAMP

Is now recognized as standing foremost (in the Boundary Creek country) in big copper properties. The "B. C." mine only two miles distant was sold recently for \$500,000, while the Oro Denoro, having large bodies of copper-gold ore, adjoins the Homestake. The Emma, also the R. Bell, are well known and high grade properties which have showings sufficient to demonstrate their great value.

The first block of Treasury Stock (made out in certificates of 1,000 shares each) is now placed upon the market at 10 cents to the public. Those who wish to get in upon the ground floor should place their orders promptly as only a limited number of shares will be sold at 10 cents. Prospectuses on application.

Use Clough's, or Bedford McNeill's

Telegraphic and Cable Address; "Plew-

Orders for Stock Should be

Addressed to the Company's Broker RICHARD PLEWMAN, Bank of Montreal Building, Rossland, B. C.

Or Messrs. HALL & MURRAY, Brokers for Ontario, Yonge Steet Arcade, Toronto, Ont.

THE COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Mitchell to be Dismissed-Chief Ingram Exon erated Papers to be Sent to Attorney-

Aldermen Thompson and McCrae were The presentation of the police commissioners' report on the recent investigation of the remaining judges will decide the was the most important business before case. of the council chamber has been removed, and the new desks for the aldermen have the city fathers. The table in the centre been arranged in a semicircle, giving the hall quite a parliamentary appearance, The following communications were read

o the council:

From the Gutta Percha and Rubber
Manufacturing company of Toronto, acnowledging the corporation's order for

To the Mayor and Corporation of the

City of Rossland:

Gentlemen—In accordance with a reso-Manufacturing company of Toronto, acknowledging the corporation's order for 1,000 feet of "Eureka" hose, and stating that the hose would be shipped forthwith. From the Canadian Rubber company of Montreal, saying their Winnipeg agent had been instructed to take back the defective hose sold the city. From the city solicitors, who write under date of October 2nd: In accordance with instruc tions our Mr. Abbott proceeded to Victoria in the hope of securing an order in council under sections 11 and 12 of the Rossland Water & Light Company's Act. The order was made covering section 11, but it will be necessary to readvertise under section 12. The chief commissioner of lands and works holds that the advertisement inserted by the old company was allowed. begun too soon. The act came in force on the 17th of April, and the advertisement began prior to this and only ran for four creeks. We may say, however, that our J. A. Macdonald for Chief Ingram and Mr. Abbott, from pleased to approve of the appropriations sel already engaged in the case.
and diversion by the Rossland Water & sel already engaged in the case.
3rd. The desire of the commissioners be-Light company, or their assigns, of all the water of Stoney creek and Little Stoney creek, pursuant to section I1 of the companies' act of incorporation. From certain ratepayers, asking that the lane south of Second avenue, on the west side of Spokane street, in block 13, be put in

light at the corner of Spokane street, and Le Roi avenue was referred to the fire, water and light committee, and the petition referring to the lane south of Second avenue, was referred to the board of works. A letter was received from Mc Carthy & Co., referring to the case of General—The Park By-Law Read a Second the Trust and Guarantee company against Time-Tenders Accepted-Accounts Passed the city, stating that the case had been argued before three judges of the Ontaria court of appeals and judgment was 1e. served. The solicitors say they are of the only absentees at the regular weekly the opinion that the plaintiffs appeal will the only absentees at the regular weekly be dismissed. Mr. Justice Lister retired meeting of the city council last evening. from hearing the case as he is a shareholder in the plaintiff company. A majority

> The following is the complete text tigation concerning the conduct of the officers of the police force of the city of

officers in the police department to tigated forthwith, your commissioners beg leave to report as follows:

Trades and Labor Council to that effect, asking them to produce their witnesses to substantiate the charges made, and also informing them that counsel would be

2nd. The first meeting was held on Monhis conversations with officer Mitchell, and the mode of proced-Mr. Cotton and the Attorney-General, has ure decided upon. The sesion continued great confidence in the ultimate result from time to time since, as witnesses could being in favor of the city. From W. S. be secured, until Tuesday, October 3rd, Gore of Victoria, water commissioners, 1899. At the first meeting Alderman Gore of Victoria, water commissioners, 1898. At the first meeting Alderman under date of September 27th, that the Clute, one of the commissioners, explained he would be unable to sit owing to the pleased to approve of the appropriations fact of his partner being one of the countries.

ing to make the investigation as thorough as possible, every opportunity was given to procure evidence, as is shown by the fact that more than 64 witnesses were examined, and that the evidence covers 586 type-written pages.

4th. After carefully reviewing the evi-

Spokane street, in block 13, be put in 4th. After carefully reviewing the eviption of your commission-simposes in simpossible to use same. From August 1. Re Officer Mitchell: That the charges shall be enforced.

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2. The report is signed by the Mayor and with having taken money from certain with having taken money from certain Mr. W. F. McNeill, the two commission-street. ers, asking that an arc light be placed at with naving taken money from certain the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; that the evidence of the Chinamen has already lost his life at the point men-both as to dates and amounts is of a most police department, which have the immendate of the chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons; the junction of Le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons are persons and the junction of the le Roi avenue and Spo-Chinamen and other persons are persons are persons and the junction of the le Roi avenue and the junction of the learned and the ju

sidered;
(c) That the charges in clause 4 of presenting false accounts of supplies for the jail, and the taking of a portion of these supplies for his own use, has been fully

Alderman Hooson asked for an explanaproven, but that there are certain extenuating circumstances, viz: that magistrate Jordan, while acting in his official capacity as one of the commissioners, had told Mitchell it was understood that he should receive his meals at the jail at the city's expense, and further, it was shown that the cost of the meals to prisoners, including those taken by Mitchell himself was an average of 7 1-2 cents per meal; an average of 7 1-2 cents per meal;

cided by the commissioners, that Officer Mitchell's resignation should not be accepted, but that he should be discharged for irregular conduct; 2. Re Chief Ingram:

(a) The evidence submitted failed to prove any of the charges set forth in the affidavit placed before the commissioners

Rossland.
Findings of police commissioners.
To the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Rossland:
Gentlemen—In accordance with a resolution passed on August 22nd, 1899, referring to a communication received from the Trades and Labor Council to the police commissioners, and requesting that charges contained therein against certain officers in the police department be invest. s contained therein against certain that on two or three occasions during his in the police department be investigated in the police department be applied in the police department be applied in the police department be applied in the police department because the police department becau been under the influence of liquor, but that on each of these occasions he was lst. That at a meeting of the police commissioners, held on August 23rd, to consider your resolution, it was decided to not on active duty, the sergeant being in charge. One occasion and the last being on the visit of the Elks, on which occasion open an investigation on August 28th, and the chief had on the next day voluntarily the clerk was instructed to notify the informed the commissioners, at the same time expressing his regret, and stating that it would not occur again;

(c) In view of the fact that the prose cution of the case was carried on by men who were not friendly towards the chief, assisted by eminent counsel; and that a man occupying the position of chief of police in a city like Rossland, must necessarily have made many enemies who would be willing to testify against him i an opportunity offered. Therefore, you issioners believe it is their duty to commissioners believe it is their duty to state that the investigation has shown Unief Ingram to be exceptionally free from the charges made: That to his good judgment and thorough knowledge in dealin with the criminal classes, is due our free dom from crimes of a serious nature and the good order for which our city has become proverbial;
(d) The investigation has brought to the

knowledge of the commissioners certain facts in connection with the checking of accounts, making of arrests, and disposing of cases under the jurisdiction of the police department, which shall have the

THE CITY COUNCIL

tioned for want of proper lighting, and they ask that the matter be attended to at once.

S. Forteath, sanitary inspector, submitted his report for the month of September paid money to Mitchell is not borne out ted his report for the month of last, showing receipts for the month of last, showing receipts for the month of the city for the city for the month of \$173.72. The matter of an arc light at the corner of Spokane street, and Le Roi avenue was referred to the countries.

S. Forteath, sanitary inspector, submitted to having of the fire, water and light committee. Alderman Lalonde presented the report of the fire, water and light committee. Alderman Lalonde presented the report of the fire, water and light committee. The report recommends that in accordance out ted his report for the month of the evidence of other witnesses called in support of his testimony; that, therefore, the defendant should receive the benefit of the doubt, particularly when the class and character of the evidence is considered; the fire of the fire, water and light committee. Alderman Lalonde presented the report of the fire, water and light committee. The report recommends that in accordance out the fire, water and light committee. The report recommends that in accordance out the fire, water and light committee. The report on being read was recieved the report of the fire, water and light committee. Alderman Lalonde presented the report of the fire, water and light committee. The fire of the fire, water and light committee. Alderman Lalonde move of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the fire, water and light committee. The fire of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the fire, water and light committee. The fire of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the support of the support of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the fire, water and light committee. The proper of the fire, water and light committee. The p

adopted.

The report of the board of works recom-The report of the board of works recommended the payment of sundry accounts, including streets pay rolls No. 41, \$721.20; No. 2, \$714.05; Louis Blue, \$560.23; Daniel & Chambers, \$135; E. A. Rolph for city hall, \$70.53; ditto for streets, \$53.20; Hunter Bros., \$97.72, and J. Kirkup, \$50. The report was received and adopted without amendment, as was the report of the out amendment, as was the report of the finance committee, which recommended the payment of accounts totalling the sum of \$6,028.21. The sum includes the items passed by the fire, water and light committee. The board of works and the health and relief committee and an item of \$2,000 to E. Charles of the Spokane mittee. The board of works and the health and relief committee and an item of \$2,000 to E. Charles of the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway company, for the purchase of the property to be used for park purposes. That is the 80 acres purchased have been obtained at the rate of \$25 per acre. The bylaw referred to later calls for \$5,000. If the amount is voted \$2,000 will be used to pay for the property and the remaining \$3,000 will be devoted to improving and laying out the land. The \$2,000 passed by the finance committee and approved by the council will be borrowed by the city from the bank and paid back later when the debentures are issued and taken up under the

proposed bylaw.

Alderman Hooson objected to the report of the police commissioners, and moved a resolution as follows: That this council disapproves of the police commissioners report and suggests that a copy of the evidence taken at the recent police investigation together with a copy of the commissioners findings.

The bylaw for issuing \$5,000 debentures shipping capacity of the mine will be increased to 500 tons per day, when larger dividends will be justified.

Montreal, Oct. 17.—The Star, commenting upon the Centre Star issue, says: "The Centre Star issue was an absorbing topic of discussion on the street today.

Mitchell Has Returned. investigation together with a copy of the commissioners findings thereon and a copy of the police rules and regulations be transmitted to the attorney-general's de-

police commissioners be requested to transmit to the attorney-general's depart-ment a copy of the recent police investi-gation together with a copy of the commis-sioners' findings and a copy of the rules and regulations of the police committee of Rossland.

The Mayor called for the ayes and nays with the following results: In favor of the amendment, Aldermen Lalonde, Clute and Edgren; against, Alderman Hooson.

The tender of M. Schwig & Co. for the supply of firement, applications at \$34 ages.

was accepted.

A motion carried to pay the Canadian

A motion carried to pay the Canadian Pacific railway the sum of \$100 agreed to by the council in November, 1898, for changing their tracks crossing Washington street. It appeared that the railway moved in their track at the request of the city to allow of the erection of the Washingon street trestle.

Alderman Hooson objected on general grounds that the the railway in question appeared to get anything it wanted and refused to execute any agreements with the city about the crossings. The alderman said he had been informed that the railway had a third of their tracks on

of \$500 in the alleged bribery case, was partment at Victoria.

Alderman Clute supported the resolution so far as it referred to the sending of a copy of the evidence and other documents to the attorney-general, but he was not in accord with that portion of the resolution that reflected on the finding of the commissioners.

The Mayor said the application for an investigation was irregular in the first instance. The complaint should have been made to the police commissioners and if the that had been done the city solicitor would have acted for the commissioners and will be taken. Mr. MacNeill, who is activated the investigation was in the nature of a trial. If members of the council who did not hear the evidence as the commissioner.

THE CENTRE STAR FLOTATION

SHARES HAVE FINALLY BEEN PLACED ON THE MARKET.

There Are 1,320,000 Office at \$1.50 Each -Dividends of One Cot Per Share a Month Promised.

Toronto, Oct. 17.-Mesers. Gooderham and Blackstock have issued a circular offering 1.320,000 shares of Centre Star stock out of the capital of \$3,500,000, at \$1.50 per share, the War Eagle stockholders to have the first opportunity of subscribing for the same, and are given until noon on October 21st to apply. Terms of payment are to be as follows: Twentyfive cents per share to accompany appli cation, 25 cents to be paid on allotment, 25 cents on November 15th, 25 cents on December 15th, and the balance of 50 cents on January 15th. They are free to apply for whatever number of shares they wish, without reference to the amount of stock they hold in the War Eagle. It is understood that such stock as may not be sub-scribed for by the War Eagle sharehold-ers has already been placed. The many-mining experts who have examined the Centre Star claim that it is one of the veins, and its ore bodies are greater in length than the combined Le Roi and War Eagle. The Centre Star, with its present small plant, can ship 200 tons of ore per day, which would easily enable the starting with January; or the equivalent of 12 per cent per annum. er plant that has been contracted for, and which will be in operation by May, the shipping capacity of the mine will be increased to 500 tons per day, when larger dividends will be justified.

William Mitchell, the ex-city jailer, who has been visiting Spokane and whose bail of \$500 in the alleged bribery case, was forfeited on Saturday last, came in yester-large the afternoon train. Mitchell says

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THE VIRGINIA FIND

A Ten Fo.t Ledge Has Just Been

A find which seems to be important has been made near the east boundary line of The Showing of Ore the Chief Object of the Virginia. At that point there are some large outcroppings. This has been opened, and immediately beneath the iron capping, which is about two feet thick, a ledge ten feet in width has been met. The walls are well defined. A shaft has J. S. C. Fraser of the Bank of Montreal, been sunk to a depth of about ten feet, Mr. Alexander Dick, Mr. L. H. Moffatt, hall, and in the evening a public meeting ne fine looking ore is being taken says. It is thought it will assay fairly well. It is certain that this is a different ledge from the one from which ore is now being shipped. The ledge in the new find runs southeast and northwest, while the other ledge seems to run almost east about the values of the rock displayed, and the came in this newly. found ledge be of a shipping value the ress of the camp. Mr. Winters was al- that the mineral collection from this pr find is an important one. Superintendent ways on hand to supply the necessary vince for the Paris exposition is in ais Republic and Rossland Stocks McPherson reports that another carload facts and figures. But the Rossiand ex- charge. No doubt those in touch with the shaft on the vein located several weeks since of the other collections sent in. Those the advisability of the exhibit from this He seems to be pleased over the finding of from the Boundary country, Republic and camp receiving the due attention which the new ledge, but says it has not yet Silverton were particularly mentioned by its importance merits. As the minister been opened to a sufficient depth to de- the Rossland men. The exhibit made by has already expressed a desire to be in termine its value.

Work on the Mountain Trail.

Mr. H. S. Sherrard, manager of the Philadelphia Mining company, which is operating the Mountain Trail property, is in the city. He reports that the two double compartment shafts that are bein sunk on the Mountain Trail have now reached Mr. H. S. Sherrard, manager of the Philon the Mountain Trail have now reached fair, and completely overshadowed the a depth of 95 feet. Some fine looking ore, which runs high in copper, is being taken out. The concentrating mill is almost in ished, and will be started for a trial run between the 1st and the 10th of next between the 1st and the 10th of next management this year has given special amusement, prothe excellent showing that has been made in the Mountain Trail that it has acquired Mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired Mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with put and the very substantial pay roll that it has acquired mr. Orde had several interviews with mr. Orde had several interviews with mr. Orde had several mr. Ord

Rich Lardeau Ore.

of the operations on the Lardeau Mine in mining men. the Lardeau country, some nine miles from the head of Arrow lake, is in the city. He brought with him samples of ore from the property. On the surface this ore went \$25 to the ton. At a depth of two feet it had increased to \$35, and at four feet it assayed \$39.30 to the ton. A tunnel is being driven in for the purpose of tapping three ledges. The first ledge will be met this month, the second by the first of December and the third within 90 days There are five men at work, and the force will be increased when more can be used to advantage. A representative of the Trail smelter visited Mr. McClymont at the property a few days since, and offered advantageans fraich and offered advantageans fraich and offered the company, and have extracted it

Crosscutting on the White Bear.

In the White Bear crosscutting to the has been sunk in the bottom of the 350foot shaft. The formation in the crosscut is diorite, there are stringers of ore in that it will not be a great while before" a ledge will be encountered.

creek, about two miles above the Cody townsite. They have uncovered a good. strong ledge, which carries from six to eight inches of high grade galena.

From Wilson Creek.

Mr. James Martin, M. P. P., has just received some samples of silver-lead ore from Wilson creek, 14 miles out of Rosefeet down, and assay 70 per cent lead and from 30 to 50 oz. in silver. The ledge shows from six to eight feet of mineralized snows from six to eight feet of mineralized ing very rapidly, real estate having largely increased in value of late. There is quite the samples in question were taken is a stir at the new town of Summit, two about 18 inches in width. The ledge has miles from Eholt, and near the centre of Summit camp. Eholt is holding its own, are making money. The error, the balance of ownership being held in Spokane by Mr. Wolford and others.

Mr. E. L. Hart and Miss Christina Morrison, also Messrs. Beaton, Hart and Armster in value of late. There is quite som, also Messrs. Beaton, Hart and Armster in the new town of Summit, two miles from Eholt, and near the centre of Summit stong. The ceremony was performed by Summit camp. Eholt is holding its own, and its fine hotels, as well as other business concerns, are making money. The mines of the Boundary, in Mr. Morgan's opinion, are fulfilling every promise.

A Championship Race.

PAY DAY.

Total Sum Paid Out About the Same as Last Month.

month. The War Eagle, Centre Star and some other mines paid their employees on ing. Saturday and yesterday the balance of he men employed in the properties which ound the camp got their wages. The amount paid out is about the same \$7,400, Columbia and Kootenay \$6,000, and the peace for the counties of Victoria, Na-

ifornia \$400. The Evening Star and the Heather Bell have both dropped out of the list, but the former is expected to resume work again shortly. The I. X. I. this month it will be close to \$2,500, as stated by Mr. Baker last week. The Iron Mask, Sunset No. 2, Virginia, White Bear Deer Park, Gertrude and Coxey all remain about the same as the previous month. Generally speaking, the total paid out renains about the same, there being no appreciable difference this month. Severa of the larger properties would employ more men if they could be obtained. It is stated that there is room in the camp for a good many more good mining men.

Interest at Spokane.

The ore carries some copper, but the has not yet been determined by as-Should the ore in this newly and any information concerning the progshipped this week from the hibit was a small affair compared to some Hon, gentleman will impress upon the B. C. of Summit camp called for par- formed of our pressing wants in this city ticular mention, but the general display in order to post his colleagues, the nece made by Boundary country properties sity of providing a substantial building created a decided impression on the visit- for the Federal offices and the various attention to the musical amusement pro- number of working properties in and

tisement columns this morning with recer ence to the above company, will give great satisfaction to many shareholders and othreturns of 8 1-2 per cent copper and 8 50 ounces in silver, and returned the owners the property a few days since, and offered advantageous freight and treatment rates for any ore that might be extracted in the future. Mr. McClymont will leave for the Lardeau Mines today, and says that operations will be kept up continuously all winter.

Mr. Charles Nelson of Ainsworth, was in Nelson lately making arrangements for the purchase of supplies for mining work to morning and return the thus effecting the saving say nothing of the convention with Mr. Alfred Stalberg and Mr. Nelson Hawkins, of Ainsworth, have bonded the Native Silver group on the north fork of Woodbury creek, six miles above Ainsworth and 14 miles back from Lake Kootenay. They are now engaged in A rumor was around town yesterday to be in readiness for shipping ore as soon morning to the effect that a rich strike as snow comes. They will rawhide the had been made on the Waterloo. A private telephone message received from a shipped to smelters. The Native Silver and B. the rumor. Six feet of ore has been encountered in the word in th

don, spent some time in the Boundary country. He reports business good, especially in Greenwood, which, he says, will be the commercial and financial centre of the district. The foundations for the new smelter are being laid and there is considerable activity in the building line. It is believed that the project of the control of the pecially in Greenwood, which, he says, will be the commercial and financial centre of the district. The foundations for the new smelter are being laid and there is considerable activity in the building line. It is believed that the projected tramway from Phoenix to Greenwood will be an accomplished fact before very long. Phoenix were present at the marriage among case would not come up until after the report of the police commissioners had been made to the city council this evening, and that he intended coming back to Rossland on yesterday morning's train, but just missed it, not knowing of the immediate friends of the bride and groom would be here today without fail. complished fact before very long. Phoenix were present at the marriage, amor Mr. Morgan says, looks well and is growwhom were Mr. and Mrs. James Frizzl ing very rapidly, real estate having largely Mr. E. L. Hart and Miss Christina Morri-

ONE HONEST MAN. Men who are weak, nervous and delibitated from any cause will find it to their advantage to write to Mr ..D. Graham, No. 437 1-2 Richmond street, London, Ont. Pay lay (the 15th) fell on Sunday this Mr. Graham has nothing to sell, but has something to say which is worth know-

Reappointed a J. P.

Mr. R. C. Waterson's appointment as ast month. The War Eagle paid out justice of the peace was revoked in August st month. The War Eagle paid out justice of the peace was revoked in Tags.

\$27,000 and the Centre Star nearly last, after he had held the position for The time limit is 59 seconds. The winner will be open to defend against all comers the championship of the Kootenay. 00. The Le Roi list footed up \$30,- two years. Yesterday he received news East Le Roi \$5,000, West Le Roi that he had been reappointed justice of the B. A. C. machinery shops, stores and naimo, Westminster, Yale, Cariboo and office payment was \$5,500, making a total Kootenay. He was the recipient of many for the B. A. C. of \$53,500. The Mascot congratulations yesterday.

4 p. m .- Public Meeting This Evening

M. P. for Yale and Cariboo in the Federal parliament, arrived in this city Thurday evening on the Columbia & Western train at 7:40.

The distinguished visitors were met at the station by a number of prominent Quite a number of Rossland people re- Liberals, and escorted to their quarters turned from Spokane Thursday, where at the Allan. Friday the gentlemen they have been taking in the Industrial visited some of the mines, probably the exposition. Among the party were Mr. War Eagle and the Le Roi. In the afternoon they will receive visitors at the city will be held in the Miners' Union hall at 8 o'clock, when speeches will be made by expect to leave for Nelson on Saturday

some of the prominent brokers of Spokane, now exists, will all go to satisfy the min-who are unanimous in stating that the ore deposits of the Boundary Creek country in the east of the Trail Creek camp have are the greatest yet found, and will sur- a substantial foundation in fact. The pub-Mr. H. O. McClymont, who is in charge pass the most sanguine expectations of all lic meeting tonight is certain to be largely attended, and both gentlemen will doubtless feel before they leave us that they are heartily welcomed visitors to the camp.

A NIGHT SERVICE. Three Days to Spokane and Back Reducto One.

A great many Rossland people visit Spane at this season, and at all times the is a constant stream of traffic between the two points and the ordinary rate charged of five cents per mile should in-duce the Great Northern railway manage-ment to give a much better service than it . At present to go to Spokane, do business there and return, at the very days. If a night service were inaugurated this could be reduced to the loss of one day. If a Pullman car ran even two or three times a week from Northport it would be sure of a full load every trip from Nelson and this city. The ore train to Northport which now goes out about to Northport which now goes out about 5:30 every afternoon could easily be held a little later and a day coach attached whenever the Pullman service was given. in the evening, reach Spokane early next morning and return the following night, thus effecting the saving of two days, to say nothing of the convenience of making direct connection with the Great Northern train for the east, which leaves Spokane

If the company put on some such limited service as suggested it would do a great

wate telephone message received and source that is authoritative fully confirms the rumor. Six feet of ore has been ending from the west drift 60 feet west high grade, the average assay being outside of the lead per ton, \$4 in gold and of the shaft and on the 90-foot level, of which the first samples averaged \$154 in 300 ounces in silver. The Native Silver has a 20-inch pay streak of this kind of ore. The work to be prosecuted this wingled per ton and 4 oz. in silver.

The work to be prosecuted this wingled and felt into a trench or pit that had been opened on Saturday last netwer with a most serious accident at Cascade with a most seriou

Mr. Frank Lyonnais, purser of the steamer Kootenay, and Mr. Clark, lessee of the bar, are matched to run a 100-yard race at Arrowhead before the 20th inst. race at Arrowhead before the 20th inst.
Lyonnais at his quarters at Foley's is getting into the pink or condition and hopes by the time of the racing he will have pulled off about 50 pounds. Clark makes his quarters at Kerr's, where his trainer is putting him to work. Lyonnais though heavier, is the favorite in the betting, but the result is doubtful. The loser will pay for a champagne supper for the officers on board the steamer Kootenay.

The time limit is 59 seconds. The winner good selections. The uniforms

Hon. David Mills was banquetted by the Calgary bar, and spoke on the parliamentary system.

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Did Not Show Up.

Prosperity in the Boundary.

Lynch lay where he fell for over an nour before he was discovered by friends. He was brought into Rossland by the late train last night and conveyed to the Sistemant some time in the Boundary ters' hospital.

Lynch lay where he fell for over an nour some misunderstanding on their part as some misunderstanding on their part as to when the case was to be disposed off. Mitchell telephoned from Spokane to Officer McPhee that he understood his case would not come up until after the relies commissioners had

LAURIER'S REPLY.

Message in Response to the Resolution Adopted in Rossland.

In reply to the resolution passed at the public meeting, addressed on Friday night last by Messrs. Fisher and Bostock, Mr. W. Hart-McHarg, the president of the Liberal association, received the follow ing message Sunday evening from Sir Wil-frid Laurier, the Dominion Premier: Your telegram conveying resolution re ceived. You are informed by this time that the government is sending a force WILFRID LAURIER.

Taking advantage of the fine weather on Sunday afternoon the City Council Band paraded on Columbia avenue in Band paraded on Columbia avenue in their new uniforms and played several good selections. The uniforms are Ross-land made of black broadcloth trimmed looked very neat and well.

The censorship over press dispatches at Manila has been removed by General Otis.

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this rock requires a proce The silica must first be the sulphides, then the the gold, silver and copped. The rock is first pulled to eliminate a certa the silica. It is necessar per cent silica in the c process is called concentrate delicate process, for if the too fine the copper sulph as well as the particles No matter how careful ten per cent of the value the early days of Butt to run from 25 to 40 pe now the Anaconda is lo of its values in the protion. This is due to the Anaconda Reduction Wo are used which pulverize ly. Thirty-five per cent criminal waste of 30,000,0 per annually. The most as the Anaconda should cent in concentration, would mean 20,000,000 But to let 50,000,000 pou carried down stream eve traordinary condition that excessive waste in million in gold and silv also be saved. Estimati cents a pound, it can be

Comparison of Treatment at Butte

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Addresses by Hon. Mr. Fisher and Mr. Hewitt Bostock

Mr. Bostock Gives an Account of His Stewardship-Hon.M r. Fisher Defends the Policy of the Government.

The meeting at the Miners' Union hall

of the dawn, and the difficulty he exper-rising sun were reflected in gold and put the Anaconda Reduction Works up to ple upon its waters. I never shall forget date. Up to date concentrators could save could have done it, but the work was not ienced in attempting to look after all the the look of rapture and delight that glow- all but 10 per cent of Butte ores, and could well done. He ambitioned to be the interests involved, as well as attending to ed upon the countenance of my friend produce concentrates at 35 cents a con. guide and pilot of the state, and for nearly the parliamentary duties during the long while gazing at the marvelous beauty of It now costs Anaconda 77 cents a ton for 20 years he has come very near being so, sessions that are now in vogue at Ottawa. lake and wood and fairy isle and moun-concentrates. That is a difference of over He owned and directed the policy of Mr. Bostock paid a graceful tribute to the tain. "How exquisitely beautiful," he \$600,000. When the concentrates are roast-hotels, department stores, newspapers and minister of agriculture for his attendance murmured. "Surely nature, in her fond- ed to eliminate sulphides they are treat banks. He operated lumber mills, fish- this evening, and his desire to become acest and most fascinating mood, never ed by the Anaconda prople in Brueckner hatcheries, brood farms and racing stables. quainted with the business situation in

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Comparison of Treatment at Butte and at Anaconda

Results of an Inquiry Into Workings of Various Works-Cheap and Economic Treat ment at the The Smelter of Mr. F. Aug. Heinze-Letter by Mr. P. A. G'Farrell.

Butte, Montana, Oct. 7, 1899. see this lovely lake but I judge it at scene for romance more enchanting than scene for romance more enchanting than Scott has woven around Lock Catherine and Helen's Isle. Once in company with an illustrious poet I was wafted along this lovely lake when its mighty mountains were radiant with the brilliant glory of the dawn, and when the rays of the rising sun were reflected in gold and purple upon its waters. I never shall forget the look of rapture and delight that glowed upon the countenance of my friend scene for romance more enchanting than steady indeed, once more to be and Mr. Haggin would never dream of paying any man in their service more than \$3,000 a year, and Mr. Daly had for the steady improvement that is going on in Rossland, and it must be most gratifying to us all to see this city growing and extended changes.

In fact, Mr. Daly has trieu to do the one for a hundred men, and he did that work of a hundred men, and he did that the work of a hundred men, and he did that the was paying any man in their service more than \$3,000 a year, unless he chanced to be a horse jockey.

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The produce concentrates at 35 cents tain. "How exquisitely beautiful," he most picture and most fascinating mood, never glorious Pend d'Oreille." And into this glorious Pend d'Oreille. The concentrates are roast-the house, department stores, newspapers and housels, department stores, newspapers and h lake pour rivers that grain the most pic- Falls is 78 cents a ton. At the Heinze ena. He knew the price of every purchaslake pour rivers that grain the most picturesque glens of Idaho and the fairest turesque glens of Idaho and the fairest works automatic calcine furnaces are used able voter and every venal officer and valleys of Montana. The great river which bears to this lake the tributary waters of the Anaconda a system of roasting like man, his knowledge of men and of affairs where the Kootenays and the voter and every purchast and the prodivided in Montana. For an uneducated the Anaconda a system of roasting like man, his knowledge of men and of affairs ten thousand rivulets and creeks of Mon-Heinze's, the cost would be \$500,000 a year is phenomenal. His natural talents and Mr. Bostock then gave a resume of the ten thousand rivulets and creeks of Montana and Idaho is called the Clarks Fork of the Columbia. Formerly it had a hundred different names, and some of these still survive. 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This river of diverse nomenclature drains Butte and Anaconda, and when at the beginning of the century the famous exploring as may seem desirable. ginning of the century the famous explor- sulphide ores for \$4 a ton, que place in the industrial world. But a result of the report on the Crow's Nest to Great Britain as may seem desirable. ginning of the century the famous explorers, Lewis and Clark, journeyed along its banks, they deemed it supremely beautiful. It rolled through a region of export. But at Anaconda it costs \$6.40 and his career, bright comes on. His sun is setting fast, and his career, bright comes on. His sun is setting fast, and his career, bright comes on. His comes on the crow's Nest are result of the report on the Crow's Nest are result of the re ful. It rolled through a region of exceeding loveliness, a land of glades and ton to turn concentrates into matte. At as it has been, is only one more lesson sanitary officers, who would prevent the

warfare to the chase. The elk is gone cost if the works were run as they are forever and the wilderness tuat Lewis and run at Heinze's smelter in Butte or at rushing river has been transformed by the pioneer. No more the wild whoop of the savage chasing buffalo, elk and deer, echoes along these hills. The iron horse of civil-tons of copper. This is the Bessemerizing tons of copper. This is the Bessemerizing to the Old National Bank of Spokane. As soon as the accounts of the liquidator have been passed by the court and the meadow and the white man's cottage embowered in flowers tell of the conquests ton, and that \$8 a ton is all that it should Clark explored along the banks of this the Northport smelter on the banks of glens, and the orchard, the grain field, the meadow and the white man's cottage embeadow and that it should too, had now a means of forcing too, had now a means of forcing in full.

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the destruction of the beauty of the once copper annually by the Anaconda com- the O. K. pany.

TABLE I.

Showing Anaconda Copper Product and Its Cost. Production of ore, 1,459,249; cost Tons concentrated, 1,459,249;

Concentrates smelted, 500,000 tons; cost per ton. \$6.40: total, \$3.200,875. Copper converted, 62,258 tons; cost per ton, \$17; total, \$1,073,938,85.

Product refined, at Anaconda, the early days of Butte the losses used tons; cost per ton, \$20; total, \$603,123.77. Product refined, at Seaboard, 32,105 now the Anaconda is losing 35 per cent tons; cost per ton, \$30; total, \$968,891; of its values in the process of concentra- grand total, \$12,964,614.

TABLE II.

Showing Anaconda Copper Product at criminal waste of 30,000,000 pounds of cop normal cost and improved concentrating per annually. The most that such mines and smelting:

as the Anaconda should lose is 15 per Production of ore, 1,500,000 tons mined; cent in concentration, and 15 per cent cost per ton, \$2.75; total, \$4.225,000. would mean 20,000,000 pounds a year. Tons concentrated, 1,500,000; cost per But to let 50,000,000 pounds of copper be ton, 40 cents; total, 600,000. carried down stream every year is an ex- Concentrates smelted, 500,000 tons; cost traordinary condition of affairs. With per ton, \$4; total, \$2,000,000.

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Mr. Richard Plewman, the liquidator of

LOYALTY IN ROSSLAND. Desire to Join the Canadian Contingent

to the Transvaal. evening by Mr. P. McL. Forin and Mr. Hart-McHarg:

Lieut.-Colonel Peters, Vancouver, B. C .: The officers, several non-commissioned officers and men desire to volunteer for the Transvaal. What steps will be neces

sary to take. P. McL. FORIN, Captain Rossland Rifle Co. If the intense desire which animates hundreds of men in Rossland to go to the Transvaal is prevalent in other parts of Canada, and there is no doubt it is, there will be the greatest difficulty in choosing among the rival applicants. It is safe to say that at least 250 men could be obtained from Rossland alone. When such an enthusiastic feeling exists in this camp where there is so much to chain the citizens down to remunerative work what must it not be in as loyal but less attractive centres of population.

NEW ARRIVALS.

New Underground Superintendent of the

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As for the railway policy adopted by government in opening up the southern portion of British Columbia by the Crow's As for the railway poincy acceptance of the southern portion of British Columbia by the Crow's Nest construction, the results attained applicate moved the adoption of the resonance of the reson prove that they had caried out the pledges lution. made previously, and the country was almade previously, and the country was already feeling the benefit of the new line, particularly in East Kootenay. The right to use a portion of the Crow's Nest line which had been reserved by the government, had been practically proved and some 12 or 15 miles of the line were now being used by another line. The government, too, had now a means of forcing the C. P. R. to grant just and moderate of the particularly in East Kootenay. The right to use a portion of the Crow's Nest line which had been reserved by the government, had been practically proved and some 12 or 15 miles of the line were now said he wished first to thank the audience for the hearty expression of opinion new the meeting adjourned.

Mith a kindly reference to Mr. Bostock's energy Mr. Fisher concluded amid applants.

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session, either by Mr. Corbin, the Great that the province had a very fair agricul-Northern railway or by some of the interested parties, when he thought the He admitted not being well posted upon rich, and even luxurious, and the wonder-ous prosperity of Butte is responsible for \$720,000 in the refining of 60,000 tons of the C. K. L. cannot fail to charter would be granted. It would be to mining, but desired to see and understand the advantage of both Rossland and the matters concerning the province came up for discussion either in the cabinet or in the had done in the past.

matters concerning the province came up for discussion either in the cabinet or in the House he could follow the facts allegthe had done in the past.

The action of the government on the Chinese tax question was touched on. It was a difficult matter to settle so that the legislation asked for should meet with the approval of not only all the cabinet, but the whole party had to be considered. The people in Eastern Canada had to be

changing, and they were understanding the whole question in a far better way, so that next session he hoped the government would be enabled to present and pass a bill dealing with the question. The dealings of the C. P. R. with townsite companies were explained, and the member stated the stand taken by himself and the government on the question. The two cases of Moyie and Grand Forks were detailed, and Mr. Bostock said both these cases had since been attended to, and the railway had been forced to were the cases and since been attended to, and the made in the former Conservative tariff and the speaker, had been carried out in accordance with the express pledges given by the government from time to time. Free trade under existing conditions was not possible in this country, but very material reductions had been and in the former Conservative tariff and tariff reform said the speaker, had been carried out in accordance with the express pledges given by the government from time to time. Free trade under existing conditions was not possible in this country, but very material reductions had been and tariff reform said the speaker, had been carried out in accordance with the express pledges given by the government from time to time. cases had since been attended to, and the railway had been forces to grant substantial justice to the residents of these two places. A bill had been introduced by Hon. Mr. Blair dealing with the whole matter, but the relief sought was blocked by the action of Sir Charles Tupper, the leader of the opposition. Next session, present government. Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Davis arrived here Saturday and were met at the station by Mr. J. B. Hastings and Mr. Kirby and taken to their new quarters at the War Eagle. Mr. Davis is the new underground superintendent at the War Eagle and Centre Star mines and comes here from Butte, Montana, with high recommendations as an underground mining man, having had charge of the underground work in the Boston and Montana with a due regard to the ground work in the Canadian agricultural production at the present time was gone into with some the leader of the opposition. Next session, present government.

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war was declared and he thought it only

Alderman Lalonde seconded the mo

but the whole party had to be considered. If today Canada is known in England it was chiefly owing to Hon. Mr. Fielding's educated on the subject, and until they were it would not be possible to get the tax increased as they wish to see it. The views of the eastern men were, however, views of the eastern men were, however, the now being commenced was also due to the rolling adopted by the Liberal party. bridge

recommendations as an underground mining man, having had charge of the underground work in the Boston and Montana mines at Butte. Mrs. Davis, who was a Miss Wood of Denver, Colorado, was married to the new superintendent at Denver on the 4th of the present month and the pair come here at the conclusion of their wedding trip.

The Opening Dance.

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The past—all are made to look and if they got them in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under the Liberal government for obtaining cheap smelting, making it possible for many properties in this camp it would mean a continuance of prosperity to all concerned and they count thank the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass railway under

British Columbia,...

the House and legislation would be passed giving effect to the wishes of the people of this province in the matter. (Applause).

The Drummond County railway deal was dealt with in detail and the action of the government was defended, as was the

Mr. Fisher concluded an able political speech on behalf of the government and the Liberal party generally by a generous reference to the splendid progress made reference to the spitche camp, and the by the mines and the camp, and the minister said he was decidedly impressed with the absolute necessity of immediately proceeding with the erection of substantial Federal buildings at once, and he could be relied on to press the matter on his colleagues upon his return to Ottawa. With a kindly reference to Mr. Bostock's energy Mr. Fisher concluded amid ap-plause.

Mr. C. M. Oliver of the C. P. R. telegraph service, arrived in the city last evening to take the managership of the office here, as successor to Mr. J. H. M. Hungerford, who pressed his resignation on the company, desiring to return to the key. Mr. Oliver has been in the employ of the C. P. R. practically all his life, and capable business man. He will take charge of the office on Monday, and Mr. Hungerford, who is a favorite with the Rossland public, will look after the night

Quick Work. The contractor in charge of removing the bluff on South Lincoln street is making quick work with his job. Yesterday afternoon an unusually heavy blast was fired, and citizens in the immediate neighborhood were somewhat alarmed at the explosion. Beyond shattering a very large amount of rock, no damage was done to the buildings adjoining the work. The stone broken out is being used in building a retaining wall at the Washington stree

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AN APPARENT MYSTERY FULLY EXPLAINED.

There are thousands of people in Canada with very limited resources who are

and living expenses?"

The explanation is simple, but true,

Continued Development on the Rathmul len Group-Shipment of Ore From the Yankee Boy-Other News.

Grand Forks, B.C., Oct. 12.-(Special.)-An idea of the increase in the volume of business in the Boundary country can be formed from the fact that the customs collections at this port during September exceeded \$10,000.

The Kitty W., adjoining the Pathfinder mine, north fork of the Kettle river, looks so favorable as a result or the recent work in opening the ledge by a series of open cuts that it has been decided by the management to keep a force of men at work all winter. A permanent working shaft will be sunk to the 75-foot level when crosscutting will be commenced.

The main working shaft on the Maple Leaf of the Rathmullen group in the Summit camp, is now down 125 feet, and will be continued to the 200-foot level, when 't is expected that the ledge will be encountered. The same ledge is traversed by a drift running from the 75-foot level. With

Hardy mountain six weeks ago, shipped a carload of 20 tons of ore to the Trail in gold and silver.

The properties are only one and one

half miles from Grand Forks. A shaft has been sunk one hundred feet. It is con-nected with a tunnel one hundred feet long. Near the face of the tunnel a crosscut has been driven 15 feet, and in it the ore is from 12 to 27 inches wide. The latest assay gave 29 ounces of gold and 12 ounces

Two plots of 20 acres each from the Mc-Clintock farm, owned by J. A. Smith, have been sold to J. W. and Fred Lane and Frank McCarter respectively. The price realized was over \$60 per acre Messrs. Lane will start a fruit and veget able garden while the other purchaser will start a poultry farm. The location is only one mile from Grand Forks.

D. J. Jackling, who is famed for his discoveries in metallurgy, passed through here today en route to Republic. He was accompanied by Major R. G. Edwards Leckie, manager of the Republic mine. The object of his visit to the American camp is to report on behalf of the manage ment respecting the best method of treat ing the ores of the Republic mine. Both cyaniding and smelting have been suggested. Mr. Jackling is expected to solve the problem as to which processes with due regard to cost will produce the best results. He has charge of the reduction works of the De La Mar, or Golden Gate mines at Mercur,50 miles from Salt Lake City, Utah. There a combination process in which cyaniding is the most active prineiple, is utilized. It was invented by Mr. Jackling and enables the mineowners to of the ore there averages \$8 per ton. Forty thousand tons of ore are handled monthly. The mines employ five hundred heard a great deal about the Boundary country, and intended to make a tour of the various camps after concluding his

erganized the Drummer's Development company in Jac last to work a group of four claims of Deer creek, near Curlew, Wash., a point 15 miles from Grand Wash., a point 15 miles from Grand
Forks. He stated today that the ledge on the proper is varies from 20 to 40
feet in width, and has been opened up by means of open cuts for a distance of eight hundred feet. A shaft on the side line of the ledge of the ledge or osscut indicates the course of ore from their properties and the samples of ore from their properties and of two of the claims, the Cyclone and the Tornado has been sunk 70 feet and will be continued to the 100-foot level before crosscutting is begun. The ore is coppersilver-lead and carries some hismuth he paystreak, according to Mr. Johnson, is about three feet wide and values vary from \$30 to \$50 per ton. The other claims in the group are the Keystoneand the Cutty-There are 25 tons of ore on to Johnson expects to ship to

the Grand Forks smelter in the spring.
Mr. Johnson recently seld the Top Hand on Deer creek, two miles from Curlew, to J. B. Scobey of Olympia Wash., who represented Chicago parties. The consideration was \$20,000. It is a copper-silverlead proposition. Development work will be commenced an the 15th inst. A tunnel be run 500 feet to tap three leads.

W. A. Romwich a London, Eng., stockbroker, accompanied by Hector McRae o Rossland, was here today. He will make tour of the Boundary camps after visit ing Republic. Mr. Romwich is intereste in the Recordia syndicate, which is developing the Anaconda and Columbia & Kootenay claims in Deadwood camp, He also operates in West Australia mines. Before his return home he will visit mining properties in Montana, near Butte, and Cripple Creek, Col.

A contract has just been let by the management of the B.C. mine in Summit camp to sink an additional one hundred feet to The main working shaft is now down 150 feet and will be en larged to 16 1-2 x & the standard size. The air shaft from the 150-foot level to the surface was completed a few days ago. It has greatly improved the ventilation of the mine. The new and enlarged com-pressor plant and hoist is expected from Montreal within the next few weeks.

The grading of the C. P. R. spur to the mine has been completed and the rails will be laid this fall. Regular shipments will The ore begin in December or January. on the dumps exceeds eleven

Grand Forks, B. C., Oct. 16.—(Special.) Henry White, the locator of the Knob Hul and Old Ironsides, as a result of a recent visit to Franklin camp, the new north fork camp on the east fork of the of Kettle river, has bonded the Banner claim from Frank McFarlane for \$50,000. paying 10 per cent down. This deal is as indicating the great rich-

of a region exclusively tributary to and Forks. It was negotiated after Mr. hite had made a thorough examination

shipping ore at the surface. Average as times that are prevailing."

says gave returns of \$40 per ton in go copper and silver in the order named. The lead can be traced nearly the whole length of the claim. The bottom of a 15-foot shaft is in ore. A tunnel will be

the camp is one of the certainties of George H. Ham, chief of the literary de partment of the C. P. R., has been visiting Grand Forks and other points to ob tain material for forthcoming pamphlets

and folders.

The Grand Forks board of trade ha been organized. Steps are being taken to form a mineral exhibit. The board has se-

cured new quarters. There is a great scarcity of all kinds of labor, skilled and unskilled, here. inc Granby smelter is advertising for 25 car penters and 75 laborers. The work on the dam and flume and smelter buildings has been delayed owing to the lack of men Ordinary day laborers are being paid \$3 per day. New arrivals are certain to obtain employment. Building construction in town is also delayed for want of car-

R. A. Brown left today for the Similk meen to start work on the Sunset min eral claim, which was recently incorpor The property is Princeton, and is considered a high grade copper proposition. Two shifts will be employed with Isaac Lougheed as foreman. A 43-foot shaft will be continued to the 150-foot level. A steam hoisting plant will be secured immediately. Dr. Deek of Montreal, who examined the property the new compressor the shaft is being sunk at the rate of two feet a day.

F. M. McLeod of this city, who bonded sufficient number of treasury shares have sufficient number of treasury shares have the Yankee Girl and the Yankee Boy on Been sold to enable development work to be prosecuted for six months as well as to carload of 20 tons of ore to the Trail make a large cash payment to Dr. Averill smelter today. This represents the first one of the former owners. R. A. (Vol shipment of ore from the Boundary country. It is expected to average \$100 a ton Curtis secretary, and Alex. Miller, maning gold and silver ager of the local branch of the Merchants

Bank of Halifax, treasurer. Fred Wollaston, C. E., and Hugh Can non have returned from a trip up the north fork of Kettle river. They reached a point 65 miles from Grand Forks. Mr. Wollaston, on behalf of the North Fork Improvement company, examined the river the entire distance to determine the cost of removing the various obstructions in order to facilitate the descent of saw logs from the upper reaches. He discovered log jams at various places. He estimates the cost of the proposed improve-

ments at \$50,000.

The oat crop of the Kettle river valley this season amounted to 30,000 hushels Coryell Bros headed the list of producers with 8,000 bushels. With oats at 68 cents a bushel the ranchers will realize a hand

ome profit. The tunnel in Volcanic mountain on the north fork has now reached a length of

The Weather Getting Chily-Developmen in the Camp.

Republic. Oct. 10. - (Special.) - Th weather is getting rather chilly and the which should yield, provided it could be utilized, sufficient fuel to reduce the copnights quite cool.

a full face of fine ore. They are working cheap treatment. The proposed plant may eight men. The hotel and other buildbe in operation by March, the furnace eight men. The hotel and other build be in operation by March, the furnace ings are being erected as rapidly as possihaving a capacity of 250 tons a day. Should handle \$3 gold ore at a profit. The ble and will soon be completed, which will

The Clackmas crosscut tunnel is in 75 feet, and they expect to cut the ledge any

On the Tom Thumb they are driving A Permanent Collection for the City—Ore took ways on the ledge from the bottom for England and the East:

on the shaft Several other claims in the vicinity are being developed by their owners. The velopment, could be obtained and placed nearest railroad point is Coule City, 27 miles distant. Wagon roads can easily be constructed.

> FROM THE RECORDS. Bills of Sale.

S. P. Tuck, sheriff, per Walter J. Rob inson, deputy. Notice of seizure of Dennis Shea's interest in the Nora Darling, on the north side of Beaver creek. Sale

on the 28th of October. L. Christensen to Morten Anderson 1-6 interest in the Hope mineral claim for

Jacob Hook to Arthur Schneider, th

Granite mineral claim on Proctor mountain for \$1. Thomas W. Stack to Mrs. Susie Murphy. the Silver Tip Fraction mineral claim on

Red mountain for \$1. Certificates of Work. To F. S. Algiers on the Lisp. To Phil A. Silverstone on the Texas

fraction To Mrs. Murphy on the Silver Tip Frac tion. To C. H. De Beck on the Bannoo

To William Gibson on the Maggie Fra To Charles Hiteshue on the Golden

Demand For Lumber and Timber.

Mr. John H. Stone is in the city from Spokane. Mr. Stone supplies timber for the mines around the camp, and obtains most of his material from along the line of the Spokane Falls & Northern railway. others interested in the progress of the "The demand for timber and lumber," said Mr. Stone, "is very large at present. This demand come from both sides of the line and is hard to supply, as it is difficult to get the material. It shows that there is quartz lead on the Banner varies in great activity in both mining and build- C. G. B. Taylor, who is occupying the night. The construction was delayed a from 20 to 30 feet, and contains ing, and is one of the signs of the good position, is also city clerk of Greenwood, little by a bridge just out of the town the property.

PROGRESS AT COLUMBIA CITY

RATES OF WAGES RECEIVED BY SKILLED WORKMEN.

Hon. Sydney Fisher and Mr. Hewitt Bostock Deliver Addresses-Loder Pyritic Smelter to Be Erected.

Columbia, B. C., Oct. 17.-(Special.)-People are pouring in by train and stage at the rate of 50 a day, and even soft planks are in demand about bed time. Two or three leading Greenwood chants have rented the lower part of the Hotel Escalet building, on Government avenue, and will start a large general store, paying particular attention to house

Mr. Robbins, manager of the Brooklyn and Stemwinder at Phoenix, is in the city on his way back from examining North Star mine in East Kootenay. the this city, is ready to blow in, many of the Phoenix properties will be regular ship-

pers.
The Kitty W. Gold Mining company owners of the property adjoining the Pathfinder, are driving tunnels and crosscutting the vein at the surface with a view

to systematic development. Columbia is suffering from a scarcity of lumber and other material. Furnished rooms rent at sight for from three to seven dollars a week. Board ranges from \$5 to \$10 a week. All classes of skilled labor are in demand; masons and brick layers receive \$5 a day, and carpenters \$4, cooks, waiters, domestic servants, and miners who will work for \$3.50 a day can find employment immediately, but of com-mon unskilled labor there is sufficient. Columbia is entertaining some distinguished guests. Today the Hon. Sidney Fisher, minister of agriculture, and Hewitt Bostock, M. P., addressed a large audience in the Catholic church, and tomorrow Mr

Collingwood Schrieber,

a day or so later President Shaughnessy of the C. P. R., will be here. There has been no very cold weather a yet in the Kettle river valley, although on one or two nights we have had a touch of frost. Wild strawberries are still to had for the seeking. A couple of days ago there was a sprinkling of snow on the Mr. Moore wants the business interests of hills, but it has since disappeared, and old timers say we may yet have six weeks of fine weather before winter shall have fairly set in.

railways, accompanied by a large party

including several ladies, will be in the city

deputy minister of

Not content with the erection of a very The tunnel in Volcanic mountain on the north fork has now reached a length of 620 feet. The prospects for striking ore are improving daily.

REPUBLIC LETTER.

Not content with the erection of a very large smelter capable of treating some seven hundred tons of ore a day, it is believed a second stack is being arranged for, which will treat a certain class of ore by the so called Loder pyritic smelting system, which is one of those processe which aims at reducing very materially the quantity of coke consumed. As is well known the sulphides of iron and copper carry in the shape of sulphur and iron an amount of heat producing materia The Wacunda tunnel is in 123 feet, with Loder system is said to permit of this the promoters' expectations be realized be a great convenience to the traveling the very poorest ores of the surrounding public.

ORE EXHIBITS.

On the Tom Thumb they are driving both ways on the ledge from the bottom of the 150-foot shaft.

News from the Nova is very encouraging. The 100-foot tunnel shows continuous quartz averaging good values, and the ledge color of the ledge from the bottom of the Spokane Industrial exhibition in inducing the mine owners of British color of the ledge from the bottom of the ledge from the bottom of the ledge from the bottom of the Spokane Industrial exhibition in inducing the mine owners of British color of the ledge from the bottom of the Spokane Industrial exhibition in inducing the mine owners of British color of the ledge from the ledge from the ledge from the ledge from the spokane Industrial exhibition in inducing the mine owners of British color of the ledge from the ledge f

per, gold and silver, principally copper. then go on their way. If a collection of Work will be continued during the winter ore from the different properties which surround the camp, showing the appear ance of the ore at different stages of de in some central place in the town easy of access visitors could always have some vis ible sign of the progress that is being made. In the course of time a very valu-able collection would be got together and could be augmented by samples or speci mens from other camps. If the ore thus collected was properly set out, labelled and kept clean and in order it would quickly become one of the show features of the camp. The city council and the board of trade could arrange all the de-

tails to start and maintain the idea. But a permanent collection for city is not the only one mentioned. great was the interest manifested in the Spokane exhibit that it is suggested that Rossland or British Columbia collection of ore would prove a drawing card for the camp in Eastern Canadian cities and at the government offices in London. The Victoria board of trade last week determined to set aside a fund for the purpose of advertising the numerous advantages possessed by the city, and it is proposed that the city council should assist in the matter. What better plan could there be for advertising this compatible as well. for advertising this camp than a well-selected ore exhibit, accompanied by a short, well-written pamphlet giving all necessary particulars and in addition a judicious selection of photographs? The initial outlay for the three exhibits at Rossland, Eastern Canada and London would not be great and arrangements might easily be made to have the collect tions added to and looked after without might be made here in the camp on the lines suggested and the other two collections could be arranged later on. The at-tention of the city board of trade and camp is respectfully drawn to the sug-

gestions made. Frank Elkins has received the appoint ment of deputy sheriff at Greenwood, B. which now requires all of his time.

· VIOÙIN LAKE PARK

A Syndicate Has acquired the Land and Will Improve It.

A syndicate consisting of Anay H. Rev esbeck, Dr. Reddick, Contractor James Lawn, Phil A. Silverstone, Dr. Angus W Kenning and City Assessor William Harp has been formed for the purpose of ac quiring the Violin Lake property, and the contract has already been signed and the actual property turned over. The first of the three payments to the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway was made on Saturday last. The funds for the future payments are assured, and the syndicate will today and the completion of construction be incorporated in a few days and a reg- was witnessed by a large number of peoular board of directors will be elected.

The property that has been acquired includes between 1,600 and 1,700 acres of the finest timber land in the Kootenay, and cial train arrived with Superintendent The timber consists of white pine, red ster of railways, Ottawa; W. H. Aldridge pine, cedar, hemlock and fir, and the of the Trail smelter, and a number of othgrowth is enormous. It is intended to ers. Mr. Schreiber is on a tour of incut a large amount of timber yearly for spection on behalf of the Dominion govsome time, to make clearings around the er, now being built within a mile or so of lake for a summer resort and to build a ernment. The party was well pleased. hotel and cottages along the shores of the Owing to the great demand for railway lake.

look over the territory and estimate the amount of the timber standing on the property.

The acquirement of the property by the syndicate and the opening up of the district will insure a better quality of good lumber for the city than it has yet enjoy ed, besides having a fine summer resort near at hand and that can be readily reached. Moreover, the lake will provide excellent open air skating during the winter, and this will be at all times available. COMPLETE SYSTEM.

Through Wire to Dawson Being Arrang

A special dispatch from Juneau, Alaska, Western Union office at Victoria, B. C., representing a company to be known as British Columbia & Alaska Telegraph vorking up the project. Mr. Moore prooses to use the Edison phonoplex tem, laying a cable from Juneau to Alaska, a distance of 100 miles, over which, it is said, the phonoplex will work have the cable in operation next March. Juneau to take a total of \$10,000 worth of coupons, good for that much business, over the line, the coupons to be delivered and paid for when the cable is in success ful operation. He is meeting with encouragement. An appropriation of \$400, 000 has been made by the Dominion government for the purpose of stringing a pany two machine drills and a boiler. wire from Quesnelle, on the Fraser river, 200 miles north of Ashcroft, B. C., to Atlin, and cords of wire are now said to be piled up at Ashcroft. As early next spring as possible two gangs of men will and the other at the Atlin. They are exnext fall and join wires. That moment pany. Juneau, Skagway and Dawson will cease to be isolated places of the north. They will, so far as communication is concerned, be just as close to New York and Lon-England, as Seattle and San Fran cisco. The Dominion government will use several hundred miles of the old telegraph ersburg and Europe. This was defeated by the completion of the Cyrus W. Field cable across the Atlantic. Several million dollars were lost and tons of wire left on the ground. Some of it is there yet.

Sold a Three-Fourths Interest

The deal for the Delphine mine, in the Harrison, has been completed, with the

The report of the Athabasca mine for got big odds against his horse Dixie Land, tance from Bennett to Dawson is shortthe month of September is most flatter, and won considerable money. Then Mr. ened from 550 miles to 405. value, \$23.12.

A Dominion Deputy Minister.

Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, C. E., depty minister of railways and canals, and be sent to Meyer's Falls. From the fore chief engineer for the Dominion, arrived in town vesterday. Mr. Schreiber is here for the purpose of inspecting the new Columbia & Western railway extension from Robson to Greenwood. He will leave this morning for Robson, and after inspecting the line, will return to Ottawa. Mr Schreiber is accompanied by Mr. C. W Ross, his private secretary, and Mrs. Crombie of Ottawa, and Mrs Gwynne of Toronto.

OBSTRUCTIONS REMOVED.

Washington Street Near Columbia Ave nue, Is Clear of Debris. For over a year half of Washington stree near Columbia avenue, in front of the Bank of Montreal building has been obstructed with brick, stone, mortar, fragments of lumber and other material. As a result of this only the west half of the thoroughfare has been in use. This was caused by the building operations on the Bank of Montreal building. Yesterday Mr. Sol Cameron, the contractor who erected the structure, removed the last of the ma any further cost. In any case a start terial that he had assembled there, and the street is once more free for the use of the public. This is a convenience which the owners and occupants of buildings in that vicinity greatly appreciate.

Into Greenwood.

Mr. W. F. Tye C. E., of the C. P. R. was a passenger for Trail last evening. He says that the Columbia & Western railway was completed into Greenwood last

IS COMPLETED TO GREENWOOD

C. P. R. TRACK LAID AND FREIGHT WILL BE DELIVERED.

Number of Visitors to the Boundary Go in Over a Special Train-Passenger Service Delayed.

Greenwood, B. C., Oct. 18 .- (Special.)-The C. P. R. track was laid into the city ple. Freight will be delivered in Greenbuilding and a shortage of rails a further Two cruisers will go out this week to extension may possibly be delayed for a

THE NEW ST. ELMO PLANT.

The compressor plant for the New St. Elmo has been hauled, with the exception

of the 50-horse power motor, to the site and some of the parts have already been installed. It is thought by the management that the plant will be ready for use as soon as the exigencies of the property without any great inconvenience, been drifted on. the ledge which has very satisfactorily. It is proposed to have the cable in operation next March. The showing of ore in the property is very fair and it is now thought that ultimately it will prove to be a producer of considerable pay ore.

Machinery Sold.

The Jenckes Machine company, through its agent, Mr. F. R. Mendenhall, yesterday sold to the Queen Bess Mining comproperties of the company, which are lo- Chilkat, have brought out bullets and cated on Howson creek in the Slocan. knick-knacks manufactured out of native The Jenckes Machine company also sold the Duncan Mines four machine drills. put to work, one at the Quesnelle end This makes its total complement of drills six. These drills are to be used to furpected to meet somewhere in the interior nish ore for the 20-stamp mill of the com-

Sunday Mail.

Postmaster Wadds has been receiving Selkirk, which, however, was refusanil on Sundays over the line of the Since that date the additional disco Spokane Falls & Northern, but no mail ies of Porcupine creek, in Alaska, 30 matter has been sent out on the fist day from the coast, Mineral mountain, of the week. This has now been changed ish Columbia; and placer and coal depo trail and survey, which was a Jay Gould of the week. This has now been changed and Western Union scheme to put an overland wire through Siberia to St. Petsouth will go out on Sundays the same as ies, have been made, and these all add south will go out on Sundays the same as ies, have been made, and the on any other day. No mail goes out via to the desirability of the Chilkat valley. he C. P. R. morning train, but the train Furthermore, the topography of the countering here at 5:50 p. m. will take the

ERNEST KENNEDY'S RACERS.

They Were Phenomenally Successful During the Recent Tour.

weeks with his string of race horses. In stration that the deposit of The time run was 29 days, 11 hours. Kennedy took his string to Yakima, to Mr. Jarvis has brought some very good won everything. He shipped Steptoe to spring. Lewiston. Ben Ledi was sent to San Francisco, where she will participate in the races there. Dixie Land was brought to this city vesterday, but later on will going it will be seen that Mr. Kennedy has secured three horses of more than ordinary merit, and that they will be heard from in the future seems to be certain.

The Police Court.

The case of the crown against William Mitchell, the ex-city jailer, charged with receiving bribes, came up again before the police magnistrate yesterday morning. On his return from Spokane Mitchell promptly surrendered himself at police headquarters and this morning was released on furnishing \$1,000 bail. As Mr. A. H. MacNeill, Q. C., who is conducting the prosecution, is at Kamloops, was adjourned over until Saturday morning next. Mitchell in the meantime is endeavoring to arrange the question of the clared forfeited by the magistrate on ac count of the accused not appearing last Saturday. As Mitchell has now obtained further bail there is but little doubt the forfeiture in question will be settled.

Centre Star Accident.

Charles Mansfield, a miner working in the Centre Star, got hurt yesterday afternoon by some rock falling upon him while at work. Mansfield was taken to the sisters' hospital at once and had his injuries attended to. Upon an examination it was found that beyond a few pretty bad bruises no serious damage was done and Mansfield will be out of the hosnital in a few days.

Mr. J. J. Lansing of Republic, is in the city on a short visit.

THE DALTON TRAIL

Mr. W. H. P. Jarvis Tells of the Country and Its Future.

Mr. W. H. P. Jarvis, who left Rossland

on the 29th of last May for the Bennett

mining division of the Cassiar district, has

just returned to this city. On leaving

Rossland Mr. Jarvis went direct to Ben-

nett over the White Pass railway, and from Bennett returned to Skagway and Pyramid Harbor, the port of the Dalton trail. The condition of affairs in Atlin tied up the placer claims that he went to operate, so hearing from his cousin, Capt. Jarvis of the Northwest Mounted Police of the extensive copper discoveries 55 miles wood in a few days. At 5 o'clock a spe- up the Dalton trail from Pyramid Harbor he went in to investigate with the result. the whole area of Violin Lake in addition. Tye, Collingwood Schreiber, deputy mini- that he secured some 12 copper properties, all of which show high mineralization in what is now called the Mineral Mountain Belt. The deposits of ore are large, lying south, in slates and schists from a granite contact on the north, The deposits consist of, in high grade ores, bornite, a high sulphide of copper, and azurite, the blue carbonate of copper. From the bornite, assays have been obtained as high as 53 per cent copper and \$7 in gold. Antime. It has not been decided yet when other assay obtained from Mr. Marsh ot the passenger service will be extended Rossland, gave 42 per cent in copper and to Greenwood, but probably in 10 days 28 ounces in silver. The low grade ores consist of galena, yellow copper and zinc. A surface assay of this across a 50-foot ledge, gave 8 1-2 per cent lead, 6 1-2 per cent copper, a trace of gold and 5 ounces It Is Now Being Installed and Will Soon of silver. The ore bodies of the district are very large, often accompanied by parallel dykes of porphyritic rock. The camp as a whole, is a good tunnelling proposition. On the "Soldiers Three" depth of 800 feet can be obtained by a 1,000-foot tunnel. The value of this claim is further augumented by a good water within a month. The motor will be of the power. The summer climate of the Chilinduction type. The compressor consists kat valley is delightful. The valley is of the half of a 10-drill plant. The idea broad and open, and there is little or no says: R. L. Moore, chief operator of the in securing a plant of this type was that rain during the summer season, but in winter the fall of snow is heavy, approachdemand it the other half could be added ing eight feet. The cold, however, is not The severe. The lowest temperature recorded company, has been here several days drift tunnel is in for a distance of 600 last winter at Dalton trade post was 23 be feet and a crosscut has been run from this low zero. The timber in the valley is tunnel for a distance of 50 feet. The cross- large and of a good quality for lumber. cut is being run for the purpose of cutting This valley is interesting to Canadians as a ledge on the property that lies south of being that which it is proposed to cede to Great Britain, as an avenue of trade with the Yukon, and for this purpose it is eminently suitable, being broad and of an easy gradient, while Pyramid Harbor would offer anchorage for the fleets of the world, and should the efforts of the government to obtain this ground from the United States be successful, it will mean the immediate opening up of an immenserich mining district. years the Indians of the

nachinery was started yesterday for the terior making their annual pilgrimage to copper, and this led to an investigation Henry Bratenover of the Rothschild yndicate, and he estimated that the native copper of the White river would warrant in itself the construction of a railroad, and he applied to the Dominion government for a charter for a railroad to connect Pyramid Harbor with For White Pass railway, narrow gauge,

approaches a five per cent grade.

Atlin has proved to be a good hydraulic ountry, and in places \$100 a day can be made with sluice boxes. As a quartz country, however, it is yet unproductive, with but little prospect. The White Horse Mr. Ernest Kennedy, mining broker, re. rapids country, however, is attracting the result that Osler & Hammond of Toronto, turned yesterday from a tour of seven attention of the world. A good demon-The Canadian and United States company is preparing to run a tunnel on their newly acquired property, the Quartz Cap, which is a very promising property.

W. A. Starlsman is in from Nespelian, some sixty miles southwest from here. The some sixty miles southwest from here. The camp to which passing visitors can be excellent manyer in which the very several cap. excellent manner in which they developed Dixie Land and Steptoe. The horses were Horse rapids at once, and the work is now some sixty miles southwest from here. The camp is a new one, principally copper, although there is considerable gold. The ledges are wide fissure veins, and will be worked both by shaft and tunnel. A lo-foot shaft gives an average of \$15, copper, gold, and silver, principally copper, although there is considerable gold. The property and their enterprise has been a fine example to their neighbors.

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Sleighs for the Winter

The management of the Montana livery stable with commendable enterprise have brought in a carload of fine cutters and double sleighs fitted out with handsome obes, all complete. Several new sets of harness made expressly for the Montana

the Methodist church this morning at 11 o'clock. The subject of the discourse will be "Thoughtfulness and Thankfulness." Everybody is invited.

Mrs. John Phillips, wife of Contractor Phillips, leaves today for a visit to

Dundee Gold Mining Company, Limited Notice is hereby given that a special

general meeting of the shareholders of the Dundee Gold Mining Company, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the company, Columbia avenue, Rossland, British Columbia, on Saturday, the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1899, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering an offer for the purchase of the entire assets of the company, and if deemed advisable to pass resolutions authorizing the sale or other disposal of said assets, and the execution by the proper officers of the company of all deeds, conveyances, bills of sale or other documents necesary to vest the title in the purchasers thereof, and generally all such business as may lawfully come before said meeting in connection with such sale or disposal.

R. A. O. HOBBES, Secretary. Rossland, B. C., 12th October, 1899.

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COMPANY, LIMITED.

While the mineral wealth of the Kootthe space of a few years, become cities. Such has been the history of every mining community of any importance on the face of the globe. These occasions present opportunities for investment, which combine the elements or conservatism with immense profits, and have made the fortunes of men who, taking time by the have gotten in on the ground floor. In Rossland land values doubled, principal development work has been done trebled and quadrupled within the space of a few months. Such has been the exwill continue to be so long as there is any considerable strip of land left undeveloped within its boundaries.

but arrangements were subsequently made with the Canadian Pacific Railway Com- experienced mining engineer. pany, whereby 380 acres have been added the syndicate has been formed into a joint stock company, with a capitalization of \$50,000.00, and is now known as the Kootenay Land Exploration Company,

nual pilgrimage to out bullets and ured out of native to an investigation Besides the townsite, this company has of the Rothschild valuable holdings in the vicinity, in the form of placer, mineral and timber claims. While the placer and mineral claims have every indication of being te river would waronstruction of a ed to the Dominion valuable properties, owing to the uncertainty connected with undeveloped minlarbor with Fort er, was refuse additional disc er and coal deposits Northwest Territorand these all add

mining properties now being worked on now among the most desirable on these creeks, as well as for other proper- mining exchanges. ties being developed to the north and and already many lots have been pur-chased. A hotel and several stores are surrounding country possesses great natural beauty, and the low lands are suitable for dairying, ranching and gardening. Game and fish abound, and the bounties of nature are distributed in plenty. Stage and steamer traffic at present affords the only means of communication between Golden and Peterborough, and a stage line operates between Peterborough and Fort Steele; but a railway line passing through the new town has been surveyed from Golden to a railway line passing through the new town has been surveyed from Golden to Fort Steele, and must be built in the near future to transport ores from the mines

ies will be floated this coming winter ced early this next e Winter. the Montana livery ble enterprise have ut with handsome veral new sets of

acres, the lease on which is the last to be granted, as per government proclamation. These mills will not only supply the lumber and building material for Peterbor-ough, but to a large extent for the whole of East Kootenay. It is conservatively estimated that the timber lands controlled by the company have at least 10,000,000 feet of fir, spruce and tamarac, which at

The officers of the company are C. S. Wallis, president; J. A. Kirk, vice-president; L. H. Moffatt, secretary and treasurer, who, with the following gentlemen, Bailey and H. M. Rumball. These gentle- is of the latest pattern, and is complete ago and is composed of Messrs. John S. men are all residents of Rossland and are well known in mining and financial has been sunk 200 feet, and the superin-

and a fear a fear and a fear KOOTENAY LAND EXPLORATION, "October Fraction," the "Racatan," the 'Tamarac," and the "Dinner Bucket." world-famed districts, the country is 1,600 feet. This location is exceptionally to a large bin from which cars will be loaded for shipment to the smelter, or, the ground by the company. The Tamarac group covers an area of

on the Tamarac, and consists of a shaft 185 feet deep, and drifts, 300 feet north perience of other Kootenay towns, and and 250 feet south, on the vein each way. The width of the ledge will average about five feet, and is of a good grade throughout. The assays upon the property nave One of the latest and most promising run as high as \$40 in gold, and all have townsites which has come into public in- shown excellent values. Another vein on townsites which has come into public in should extend the studied for his profession. He terest is Peterborough, located in the the Tamarac, known as vein No. 2. has one time, and who spent a great deal of was admitted to practice in 1899, midst of a rich mineral section, midway been extensively prospected, and assays time in prospecting it, declares that where-between Golden and Fort Steele, in East on the ledge matter of this vein have ever he found rock cropping through the Kootenay. This beautiful townsite is shown most gratifying results. A full; soil and broke into it he invariably got most scenically situated on Valley lake equipped plant, suited to all present reashowing of copper. He sent a 60-pound and the Columbia river, just north of quirements, is in place on the property. Lake Windermere. It was originally sur- and extensive development work is being Orient Chemical works at Trenton, New veyed and laid out by the Kootenay Land carried on. From 25 to 30 men are con-Exploration Syndicate, on a 160-acre tract, stantly employed, and the work is prose cent copper and \$8.20 in gold.

C. P. R. retains one-half the Kenneth Mining & Development Com- also that will smelt at a very cheap rate. interest), and the site now embraces a pany, Limited. This company was incor pany, Limited. This company was incor The dump at the 50-foot shaft was samporated with a capital stock of \$1,000,000 pled this year by a mining engineer, and consisting of 1,000,000 shares of a par gave an average of seven per cent, and this value of \$1 each. The officers of the company are Hon. T. Mayne Daly, president: choicest ore had been previously culled Kenneth A. Roberts, vice-president, and out for sampling purposes, and by visitors Arthur Marsh, secretary and treasurer. When the latter were The gentlemen composing the board of directors are all prominent mining and business men of Rossland. Their names are associated with the leading enterprises. mining and financial, of the district and depth was gained, and by culling out the their connection with this company 18

Among the many mining districts of the railway facilities, the cost of mining, under construction, and great activity Kootenays, few are attracting more favor- freight and treatment should not exce marks the beginning of the new town's career. There is an abundant supply of good water, both for domestic use and for power and manufacturing plants. The power and manufacturing plants. The surrounding country possesses great natural beauty, and the low lands are suit-power and the low lands are suit-power and the low lands are suit-power and green that the locality speken of contains of the mew town's able and conspicuous attention from minimal power and excellent smelter sites within are among the best appointed in the city. Their library is thoroughly up to date, of practical experience. The great state of colorador is his alma mater. Twenty-power and especially extensive in the author-ities on mining and corporation law.

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of this section to the smelters. Another oped by the King Mining Company, Ltd. ues in Britis Columbia. line, following Toby creek and crossing the divide, has been surveyed and when built will afford railway service between 000,000 shares of a par value of \$1 each, has for directors R. A. Brown, Dr. G. W. East and West Kootenay. That this line of which 500,000 shares are in treasured and J. S. M. will ultimately be built admits of little ury stock to be sold for development purdoubt, and its effect would be to make poses. The officers of the company num-tis of Rossland. Provision is made for Peterborough the metropolis of East Koot-ber some of the best known mining men these to add two other directors to their nay.

During the summer the company has ing is sufficiently established in its perthe confidence of the public will be chosen. expended thousands of dollars in the building of roads, trails, etc., and has recently shipped in a sawmill plant to Ross Thompson, vice-president and gen-Peterborough, which it will operate there. eral manager; Thos. Anderson, assistant This mill will be supplemented by a secretary and treasurer;, and Smith Curplant on Boulder creek, which tis, Angus MacNish, W. A. Corbett and through its timber tract of 1,000 Alexander J. McMillan.

The King Mining Company, Ltd., has three claims, known as the East King named is near Summit Camp, and is but a mile from the celebrated B. C. mine, the estimated value of which exceeds 31, lowest valuation would exceed \$50, plant, which was installed by the Inger- to the general public, than Macdonald & in every required detail. The main shaft Clute, Jr., and J. A. Macdonald, gentletendent is starting a drift at that point. profession. The former had been

tendent is starting a drift at that point. Work is being pushed day and night, and the force employed is as large as can be used to advantage.

The Boundary branch of the Canadian Pacific railway will be completed by October 18th, and the disadvantages as to shipping and transportation which have been by industry and brawn. The former hand from the immediate the first of the large legal firms of Toronto, of legal proposition may also be divided into two classes, known as free-milling and personal proposition of the early completion for its ores are not only easy to jectracy. The former of these is, needer a complete than the Tames of the first of the legal proposition of the ready completion for its ores are not only easy to jectracy. The former of these is, needer to the planer, the "poor man's mine," for its ores are not only easy to jectracy, by the well, may be treated very delaptly the propositions in the province and illegal propositions in the province and illegal propositions in the province and t

SUNSET MINERAL CLAIM.

Brief Description of the Property and the Great Promise It Has.

The Sunset mineral claim on Copper mountain, Similkameen district, has attracted, notwithstanding its long distance from transportation, a great deal of interest during the past two or three years, land. The library is replete with the and has been under option several times during that period, always at a big sum, all time, and is valued at more than These properties lie about two and a half during that period, always at a big sum, miles by wagon road from the town of and each time at a larger figure. Its fame Ymir, at an elevation above the town of during last year brought many prospectors British Columbia. He was born at New further honored by having conformal during last year brought many prospectors. British Columbia and the work to some extent. On both the in its infancy. Some of its richest mineral fields yet lie dormant and undeveloped. As these belts are prospected and eral fields yet lie dormant and undeveloped. As these belts are prospected and opened up, new camps spring up and, in opened up, new camps spring up and, in the mine to the tracks is contemated a railway line will soon be a thing of the ster, he took up the study of law in the collegiate institute of New Westminster, he took up the study of law in the study of l plated, and, when completed, all ores extracted will be conveyed by this means to a large bin from which cars will be mer, had a big corps of engineers in the Judge Bole, and was, in 1893, admitted to country between Midway and Hope staas is more probable, will be treated on tion on the main line, determining and surveying out the most feasible route for his profession in New Westminster. their short line across the province, and first venture outside of his native baili-187 acres, and is all crown granted. The it is said that the results are very satisfactory, and Engineer Dennis has stafed that the C. P. R. will build the line in he found himself the second regularly ad-1900 and the line must go within ten mitted barrister and solicitor in the dismiles of Copper mountain, and a spur line trict. Mr. Clute is an alderman having win of course be built to it.

The report of Dr. Deeks on the Sunset. be a most conservative one. One gentle-Jersey, and the assay .eturns were 57 per cuted under the able supervision of an alyst stated that the ore could be most cheaply treated by electrolysis at a cost The Tamarac properties are owned by of \$1.60 to \$2 per ton. The ore is one

notwithstanding that several tons of the shy of good specimens on their neighbor locations, this dump could always be drawn upon. The values in the shaft sunk have shown a steady increase in value as cleaner ore, which would not exceed onetheir connection with this company is their connection with this company is their connected with undeveloped mining propositions the company does not estimate them in figuring its assets. With regard to the townsite and timber tract, however, the matter is more definite.

Peterborough may be said to form the base of a triangle formed by Toby, Boulder and Horsethief creeks, and will ultimately be the trade center for the large mining properties now being worked on now among the most desirable on the company is their connection with this company is cleaner ore, which would not exceed one-third, an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 feet at one end and 750 feet at the other end of claim—will give an average of 15 per cent copper can be got. Taking Dr. Deeks' dimensions of vein—100 waste, will leave nearly 900,000 tons, which should average 6 per cent to 8 per cent copper (Dr. Deeks' estimate) besides gold The townsite has been plotted, THE KING MINING COMPANY, LTD. and silver values and would have large profits, for such ore would with reasonable

been largely subscribed for in the Bound ary country and here, and the price of the shares will soon be doubled. In a few days a large force of men will be at work on the property, and it is intended to install a steam plant at an early date. The very best expert advice as to manner of three claims, known as the East King and West King, in Trail Creek district, be taken to open up this splendid property

MACDONALD & CLUTE Barristers and Solicitors.

first staked claims in the district, having It may be said without injustice to been crown granted in 1894, and it is upon others that there is no legal firm in the this property that the company has been Kootenays more widery or more favor-doing the greatest amount of work. The ably known, both in the profession and soll-Sergeant Drill Co.'s Rossland branch. Clute. This firm was formed two years men of individual distinction in their Work is being pushed day and night, and the force employed is as large as can be the force employed is as large as can be

branch office in that city, which is in charge of H. G. S. Heisterman. The firm practises in all the courts in the province and has won its enviable reputation and extensive clientage no less by the tireless efforts of its individual mem-bers in their clients' behalf than by their tively early in life, Rossland presents no worthy of remark that the firm has one of the best appointed law offices in Ross-\$3,000.00.

the bar by the supreme court of the prov-ince. Immediately following his admis-sion, Mr. Clute began the practice of came with the rush to the Trail Creek mining district. Arriving in Rossland, is also a member of the licensing board is stated by all who know the property to and of the board of police commissioners. J. A. Macdonald was born in Toronto, and was for a number of associated with Corporation Counsel Fulerton. On coming to Rossland, in 1897, the high order of his legal attainments won him immediate recognition. His association with Mr. Clute effected a combination of talent the result of which has been to give to Rossland one of the

ABBOTT & HART-McHARG. Barristers and Solicitors.

ablest legal firms in British Columbia.

It has been said in another column that Rossland is fortunate in the character and standing of her professional men. In introducing the above firm, The Miner is adding evidence to the veracity of that visits to some of the largest mining centers in the United States and is well fitted by statement, for there is not a legal firm in the Kootenav country held in better repute for the ability of its private members, or for the large clientage it holds among representative men, firms and corporations of the city, than Abbott &

Hart-McHarg. This firm was formed in February, 1898, and is composed of Mesers, J. L. G. Abbott and W. Hart-McHarg, the former having practiced law in Rossland since January, 1896. An idea of the character of their clientage may be had from the fact that they are solicitors for the corporation of the city or Rossland, the Bank of British Columbia, the Trail smelter, the British Columbia (Rossland and Slocan) Syndicate, Limited, and other English companies, and local solic-itors for the Canadian Pacific railway.

law in Vancouver. Two years later he was admitted to the bar and began the practice of his profession in Vancouver, from which city he came to Rossland in

Mr. Hart-McHarg came originally from the old country and studied for his pro-fession in the province of Manitoba. He 1895, and was called to the bar of this province in May, 1897. As before stated, he entered the office of his present asso-ciate in business, on coming to Rossland.

DALY & HAMILTON. Barristers and Solicitors

Estimated by the reputations of its individual members, the legal firm of Daly & Hamilton is without a peer in this portion of British olumbia. That such is the regard in which the firm is held by the heads of many of the largest mining and financial corporations of the Kootenays is evidenced by the character of its clients, which number such institutions as the Bank of Montreal and the British America Corporation.
While known as Daly & Hamilton, the

firm is in reality composed of three members, the third having been admitted within the past year. The personnel is as follows: Hon. T. Mayne Daly, Q. C., C. R. Hamilton and W. de V. le Maistre. These gentlemen are too prominent in professional cirles to require introduction.

A. C. GALT.

Barrister and Solicitor.

W. A. CARLYLE, Ma.E., M.E.

to review the careers of men, who have erty during his superintendence. made life successes. Among those who have won the reward of merit comparain the case of W. A. Carlyle, mining en-gineer in charge of the British America

3,000.00. The ground in treal, in 1893, and graduated with first this tunnel being soft, it was necessary to timber, which has delayed the progress British Asso-During his collegiate course Mr. Carlyle spent two excellent showing. collegiate course Mr. Carlyle spent two seasons on the geological survey of Canada, and one on the engineering staff of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

After receiving his aegrees from McGill University, Mr. Carlyle went to Colorado, the province. He has merited, by his characteristic and the province. He has merited, by his class attention to his duties in the canacwhere he was four years, engaged as surveyor and engineer for the largest mines in Aspen, at that time the most prominent camp in the state. He left Colorado to accept the chair of mining and metallurgy at his alma mater, and was for the four succeeding years, lecturer and professor in these subjects, having the degree of Master of Engineering conferred him in

In 1895, Mr. Carlyle resigned his chair in McGill to accept the position of Provincial Mineralogist of British Columbia, and two years later, tendered his resignation of this office to become mining en gineer in charge and general superintendwas with sincere regret that company accepted his resignation on September 7th

connection with the B. A. C., be one of the highest salaried mining engineers in the world. Mr. Carlyle has paid extended learning and experience for the responsible capacity in which he will soon be

> W. B. WILSON. Superintendent of the Le Roi.

experience depends its successful development. Among the mine superintendents of the province of British Columbia, few, if indeed any, have had a wider or more valuable experience in mining than W. B. Wilson, now in charge of the formers. Le Britanian B. Bershed famous Le Roi mine, of Rossland.

Mr. Wilson is a graduate of the school

dinary miner, and, in the course of his promotion, pitched his tent in every mining camp worthy of the name within the boundaries of the state. Durango, Silverton, Rico, Ouray, Telluride, Aspen, Leadville, Cripple Creek, have been his hourse. He was a pioneer to the Server.

the experience of the last lew productive years.

Mr. Wilson has been less than a month in Rossland, but his wide acquaintance with mining men and his native suavity and agreeable manners have already made him many friends, and his popularity in his new home is assured. His varied experiences in mining and his knowledge of the great industry in all its wholedge of the great industry in all its phases make him a very entertaining and wide general knowledge have greatly assisted him in handling such difficulties as the instructive talker, and his social disposi- ed him, in handling such difficulties as the tion brings him into ready touch with new conditions presented. His success in his fellows. The Miner wishes to extend this respect proves him to possess the the hand of welcome in behalf of the engenius as well as the scientific knowledge

JACK MORRISH.

Superintendent, Velvet and Portland

It is no less interesting than instructing crosscutting has been done on the propprincipal work now being done on he Velvet consists of drifting on the 160-foot level. The drift has been made for a dismore striking example than is to be found tance of 60 feet, and is in ore of a good grade all the way. Preparations will soon be commenced for sinking the main snart Corporation.

Mr. Carlyle began his career in mining engineering at McGill University, Monerated to the University, Monerated to the Portland the tunnel is in 110 feet, and two shifts are at work. The ground in Velvet and Portland, development is being pushed, and the prospects present an

> close attention to his duties, in the capacity of superintendent, the best that Dame Fortune has bestowed upon him, and his friends have no hesitation in predicting for Jack Morrish a career of great usefulness and a reputation which will make him known in every mining camp on the con

> > EMPEY BROS Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

The grocery business conducted under the style of Empey Bros. was established by Messrs. F. E. and F. A. Empey in also becoming during the same year man-ager of the famous Le Roi mine. Under ship it continued until about a year ago, September, 1896, under whose proprietor. his direction most gratifying progress has been made in the development of the properties controlled by the B. A. C., and it was with sincere regret that company action on September 7th cepted his resignation on September 7th of the present year.

While Mr.Carlyle's friends in British Columbia will regret to lose him, they canment in this city, made the business in not but congratulate him on the smile of fortune which calls him abroad, for he will, when be becomes manager of the Rio Tinto Mining Company in Spain, for which importer of fancy groceries and table delicacies, and not only supplies the local retail trade, but does a considerable and constantly increasing wholesale business throughout the Trail Creek district. Of the stock carried by this house, it is

sufficient to say it is strictly first-class in every respect, comprising the lines common to the modern grocery emporium. The stock is attractively displayed, and the appointments of the store would grace a metropolitan city of 50,000 inhabigrace a metropolitan city of 50,000 inhabitants. Buying in quantities for a wholesale stock, Mr. Empey secures many reductions and concessions which are reflected in his very reasonable retail prices, and his store is a familiar resort of Rossland's students of household economy and

epicurean caterers.

A department of the business recently added, and which is in every respect in added, and which is in every respect in keeping with the excellent character of Mr. Empey's grocery establishment, is comprehended by the general term of clothing and haberdashery. The stock in these lines includes everything in masmost popular clothing and boot and shoe houses in the city.

HUGH BAKER, M.E.

In reviewing the mining interests of the homes. He was a pioneer to the San Trail Creek district, it is no less noticeable than gratifying that very many of the wherever the finger of promise pointed. wherever the finger of promise pointed. His reputation as superintendent of mining properties has been built upon his eers of the district are comparatively experience while in charge of the Yankee Girl, National Belle, Hudson, Silver Lake, El Paso, Elkton and other famous producing mines of Colorado. He surrendered his position as superintendent of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the control of the Elkton mine, in the Cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. A. Sc., in 1895. After graduating from the cripple Creek B. of the Elkton mine, in the Crippie Creek
district, to accept his present responsible
charge as superintendent of the Le Roi.
The Miner has no hesitation in saying
the British America Corporation could
the British America Corporation could have secured the services of no more tion in that province, to accept the super-capable man for the pace, nor in adding intendency of the Gertrude and Coxey capable man for the pace, nor in adding that Mr. Wilson could have received no more substantial testimonial to his knowledge of mines. Under its new superintendence, there is every reason to hope the Le Roi will be developed to the Gertrude, and 1,262 feet of similar works. even greater advantage than has been work on the Coxey. Mr. Baker has had the experience of the last few productive these properties under his direction only

of the competent mining engineer.

RICHARD MARSH

may lawfully come BRES Secretary October, 1899.

almost axiomatic, in quartz mining, that than the profitable treatment of the first rock extracted; but the "exception proves man in Rossland has had a more extendrock extracted; but the "exception proves the rule," and Rossland possesses that exception in the instance of the Iron Mask. While this is necessarily dependent primble this is necessarily dependent primble the character and richness of still retains at Victoria, confined to Ross-and financial affairs. His public spirit and enterprise have contributed in a generous measure to the well-are of the city.

Mr. Dangerfield's experience in mining and financial affairs have and financial affairs. ledge of matter, it is in no small dedue to good management and able rintendence. As a contribution to this camp's interests. end, in the latter capacity, The Miner

takes pleasure in calling attention to the subject of this sketch.

S. W. Hall, is a son of the late Captain Hall, during his life time prominent in mining circles all over the continent, and it is a state of Michigan. is a native of the state of Michigan. He accompanied his parents, as a lad to Salt Lake City, where he resided for some years. In 1885 and '86, he took a special wo years' course in the Mining and Engineering Department of the California University, at Berkeley. After completing his course at Berkeley, Mr. Hall made an extended trip through Southern Cali-fornia and New Mexico, visiting the principal mining camps and studying the the country. In 1888, he went to Butte, Montana, to accept the position of assistant manager under his ather, who was at that time general manager of the celebrated Alice properties, and continued in that capacity for the five succeeding years. In 1893, he took charge of the High Ore No. 2 for Marcus Daly, with whom he remained until December, 1896, at which time he came to Rossland to accept a position as foreman of the famous Le Roi mine, at that time under the general management of his father. Captain Hall. In June, 1897, he surrendered his position with the Le Roi to accept the superintendency of the Iron

At the time Mr. Hall assumed charge of the Iron Mask, the company was seriously contemplating levying an assessment on the stockholders to obtain funds for on the stockholders to obtain fundamental carrying on development, but were relieved of that necessity by the masterly manner in which Mr. Hall handled the situation. The result of this opportune change in the mine's superintendency, has made the Iron Mask the only mine in the camp for the development of which not a share of treasury stock has been sold, nor a single assessment levied upon its shareholders, a record which is no less a matter of pride to Rossland than to the company, owning and operating this valuable property.

That Mr. Hall has made an enviable

reputation as a mining superintendent, during the time he has been in charge of the Iron Mask, is richly evidenced in his having been called recently to fill a similar position on three of the most promispreperties of Republic, viz: the Morn-Glory, Quilt and Stray Horse, Mr accepted these responsibilities, divide his time between Ross-Republic. He recently returned from the Washington camp and reports insurance companies.

That of the three properties in that disBoth members of this firm hail from the that of the three properties in that dis-trict under his charge, the Quilt is the most advanced.

It is interesting as presentating data of a more definite form, to state that in October of the year Mr. Hall took charge of the Iron Mask, a summing up of the work showed a total of 2,237 feet, since which time 2,289 feet has been added, or the former amount more than doubled. The total development work now done amounts to 4,526 feet, about 3,000 feet of which has been accomplished under the direction of the present superintendent. This record is all the more remarkable was defrayed by moneys realized from the output of the mine. Mr. Hall employs about 60 men and is shipping from 230 to Richard Plewman was born in Ireland, 300 tons of ore to the Trail smelter every was educated to business in England, and week. The property is in fine condition, and the machinery plant is one of the best in the district. Five machines are kept busy and the company hopes in the factoring business, and afterward near future to have a daily output of 200 representing his own firm, he traveled all tons of shipping ore.

ting the successes of life, interesting to analyze the conditions

JOHN DEAN.

Mines, Stocks and Real Estate.

brokers of Rossiand lew, it in that, within a lew months are have made a more substantial success that, within a lew months are have made a more substantial success rival here, a comparative stranger, rival here, a comparative stranger, and the connected with than John Dean. Coming to Trail in April, 1896, Mr. Dean actively engaged in mining and real estate, buying the best properties he could secure. That he bought wilely has been demonstrated by subsequent developments, for he is now connected, either as owner or agent, with some of the best mining and real estate for clients on commission only. He some of the best mining and real estate interests in the district.

The mining and stock department of purchase and sale of mining claims, the incorporation of companies for the deveicopment of mines, and a general broker age transaction in the stocks listed with the mining exchange. While not a min-ing engineer, Mr. Dean employs the zervices of the best talent obtainable in reporting on properties before placing them his lists. In stocks, he buys and sells for clients on commission only, and en joys one of the most extensive brokerage patronages in the city, and is either a exceptional facilities for transacting director or shareholder in many of the Creek and Nelson Mining divisions.

Mr. Dean's real estate business is confined to the sale of Rossland city prop erty, his sales for September aggregating and financial standing. Correspondence 11,200. He has business and residence is solicited. P. O. Box 756. Telephon Roseland R. C. Roseland R. C. Roseland R. C. ways has enaps for prospective buyers. He has entertained great confidence in the future of this city, which he has demonstrated by heavy personal investments. connection it is appropriate to state that he owns the building and

of 1882, but was attracted to British Co-sonal interests. Among those who have lumbia, and has since resided in this been foremost in this timely work, none S. W. HALL.

Superintendent of the Iron Mask Gold

Mining Company.

of 1882, but was attracted to British Columbia, and has since resided in this been foremost in this timely work, none has been more prominent for his excellent better acquainted with the history, generated by the province, or its and development of the Province or its and development of the Province

ROLT & GROGAN.

Mines, Real Estate and Insurance

This firm is largely interested in miner and mining stocks and conducts a general brokerage business, which includes the sale of stocks of all properties in the principal Britih Columbia mining camps, and those of the adjacent state of Wash-

ington, U.S.

The secretaryship of the Zala Mining company is represented in the firm. This company, which was incorporated with a capital of \$1,200,000, is situated in Sheridan camp, and is owned by Rossland parties. A five-drill compressor is in opera-tion on the property, and a trial shipment recently sent to the Trail sme ter returned values of \$250 to the ton. Rolt and Grogan were pioneers in Sheridan ural resources, Mr. Johnson became thoroamp, now nearly two years old, and in oughly convinced the camp had in store securing the Zala have one of the best propositions in the district. The firm also represents the well known Nest Egg Mining Company's properties located near Rossland, and is also largely interested his confidence has not once wavered, even in a number of other mining ventures in various parts of the Province. They also conduct a general brokerage business, which includes the sale of stocks of all the best known properties of the Province, and a general real estate and loan business, buying and selling city and country property, both on their own account and for clients, and placing loans on preferred security. In this connection it is worthy of remark that the firm represents the Provincial Building & Loan Association of Toronto, and has advanced money for that institution for extensive building improve-ments, both in Roseland and in Trait.

The firm of Rolt & Grogan devote con siderable attention to fire insurance, and have established an agency that is all that is to be desired, both as to companies represented and as to management. The rmer are the Hartford of Connecticut, Caledonian of Scotland, and the Imper ial and Lancashire of England. These old-line companies are so familiar to persons at all acquainted with the great insurance companies of the world that their connection with an agency is sufficient to establish its reputation, and to those unfamiliar with these companies the associated and collection feature of his busiciation of Messrs. Rolt & Grogan with

been born in Surrey, England, and Mr Grogan in Dublin, Ireland. The fium commenced operations in this city in March, 1896, and may, therefore, be justly

RICHARD PLEWMAN.

If we may judge from the considerable number of men who, having been edu-cated for other callings, have fin illy enough business education is nec success. So, also, is it no less necessar in all legitimate mining enterprises.

Richard Plewman was born in Ireland, over England, Scotland and Ireland. In 1887 he came to Toronto, Canada, where most of his family now reside. His ac and circumstances which have conduced to quaintance with influential members of fortunate ends. In the case of Mr. Hall, the Victoria Consolidated Hydraulic Min it seems to have been the happy combina-tion of natural aptitude and a capacity strongest companies of the kind in Can for conscientious hard work. Coming ada, led to his going to the Cariboo coun from mining stock and educated to his try in 1895. The experience and obser profession, in one of the best schools of vation in mining gained in two years procession, in one of the continent, his gratifying connection with that company, together success is but the legitimate reward of with the favorable reports of the Kootenays, led him, in January, 1897, to come to Rossland, as a more desirable field for engaging in business on his own account. His knowledge of men and affairs, and his antecedents being such as to commen Among the early mining and real estate him to influential people, and the time rokers of Rossland few. if indeed any arokers of Rossland few, if indeed any, that, within a few months after his ar

> for clients on commission only. His immense business may be judged from the fact that he has received as high as 00 business comprehends the telegrams and cablegrams in a single day.
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> He transacts much of his business over the wires, and uses Clough's and Bedford McNeill's codes. His telegraphic and cable address is "Plewman, Rossland." He publishes a weekly stock letter, issued every Monday, which he mails regularly on application.

Mr. Plewman's offices are in the new bank building of the Bank of Montreal, and are among the best appointed in the city. Adjoining the telegraph office of the Spokane Falls & Northern, he possesses director or shareholder in many of the ness with dispatch. He is official broker best known properties in Slocan. Trail for the Winnipeg Mining & Smelting company, the Boundary-Homestake. Mining company and the Leo Mining company, all corporations of sound business and financial standing. Correspondence

CHARLES DANGERFIELD. Mines and Mining Stocks

The wildcat days of Rossland have pass ground occupied by his offices.

John Dean is an Englishman by birth, but came to the Dominion in 1873. After residing three years in Toronto, and six years in the Fa-tern and Southern states, he went to San Francisco in the spring the spring the states.

It is a fact so well established as to be almost axiomatic, in quartz mining, that successful development depends upon a successful development depends upon a capital realized through other channels capital realized through other channels and development of the real estate business, and it in 1896. He immediately became interceptable for the real estate business, and it is set of the real estate business, and it is set of the real estate business, and it is set of the real estate business, and it is set of the real estate business. an active interest in the city's affairs. His

Mr. Dangerfield's experience in mining and financial affairs has especially fitted him to occupy the responsible position he now holds as secretary of the Rossland Stock Exchange, and it is not too much to say that the active interest he has man ifested in the exchange has been inspire by a praiseworthy concern for the welfar of the district and its great industries.

J. B. JOHNSON & CO.

Mines, Real Estate and Insurance.

Among the early comers to the Trai Creek district, and to Rossland, few, it any, have done more toward the develop ment of our mines and the building of our city than the subject of this sketch.

J. B. Johnson first came to Rossland i August, 1895, when the now metropolis of the Kootenays was an infant village. After spending a few weeks in reconno tering the district and its wealth of nat during the darkest days of the camp.

Satisfying himself on the permanence of the camp, Mr. Johnson began to loo about him for the most profitable invest ments then open, and soon became exten and valuable mining property. He opened his real estate and brokerage office here in pioneer brokers of the district

Mr. Johnson has always manifested an active interest in mines and mining, and he was one of the locators of the Big Four he was one of the locators of the Big Four mining properties. He is the owner of a number of very promising claims near this city, but in his brokerage business, he handles only the stocks listed with the Mining Exchange and does a purely com-mission business. In connection with his real estate and brokerage business, Mr. Johnson acts as general agent for tue Bruce Gold Mining Company. He is also England; The National, of Ireland; The Phoenix, of Hartford; The Guardian, and ness is very important, and requires much

ciation of Messrs. Rolt & Grogan with them as agents is sufficient to return the compliment. This agency includes also life, accident, plate glass and guarantee insurance companies.

Both members of this firm hail from the other side of the water. Mr. Rolt having been born in Surrey, England, and Mr. Westminster, where he remained until agency in the remained until companies. coming to Rossland with th rush of 1895. During his business career in this city, Mr. Johnson has won the confidence and esteem of his fellow citizens, by his conscientious manner of conducting business

GEORGE W. RICHARDSON.

Insurance, Real Estate and Mines

It is cause for felicitation that Ro has as yet suffered no serious conflagra-tion, and the fact reflects credit upon the city fire department; but it is no less a cause for congratulation that there is a fire resents some of the oldest and strongest fire underwriters in the commercial world. and that our property owners realize ecessity of carrying a sufficient protection demonstrated by the fact that the insurance department of the business George W. Richardson takes precedent over his real estate and mining interest Mr. Richardson is Rossland agent of the Phoenix of London, the Liverpool, London Globe, the British America and the Western, of Toronto. The assets of these staunch old companies run into the mil-lions, and the losses they have paid have saved thousands of their patrons from inkruptcy and ruin. The regard in which panies are held in Rossland, ma be judged from the fact that Mr. Richardson has placed with them not less than 70 per cent of all the fire insurance written in the city. The liberality of their policies, the fairness of their premium rates and the promptness with which they settle all just claims have made these companie standard in the insurance world. In real estate Mr. Richardson handle

Rossland business and residence property, and during the present year has effected some of the most important real estate transfers that have been made in the city. His lists include desirable property of all prices and in all locations. As a mining broker he handles the stocks listed on change, and buys and sells for clients on commission only. He also deals in mines and is interested in a number of mining corporations. We may mention in this connection that he is secretary for Hillside Silver Mining Company, Limited. George W. Richardson was born in Mid-

dleboro, Massachusetts, but went with his parents when a lad to Queens county, Nova Scotia, where he lived until 1892, in which year he came to British Columto begin business as the pioneer mining diately interested in mining and broker of this city. In the spring of 1896, estate. He was a charter member of

he succeeded to the business of the R. J. Bealey Co., Limited, the pioneer bankers of Rossland, of which company he was a of Rossiand, of which company he was a member, and has since conducted a general insurance, real estate, financial and mining brokerage business. We need hardly add that Mr. Richardson has taken praiseworthy interest in the prosperity of his adopted city, and that he has contributed generously to its advancement.

to personal tact and ability as to exceptional opportunities. As an instance in point we cite Mr. John Y. Cole, a young man, who, coming to British Columbia in 1892, engaged in prospecting and mining. His first work in the camp was employment as a hand in the I. X. L. mine, and throughout the Kootenays.

so rapid was his advancement that he was, within two months after beginning work, given entire charge as foreman or

ocated, during one of his limited prospecting trips, the now celebrated O. K. London, Dundee and Glasgow, where his many add that, being agents for the mine. After incorporating a company for experience especially fitted him for his Giant Powder company, Giant caps and the O. K. property, he sold out his entire present business in the Kootenays. interest, but not until \$20,000 had been realized on ore taken from the mine. Mr. Cole was fortunate also in his purchase of the property known as the White

The White Bear mine adjoins the Black Bear, one of the famous Le Roi proper-ties. Its machinery equipment is among the best in the district, and its ore of a fair grade. The development work done includes a vertical shaft, 350 feet deep, and 500 feet of drifting. The White Bear company has an incorporated capital of \$2,000,000, consisting of 2,000,000 shares of a par value of \$1 each. Of this 500,000

hares are in the treasury stock.

Mr. Cole is also interested in the Bunker Hill mine, an excellent property, lo-cated about 15 miles from the town of

to do, having been a farmer, a business is one of the oldest claims in East Kootman, a prospector and a miner. While enay and is crown granted. Four years making no pretense of being an expert, it may be said of Mr. Cole that he is one of Rossland's practical mining men who ore is easily smelted and should yield the have succeeded without expert knowledge. Besides his various mining properties, Mr. Cole has important real estate holds ings. He is at present erecting a fine modern residence, which, when completed, will be a feature of the city's architec ture. The location is in the city's choicest residence district, and commands one of the finest views of the camp that can be

GEORGE E. PFUNDER.

It is interesting, in showing the favor in which this section is held by old miners, that one may find in Rossland very many of the best and most experienced mining men on the Pacific slope. Among them we note a conspicuous example in George E. Pfunder.

Mr. Pfunder engaged in mining in 1967, 32 years ago, in Amador county, Califor-nia, for the late United States senator, Leland Stanford. He was with Mackay general local agent for some of the best known "old line" insurance companies, of which we mention the Norwich Union, of one of the half dozen fortunes he has had enterprises is sufficiently demonstrated in there. He came to the Northwest in the excellent success he has made as a interest of the late Captain Ainsworth of hotel man. Portland, to take charge of the Blue Bell mine at Ainsworth, B. C., near Nelson. He has been in all the most noted min ing camps from Mexico to the Canadian line, including Virginia City, Nevada, the Black Hills country, Leadville, Colorado, and others too numerous to mention. Since 1885, when he first came to British Columbia, he has been engaged in mining nterprises on both sides of the interna-cional line. He has, however, since 1895, nade Rossland his business headquarters

and place of residence.

It was but a natural sequence that Mr.

Pfunder's mining experience and ability as a manager of mining properties should brought him many favorable opportunities for investment in British Co

George E. Pfunder comes of Alsatian wit and War Eagle properties, but, failing to the first of last September. ion, came in 1895 to settle in the camp. clear foresight has been amply attested by the developments of subsequent years.

In reviewing the success of Mr. Pfunder, we are reminded of a statement of an dent; George H. Green, secretary and American consul, viz: "The German extreasurer; Harry Daniels and Andrew cels in perseverence, patience under the most trying circumstances, industry and omplish great results in almost any field of science, industry or enterprise he may choose to enter." It need hardly be said that Mr. Pfunder is one of the busiest men of the Trail Creek district.

A. B. CLABON

It is noticeable in preparing the bio graphical sketches appearing in the trade number of The Miner, that very many of Rossland's most successful mining men are from the mother country. The subject of this sketch is an instance in point.

A. B. Clabon was born in Suffolk, England, where he was educated and grew to man's estate. He came to Canada in bia. For the succeeding three years he was engaged in business in Nelson, from Two years later he came with the rush to which place he came to Rossland in 1895, Rossland, where he became almost imme-Two years later he came with the rush to Rossland, where he became almost immeestate. He was a charter member of the Rossland board of trade, in which organization he has taken an active int and no worthy public move has lacked his support.

During the past summer Mr. Clabo spent several months in the east, where he succeeded in interesting prominen capitalists in the Strawberry and Orphan Boy claims, in the Boundary district, the result of which has been the organization JOHN Y. COLE.

and incorporation of The Quebec-Boundary Mining Company, Limited. The company will carry on the development of these excellent properties, and its stocks the Trail Creek district seem, in many instances, to have been due quite as much to personal tact and ability as to a stock the company will soon be listed with the mining exchanges. In the meantime work is because of the company will soon be listed with the mining exchanges. In the meantime work is because of the company will soon be listed with the mining exchanges.

W. WYLLIE JOHNSTON.

W. Wyllie Johnson is a native of Dundee, Scotland, where he was educated and But if Mr. Cole was tactful and com- attained his majority. Prior to coming petent, he was also fortunate, for within to British Columbia four years ago, he a month after his arrival in the camp he conducted a stock brokerage business in

Mr. Johnston is an expert accountant, a mining agent and a stock broker. His firm is also agent for McClary's stove offices are conveniently located in the and ranges, manufactured at London Burn's block on Columbia agenue and Ontario. The stock includes, as well, at Bear mine, of which he is the general Burn's block on Columbia avenue and Ontario. Columbia avenue and present a xztitifffiff present a busy scene during business hours. As an accountant, he makes a specialty of experting books and keeping the records of the financial affairs of min-ing and financial corporations. That the latter is no small item of his business may be judged from the fact that he is the acting secretary for the Derby Mining Company, limited. This property, in which Mr. Johnston

is extensively interested consists of the well known Swanses claim, near Windermere, East Kootenay. The vein which is 30 feet in width, is rich in copper values, Waneta. This mine has been extensively developed, and there is now being erected upon it a 30-ton mill.

John Y. Cole was born in Oneida county, New York, but has been many years in the west. For occupation he has the company is now driving a tunnel at the 200-foot level and is in 45 feet. This turned his hand to whatever it has found the 200-foot level and is in 45 feet. This turned his hand to whatever it has found the 200-foot level and is in 45 feet. This turned his hand to whatever it has found the surface and the s ago trial shipments to Swansea, Wales, netted the owners \$50 to the ton. The company a rich mine.
Mr. Johnston is a stock broker, and

transacts a general commission business. He does considerable business over the wires, and uses Clough's, Moreings & Neal's and A. B. C. codes. His telegraphic address is "Activity," Rossland. Johnston was formerly a member of the firm of Parker. Johnston & Co., recently dissolved. He is well known in Rossland mining circles, and his word is as good as

GEORGE H. GREEN.

Few men in the Trail Creek district have a greater variety of interests than George H. Green. Coming to British Columbia and Rossland four years ago, he immediately engaged in mining and business, and is now, besides being the pro-prietor of one of the city's most popula: hostelries, interested either as a director or shareholder in some of the most prominent mining properties. Mr. Green has been unusually fortunate in his mining speculations, and that he is no less well fitted for conducting conservative business The Grand Union hotel, now conducted

under the proprietorship of Mr. Green, is egarded as headquarters by a large proortion of the mining, business and financial men of the city, as well as the general traveling public. The house is most centrally located on Columbia, avenue, and is one of the best hotel properties in the city. There are 31 guest rooms, well furnished, and provided with all the modern conveniences of sanitary plumb-ing, electric-lighting, ventilation and heating. The house is conducted upon the European plan at reasonable rates, and caters both to transient and perm patronage. A feature of the Grand Union is its excellent bar. In its appointments and fixtures, as well as regard to popular-

ferman stock, and was born on the as well as in straight drinks, patrons en-Rhine in 1849. He was brought by his joy the knowledge that they have quaffed parents to America when but three years, the best the market affords. The assortof age, and, with the exception of being ment of cigars contains the best brands away at school, may be said to have of commerce, and is especially full in fine grown up and lived among mines and imported goods.

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Among the most recent mining entering while yet in his 'teens. Mr. Pfunder prises with which Mr. Green has taken came to Trail Creek in 1892 in company an interest, we may note the Katie D with James Wardner, at which time they attempted to negotiate for the Le Roi Limited, organized and incorporated on

close satisfactorily, went to the Slocan ization of this company is \$100,000, confor three years. He predicted that to sisting of a million shares of a par value Trail Creek district would produce cx of ten cents each. Mr. Green is heavily cellent mines, and, acting on his convic- interested in this company, and owns a large block of the stock. Among the officers and directors, we note some of the prominent mining men of the district. They are Hugh Henderson, president; W. H. Danby, vice-presi-

Duncan. The company's claims are locat ed on the north fork of the Salmon, about conomy. These virtues enable him to ac- six miles from Erie, Nelson Mining division, West Kootenay. Preliminary development work has been done, and the lead, any city in the province.

which yields gold, silver and lead values, Photographing of mining has been satisfactorily prospected. Further and smelters is one of the firm development work on the properties will be rapidly pushed, and no expense will be spared to make this one of the producing mines of the district.

HUNTER BROTHERS Importers, Wholesale and Retail Mer-

chants.

If may be doubted if any other mining camp in the whole world offers its setthers greater advantages of civilization than are enjoyed by the miners and dwellers in the great Trail Creek mining district. Here there is an abundance of the best of everything, and at prices to compare favorably with those of much oluer communities. Among the individual merchants and firms whose enterprise and business ability have contribu most to bring prices to a reasonable figure, none has done more than the sub-

ect of this sketch. The brothers, James and Robert Hunter, established their business here in 1895. They had previously been in business at Coulee City, Washington, with a branch store at Conconnully, Washington, and are experienced general mera

Hunter Brothers' business property, which is located on the principal business street of the city, is one of the largest in Rossland. The dimensions of largest in Rossland. The dimensions of the store proper are 90 x 100 feet. In the rear are the tinshop and iron ware-house. There is also a commodious warehouse, 30 x 130 feet, on the Red Mountain tracks. At present excavations are being made for a 100-foot cellar, to

be used for the storage of perishable goods, explosives, and general surplu

The stock carried by Hunter Broth is almost as diverse as are the needs the community. That it is especially full and complete in all that pertains to miners' supplies might be expected; this firm sells both to miners and dealer all over this and adjoining districts. The extensive line of steel, iron and lead pil steam fittings and plumbers' supplies. completely equipped tin and sheet meta shop, where tinware, sheet ironware an galvanized iron pipe and other minin supplies are manufactured, both to order and for the stock, is conducted in con-

The dry goods, clothing and gents' furnishing goods department is complete in everything pertaining to the lines, and includes many special brands, for which this house has the sole agency in Rossland. Among the prominent features of son hat, Tiger brand clothing, imported Perrin gloves and the world-famed shoe. The line of footwear includes every grade, style and price, from that used for prospecting and rough wear to the nobbiest street boot made. A full line of Goodyear rubber goods, including miners' waterproof boots and storm coats, is carried. In ladies' goods, the best of imported silks and dress goods, laces furs and wrears are in steal. The laces, furs and wraps are in stock. The justly popular R. G. and P. D. corsets are a conspicuous feature, as is also the serviceable Baldwin "beehive" hosiery. The firm is sole agent for Parsquet & Co., Quebec and Paris, and will have a large shipment of sealskins from this house in time for the fall opening. carpets, linoleums, tapestries, window shades, etc., everything in demand in of linoleums and cork cloth, by way of Cape Horn, is daily expected.

The grocery department requires but passing mention. Everything in staple and fancy goods, provisions, etc., is carried in variety. It is headquarters alike endless variety. It is headquarters alike for the prospector, buying his season's grub, and for the caterer to the palates of the city's epicures. Wagons are run for the city trade, and the best family

The firm is interested in general mer-chandise establishments at Sandon, Grand Forks, Phoenix and Greenwood. The former, which se conducted under the firm name of Hunter Brothers, is in charge of Mr. Charles D. Hunter. The three latter are conducted by Hunter, Kendrick & Co., Ltd., of which James Hunter is president. Everything for Hunter is president. Everything for these stores is bought from first hands and largely in carload lots. Direct importations are made from the States and Europe, and the stock in all particulars is supplied from the world's

best markets.

James and Robert Hunter were born in Oxford county, Province of Ontario. The deservedly high standing to which they have attained in business circles and as citizens has been gained by a course of fair and honorable dealing which has made the name of the firm a guarantee of integrity. The merchant the prospector, the miner, the home builder, and all those wishing goods in the several lines carried by this firm can make no mistake in dealing with Hunter Brothers.

CARPENTER & CO.

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Mr. Pfunder has invested extensively also in real estate, and has erected some of the best business blocks in Rossland, notably the Burns block, on Columbia are as much a pleasure to the eye avenue, in which building his offices are located.

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No branch of business has been more rapidly or scientifically developed within the last two decades than that of photography. It has called to its aid the most careful as the excellent beverages served are a treat to the palate. Only the choicest superior to those obtainable a few years superior to those obtainable a few years superior to those obtainable a few years. ago, there are yet too lew who may really be termed artists.

Rossland is very fortunate in the possession of photographers of more than ordinary ability. Among the city's leading photographers, The Miner takes pleasure in introducing Messrs. W. J. Carpenter and George E. Miller, of the firm of Carpenter & Co., than whom few photographers in British Columbia have given more careful attention or compreensive study to the art or had a more valuable experience.

Carpenter & Co., began business Rossland three years ago, and their gallery is today the oldest established in the city. Their work speaks for itself, and one has but to see the gems of photo-graphic art profusely displayed in their place of business to recognize at a glance that happy combination of art and photography so much sought and so seldom found. The firm's elegant studio is conveniently located in one of the b ness blocks in the city, at 26 1-2 Columbia avenue. The reception room is handsomely appointed and the throughout, are fitted up regardless of expense, to the end that they might grace

ties, while a large and varied assortment of views of Rossland and vicinity is always kept in stock, both for local sale and for dealers throughout the Kootenays. Another feature of the business is the sale of kodaks, Premo cameras and photographic supplies, such as are constantly in demand among amateurs. The stock in these lines is valued at between \$4,000 and \$5,000. Developing, printing and mounting are done for amateurs, a fact that will be of interest to tourists visiting the camp. The latest effects in frames and picture frame mouldings are carried, and the importance of this branch of the business may be judged from the fact that no less than 10,000 feet of fancy mouldings are now carried in

Outside business has increase that last March the firm established a branch at Greenwood, where Mr. George E. Miller is at present in charge. Returns have fully warranted the new yenture, and the Greenwood branch may be regarded as permanent. The same standard of workmanship is maintained in the new studio as that upon which the reputation of the parent house has been built. W. J. Carpenter is a native of Tennessee, where his relatives still reside. ne

became associated with Mr. Miller in Helena, Montana, where the firm was before coming to Ross formed George E. Miller was born near London, Ontario, but, previous to coming to Rossland, spent nine or ten years in Mon-tana. Both gentlemen are public spirited citizens, who are always foremost in any move calculated to benefit their adopted

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COMPANY, LIMITED.

There is probably not a manufacturing corporation in Canada that has been more closely connected with the mining industry of the Dominion than the James Cooper Manufacturing Company, Limited. This company manufactures under the Ingersoll-Sergeant patent, and makes a specialty of coal cutters, stone channeling machines, hoisting machines, noisting machines, the stock up to the highest standard, and pressors, rock drills, and, in short, everything for the excavation of rock, coal and ore.

The main offices of the James Cooper Manufacturing Company. Limited. The Mr. McBride is an able business.

C. W. MOUNT & CO.

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etc. He has a full line of souvenir and other goods manufactured especially for his trade, and, being a manufacturing jeweler, makes everything in special designs in the way of badges, charms, trophies, emblems, etc. His system of business is absolutely one price, and it is a sufficient guarantee of the excellence of an article that it is known to have come

from his establishment. J. W. Spring is a native of Vancouver been born in Victoria, in Island, having been born in Victoria, in which city he learned his trade. As be fore stated, he was formerly a member of the well-known firm of Challoner, Mitchell & Spring, of Victoria, and is a successor to that firm in Rossland. Mr. Spring is still a young man and is prominent no less as a valued citizen than as an able and successful merchant. He has tne city's interests at heart, and his ready public spirit is felt in the promotion of the general wear.

G. W. McBRIDE.

Wholesale and Retail Hardware.

It may be doubted if there is a mercan tile house in the city better or more widely known throughout the Koote-nay country than that owned and conducted by G. W. McBride. This house was established in May, 1896, and is the largest establishment of the kind in the city. The business occupies the entire lower floor of the building in which it is located, and also a commodious fire-proof warehouse, most advantageously situated on the Red Mountain tracks, which is filled with a large stock for supplying the wholesale trade. The salesroom is eligibly located for the accommodation of its many patrons on Columbia avenue, next to the Bank of Montreal, and is stocked to its full capacity with everything pertaining to a first-class hardware stock in demand

Lockwood and W. J. Cusack, under the gualined him for the positions he has firm name of O. M. Fox & Co. The business occupies a large and well-filled sales since filled on the Rossland city council. He has been chairman of public schools since '96, and president of the school of avenue, and an outside warehouse, as mines for the last two years. In 1898, well The amount, variety and quality while chairman of the board of public well. The amount, variety and quality of goods carried in stock, the attractive well. The amount, of goods carried in stock, the attractive of goods carried in having, levels established and grading done on the principal streets of the city. The high personal esteem in which Mr. Lalonde is universely that the Trail Creek district. which patrons are served warrant the assertion that this is one of the finest grocery stores in the Trail Creek district. While this house does a large retail business, a glance at the stock reveals the fact that a large wholesale trade in done fact that a large wholesale trade is done, as well. In this connection it is appropriate to state that this branch of the business embraces the whole of the great mineralized belt tributary to Rossland and that a large trade is done with mines

o. M. Fox & Co. are importers from O. M. Fox & Co. are importers from England and the United States, and, buying largely in carload lots, are able to quote very low prices to their retail as well as to their wholesale trade. The line of canned goods is especially full and complete, comprising California and eastern canned fruits and vecetables. In complete, comprising California and eastern canned fruits and vegetables. In fancy groceries, teas, coffees and spices, the best is the rule. Flour, salt meats, produce and all other staples are handled in quantities, and a complete and well selected stock of crockery, glassware, tinware, graniteware and other needs of the camp and the home completes one of the largest stocks of the kind in Rossland.

Wagons are run in the city and suburbs

while chairman of the board of public works, Mr. Lalonde strongly urged and was instrumental in having, levels estabefforts for a good city government and municipal improvements have been fully appreciated by his fellow citizens.

HOTEL ALLAN.

Who'er has traveled life's dull round, Wher'er his stages may have been, May sigh to think he still has found The warmest welcome at an inn."

The Hotel Allan is the pride of Rossland, and par excellence the best hotel of the British Columbia gold fields. It is the ourist's resort, the commercial travelers hoice, and the first favorite of the travel-

Wagons are run in the city and suburbs and is a popular resort for capitalists, min-for the free delivery of all goods sold and ing men, financiers and the business men and is a popular resort for capitalists, minfor the free delivery of all goods sold and a very large local trade is done with hotels, restaurants and families, and with mines immediately surrounding Rossland. The cosmopolitan character of Rossland is well illustrated in the personnel of this and many other leading business firms. Mr. Fox is a German by birth, Mr. Lockwood an American and Mr. Cusack an Englishman. Previous to coming to Rossland, Mr. Fox was in business in San Diego, Cal. Messrs. Lockwood and Cusack were traveling for a New York in men financiers and the business men of the city. The house has 87 guest rooms, is lighted by electricity throughout, and has all the modern improvements and conveniences. The halls are wide, the guest rooms large and well furnished, all outside rooms and well lighted. The office, reading room and the magnificent dining room, with ample capacity for seating over 100people, are on the ground floor. The bar and billiard rooms are the finest in the city. The hotel was built by the

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is one of the most perfect in operation, which may be largely attributed to the excellence of her railway service, but it excellence of her railway service, but it is in no small degree directly traceable to the men who hold positions of authority and trust in the department. When one realizes the responsibility attached to the official duties of postmaster, the importance of appointing men of sterling worth and character becomes at once apparent. The present postmaster of Rossland, Wm. Wadds, is one of our most prominent young men. He is a native of Ireland, but came to Canada when but a boy. He lived for several years at Barrie, Ont. but came to Canada when but a boy. He lived for several years at Barrie, Ont. and received his education at that place. Some eight years ago he moved to Vancouver, where he was engaged in business until coming to Rossland, in 1895.

Mr. Wadds at once identified himself with the city's best interests, and, in August, 1895, received notification of his appointment as postmaster of this city.

August, 1895, received notification of his appointment as postmaster of this city Responding to his appointment, Mr. Wadds assumed charge of the post office in Rossland, the following October. The efficiency with which he has discharged the duties of his office has given the utility of the control of the second of the control of the c nost satisfaction in this branch

ervice during his incumbency.

Rossland is one of the most important Rossland is one of the most important post offices in the province. It is a distributing point for United States mails for all points north of here, and also distributing office for a large portion of the Boundary Creek astrict. Owing to the rapid growth of the city, the business of the office has increased to such an extent that new quarters must soon be had, and the Dominion government has already appropriated \$15,000.00 toward the erection of suitable federal buildings, with accommodations for the post office.

C. M. WELLER.

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THE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL

in 1884, to the United States, and in 1895 to British Columbia and to Rossland. Be sides his hotel business here he is extensively interested in mining in Northern Idaho, where he has many valuable and promising properties under development. promising properties under development. Mr. Klockmann is prominent in fraternal circles, being both an Elk and a K. of P. in good standing. He is popular alike for his business capacity and many excellent qualities of heart and head.

THE HOTEL WINDSOR.

As one of Rossland's first-class moderate-priced hotels, The Windsor has entertained a generous share of the city's guests, and is usually taxed to its utmost capacity. Its patrons are mining, finan-cial, business and professional men and the general traveling public, many of

whom make the house their Rossland headquarters.

The Windsor is one of Rossland's landmarks, having been built in the early landmarks, having been built in the early days of the camp. It is centrally located and has all the modern conveniences, including electric lights and steam heat. The rooms are comfortably furnished, well ventilated and lighted, and in every respect designed to afford the best accommodations for the money to be had

rooms are at the disposal of persons de-siring privacy during the meal hour.

Adjoining the cafe is the Clarendon bar.
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brated veterinary surgeon once said:
"It is not generally known that the veterinarian who graduates from a regular school of the science has a more rigid, and school of the science has a more rigid and difficult examination to pass, as well as a more arduous practice, than physicians and surgeons whose experience and study relate to man. The veterinary surgeon must be acquainted with the anatomies of all domesticated animals, and in treating them has not the aid of speech the physician has in the human patient. Thus it will be seen that the range of duty is not only breader than that necessary to a knowledge of the human mechanism, but the dumbness of our animal patients makes the diagnosis our animal patients makes the diagnosis of a case more difficult than that of human ailments."

It is gratifying to note that Dr. Hick-ingbottom's practice is growing. This is not for the reason that there are more sick animals than formerly, but that more people are beginning to realise the importance of caring for animals. His practice is wide, many cases coming from remote quarters of the province. In such cases, if he can prescribe without making a visit, he sends treatments by mail, thus saving unnecessary expense to owners of

ROSSLAND DAIRY.

The office, reading and writing room and dining room are on the ground floor, together with one of the best appointed bars in the city. A homelike air pervades the whole place. Especially is this so in connection with the dining room and culinary department, which are provided with the best of everything to be had in this market. The service of The Windsor is a feature which conduces to its popularity, and no pains are deemed too great to add to the comfort of guests. The genial proprietor of The Windsor is Mr. W. G. Merryweather than whom

had in this market. The service of The Windsor is a feature which conduces to its popularity, and no pains are deemed too great to add to the comfort of guests. The genial proprietor of The Windsor is Mr. W. G. Merryweather than whom there is no more cordial host in the Kootenays, Mr. Merryweather is a native of Ohio, and, previous to coming to Rossland, in April, a year ago, was engaged in business in Spokane, where he had resided since 1834. He has a host of friends, both, on this side, of the line and in

in Rossland. The business was established in the early days of the camp, and is to say that, in the above lines, the company has secured a large share of the best known in the district. It has been conducted since the fall of concerns in the city.

In point of stock, vehicles and general paraphernalia which go to make up a firstclass livery stable, no expense has been spared, and, as a whole, the outfit of this spared, and, as a whole, the outfit of this Anthracite Coal company and the Wash than Patrick Burns. stable is not surpassed by that of any ington Brick and Lime company. other in Rossland. Between 20 and 36 head of horses are used for livery purposes, among them fine roadsters for gentlemen's driving, gentle horses for ladies' driving, fine carriage horses and ladies' and gentlemen's fine riding horses. The rolling stock includes carriages, single and double buggies, surries, buckboards, mountain wagons, and , in short, lines. In the subject of this sketch the everything usually found in the first-class public will recognize a leader. livery stable. This stable can supply fishing or camping outfits, or can tablishment in Rossland. The hunting, fishing or camping outness, or can tablishment in Rossiand. The business furnish parties with carriages accompanied by experienced drivers familiar with the mines and all places of interest in or of the liquers sold to retailers in this dis-

week or month, giving them and the vehicles left in his charge the same excellent attention devoted to his own stock. A province which does not receive its regular shipments from Steen & Co. prominent feature of the business is the lar shipments from Steen & Co. prominent feature of the business is the purchase and sale of horses, both for the stable and for patrons, and Mr. Linburg's and all goods are imported direct from manstable and for patrons, and Mr. Limbarg sufacturers, and to supply its well stocked experience with horses makes his stable popular resort for buyers and sellers. cellars the celebrated distilleries of this a popular resort for buyers and schere, a continent and the vineyards of California fine race mare, imported from Lewiston, and of France yield up their best. Beer Idaho, to John Hartline. This annimal commanded the considerable sum of \$1,000.

When it is stated that this house supard is now owned by one of Rossland's and is now owned by one of Rossland's

ent citizens. Mr. Linburg operates a pack train from Rossland to interior points, and will take contracts for transporting freight to any point in the Kootenays. He also does a general transfer business about the city, carrying baggage and freignt to and irom the depots and doing heavy moving.

John F. Linburg was born in Sweden been 17 years on this side of the water. For the past 10 years he has lived in Canada, and for the past two years has his present business in Rossland. He is a thorough horseman and takes a praiseworthy pride in keeping his stables up to the highest standard.

F. R. MENDENHALL.

Notwithstanding all that has been written of the wonderful richness of our mines and the "Magic City" which they have built, neither could ever have been but for the machinery which has rendered possible the development of the for-mer and the consequent building of the contents is 10 years old, also with a certilatter. It is fitting then that one of the ficate that the whisky has undergone agencies which has furnished the means chemical analysis by Granville H. Sharpe, whereby were made Rossland and her F. C. S., of the Analytical Laboratory of the trade number of

agent for the Canadian Rand Drill com- of the old brands. peny of Montreal, Quebec, and the Jenekes Machine company of Sherbrooke, eligibly located on Washington street, ad-quebec, in October, 1895, for which companies he is general agent for British Columbia. That Mr. Mendenhall has advanced the interests of the companies he lishment as to the large plants which sup represents may be judged from the fact ply their product. The management exthat he has sold and installed machinery tends a cordial installed installed machinery in many of the famous mines of the north and patrons visiting Rossland to make

ed on Columbia avenue, Rossland, and a clusion that this well-known house commodious warehouse on the Red Moun- built its reputation no less upon its aptain tracks affords exceptional facilities for receiving and forwarding machinery. patrons than upon the excellence of the The stock in store is always sufficient to products it handles. meet immediate demands, and is being constantly replenished from the factories. Mr. Mendenhall stands in readiness to supply rock drills, air compressors, Camsumps (of which several sizes are always of British Columbia that is so frequently ing machinery, including pipe, casting or son is found in the fact that Mr. Burne

There is no enterprise of greater utility to merchants of the city than the thor oughly modern warehouse; nor is there a concern of more convenience to the genton and hogs are furnished to the eral public than the transfer establishment. Few merchants have storage facilities equal to the demands of their busi ness, and even fewer of the general public own wagons suitable for rough work. It beef, mutton and pork at wholesale to all and the possession of such an association

The Rossland Warehouse & Transfer Company began business in August, 1896. The company's warehouse and transfer Grand Forks, Greenwood and Revelstables are on the same premises. The lo-cation of the fine fire-proof buildings, on the Red Mountain and C. P. Ry. Co's
where all slaughtering is done during the tracks, affords exceptional facilities for re- winter months. He has purchasing agents ceiving and forwarding, and much of the in the field throughout the entire extent freight discharged at this point is handled of territory covered by his trade. by the company. A specialty is made of clearing, distributing and warehousing, the immense business transacted by Mr. and all classes of goods are handled with Burns, that his trade requires the monthly the guarantee of proper care and attenon stored goods will be issued. The prem- hogs is sold over the blocks of the retail ises are kept free from vermin, and in fit condition for the storage of any char is served on the tables of the best hotels, and unskilled operators. The average

ral business about town, including he buys by the carload. single pieces of machinery exceeded 15 all the towns named, and having erected

The livery establishment known as the Le Roi Livery, Feed and Sale Stables is one of the oldest of the kind one of the boldest of the kind one of the kind one of the kind one of the boldest of the kind one writing.

STEEN & CO.

Wholesale Liquor Dealers.

It has been our purpose in preparing the business sketches which appear in the trade number of The Miner to give those houses which are representative in their

This is the oldest wholesale liquor a general livery business, ever, kept pace with the rapid develop-Mr. Linburg boards horses by the day, week or month, giving them and the vehi week or month, siving them and the vehi of any importance in this section of the line rapid develops skillful to diag.

plies the best bars of Rossland and other Kootenay towns, it is unnecessary to quote the standard brands of wines and liquors handled. The house keeps a representative on the road who makes regular visits to its patrons throughout the entire territory covered by its trade.

Steen & Co. have both Inland Revenue and Customs bonded warehouses, and their facilities in the matter of cellars, establishing offices transportation, etc., are unsurpassed in this section of British Columbia. The his skill, and has built up a handsome stock carried is at all times full and con-plete in every particular and sufficient to supply any unusual demand that might arise. Orders received by mail or telegraph are promptly filled and are respectfully solicited.

This house has just received the largest with the best in the province. consignment of Scotch whisky from Glas-gow that was ever imported into the professional circles, and his patronage in-Kootenay country. This consists of 500 cases of Mackintosh & Co.'s unique brand of Extra Dry "Loch-Ryan." Every botmines should occupy a prominent place in London, and found to be perfectly so and well matured. Wherever it has be and well matured. Wherever it has been the trade number of The Miner. and well matured. Wherever it has been F. R. Mendenhall began business as an introduced it has steadily taken the place

Steen & Co.'s offices in Rossland are in appearance bears as little resemblance tends a cordial invitation to its friends and patrons visiting Rossland to make been accustomed to think of greater importance. It will doubtless be a surprise while in the city was a surprise to the control of the city was a surprise to the control of the city was a surprise to the control of the city was a surprise to the control of the city was a surprise to the control of the city was a surprise to the city was a surpr preciation and good treatment of its

P. BURNS & CO.

It may be safely stated that there Knowles sinkers, snow mine not another name in the mining sections kept in stock), complete Cornich pump- mentioned as that of Patrick Burns, the ing plants, and all kinds of general min-cattle king of the Kootenays. The reatubing of any kind, valves, fittings and feeds the people. It is also asserted, with every appearance of truth, that the miners of British Columbia are, of the class, ers of British Columbia are, of the class, the best fed laborers in the world. One of the prime reasons may be found in the checking is the best yet devised and re-ROSSLAND WAREHOUSE & TRANS- the best fed laborers in the world. One fact of there being such a splendid stock fact of there being such a splendid stock country in British Columbia and Alberta, and the facility with which, under a capable of turning out first class work, it single management, the best beeves, mut- is difficult to understand why it will con-

butchers. It is cause for hardly less surprise at the fact than recognition of his executive ability, that Mr. Burns furnishes fresh result. therefore, a desideratum to have a the retail butchers in Rossland, Nelson, therefore, a desideratum to have a the retail butchers in Rossland, Nelson, ducted by Messrs. T. M. Graham and C. Kaslo, Three Forks, Sandon, Trail, Slocan d. P. Graham, under the style of Graham dithe possession of such an association City, Ymir, Cascade, Grand Forks, Green-City, Ymir, Cascade, Grand Forks, Greenamong many others, on an equal footing wood and Revelstoke, in most of which with the more metropolitan cities of the ments. He also maintains retail establish-province. branch on the coast, located at Vancou-

ver. Besides his slaughter houses, located at Nelson, Sandon, Rossland, Cascade.

It will be interesting, as indicative of purchase of thousands of head of stock. When desired, policies of insurance This immense number of cattle, sheep and

e transfer, piano and furniture mov- Patrick Burns was born in Kirkfield, tc., etc. Last summer this house Ontario. His business career in British Is d the entire plant of the War Eagle Columbia, while having been so largely in to its location. This is the largest furnishing supplies to the mining towns of transfer work ever done in Ross-aggregating over 400 tons, and some marked by his having bought property in

simple pieces of machinery exceeded 15 tons in weight. Block and tackle appliances are used for such work, and the house is prepared to make contracts for the transfer of heart machinery to any location in the district.

A prominent feature of the business of the Rossland Warehouse & Transfer Company, and one which is no less a natural concomitant of the warehouse

Wight to VAHARIE STULL CONTRA

cilities are no small items in enabling the company to make prices much below those ordinarily charged, and it is not too much that the process of infants and children and has ordinarily charged, and it is not too much the company to make prices much below those ordinarily charged, and it is not too much this trade has since extended to every won quite a reputation for this specialty.

pany has secured a large share of the best a young, vigorous manhood. If we may conduce to the most perfect results of true of the other department of the busing judge rightly from his genial, happy smile 1897 by its present proprietor, John P. ness, for there is not another warehouse and manner, his many business cares sit Linburg, and is one of the leading livery in the Kootenays which can equal in fain the Kootenays which can equal in 1a very lightly upon him. He has beyond cilities the one of which we have been question served himself while serving the people; but it is a universal expression This house holds the agency for the that he has served the people well, and Standard and Imperial Oil companies, the N. P. Coal company and the Canadian for integrity of purpose and character

D. E. KERR, D. D. S.

Few of the general public realize that it is of as great importance, proportionately, to have a first class dentist as it is to have a first class surgeon, besides requiring years of study. The production of a perfect piece of dental work require time. A dentist cannot afford to devote the proper amount of time and care to an operation unless remunerated for the ex-cellence of his work; so that low prices mean inferior work. Besides much discomfort and even suffering direct, many diseases of the mouth and gums and other serious difficulties are caused by inferior work. Then, the advice of the skillful dental surgeon, who takes time to diagnose correctly and locate accurate-In fact, he is not paid for good advice or good work. The charges of a skille dentist for perfectly satisfactory and last ing operations are comparatively little more than those of a second rate dentist for imperfect and unsatisfactory and then the patient has the satisfaction of knowing that he gets what he pays or, and that the very best.
D. E. Kerr, D. D. S., has made dent for, and that the very

istry a study for years, having graduated from the Philadelphia Dental college, in 1800, and has certainly well earned the receiving his degree from his fam mater, the doctor moved to Chicago, where he practiced his profession for six years, before coming to Rossland. Since establishing offices here, he has won an operating rooms compare favorable

Dr. Kerr has associated with him Dr John Horne, a graduate of the Edin burgh university and of the Edinburgh School of Dentistry. He is a specialist

ROSSLAND ELECTRIC LAUNDRY

Comparatively few people who have not been connected to some extent in a business way with the modern steam laundry realize to what importance the business has grown of late years. enterprise were to be measured by amount of money paid out in wages, the modern laundry might justly claim a that the Rossland Electric Laundry pays out in wages nearly \$4,500.00 per year.

The Rossland Electric Laundry was

established four years ago, by T. M. Grabusiness, gives constant employment to from eight to ten people. A wagon is run for the accommodation of city pat-rons and laundry parcels are called for and delivered free of charge.

While doing all manner of laundry

work in the very best style, the specialty of this laundry is fine family and gentlemen's work. Respecting the class of work done, we may say it is uniform in excellence and approaches perfection as nearly as can be done by the most competent tinue to support the Chinese, who not only do inferior work, but who send their funds to a heathen land, instead of investing them where a local benefit will

The Rossland Electric Laundry is connear Toronto, and has had years of experience in the laundry business. His son was the first child born in the town Pullman, Illinois, and was christened Craynus Pullman, by the great Pullman car magnate, now deceased. Craynus will come into possession of \$1,000, offered by George M. Pullman to the first child in Pullman, on his twenty-first birthday, and will be eminently fitted by business experience to judiciously invest

T. H. GOWMAN,

Maker of Artistic Portraits.

It is an oft' expressed regret among people of culture and artistic taste that the art of photography has been to so is served on the tables of the best notes, fit condition for the storage of any char-is served on the tables of the best notes, photographer knows little or nothing or restaurants and families. Besides handling photographer knows little or nothing or art in its higher conceptions, and is in many instances devoid of any knowledge fresh meats at wholesale, Mr. Burns deals fresh meats at wholesale, Mr. Burns of its application to photography; but, as culture and taste have demanded it, there has arisen another class, whose alent and study of art have elevated of the palette and brush.

Anent the above, it may be taken as a ountry that this, its trade center, has attracted to its gates photographers equal in talent and skill to any in the Province. It is with pleasure, therefore, that we introduce Mr. T. H. Gowman, than whom no photographer in British Columbia has given more careful or com-prehensive study to the art or had a

camp in the Kootenays.

His equipments, in the way of cameras,
Mr. Burns is still in the very prime of backgrounds, skylights and shades, etc.,

skill and superior attainments. T. H. Gowman was born in Devonshire. Canada. He was educated at Trinity col lege, Toronto. He studied photography under Cooper, of London, Ontario, and was for three years foreman of one of the largest photographic galleries in Canada. In concluding it is permissible to state that Mr. Gowman enjoys the distinction of having been awarded the highest honors at the Canadian photographers' convention in 1897, and received equal ors at an American convention the following year.

O. K. BRICK YARD.

No enterprise in Rossland has a more than this one. The city has passed its The most conspicuous intance of that tendency is seen in the by the Bank of Montreal. That Columbia venue will eventually be Irned with substantial brick buildings is certain, for, with the best of service in the fire department, a general conflagration is only a uestion of time so long as frame buildngs remain in any number on the prinipal business street.

In view of the above, it is cause for sat-

sfaction that Rosslanu nas, almost with are afforded.

The features cross the line and pay a heavy duty, or

building purposes, but has lisposed of its entire output to the nines, of which all the leading ones have been its patrons. Beginning in a small way, three years ago, the business and facilities have increased until today the capacity of the plant is estimated at ,000,000 bricks per year. In anticipation of the change from frame to brick buildings in Rossland, the plant will in the ear future be removed to a point nearer he city, and will be very materially enarged. The quality of clay is the best or common brick, and the product is onsidered a very superior grade.

The founder and present proprietor of Mr. Larson is a Russian by birth, but been 20 years on this side of the water. He learned his trade in the United States, and has had 12 years experience as a manufacturer. Mr. Larson is secure from outside competition, no less by virtue of his prices than the excellent article he manufactures, and amply mer ts the measure of success he has won.

TRAIL, B. C.

Located on the west shore of the Coabove other enterprises we have customed to think of greater importance of the advantages of modern culture and education, Trail is in many respects one Rossland Electric Laundry pays rages nearly \$4,500.00 per year.

International boundary line, with water and rail communication with the outside world, with permanent industries and all the advantages of modern culture and education, Trail is in many respects one from of Esling & Worth. Its scope is comprehended by the general term. real international boundary line, with water Bealey & Co., Ltd., by whom it was conducted until the succession of the present firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the late of the most desirable residence points in the Kootenays. Supported by the general term. real international boundary line, with water Bealey & Co., Ltd., by whom it was conducted until the succession of the present firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later of the most desirable residence points in the Kootenays. Supported by the general term. real international boundary line, with water Bealey & Co., Ltd., by whom it was conducted until the succession of the present firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. Since which time it has also absorbed the business of the later firm a year ago. mining industry, it has commercial advantages which alone are sufficient to build a city. It is the natural site of the district for manufacturing enterprises, and its scenic location makes it an ideal situation for the home. A city of churches and schools, of commercial and ndustrial opportunities, the future of Trail is assured. The elevation, 1,200 eet above the level of the sea, affords all the charms of mountain life without the unpleasantness frequently felt in the higher altitudes. The temperature never reaches extremes, and health records show a gratifyingly low percentage of dis-To give more explicit data regarding

this little gem of the mountains, Trail has a population of 1.500. It is pre-emin ently a city of homes, many of which are artistic and even imposing, while the style of architecture throughout is tasty and attractive. Five churches, many denominations, bespeak the religious and cultured character of the citizens, while two public schools, in charge of able educators, afford opportunity for the instruction of the rising generation Seven hotels cater to the wa nts of the traveling public, and the mercantile concerns do a thriving business. The Trail smelter, now owned and operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway comore daily. Arrangements have been made and contracts signed, whereby the shipments of ore will soon be greatly inat a cost of over \$600,000.00, and has a of interest amongst mining men. The tion. Many of the visitors who had seen capacity of 1,000 tons of ore per day. A umber of other industries necessary a mining section have been established town has a pay roll exceeding \$20,000.00 per month. Daily trains over the Canadian Pacific railway run to the mines at Rossland, and to the transcon tinental tracks at Revelstoke. Trail is the oldest town in the famous

Trail Creek district. The townsite was staked out and plotted by Colonel E. S. Topping, known throughout the Koot-enays as the "Father of Trail." The colonel's biography reads like a romance. His life has been replete wih the vicissitudes of fortune, and the tales of the experiences and adventures which have made his life's history are food for the value \$21.96. novelist. He went through the Sioux campaign of '76 and '77, with Crook, and fought Indians for years. He was a pionhotography to a station equal with tuat eer to the Big Horn country and his thorough knowledge of the country made him invaluable to Crook on scouting expedi compliment to the refined taste of the tions. He was, so far as history records citizens of Rossland and the surrounding the first white man to thoroughly explore the first white man to thoroughly explore the Yellowstone, and was of one of the great geysers of the basin. Colonel Topping was likewise a pioneer to the Kootenays, having established the first store at Nelson. During the fall and winter of '88, though an American citizen, he had full charge of southwestern Koot-

LE ROI LIVERY FEED AND SALE than transferring, is the merchandising of brick, lime, cement, plaster, hair, fire brick, lime, cement, plaster, hair, fire brick, fire clay, sewer pipe, drain tile, brick, fire clay, sewer pipe, drain tile, and process to brick, lime, cement, plaster, hair, fire brick, fire clay, sewer pipe, drain tile, brick, fire clay, sewer pipe, drain tile, and process to business enterprises.

The livery establishment known as the coal, wood, hay, oats, etc. Dealing in 1892. His first business venture was at duces beautiful effects in carbon and extent on the frontier, he has wielded the lecting data and writing for their history of Montana. Personally, the col-onel is a genial and entertaining genmeet, who can talk business or tleman to chat with the same evidence of social

THE CROWN POINT HOTEL

Trail, B. C.

Among the many advantages of Trail, not the least is its excellent facilities for hostelries afford the best accomodations is a duplicate of the one near the city betraveling public at large.

The Crown Point Hotel may properly be

ing is a commodious three-story struc- ing down the creek. I do not think there ture, surrounded on three sides by wide verandas, on the ground and second floors, legitimate claim to permanency than the o. K. Brick Yard, nor is there one which for it affords an excellent mode of escane s likely to contribute more in the build- in case of fire. We may add, however, ng line to the Rossland of the future that there is little danger from this source, than this one. The city has passed its evanescent stage, and the flimsy buildings which in the early days of the camp sufficed for shelter are being gradually torn down and replaced by handsome four years ago by Peterson Bros.. the extending the system wherever it is not be all the first that it can be put the terest and sinking fund for the debendance of the dependent of the following the system wherever it is not the extending the system wherever it is not the extending the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system wherever it is not the first that it can be put the system where the system four years ago by Peterson Bros., the extending the system wherever it is pospresent proprietors, and was especially designed for its use as a hotel. The office. designed for its use as a note. The office, medical profession as one of the chief bar, billiard and pool room, barber shop, medical profession as one of the chief reading and writing room and dining room causes of fevers in the city, and in adare on the ground floor, and the parlor dition it will be necessary to carry the on the floor above. The guest rooms are main over Centre Star gulch in order to large and well lighted, and, in point of give that portion of the town lying west furnishings, the equal of the best in the of the bridge proper tire protection, so disposal of guests, and all the conveniences month's fire. Hydrants will be put in of electric lighting and modern plumbing here and in other portions of the

of supplying this demand, and with a are, first of all, its management and serthink the rates ought to be reduced for quality of brick superior to that usuany on the market. Otherwise it would be tions. The dining room is large and at the number of consumers have been inare, first of all, its management and ser- think the rates ought to be reduced for ecessary either to import brick from tractive, and the cuisine the best the creased so that almost everyone will be ship in over the Canadian Pacific at exthe best of everything in liquors and can be made without affering the efficiency of the system. There is one matter
that I am particularly anxious should be present time, felt little demand for its ford a source of amusement to guests. A thoroughly understood by all citizens, and 'bus meets all arriving and trains, and free sample rooms are at the I have been looking very carefully into the disposal of commercial travelers.

C. A. McANALLY.

Trail, B. C. The pharmacy owned and conducted by

his gentleman had its beginning in 1896 The stock of drugs and medicines carried includes everything known to the trade and in demand in this section in the line of patent and prepared remedies, toilet articles, etc.

Putting up prescriptions is an important feature of the business and all prescriptions are submitted to close inspection be-fore being filled. This department is pro-vided with drugs of the highest grade of ourity, and no others are used.

An excellent line of stationery is caried, and includes everything in the of office supplies.

SEATLE & DEWAR.

The business now owned by Seatle & Dewar, was established in 1896, by R. J

brokers and notaries public. The real estate business of the firm is confined to Trail business and residence property, and includes, a general rental agency. Loans are made on acceptance securities and a financial business is trans-Loans are made on acceptable acted. The firm makes a specialty of business collections, and, naving correspond ents in the principal towns of the Koot enays, is prepared to accept accounts any where in this part of the province.

In fire insurance, this firm is local agent for the Phoenix, Imperial, Scottish Liverpool, London and Globe, and Ocean accident. This firm has written all the nsurance that has been placed on Trail roperty by the fire under-writers during he past year, and writes all the insurance arried by the big smelter.

STRIKE IN THE WINNIPEG.

Samples of High Grade Copper Ore Brought in Here.

Messrs. McCallum and Sharpin returned ast evening from the Winnipeg mine bringing with them some very rich samoles taken from the new find on the mine. The strike has been made by the railway men in constructing a 500-foot spur to the covered is 46 feet wide at the present time, pany, is at present smelting 300 tons of but it will take more development work before the exact size of the ledge can be ascertained. The samples brought in were district during the coming winter. on view vesterday at the office of Mr. This smelting plant was built Richard Plewman, and excited a good deal samples were taken right across the face other displays declared that the Spokane of the ledge, and the values obtained are

very high. Mr. Richard Marsh made an assay of five pieces with the following results: No. 1, 7.88 oz. silver, value \$4.72; .16 oz.

No. 2, 5.64 oz. silver, value \$3.38; .12 oz gold, value \$2.40; 13 12 per cent copper, ore, and so made a much larger

No. 3, 3.82 oz. silver, value \$2.29; 6.24 oz. The ore sent down by pany will be brought gold, value \$124.80; 2 1-10 per cent copper, to the mine, but the balance of the exvalue \$11.16.

No. 5, 3.74 oz. silver, value \$2.24; 3.96 oz. gold, value 79.20; 4 3-10 per cent copper,

No. 4, total value, \$70.76; No. 5, total value, \$96.88.

W. H. Elliott's general store at New Sarum, was robbed, the thieves tying and gagging a large watch dog in the store. gagging a large watch dog in the store.

The two and a half year old son of
Joseph Murdock, who is in the employ of
C. P. R. tonight the largest load of bagthe Rathbun company, Lindsay, was struck enay, with power to arrest and imprison. by a runaway team and so seriously in uver. He staked and named the famous Le Roi that he has since died.

CITY WATER WORKS.

His Worship the Mayor and Aiderman alonde made an inspection Thursday of

the city waterworks stave pipe, and of

the additions that are being made to the supply service generally. On returning to

town the mayor said. "We are very well

pleased with what we saw this arternoon.

Stave Pipe Covered in-Plenty of Water-Service Pipes Needs Watching.

The stave pipe is completely covered in and I think is fully protected from the frost. We examined the pipe all the way up and think the cover ag has been very well done. The new dam has been completed and there is now a reserve there of something over 300,000 entertaining its transient population. Its new reservoir is practically completed. It to be had in the district, and cater to the low the Virginia workings, and will be ready for use when the necessary fittings come from Chicago. At present the stavecited as Trail's leading house. The build- pipe is carrying all the water that is comis any danger of the stave pipe freezing up as it did last winter, and if the citizens

and has artistic balconies on the floor will use ordinary care in protecting the above. The stye of architecture is no less service pipes and getting the taps and fittings in their residences and places of busmess in good shape so that there will be little or no waste, there will be plenty of water for all purposes this winter. I should like to see the rates reduced, but sible in order to do away with the use of wells, which have been condemned by the district. Hot and cold baths are at the as to prevent the reoccurrence of last city where they are most urgently need-The features of the Crown Point Hotel ed. All this will cost money, so I don't the present. Next year, however, when

market affords. The bar is supplied with using city water, a substantial reduction departing particularly by all city water consumers. question of water, and I find that in Euglish cities, particularly the per capita consumption, is away below that of many American cities, and the chief reason for it is that the English authorities are particularly strict about waste. This reters not only to allowing the water to run unnecessarily, but also applies to leaking taps and imperfect house services general ly. Inspectors are appointed to enforce very stringent regulations, and in this way the waste of water is practically prohibted. I am satisfied that unless it is wasted we will have plenty of water this winter, but if citizens allow the water taps to run in cold weather to prevent reezing, or in other way waste the ter, the city will be obliged at times to turn off the supply, exactly as it was done last winter by the company in order to have sufficient on hand for fire protection. Not only must all service pipes be properly protected before the really frosty weather sets in, but existing plumbing must be carefully examined and repaired wherever necessary. Each building where water is used should be supplied with a stop and waste, so that when desired the water may be turned off and the contents of the pipes drained off to avoid freezing. Citizens not taking --e proper to prevent freezing, will simply have to have their service shut off. I am satisfied that a very large proportion of the water consumed is used by a comparatively small number, and meters should be supplied in these cases as the fairest mode of fixing a rate. The small consumer at present pays too much in proportion. This question, however." concluded the mayor. "will settle itself in time. The great thing at the

have a good supply at all times on hand." ORE EXHIBIT.

present time is to prevent waste, and so

The Rossland Collection Obtained a Silver Medal at Spokane. Mr. George Winters of this city, whe

has had charge of the Rossland ore exhibit at the Spokane Industrial fair, returned to this city last evening after spending two weeks in arranging and lookng after the selection sent down. Mr. Winters went among the mines of the camp and personally solicited samples, in many cases packing them in to the camp himself. Having got a good representahimself. Having got tive lot of ore together Mr. Winters went to Spokane on the Ist, and ever since the fair opened he has been busy explaining the exhibit and giving inquiring visiting a particulars concerning the output and the winters. ors particulars concerning the output and other details of the camp. Mr. Winters says that a great many miners applied to him about the outlook for work in this

The entire display of ores, Mr. Winters says, was the chief feature of the exposiore exhibit was the finest ever made in America, while the display from the Kossland camp was not large it never failed to attract the attention of visiting mining men, who readily grasped the importance of the showing made. The Rossland exgold, value \$3.20; 22 1-10 per cent copper, hibit was confined to gold-copper ores, camps exhibiting while some of the other had quite a number of different classed The ore sent down by the I. X. L. comhibit once the show is over will be handed No. 4, 6. 68 oz. silver, value \$4.00; 2.24 oz. over to the Spokane chamber of gold, value \$44.80; 6 2-10 per cent copper, merce and will form part of that body's permanent collection. The Rossland collection was awarded the first prize-a sil-No. 1, total value, \$87.48; No. 2, total value, \$43.58; No. 3, total value, \$138.25;
No. 4, total value, \$70.76. No. 1, total value, \$70.76. No. 2, total value, \$138.25; verton carried off the first prize for silverad ore. British Columbia was awarded the prize for state or provincial exhibit.

A Collossal Load of Baggage

gage which has ever been seen on the streets of Rossland, consisting of 21 pieces. This beats the record.

rwo Dollars

This Prop

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Waterloo Mill is Place is Prosperous Oro Den ro.

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mall game. Mr. McFadden's missi to hunt for game, p the Gem group. men he has been en months in opening first work done spect the surface. stripped here and ngth of 90 feet, so th ipped for a distance was found to be in width. The ore silver and gold. After been done and the demonstrated, a ted and the sinkin enced. This has now 52 feet. The shaft d as it dips only slig st perpendicular. is in ore which the walls are well d depth, which is beloance. The shaft wi east 75 feet before dr ced. The showing aging nature. Five the following returned to the Hattie L r: total, \$8.24. ll of the shaft, \$25.20. A s in gold, \$26.70 in s from the Echo cla in silver; total, taken from the n otal, \$39.82. em group s loca Sheep lake, three ent trail that lea Columbia & om the gro

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