



WILL PUT IN A PLANT

Deer Park Is to Be Provided With Machinery.

HAS A GREAT SHOWING

Le Roi Will Resume Its Shipments to the Northport Smelter on Tuesday.

The Deer Park company has practically decided to install a compressor plant at once upon its property, and only the final arrangements need to be perfected.

The shaft is now down nearly 245 feet, and three eight-hour shifts are continuing work as rapidly as possible.

MINING REORDER

Mr. Kirkup Will Continue to Perform the Duties of the Position.

John Kirkup has been appointed to the office of gold commissioner for the Roseland mining division.

The lieutenant-governor-in-council has the power to appoint a chief gold commissioner and gold commissioners.

SILVER QUEEN PLANT

A Contract Let for Furnishing the Water Power.

Edward C. Finch, manager of the Silver Queen Mining company, is back from the Cariboo creek region.

IS IT A BLUFF?

Inland Telephone Co. Threatens to Paralyze the B. C. Co.'s Lines.

There is a fight on between the Spokane and British Columbia Telephone company and the Inland Telephone & Telegraph company.

money to the inland people as there is not near enough business to support two telephone systems.

LE ROI TO RESUME

Shipments to Northport to Be Commenced on Tuesday.

By Tuesday of next week the familiar rumbling of the Le Roi tramway will again be heard in the land.

The ore which is being stoped is for the present left in the drifts, as the skips are not completed to the 700-foot level.

Bankers Recognize Roseland Stocks.

Straws show which way the wind blows. The fact that the standard stocks of the camp have a fixed commercial value is shown by the fact that the banks of Toronto are now accepting them as securities.

New Company Registered. The New York Kootenay Mining company, limited, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000.

THE RAILWAY TO TRAIL

It Will Soon Be Changed into a Standard Gauge.

Two 70-Ton Mogol Engines Will Be Placed on the Trail Road as Soon As It Is Made Broad Gauge.

By the 20th of October the Canadian Pacific railway will be running standard gauge trains into Roseland.

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 JOHN A. MANLY, Esq., (late Mayor of Grand Forks) Grand Forks, B. C.  
 ARCHIBALD C. SINCLAIR, Esq., Physician, Rossland, B. C.  
 W. HART-McHARG, Esq., (of Abbott & Hart-McHarg, Barristers) Rossland, B. C.  
 SMITH CURTIS, Esq., (of Curtis & MacNish, Barristers) Rossland, B. C.

**CAPITAL: \$250,000, Divided into 2,500,000 Share of the Par Value of TEN CENTS EACH.**

Shares are Issued under section 56, respecting Mining Companies, of the "Companies' Act, 1897," of British Columbia, and are absolutely non-assessable. One million shares are reserved to provide Working Capital (usually called Treasury Shares); 200,000 of these shares are to be pooled, and are offered for public subscription at the low price of 3 cents; the proceeds will be applied at once to develop the property. The remaining 800,000 shares will not be offered for sale until this fund is exhausted, when it is believed the enhanced value of the property will enable them to be sold at par and upwards.

**Pool** All the promoters' shares and above mentioned 200,000 treasury shares are to be pooled on the following basis:

They are to be placed in the Bank of Montreal and are to remain there until \$15,000 have been paid into the Company's treasury, whereupon the pool is to be broken, wholly or in part, as the Directors may authorize. Provided, however, that when the Company's property is on a paying basis, the pool shall be absolutely broken. (This point is likely to be reached at an early date.)

The Treasurer's receipts, under the seal of the Company, will be issued to purchasers of pooled shares.

The pooling of the 200,000 treasury shares sold at first at a low price will prevent the possibility of their blocking the sale of the remainder (unpooled) at par or a premium.

**The Property** The Company's property consists of the "Pay Ore" mineral claim, situate in Grand Forks Mining Division in British Columbia. It is located about one-half mile east of the North Fork of Kettle River and twelve miles north of the City of Grand Forks. Just below it lie the 640 acres reserved by the Provincial Government for a townsite on account of the rich mineralization of the locality on all sides. The "Pay Ore" lies between the "Pathfinder" claim (recently under option to the British America Corporation at \$100,000) and the "Diamond Hitch" claim.

**Survey** It has been surveyed and the surveyor is making application for certificate of improvements and Crown Grant.

**Water** The North Fork affords an enormous water supply for concentrator and power purposes.

**Timber** Timber for mining and building purposes is very plentiful in the immediate vicinity of the "Pay Ore."

**Pay Ore** In addition to a vein running into the "Pathfinder" and showing similar chalcopryitic ore, the "Pay Ore" is traversed by a vein of quartz thirty feet wide, the trend being at right angles to the other vein and the country rock. This quartz vein runs north-westerly and southeasterly through the center of the claim; and where it has been completely stripped along the hanging wall for a width of five or six feet it has from the very surface good pay ore. Every ton of quartz taken out will not only pay for its extraction but will yield a good profit. The vein is exposed near the top of a steep, high hill, affording an excellent dump and a good tunnel site for working or draining the ore deposits. A shaft has been sunk seven or eight feet on the hanging wall and the vein on either side has been stripped for a little distance exposing pay ore so far as stripped.

**Assays.**

ASSAYER.	GOLD.	SILVER.	COPPER.	TOTAL VALUE.
A. B. Rombauer, Butte, Mont., Dec 4, 1897.	3.2 oz.	12.4 oz.	5.5 p. cent	\$76.59
Carney & Hand, Butte, Mont., Jan 6, 1898.	3.88 oz.	7.9 oz.	3.0 p. cent	85.10
Chas. W. Cluett, Rossland, B.C., March, 1898	2.96 oz.	16.6 oz.	(no assay)	68.50
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H. A. Sheads, Grand Forks, 20 May, 1898.	2.88 oz.	10.0 oz.	7-10 of 1 p.c.	64.00

Gold taken at \$20 per oz.; silver taken at 0.57 per oz.; copper at 5 cents per lb.

Assay made by Mr. Sheads, of Grand Forks, was from 15 to 20 samples taken at random from the five feet of vein next to the hanging wall by ex-Mayor Manly, of Grand Forks. The late owners claim that assays as high as \$150 have been had from the "Pay Ore." It certainly has the richest and widest pay streak of any property in the vicinity.

**The Ore Body** The quartz is impregnated with magnetic iron, tellurides and some copper pyrites. It is not free milling but will concentrate from 3 to 15 into 1 according to its richness with a saving of at least 80 per cent. of the values. It is safe to put the average concentration at not less than 5 into 1, and the average value of the ore in the five feet adjoining the hang-

ing wall at \$20 per ton. Taking these as a basis, 100 tons of ore averaging \$20 per ton gross values, will give results as follows:

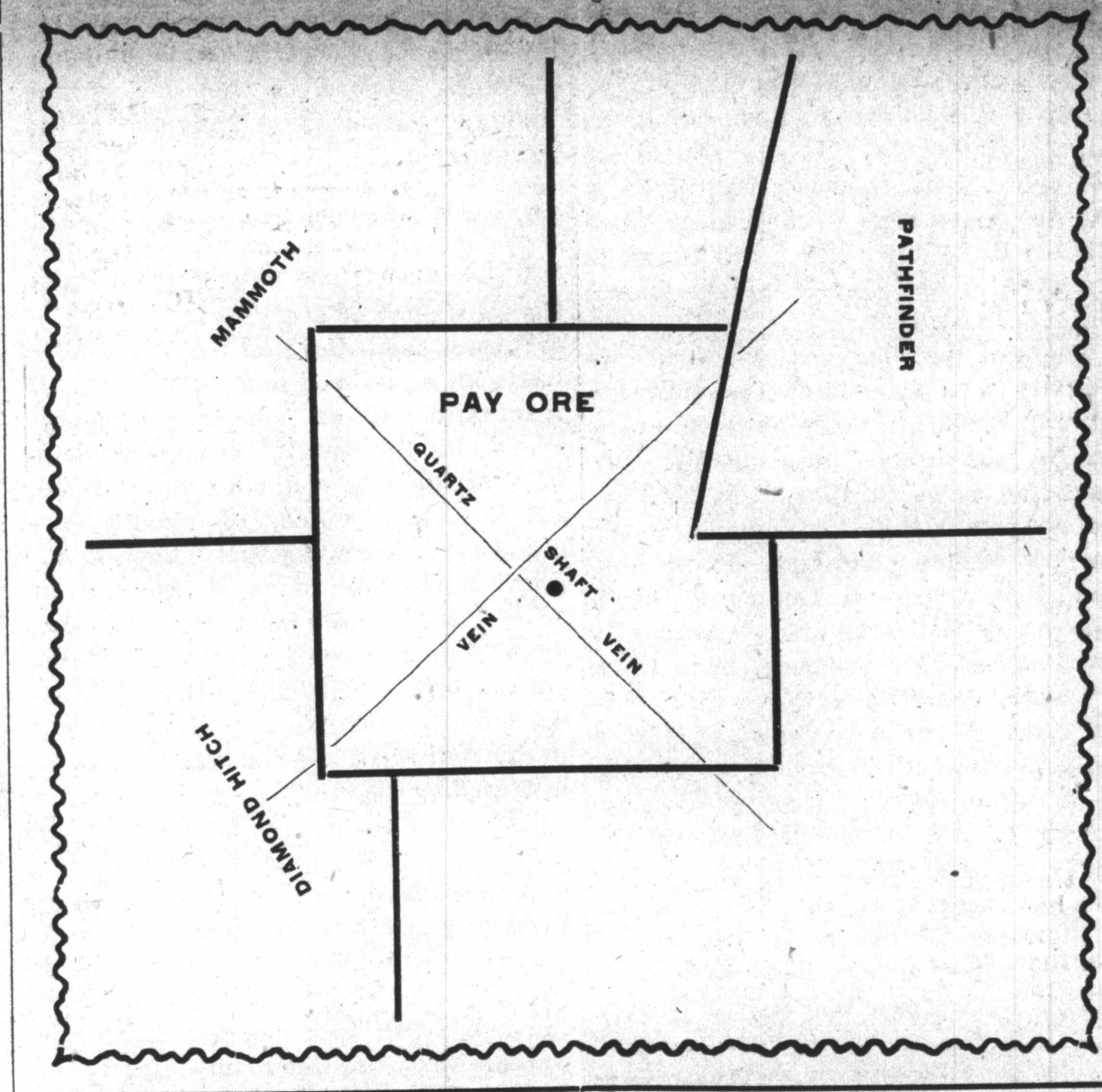
Twenty tons concentrates carrying 80 per cent. of gross value.....	\$1,600
Cost of mining 100 tons at \$3.....	300
Cost of concentrating 100 tons at \$1.....	100
Freight and smelting 20 tons at \$1.....	180
Sundry expenses.....	20
Net profit.....	1,000
	\$1,600

or a net profit of \$10 per ton. The tailings would contain \$4 per ton and it is safe to say that before long a cheap process of extracting this at a profit will be found.

Many of the best dividend-paying mines have a net profit of less than \$4 per ton. The Hall Mines (Nelson, B. C.) and the Anaconda Copper Co. (net profit in 1897 over \$5,000,000) are examples.

**Transportation** A wagon road from Grand Forks to the "Pathfinder" passing within a hundred feet or so of the "Pay Ore" will be completed in June, 1898.

The C. P. R. line through Grand Forks to Greenwood and Midway is now under contract and will pass within 4 miles of the concentrator site of the "Pay Ore." A branch line must shortly be built along the east side of the North Fork where the concentrator will be, to accommodate the many rich mines that will be opened in that locality.



**Smelters** The C. P. R. smelter at Trail will be reached by the railway now building. The freight and treatment will not exceed \$8 per ton. English capitalists are negotiating for a smelter site at the City of Grand Forks and it is said the C. P. R. will in 1899 erect a smelter at or near Greenwood; in either case giving reduced freight and treatment rates.

**Permanency** The "Pay Ore" being a mine from the surface, the only serious problem involved is: Will these pay values persist with depth? If so the property must have immense permanent value.

1. On all sides—for miles on the north, south and west—there are rich gold and copper showings, and the veins are remarkably large and strong, varying from a few feet to the 800-foot ledge of the "Volcanic" claim. Within a comparatively small area there are at least a dozen properties that give the strongest evidence of being mines. A great many of these give remarkably high assays in gold. A recent assay from the surface of a claim adjoining the "Pay Ore" gave \$80.61 in gold.

2. The hanging wall of the "Pay Ore" quickly merges into "bird's eye" porphyry, and porphyry as a contact wall is one of the best indications of permanency and of increased value with depth.

3. In addition to the "Pay Ore" quartz vein there are within a half mile of it two parallel quartz veins (one of them being very similar to the "Pay Ore" vein) carrying pay values in gold and silver, nearly as high as the "Pay Ore." These may have all been thrown up from a common gold zone deep within the earth's crust.

Taken altogether, the surroundings and indications are extremely favorable to permanency of gold and silver values, and the risk on that score may be considered as very small indeed.

**Working Capital** The 1,000,000 shares set aside for working capital are undoubtedly most ample. There is no expenditure of \$10,000 to \$30,000 needed to find a pay ore body. All that is needed is an expenditure sufficient to prove enough pay ore in sight to justify the erection of a concentrator. The management do not propose to make the mistake so many companies have made of buying an extensive plant before sufficient ore is on hand to keep it in operation. A concentrator capable of treating 40 tons a day will be furnished by a firm of well-known mining machinery manufacturers for \$5,000. It is therefore very likely that a large number of these treasury shares will not be required to be sold, but will remain in the Company's treasury and will not participate in dividends. When a concentrator is purchased the mine will pay its own way.

**Dividends** The "Pay Ore" property has been selected by the undersigned after careful testings and several examinations. I have no doubt it has pay ore from the very surface and is one in a thousand. From the experience gained in the past (and paid for in cash) I have arrived at the settled conclusion that, notwithstanding the glowing optimistic statements of company promoters and mining experts as to the almost absolute certainty of little stringers of ore (whether assaying high or not) developing with depth into good pay ore, such ventures are far too risky for ordinary capital, while on the other hand it is infrequent that surface pay ore pinches out and fails to be the outcrop of large valuable ore deposits. In fact the most paying mines have had [I find] more or less pay ore from the surface; and such surface indications in mining are as safe and as certain of good results as a wheat crop is in farming, if not even more so.

With the surface values persisting with depth, it is quite evident that within a year after development work begins, the "Pay Ore" Company should be a dividend paying one. It is worthy of note also that on account of its comparatively low capitalization \$25,000 will give a 10 per cent. dividend while it will take four times that sum to pay a similar dividend in a million dollar company.

**Conclusion** The officers and directors are well-known, careful business men of the City of Rossland, whose sole aim is to make this magnificent property into a dividend paying mine.

No salaries will be paid to the officers until the development of the property will justify it, and then the aim will be to get a dollar's worth of service for every dollar paid.

Provision is made by the Company's charter against incurring debt without the funds being on hand to liquidate it. The undersigned proposes to give his personal attention to the management of the Company's affairs and property and confidently believes that all the foregoing statements with regard to the "Pay Ore" claim will, upon investigation, be found to be correct, and may be implicitly relied upon by the public.

ROSSLAND, June, 1898.

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THE ORE SHIPMENTS.

Table listing ore shipments from mines adjacent to Rossland from Jan. 1 to July 9, 1895. Columns include mine name and quantity.

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Total 40,796. The ore shipments for the seven days from July 2 to July 9, inclusive, were as follows: War Eagle, Centre Star, Iron Mask, Monte Christo, Sunset No. 3, Deer Park.

PARTY LINES.

By the result of the elections last Saturday a new order of things politically has undoubtedly arisen in British Columbia. From now on the struggle for the control of the public affairs of this Province will be conducted on straight party lines, and the next general election, whenever they may be, will, it is safe to say, see candidates for legislative honors appealing to the electorate as Conservatives or Liberals, as the case may be, and not as Ministerialists and Oppositionists.

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THE ELECTION RETURNS.

At last the result of the elections is known, but the knowledge thus obtained is far from being satisfactory from a Government point of view. It is evident that the days of the Turner administration are numbered.

CHEAP ELECTRIC POWER.

The advent of the electric energy of the West Kootenay Power & Light company in this vicinity will mark an epoch in the history of mining in the Trail Creek division. This is because it will cheapen the cost of mining.

of profit on the present smelting basis. The new power adds a distinct value to every mine in the camp that is producing, because it increases the earning capacity just so much as it lessens the cost of the production of ore.

There is another distinct benefit, which though small by comparison with that conferred on mining, that will aid materially in the upbuilding of this community. Small factories of all kinds that have hitherto been languishing, or have not been attempted because of the lack of cheap power can now be successfully established.

Therefore, there has been no event that has happened in this division, except, perhaps, the reduction in the cost of smelting, of so much general importance to its welfare as the introduction of this cheap electric power. It will do a great deal to make this the foremost mining camp of the western part of the American continent.

THE VICE REGAL VISIT.

The news that the viceroy of Canada, accompanied by his lady, the Countess of Aberdeen, is to visit Rossland within the next ten days will, of course, be received with great enthusiasm by the patriotic people of this city. It is satisfactory to note that suitable preparations for the reception of these distinguished visitors are well under way, and that by the time they arrive here everything will have been done to make their brief sojourn in the camp as enjoyable as is possible under the circumstances.

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MARKET FEATURES.

The market yesterday was rather quiet but all standard stocks were firm and many that were offered under the market were picked up. Virginia was in demand around 45 cents but we found it impossible to fill orders, holders wanting much more. At the present price it is the best buy in Rossland and will be the next stock to make a large advance.

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Snaps for Today.

We offer today subject to sale the following snaps: 2,000 St. Paul, 1,500 Monte Christo, 1,000 Jim Blair, 2,000 Abbotford, etc.

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Several blocks of pooled stocks for sale. N. B. Several Gold Mining Properties for sale. Also a Great Silver-Lead Division payable Mine.

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A HOLIDAY ON TUESDAY

A Meeting of Representative Citizens  
Was Held Tuesday and the Pre-  
liminary Arrangements for the En-  
tertainment Were Made.

The visit of Lord and Lady Aberdeen  
to Rossland on Tuesday next will be a  
civic holiday throughout the municipali-  
ty in honor of their coming. This de-

The meeting Tuesday afternoon was  
a large and representative one. The  
mayor presided and W. McQueen acted  
as secretary. A numerous reception  
committee was appointed, and commit-

H. W. C. Jackson was appointed  
permanent secretary of the general com-

Executive committee—J. M. Martin,  
Edwin Durant, J. S. C. Fraser, H. S.

Decorative committee—F. W. Rolt,  
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Musical committee—W. Hart-Mc-  
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The tenders for the widening of the  
gauge of the Columbia & Western rail-  
way between here and Trail are all in  
the hands of F. P. Gutelius, general  
superintendent of the road, as the time  
for receiving bids expired Tuesday.

The successful contractor is expected to  
begin work inside of ten days. It is  
estimated that the cost of the improve-

Wm. Winter and H. H. Boomer, of  
the firm of Winters, Parsons & Boomer,  
railway contractors, were in town Tues-  
day. They have brought their outfit  
over from the Crow's Nest line, where  
they had a contract, and will begin work  
on the extension of the C. & W. between  
Robson and Cascade.

A Distinguished Visitor.

Anthony J. McMillan, of the British  
Columbia (Rossland & Sloan) syndicate,  
left last Tuesday for Revelstoke to  
meet G. S. Waterlow and a party of  
friends from London, who are en route  
to the Kootenays on a business and  
pleasure trip. Mr. Waterlow is the son  
of Sir Sidney Waterlow, formerly lord  
mayor of London, and he has numerous  
interests in the camp. The party will  
arrive here Thursday.

THE BLUFF TO BE MOVED

Contract For the Work Let to Sol  
Cameron.

The Price Is \$11,980—Mayor Wallace  
Will Proclaim a Civic Holiday  
For Tuesday Next.

The city council at its meeting Tuesday  
night let to Sol Cameron the contract for  
removing 40 feet of the bluff on the west  
end of Columbia avenue. Mr. Cameron's  
tender was \$11,980. Alderman Goodeve  
moved that as the cost of this work was  
very high, all tenders should be rejected  
and new bids requested, calling for the  
removal of only 25 feet of the bluff as  
well as 40 feet. The motion however  
was lost.

The tenders for grading Spokane street  
were all rejected, as the council consid-  
ered them high and no tenders were  
called for.

The tenders for removing the bluff  
were as follows:

Sol Cameron, solid rock, \$1.60 per  
cubic yard; loose rock, 40c. per cubic  
yard; gravel filling, 40c. per cubic yard;  
culverts, \$1 per lineal foot.

Chas. Van Ness, solid rock, \$1.90 per  
cubic yard; loose rock, 50c. per cubic  
yard; earth excavation, 50c. per cubic  
yard; gravel filling, 50c. per cubic yard;  
culverts, 85c. per lineal foot.

Charles Ehlers and Joseph Rodgers,  
solid rock, \$1.75 per cubic yard; earth  
excavation, 65 cents per cubic yard;  
gravel filling, 75 cents per cubic yard;  
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J. W. Campbell and J. A. Waters  
(tender unaccompanied by check), solid  
rock, \$1.60 per cubic yard; loose rock, 70  
cents per cubic yard; earth excavation,  
45 cents per cubic yard; gravel filling, 40  
cents per cubic yard; culverts, 50 cents  
per lineal foot.

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grading Spokane street were the same as  
for removing the bluff, with the excep-

tender for the Spokane street job, and  
that Sol Cameron offered to do the earth  
excavation on Spokane street for 39  
cents per cubic yard instead of 40 cents,  
which was his tender for the same class  
of work in removing the bluff.

The approximate amount of each of  
the contractor's tenders was as follows:

For removing the bluff, Sol Cameron,  
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& Rodgers, \$13,377.50; Campbell & Wat-  
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eron, \$4,995; Chas. Van Ness, \$6,400;  
Ehlers & Rodgers, \$3,320.

The matter of the proposed bridge on  
Washington street, over the C. & W.  
tracks, was brought up by J. F. McCrae  
and W. F. Robinson, who urged that  
the bridge be built at once. They pro-

duced engineers' reports showing that  
the grade would be about 25 per cent,  
which, they said, was a practicable grade  
for pedestrians and for light traffic.

Alderman Lalonde announced that  
the railway company, when standing  
the gauge of the road this summer, was  
likely to move the line of the road one  
way or the other. If the track is moved  
nearer to the bluff it will be possible to  
build the proposed bridge at an angle of  
about 18 per cent, which would be high-  
ly desirable, and the council sent a re-

quest to the railway company requesting  
it to move its tracks nearer to the bluff,  
so that a practicable grade be secured  
for the new bridge. If this change in  
the railway track be secured it is ex-  
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erecting the bridge.

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Alderman Clute pointed out that it was  
necessary for a petition from the citi-

zens to be presented to the mayor before  
a special holiday should be created,  
Mayor Wallace decided to delay pro-  
claiming the holiday until the matter of  
the petition could be attended to.

The council decided to defray the  
costs of the celebration, but bills will  
be honored only on orders signed by the  
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appropriations for the different items of  
cost in connection with the celebration.

The special committee of Aldermen  
Clute, Thompson and Goodeve to look  
into the matter of giving a grant to the  
proposed military band, recommended  
that the council appropriate \$300 for  
that purpose.

The board of works recommended that  
hereafter no hospital fee be taxed against  
employees on the city streets, and the  
motion carried.

A recommendation of the police com-  
missioners that the salaries of Sergeant  
McGowan and Patrolman McPhee be  
increased respectively from \$85 and \$75  
to \$95 and \$85, was referred to the com-

mittee.

The fire committee reported that its  
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him to get supplies into his claim, the  
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the Silver Cup, and on which he and his  
partner, Dr. Johnson, of Rossland, in-  
tend to do considerable work this season.

J. Wilson, superintendent of the C. P.  
R. telegraph lines, stated a few days  
since that there was nothing new or  
official about the overland extension of  
the telegraph line northward from Que-  
bec, but that unofficially he was told a  
few days ago that the government was  
about to make a move in the way of  
giving a start to the building of such a  
line, and that it was very likely that R. E.  
will at least make a survey of the route  
this season.

The New Denver Ledge says: "This  
paper was the first to advocate the estab-  
lishment of a mint in Canada. A cam-  
paign sheet at Kaslo was given to John  
Green by a first man to bring the mat-  
ter to public notice. No doubt he  
has done so, but it was a long time after  
we had written up the matter. We  
have also been the first paper in British  
Columbia to advance nearly all the res-  
ports that have been taken place in the  
country, and it affords us much pleasure  
to see others get the credit for original  
ideas."

C. de B. Green, P. L. S., of Osoyoos,  
has just recovered from a third attack  
of this summer of blood poisoning, as a  
result of the baneful influence of the  
poison oak, a plant which grows pro-  
fusely in some parts of the Okanagan  
district. It is strange but nevertheless a  
fact that some reports in the Green's  
bosom are affected by this plant even  
without coming into contact with it,  
inhalating the pungent odor of the plant  
being sufficient to cause poisoning.

Mr. J. Haney, chief of construction  
for the railway, was in the city. M. H.  
Macloed, chief engineer, and Mr.  
Graham, chief clerk for Mr. Haney, were  
in Wardner a few days since on their  
way from Cranbrook to Macloed. Mr.  
Haney stated that the work of laying the  
rails was progressing rapidly as possi-  
ble, and that in all probability the  
track would reach the Kootenay river by  
the middle of July. The grading from  
Columbia creek to the Kootenay river was  
far enough along, so that he did not antic-  
pate any delay in that way, and he  
thought the bridge at the Elk river  
would be completed in ample time.

Nelson is to have a new English  
church, the contract for which has al-  
ready been let. The plans provide for a  
very beautiful and substantial structure.  
The style is gothic, perpendicular. The  
roof will be open, the windows of cathed-  
ral glass in small squares. The cornice  
will be moulded and carved. The main  
body of the church will be 60x38 feet,  
the east end being built of wood, in view  
of the style is gothic, perpendicular. It is  
necessary. Below the roofing the walls will  
be of stone, and the gables in maple  
work, timber and plaster. It will be  
built on the site of the present mission  
church, which is being removed to the  
east side of the road to make room  
for the new structure. When completed  
the new church will cost \$3,500, and  
will have a seating capacity of 300. It  
will be an ornament to the city and a  
credit to the parish.

The mail carrier at New Denver re-  
cently had an exciting experience. He  
was trudging toward the station with  
mail bags on his back, and his thoughts  
far away from his surroundings. Sud-  
denly on the trail before him he met a  
bear as big as a cow, with hair standing  
out as red as fire and mouth wide  
open. Bruin was in a hurry, and Jack  
made all haste to give him a clear trail.  
He hadn't lost any bears and didn't want  
to start a menagerie. Dropping his mail  
bags he ran to the road side and hid  
behind a tree. Bruin had no desire  
to get into trouble with the Queen so  
did not tamper with the mail nor obstruct  
its passage any length of time. When  
the mail carrier recovered from the  
effects of his hasty retreat, and he was  
sure bruin did not want the trail any  
longer, he gingerly went back to his mail  
bags and made a sneak for the depot.

A Noted Liberal Visitor.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 12.—Alex. Smith,  
the popular organizer for the Liberal  
party in the province of Ontario, has  
left Toronto for an extended trip through  
to the coast. He expects to visit all the  
principal points on the way. While the  
trip is mainly undertaken for the pur-  
pose of thoroughly establishing his  
health after a somewhat severe illness,  
he will doubtless take the opportunity of  
putting in good work for the cause where-  
ever the opportunity may offer.

Interesting House Lowering Scheme.

It is an interesting piece of house  
lowering that is in progress at the Golden  
bar, opposite the Bank of Montreal.  
The newly established grade of the street  
at that point is some five feet below the  
level of the building, and it is now being  
lowered to that extent; but instead of  
letting down the whole building only  
the floor is being lowered, while the  
sides of the structure, and of course the  
upper story, are held up by braces.  
When the floor has been put at the de-  
sired level the sides will be built down  
to the ground, the front extended down-  
wards, and the building will be com-  
plete, with the important improvement  
that the ground floor will be 15 feet high  
instead of 10 feet, as it was before the  
present change took place.

France May Interfere.

CANTON, July 13.—Owing to the defeat  
of the imperial troops near Woo Chow,  
1,000 picked braves have been dispatched  
there, conveyed by two gunboats. The  
perfect of Woo Chow reports the imperi-  
al losses were 1,500 killed, and he adds  
that unless he is reinforced before Friday  
he will be forced to surrender. It is re-  
ported that the French minister has in-  
formed the government at Peking that  
France may be obliged to interfere by force  
of arms owing to the menace to French  
commercial interests in the southern  
provinces.

Harping About Peace.

MADRID, July 13.—The government  
continues its assurances to the effect  
that the ministers are not taking part  
in any peace negotiations which may be  
proceeding.

Passenger War Still On.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—At the  
conference of the representatives of the  
Western Passenger association and Mr.  
McNicoll of the C. P. R. the rate was  
discussed. But so far nothing like an  
understanding has been reached.

Protocol Approved.

LIMA, Peru, via Galveston, July 12.—  
The Peruvian congress in secret session  
today approved the protocol between  
Chili and Peru by a vote of 115 against  
27.

Officers Promoted.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—The  
president has directed the promotion of  
Lieutenant-Colonel Worth, Thirteenth  
infantry; E. H. Liscum, Twenty-fourth  
infantry, and E. P. Ewers, Ninth in-  
fantry, to the grade of brigadier-general,  
in recognition of their gallant and  
heroic action in the operations  
about Santiago.

First Ohio Leaves for Tampa.

CHICKAMAUGA NATIONAL MILITARY  
PARK, July 13.—The First Ohio cavalry  
broke camp early today and started on  
the journey to Tampa. The regiment  
marched nine miles to Ringgold, where  
trains were boarded. No moving orders  
for the other regiments have yet been  
received.

News From Army and Navy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—The  
war department today received dis-  
patches from Generals Miles and Shafter  
and the navy department received dis-  
patches from the fleet off Santiago. The  
contents of these dispatches were not  
made public up to noon. They had the  
effect, however, of arousing the officials,  
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Stocks have been very brisk with us during the past week. We have bought  
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Ironside (Boundary Creek), and have traded in small blocks of Fern, Giant,  
Victory-Triumph, Sunset No. 2, Eureka Star, Knob Hill (Boundary) and Cariboo  
(Camp McKinney). We have been unable to fill our orders for War Eagle and  
Iron Mask, owing to buyers and sellers not meeting in their prices. We specially  
recommend now as a profitable investment Deer Park and Cariboo (Camp  
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OUR MARKET QUOTATIONS CORRECTED WEEKLY.

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Iron Mask, 73c; Josie wanted will pay 28 1/2c; 200 London Hill (Slocan) 15c; 2,000  
Monte Christo, 31c; 5,000 Mugwump, 5c; 3,000 Noble Five, 17c; 25,000 Nelson  
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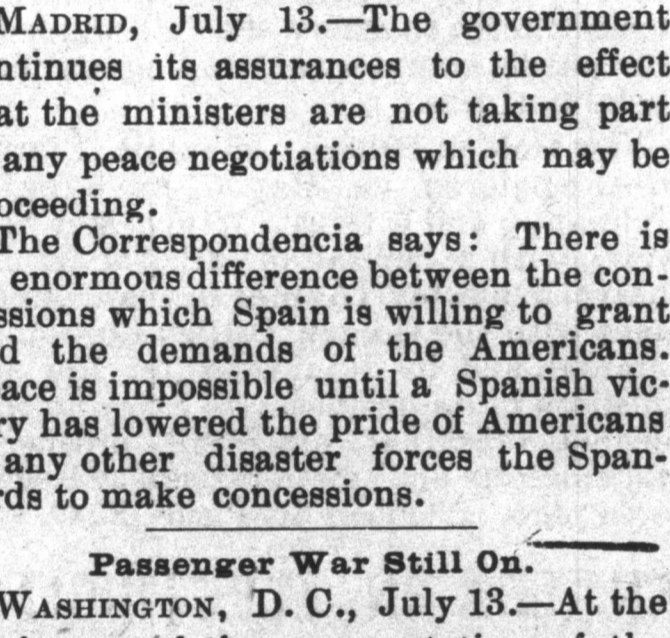
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LIBELS QUICKLY REFUTED

Frank Scrutton Opens an Office for the Wild Horse Company in London—Movements of Rosslanders—Tupper Group is Firm.

London Office, ROSSLAND MINER, 108 Bishopsgate street (WHITING).

LONDON, June 25. — [Special.] — I have not written you lately, simply because things here are so dull that it is well nigh impossible to get enough matter together to make a readable letter. We are now on the eve of the holiday season, and although Klonykke woke up just a year ago, present appearances do not seem to indicate an immediate repetition of that period of excitement. The registration of new companies proceeds apace, and the London & Globe—British American corporation—has been very prominent in this respect. Having scheduled at Somerset House details regarding the formation of a number of companies to work the chief Rossland properties already acquired. I forward you full particulars herewith, but the following shows the schemes in brief outline immediately contemplated by the London & Globe and B. A. C. coteries: East Le Roi, capital £500,000; West Le Roi, capital £500,000; Columbia & Kootenay, capital £500,000; Algonquin Mining company, capital £500,000.

I should have sent you these details earlier had it not been for the fact that I thought it desirable to forward them in bloc for the edification of your readers. The British Columbia Market. The B. C. market has been very dull indeed of late, and B. A. companies which may be regarded as the leaders of this section, have been flat on the series of attacks made upon the Whitaker-Wright group, and the number of disquieting rumors afloat regarding their financial position. It was said that the London & Globe company was to be wound up or reorganized, and this led to the being in want of funds, and this led to the falling to 22 shillings each for the £1 shares, and B. A. C.'s touching about 17 shillings, or 8 shillings discount. At last things got so warm for Whitaker-Wright and his friends, and the rumors being repeated in one of our leading daily papers, Mr. Deastry, the secretary of the London & Globe, forwarded the following letter yesterday to the journal in question, the Standard:

"London & Globe Finance Corporation, limited. To the editor of the Standard, Sir: I notice in your issue of this morning that you give publicity to a malicious rumor that this corporation is to be reconstructed. As this is calculated to work injury to the company, we must ask you to correct the statement, as there is not a word of truth in it. On the contrary, the company has had a very prosperous year, the balance sheet will show handsome profits, and a further dividend will be declared in due course. I am, sir, your obedient servant. (Signed) A. B. Deastry, Secretary, 15 Austin Friars, London, E.C., June 21."

There is little doing anywhere, but but there are still a number of Canadians here intent upon pushing Dominion mines for all they are worth, although I am afraid they are finding it up-hill work. Sir Charles Tupper is here, and will I suppose stay over Dominion day. The high commissioner will hold his usual reception, and has already issued his usual invitation. J. D. Mann (of Mackenzie & Mann) is here, but Mr. Hickling of Rossland has departed after forming the Vermillion Forks Mining & Development company, limited. W. J. Waterman, who will act as advisory director in British Columbia, and the latter as resident manager. The capital is £50,000 in £1 shares.

Opened an Office in London. Frank Scrutton immediately on his return made the necessary arrangements for opening a London office and London register for the Wild Horse Gold Mining company. H. E. Baker is the London secretary, and the office are at 53 Victoria street, Westminster. This is a departure which is highly to be commended. I pointed out how imperative it was a year and more ago, and it is to be hoped that the good example set by the Wild Horse will be followed by other companies, especially where they aspire to market their stock in Europe.

I saw Charles Dundas of the Dundee mine yesterday. He talks of coming home in a fortnight or so. J. L. Parker sails tomorrow, and will be able to tell you the exact position of affairs in regard to British Columbia in London. The Golden Twins has already given you an idea of the feeling in this city regarding British Columbia mines.

The Tupper group keeps pretty firm, but the Turner-Pooley-Boscovitz companies remain dull, and the London Critic (Hess) paper has reproduced that sensational article from last month's Canadian Mining Review, about the flotation of the New Golden Twins. By the bye, a company called the Klondike Twenty Miles Concession, limited, has been formed, and is intended to be severed at its inception. Is the Mr. Wiley in question any relation of the Harold Wiley connected with the New Golden Twins? I hope for the sake of the group at the back of the New Golden Twins that these sensational disclosures will be explained to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Another composite concern is the London, Yukon & B. C. Mining and Investment corporation. This company is to be directed by one surgeon-general, one knight, one lieutenant-general, one colonel, and one baronet. The capital is £175,000. Advisory board in Canada, and Hon. F. Peters, Victoria. I don't think much of this pretentious scheme, and my opinion was shared by a number of our leading journalists, criticism being dealt out to the company and its program with a free hand. You, of course, have heard that the Canadian Pacific Exploration has ordered the necessary machinery for its Porto Rico property.

The Whitewater's statutory meeting was distinguished by anything beyond the optimistic utterances of the chairman and his promise of very satisfactory results from the working of this mine. F. L. Mercer is quite right in his advice to your people to extend their advertising in this country. The chief mistake all along has been that they have hesitated both officially and otherwise in spending enough money to bring British Columbia before Europe. This should not be left to private enterprise. It is to be hoped that when the elections are over the government will take this matter in hand.

I heartily heartily commend the prospectus of the Associated Gold Mines of British Columbia (particulars concerning which I forwarded some months ago) will be out this week for certain. It has been coming out now this three months past, but has been kept back by bad markets. I do not think it has a single Rossland property—at least it had not when I last saw a copy of the draft prospectus.

New Registrations. Cardiff Klondike Exploration Syndicate—Registered (without articles of association) on May 7th, by S. R. Lean, 1, Bedford Row, W. C., with a capital of £1,000 in £1 shares. Objects: To carry on business in the manner suggested by the title.

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Kootenay Construction company, limited—Registered on May 18th by Renshaw, Kekewich and Smith, 2, Suffolk lane, E. C., with a capital of £100,000 in £1 shares. Objects: To construct, equip, work, maintain, improve any railway, tramways or roads, and to construct, work and maintain any locks, piers, harbors, wharves, canals, reservoirs, embankments, irrigation works, drainage works, lighting works, hotels, warehouses and stores.

Cariboo Exploration company, limited. Registered on May 12th by Chesnut, Criddle and Co., 215 Piccadilly, W., with a capital of £20,000 in £1 shares. Objects: To enter into an agreement with S. Medlicott, by his attorney, F. de la F. Williams, and to acquire, develop, turn to account, work, water rights, rivers and property in any part of British Columbia or elsewhere, to negotiate for and obtain any concessions, privileges, etc., to carry on mercantile, commercial, trading and financial business, as merchants, contractors, carriers, farmers, graziers, traders, brokers, capitalists, shipowners, financial agents, engineers, builders, etc.

Northern Exploration company of B. C., limited. Registered June 3 by Duke, Allingham & Nestler, 15 Duke street, St. James, S. W. Capital £200,000 in £1 shares. Objects: To carry on mining and other works, etc. Registered office, 15 Austin Friars, E. C.

Columbia-Kootenay Mining company, limited. Registered June 6 by Burn & Berridge, 11, Old Broad street, E. C. Capital £500,000 in £1 shares. Objects: To search for, prospect, examine and explore mines and ground supposed to contain minerals or precious stones; to acquire and deal with lands and hereditaments of any tenure, gold, silver or other mines, mining, water, timber or other rights, and to win, quarry, crush and prepare for market metalliferous quartz and ore and other minerals and metal substances, etc. roads, tramways, railways, telegraphs and telephones, etc., and to carry on business as financiers, promoters of companies, bankers, underwriters, concessionaires, contractors, public and other works, etc. Registered office, 15 Austin Friars, E. C.

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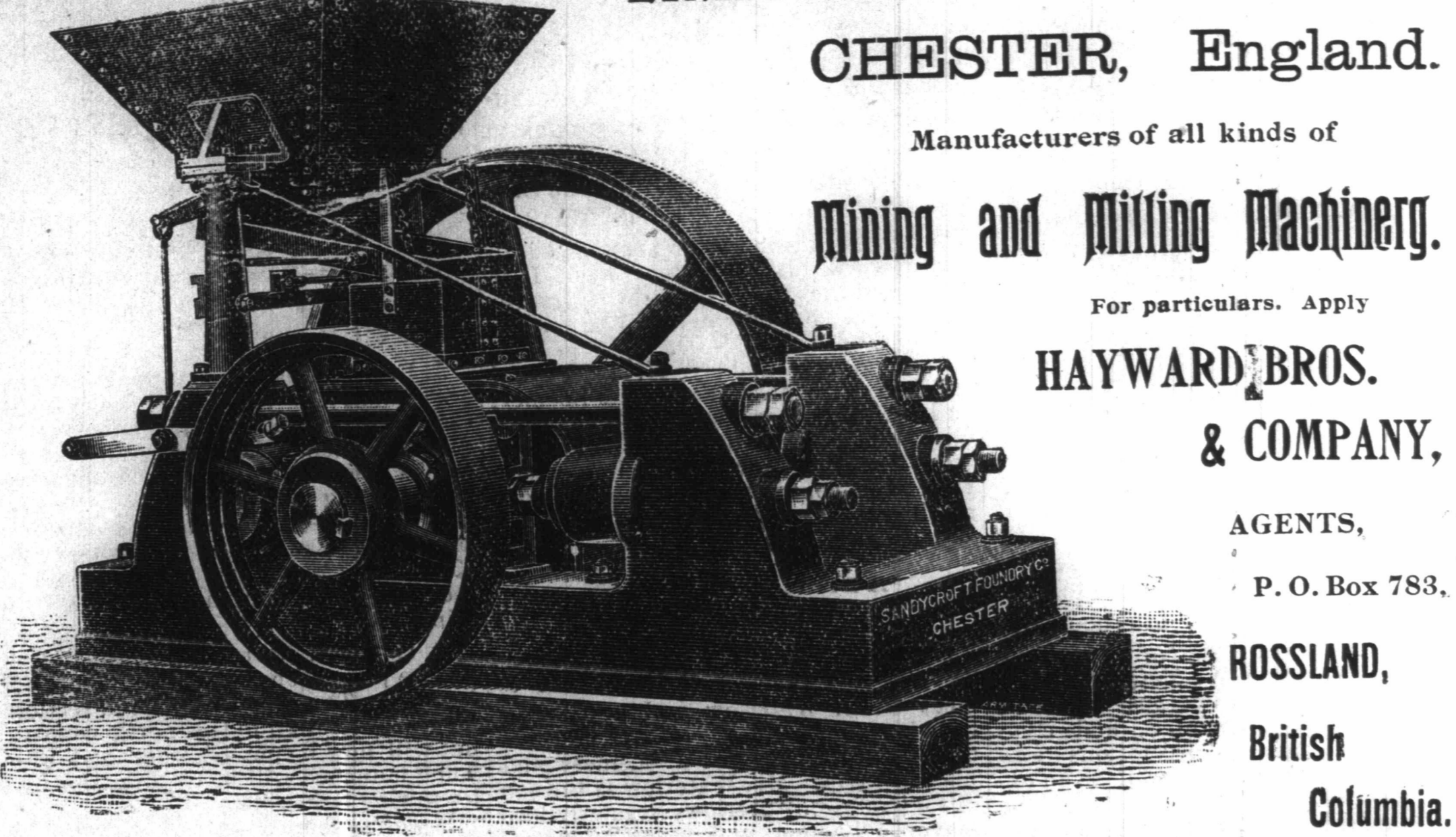
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(Editor)

THE PEELING... long pull, a longer it is produced a number of the signs which do is to manifestly side on which opportunities should take. The smelting month and a large force certain that attention is to be given over steady work years to come. The building C. & W. r. Creek county give employment men for work for our and business way contract usually have free at "bur." There is a in the mines part of the British cons here who whenever they ern Canada. Spokane and are showing when the wa and Spain is soon, there American cons. Besides the Trail Ore double this. This has been additions to properties. It is to be added few months has attended of the progress since and back, and assumed operations to which months since. The renewal part of outside manifested in the few months no market value and a short time were losing they remain are doing made large. They have stocks of this which in the decreasing. It is certain between that there revivals in the world has should be done, however due share of it is shouldered for the benefit of the LAND MINER bringing about come, and the resources to do this it citizens of MINER and they can, than is now setting forth could be greatly to the THE WEST

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SHOULDER TO SHOULDER.

If the people of this division make a long pull, a strong pull and a pull together it is palpable that there can be produced a boom within the next few months of no small proportions. All the signs which presage a boom are at hand and all that is necessary to do is to take advantage of what is manifestly a great opportunity. A flood tide on which is floating many good opportunities is coming our way, and we should take advantage of the situation. The smelter at Trail is to start this month and will give employment to a large force of men indefinitely as it is certain that once it is blown in, the intention is to keep it in motion. As more ore than ever is available there should be steady work at the Trail smelter for years to come.

The building of the extension of the C. & W. railway into the Boundary Creek country, the contractors say, will give employment to an army of 5,000 men for at least a year. This means work for our laborers and mechanics and business for our merchants, for railway contractors and their employees usually have money "to burn" and are free at "burning" it. There is a renewed interest manifested in the mines of this section from every part of the investing world. Great Britain constantly has representatives here who are picking up properties whenever the opportunity offers. Eastern Canada is buying in a quiet way. Spokane and other cities to the south are showing an increased interest and when the war between the United States and Spain is over, which promises to be soon, there will be a large inflow of American capital into this section.

Besides the output of the mines of the Trail Creek division will be about double this year what it was last. This has been caused by several recent additions to the list of regular shipping properties. There are others that promise to be added to the list within the next few months. The marked success that has attended the development of many of the properties here is encouraging some who grew faint-hearted a year since and they are beginning to flock back, and, in many instances, have resumed operations on properties in regard to which they were skeptical twelve months since.

The renewed faith in the camp on the part of outsiders is nowhere more sincerely manifested than in the increased dealings in the local standard stocks. Whereas a few months since there was "absolutely no market" stocks have an actual cash value and are bought for investment. A short time since the brokers of this city were losing money every day while they remained in business, but now all are doing well, and some have made large sums in the last six months. They have established a market for the stocks of this camp that is lasting and which in the future will grow instead of decreasing in volume.

It is certain as soon as the war is over between the United States and Spain that there will follow one of the greatest revivals in the mining business that the world has ever seen, and this section should be largely benefited by it. In our order, however, that we may get our due share of this coming tide of prosperity it is necessary that all put their shoulders to the wheel and push together for the benefit of Rossland. The Rossland Miner hopes to do its share in bringing about the prosperity that is to come, and to help to tell the world of the resources of this section. In order to do this it will be necessary that the citizens of this division stand by THE MINER and give it the patronage that they can. With a little larger paper than is now published a much better setting forth of the merits of our mines could be given which would redound greatly to the advantage of all.

THE WESTERN MINING INDUSTRY

Canada's mineral wealth has been brought prominently to the notice of the British public by W. Hamilton Merritt, F. G. S., in a paper read before the London Society of Arts. Mr. Merritt's paper deals with British Columbia and the Klondike and the possibilities of these regions, as well as the work already accomplished. The mountain region continued through Canada from Rossland to the Klondike is 1,300 miles long and is similar in all essentials to its continuation through American territory southward to Mexico and to the north through Alaska. In these states and territories the yield of gold was close on \$41,000,000 in 1894, and has increased to \$52,830,000 in 1897. In the same American territory the yield for 1898 was: Silver, \$74,877,000; copper, \$33,823,000; lead, \$8,738,000, and mercury, \$1,070,000. This writer advances as a conclusive proof of the richness of the same mineral area continued through British Columbia. The output of that area has already grown sufficiently large to demand attention. During 1897 the value of placer gold mined was \$513,520, and of lode gold \$2,122,820. In the same year the output of silver was \$3,272,836 and of lead \$1,390,517.

Mr. Merritt's account of the development of the mining industry of this Province is decidedly interesting. He seems to have made a very thorough study of the subject, although it must be confessed that he attaches too much importance to the existing opportunities for mining in the Yukon district. It is

not improbable that mining in the most northwestern portion of the Dominion may in the next fifteen or twenty years be done on an extensive scale and with great profit, but the region that offers incomparable opportunities for the English investor at the present time is southeastern British Columbia, and to this field it would have been better for Mr. Merritt to have given more attention in his address. However, British Columbia owes him a debt of gratitude for doing what he has in this particular instance.

THE ELECTIONS.

(From Sunday's Daily.) The most exciting contest in the history of British Columbia occurred yesterday. At this writing it is impossible to say whether the Turner government is sustained or defeated. As the reports stand at present the Administration has a perfect right to claim 18 seats as against 17 for the Opposition. There are three doubtful constituencies to be heard from. The success of the Opposition party in Cariboo and South-east Kootenay means the overthrow of Premier Turner, but it is more than likely that he will secure at least one seat, and it is not improbable that he will obtain two from these districts.

One cabinet minister, Hon. G. B. Martin of North Yale, has been defeated, and the fate of another, Colonel Baker, minister of mines and education, hangs in the balance, so that in any event a reconstruction of the Provincial executive becomes necessary. In this riding the contest was by far the cleanest that has occurred in the history of the Trail Creek division. Mr. McKane made a manly and plucky fight against tremendous odds, and THE MINER regrets that he was not successful. We sincerely believe that had he been elected the Independent Government candidate would have served this district faithfully and well. At the same time it is highly gratifying to note that his successful rival is an honest and conscientious man, whose only fault lies in the fact that he is pledged to support such men as "Joe" Martin and Carter Coton. If all the Oppositionists who have been elected to the legislature had the reputation for integrity that is enjoyed by James Martin, the country would be safe, no matter which side won. Unfortunately, however, Mr. Martin is a follower and not a leader in the ranks of his party.

By the result of the elections a new condition of things has arisen in Provincial politics. We think we see an end to "Government" and "Opposition" in British Columbia. In their places henceforth will be written "Conservative" and "Liberal."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

ROSSLAND is soon to be honored by the presence of Miss Flora Shaw, one of the editors of THE TIMES, of London, Eng. The growing demand in Great Britain for reliable information concerning the magnificent natural resources of British Columbia is mainly responsible for Miss Shaw's visit to this Province. This distinguished journalist will make an exhaustive examination with regard to the opportunities existing here for intending emigrants and investors from the mother country, and her views thereon will be set forth in a series of articles to be printed in the greatest and most influential newspaper in the world. This will be of incalculable benefit to British Columbia, and greatly hasten the coming of the British Columbia boom in Europe.

The president of the United States yesterday signed the bill for the annexation of the republic of Hawaii to the United States, and the islands that make up that country are now a portion of the American republic. These islands are 12 in number, have an area of 6,977 square miles, and a population of between 90,000 and 100,000. The principal product is sugar. The chief advantage to the United States in the acquisition of these islands is their convenience as a coaling station and naval rendezvous. While the soil is fertile the population is chiefly made up of Hawaiians, Chinese, Japanese and Portuguese, which altogether make an undesirable class of citizens. There was considerable opposition to the annexation of the country, and it is probable that the step would not have been taken except as a war measure. The natives are dying out, and in time will doubtless disappear. If the islands were peopled by whites they would make an ideal residence place, for the climate is mild and the soil very fruitful.

The Homestake Group. D. M. Linnard, who has just returned from a nine months' visit to London, Eng., informs THE MINER that the Homestake group of mines in the south belt will probably be incorporated as an assessable company, on terms very satisfactory to the owners of the properties, and that the work of development of the mines will commence as soon as this is arranged. As fast as development is done shipments of ore will be made to the smelter. A meeting to arrange these details will be held on the 26th day of this month in this city.

Sittings of the Supreme Court Here. It seems certain that there will be sittings of the Supreme court in this city during August, when the O. K. suits will come up for hearing. There are a number of actions against the old company, brought by the Old National bank of Spokane to recover some \$22,000 advanced to the O. K. company. It is probable that Mr. Justice Drake will be the presiding justice at the coming sittings. The exact date can not yet be set.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The London Market. EDITOR MINER, Sir:—In your issue of May 21st I read with much interest a report of an interview with F. L. Mercer, a London gentleman, who is now visiting Rossland, and as the subjects which he discussed are of vital interest to the people of British Columbia I hope that my review of his opinions may not be uninteresting to your readers.

In a general way, Mr. Mercer is quite correct when he recommends the authorities of B. C. to spare no expense in the publication of reports of the wonderful resources of the country in the English newspapers, and of the splendid opportunities there are for the safe investment of British capital in your mines. Of late years, however, the London market has become rather suspicious, and some of the financial papers over here, which has been intensified by the statements of Mr. Hooley, the great industrial company promoter, whose failure last week created such a sensation in London. Mr. Hooley has drawn £12,000,000 from the pockets of English investors in the various schemes he has brought forward, and now he tells the bankruptcy commissioner that he has been black-mailed out of all his profits by the editors of certain newspapers, and the joke is, that he has pledged himself to name them. This failure, following as it did that of Mr. Bottomley, the great South African and Western Australian promoter, has made the London speculator very cautious; he is naturally cunning and suspicious, and like all people of that class, is constantly being taken in and done for, in his narrow-minded way, he argues that if an investment is profitable, it does not require any aid.

As far as mining enterprises are concerned, a large proportion of the capital comes from the provinces, and the people of Bradford, Manchester, Edinburgh, Glasgow, etc., are generally better posted on the wealth of British Columbia, than the Londoners, and whose ignorance on the subject, I have often been amused. About a month ago, I was assured by a director of a British Columbia syndicate, that all mining operations around Rossland were suspended for several months in the winter on account of the intense cold, and the deep snows. He seemed amazed when I told him, that for the past three months, I had been compelled to wear warmer clothing in London, than I had in Rossland, all the winter.

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A number of companies are transferring titles of their properties to individuals, in order to avoid paying the annual license of \$100, which became due on July 1st. The companies owning properties in the province.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

They Should Not Be Allowed to Speculate in Mines. TORONTO, Ont., July 7.—The Globe has an editorial article on the question of the Dominion government officials in the Yukon speculating in mining claims.

It starts with the statement that there can be no doubt of the soundness of the views that officials in the Yukon having anything to do with mining claims ought not to speculate or in any way endeavor to make profit for themselves out of these claims. The Globe refers to its own Ottawa dispatch a few days ago in which it was contended that while the officials having to do with the administration of mines should not hold or speculate in mining claims, the case of Mr. Wade, who is clerk of the peace and a crown attorney for the Yukon, is an exception to the general rule.

"We see the force of the argument that Mr. Wade's duties have no connection with mining claims or that his dealing with mining claims would not necessarily conflict with his duties, and that it is therefore neither corrupt nor illegal, and then, admitting all this our judgment is still against Mr. Wade on any other official speculating in mining claims for several reasons. First, it is important not only that the administration of justice should be pure so that people should have perfect confidence therein. If you lay down the rule that no official shall deal in mines from now on, you have something that a rough and ready miner can understand and appreciate, but it is doubtful whether he could grasp the distinction between one sort of official and another. Suppose the mining inspector being himself forbidden to speculate in mines, is continually giving the crown attorney suggestions as to good things in the mining line; does he do this out of mere good nature and without corrupt intent? Then suppose he is tempted to speculate a little himself, or otherwise break the rule, will we wish anything but that the crown attorney carry on a prosecution against a man to whom he is bound by every tie of gratitude?

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MARTIN IS ELECTED

He Defeated John McKane by a Majority of About 140. WAS A QUIET ELECTION

Rossland Precinct Gave the Opposition Candidate a Majority of 97, Trail 5, Grand Forks 13, and Cascade City 6.—Two Precinct to Hear From.

(From Sunday's Daily.) The election in this riding yesterday resulted in the return of James Martin, the opposition candidate, over John McKane, the independent government candidate, by a majority of about 140. Rossland precinct gave Martin a majority of 97, Trail 5, Grand Forks 13, and Cascade City 6. There are two precincts to hear from which will give Martin a further majority.

The election in this city yesterday resulted in the polling of 562 votes, and of this number James Martin received 229 votes, and John McKane, the independent, 232. There was one spoiled ballot which was thrown out. This gave Mr. Martin a clear majority of 97 in the Rossland precinct. The election was an extremely quiet one. There was not a very large crowd around the polling place on Columbia avenue near St. Paul street at any time. As soon as the polls opened at 8 o'clock the business men began to pour in, and within an hour 100 votes had been cast. By 12 o'clock 300 votes had been cast, and these were principally the brokers, stockbrokers, hotelmen, merchants and their employees. Between 12 noon and 1:30 p. m. the workers began to arrive and by 1:30, 400 votes had been cast. Then there was a little lull. Voting began to get brisk and by 3 o'clock there was quite a rush and by 3:30, 528 votes had been polled. In the last half hour between 3:30 and 4 p. m. 66 votes were polled. There were only three challenges. Two of these were by J. W. Nelson on behalf of Mr. McKane. The third was a challenge by A. H. MacNeill, who caught a man whom it was alleged was trying to vote the name of a departed man. The impersonator of the departed refused to swear in the vote and was allowed to leave the polling place amid the jeers of those present. There was the best of order around the polls. The workers and the candidates gazed each other, more or less, but the badinage was given and received without any signs of bitterness and the result was that there were no personal encounters. Mr. Martin had a number of active workers, and among them James J. S. Patterson, J. D. McCaughey and others and judging from the result they did very effective work. Among the workers for Mr. McKane were A. R. Macdonald, Joseph Campbell, Frank Walker and others. They had a number of teams at their command and though they toiled like beavers the tide was against them, but they put up as good a fight as they could under adverse circumstances.

Rose Thompson was a host in himself and did some energetic work for McKane. Fred Ritchie was also a tireless worker. It was thought that Trail would surely give a majority for McKane, and Colonel E. B. Topping telephoned to Rossland a short time before the poll closed that his precinct was certain to give the independent government supporter a majority of 35 or 40. When the rest of the ballots were counted, however, it was found that Trail had cast 141 votes and of this number James Martin had received 76 votes and John McKane 71, thus giving Martin a majority of five.

Returns came in by telephone from the Boundary countries follows: Grand Forks, Martin 51, McKane 38; Martin 13, McKane 7; Cascade City, Martin 13, McKane 7; Trail his majority 6. Shortly after the returns from this city and Trail were received the adherents of Mr. Martin began to celebrate their victory. A brass band was engaged and the crowd gathered in front of the headquarters and amid music and speech-making they had a joyful time. Short addresses were made by John S. Clute, Jr., J. W. Wilkes, James Martin and others and there was much cheering and demonstration of joy. Later in the evening a procession was formed and Mr. Martin rode at its head in a coupe, followed by a long line of his henchmen, who cheered lustily, while the band played "Marching Through Georgia" and "Near My God to Thee," and other inspiring airs. Later in the evening the enthusiasm increased all along the line. It was a late hour this morning before the last hurrah of the victorious oppositionists were heard.

A Good Show Toss. In the early history of Rossland it was not a good show town. This was because the population was made up principally of men who were so busy with other matters that they did not have the time or the inclination to attend theatrical performances. Now the conditions are altered. There are more families here now than formerly and the heads of households, now that they are better settled than when the town was in the process of construction, have more leisure and consequently more inclination to attend dramatic performances. The success achieved by the Lindley Dramatic company during its recent engagement here demonstrated this to be a fact. Manager White of the Rossland opera house has dates open for companies and expects to book several attractions that he is corresponding with in next few days.

FROM THE GAZETTE.

The Latest Incorporations, Appointments and Orders Issued. Applications for certificates of improvements have been made for the Alhambra traction and the Bryan mineral claim.

The following extra-provincial companies have registered: The Consolidated Mining & Trading company, with a capital stock of \$100,000. The office is at Baltimore, Maryland; the office in the province at Ashcroft, and Harrison W. Moore is the attorney. The object is to carry on a general mining business.

The following certificates of incorporation have been issued: To the Lone Star & Blue Grouse Consolidated Mining company, limited, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000. The registered office is in Rossland and the objects is to carry on a general mining business.

company, limited, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000. The registered office is in Rossland and the objects is to carry on a general mining business. The Whitewater Deep Mining Corporation, limited, with a capital stock of \$100,000. The registered office of the company is at Victoria, and the object is to carry on a general mining business.

Frederick Copeland, of Upper Chilcoten, require, to be a justice of the peace within and for the county of Cariboo. Walter Thomas Dawley, of the settlement of Clayoquot, esquire, J. P., to be mining recorder within and for the west coast, Vancouver island, mining division. James Abrams, of the city of Cumberland, esquire, S. M., to be police magistrate within and for the said city.

A. B. CLABON, Mines & Mining Stocks REAL ESTATE. P. O. Box 31. 14 Columbia ave. ROSSLAND, B. C.

Rossland Homestake Gold Mining Company, Limited Liability. Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Rossland Homestake Gold Mining company, limited liability, will be held at the office of the company, Columbia avenue, Rossland, B. C., on Tuesday, the 26th day of July, 1898, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering and if deemed advisable disposing of the whole or any part of the assets, rights, powers, franchises and privileges of the company to such person or company and upon such terms and conditions as the shareholders may deem advisable, and to transact such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting.

Gopher Gold Mining Company, Limited Liability. Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Gopher Gold Mining company, limited liability, will be held at the office of the company, Columbia avenue, Rossland, B. C., on Tuesday, the 26th day of July, 1898, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering and if deemed advisable disposing of the whole or any part of the assets, rights, powers, franchises and privileges of the company to such person or company and upon such terms and conditions as the shareholders may deem advisable, and to transact such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting.

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Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE. Mugwump mineral claim, situate in Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Red Mountain. Take notice that I, S. Farwell, acting as agent for the Mugwump Gold Mining company, limited, free miner's certificate No. 8,268, intend to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE. Little Jim mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: Adjoining the Annie No. 2 mineral claim, lot 747 group. Take notice that I, J. A. Kirk, acting as agent for the Little Jim Gold Mining & Milling Co., free miner's certificate No. 8,265, intend to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE. Seneca Fraction mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On the south slope of Columbia mountain, bounded by the Columbia, Alberta, etc. Take notice that I, Samuel L. Long, acting as agent for A. B. Irwin, free miner's certificate No. 8,270, 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.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE. Vernon mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Red Mountain, between the California and Evening mineral claims. Take notice that I, F. Townsend, acting as agent for Ross Thompson, free miner's certificate No. 9,267A, 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.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE. Emu Fraction mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Lookout mountain, adjoining the Emu and Kurragon mineral claims. Take notice that I, N. F. Townsend, acting as agent for F. McIvor McIvor Campbell (as trustee) office is at Baltimore, Maryland; the office in the province at Ashcroft, and Harrison W. Moore is the attorney. The object is to carry on a general mining business.

# IT MAY BE A TIE YET

The Oppositionists Have Secured 19 of the Seats.

# THE GOVERNMENT HAS 15

There Are Two Members to Be Elected From Cassiar—There Are Two Independents—Will the Four Latter Be Adherents of the Government?

The latest election returns indicate the following result: The opposition has secured 19 seats and the government 15. The independents, who may be claimed by the government, have two seats. In Cassiar there has been no election yet for the two seats there. It is claimed that these are certain to return supporters of the government. This makes up the total of 38 members who will constitute the next legislature. The result in detail is as follows:

### Vancouver Island.

- Alberni — Full details not yet in. Neill, opposition probably elected.
- Comox—Dunsmuir, government, 139 majority.
- Cowichan—Robertson, government, 61 majority.
- Esquimalt (2)—Pooley and Bullen, government, 8 each majority.
- Nanaimo City—McKechnie, opposition, 508 majority.
- Nanaimo, North—Bryden, government, 92 majority.
- Nanaimo, South—Smith, opposition, 125 majority.
- Victoria, North—Booth, government, 8 majority.
- Victoria, South—Eberts, government, 26 majority.
- Victoria City (4)—Helmcken, government; Turner, government; Hall, government; McPhillips, government; 45 majority.

### Mainland.

- Cariboo—2, Helgeson, opposition, 59 majority; Kinchant, opposition, 34 majority.
- Cassiar—2, no election yet.
- Kootenay East—north riding, Neilson, independent, 21 majority.
- East Kootenay—south riding, Baker, government, 15 majority.
- West Kootenay—Revelstoke riding, Kellie, opposition, 57 majority.
- West Kootenay—Rossland riding, Martin, opposition, 180 majority.
- West Kootenay—Nelson riding, Hume, opposition, 13 majority.
- West Kootenay—Slocan riding, Green, opposition, 43 majority.
- Lillooet—east riding, Prentice, opposition, 21 majority.
- Lillooet—west riding, Smith, government, 61 majority.
- Westminster city—Henderson, independent, 21 majority.
- Vancouver city—Four: Tisdale, opposition; Macpherson, opposition; Cotton, opposition; Martin, opposition; 500 majority.
- Westminster, Chilliwack—Munro, opposition, 55 majority.
- Westminster, Delta—Forster, opposition, 99 majority.
- Westminster, Dewdney—McBride, government, 22 majority.
- Westminster, Richmond—Kidd, opposition, 184 majority.
- Yale, East riding—Ellison, government, 75 majority.
- Yale, North riding—Deane, opposition, 9 majority.
- Yale, West riding—Semlin, opposition, 91 majority.

### THE OFFICIAL COUNT.

It Gives James Martin a Majority of 180 Over John McKane. The recount of the vote for representative, cast at the election on Saturday, took place yesterday afternoon in the office of the returning officer, W. B. Townsend. Mr. Townsend was assisted by Edward White and H. P. McOranney. The official vote by precincts was as follows:

Precinct	Martin	McKane	Spotted
Rossland	329	232	1
Trail	72	7	0
Cascade	17	7	0
Midway	27	35	0
Greenwood	51	38	0
Grand Forks	51	38	0
Total	569	389	4

It is thus evident that Mr. Martin got a majority in each precinct over the district as follows: Rossland, 97; Cascade, 10; Trail, four; Grand Forks, 13; Midway, 22; Greenwood, 34; total, 180.

### IT IS A BIG JOB.

It Will Cost About \$20,000 to Remove the Avenue Bluff, Etc.

Tenders for removing the bluff on the west end of Columbia avenue and for grading Spokane street were received Monday by the board of works, and were opened, but the result will not be known until tonight when the council meets and the board of works will present its reports. There were half a dozen tenders. The specifications for removing the bluff on Columbia call for a clear passage way 40 feet wide, which will require the removal of 7,150 cubic yards of solid rock, 600 yards of earth, while 500 yards of gravel filling will be required, and 100 feet of culverts will also be needed. On Spokane street 5,600 cubic yards of earth will need to be handled, while on Second avenue it will require the handling of 7,150 yards. The tenders for the two works, it is understood, range around \$20,000.

### Trail Brewery Changes Hands.

D. G. Yuengling, a prominent New York brewer, has just concluded negotiations by the purchase of the big brewery at Trail for a small syndicate. The brewery is to be entirely renovated and improved, and the intention of the new owners is to brew as fine a quality of beer as can be had on the continent. They will undoubtedly succeed in this as the management of the concern will be in the hands of Mr. Yuengling himself, and his beer is a byword for excellence in New York. His son, Fred Yuengling, is the manager of the Kamloops brewery.

### The Le Roi Shipping.

The Le Roi is again making regular shipments to the Northport smelter. Two hundred and thirty men are now employed in the property, and 19 machines are at work.

### ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES.

The Santa Maria.

F. W. FAIRMAN, Winnipeg, Man.—C. F. Clough, Spokane, Wash., the secretary of the Santa Maria company, advises THE MINER that the company's property near Ainsworth, B. C., has nearly enough work done on it to enable the company to a crown grant, although no grant has as yet been obtained. Only a few thousand shares of treasury stock has been sold, and the promoters' stock is intact. As there is no demand at present for the stock, and as the company is without funds sufficient to enable it to push work, nothing is now being done in the way of development.

### A Band for Trail.

John George Houghton has undertaken the task of organizing a band in Trail and is meeting with encouraging success. He has secured a dozen men, of which nine are experienced players. The instructor will be Prof. Dreyfus of Rossland, and the boys who have signified their intention to become members are Messrs. Barber, Dickinson, McCarty, Zussell, Thompson, Canon, J. G. Houghton, Sanford, Worth, Wikes and Tuedale. A number of ladies have signified their willingness to assist the boys in raising funds.

### Hurt in an Explosion.

Pat Larsen, a Swiss miner employed at the Sunset No. 2, was badly hurt Sunday morning by an explosion in the Sunset shaft, where he was employed. Larsen was picking at an unexploded hole when the charge went off and caught him full in the face and the breast. He is at the hospital and it is believed that his eyes will be saved.

### Penny Postage Decided On.

LONDON, Eng., July 12.—The Duke of Norfolk, postmaster general, announces that as the outcome of the Imperial conference on postal rates it has decided to adopt the proposal of the Canadian representatives for a letter rate of a penny per half ounce for the United Kingdom, Canada, New Foundland, Cape Colony and Natal. The date for initiating the new rate has not yet been fixed.

### Moving the Buildings.

The building occupied by the customs office, in the rear of the Martin block, is being moved across the street, and will be placed at the rear end of the lot owned by the Merchants' Bank of Halifax. The old Martin building, which was occupied by the firm's hardware store, will probably be moved to the corner of Columbia avenue and Spokane street, on the ground now occupied by Jerry Spelman's place, which will be moved to the rear to make room for it.

### REFUSE TO SURRENDER.

#### Assault on Santiago to Be Made as Soon as Big Guns Arrive.

Off Juraguá, July 12, 8 p. m., via Kingston, July 13.—All negotiations for the peaceful surrender of Santiago de Cuba ended in utter failure today, and the city must fall by the sword. General Toral finally and definitely refused to accept General Shafter's proposition for an unconditional surrender, and the American army now only awaits word from his general to begin the onslaught. Just when the attack will begin is not exactly known, but it is definitely settled that the forward movement will not begin until the absence of which cost so many lives during the previous engagements. General Randolph's movement began early this morning, and tonight out of the 10 batteries, but one of the four guns succeeded in making its way over the almost impassable trail to the trenches at the front. This, with four batteries already there, is not considered by the American commander as sufficient, and probably 24 hours more will elapse before the general engagement will commence.

### WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Some concern is felt as to the situation before Santiago, largely because of a lack of definite advices. Nothing has been heard from Admiral Sampson directly save a few messages relating to routine affairs, up to 9 o'clock. The officials of the war department stated that the news of renewed fighting from Shafter. At 10 o'clock a special meeting of the war board was in session, but the conference, as far as can be learned, related to the healthy conditions in the army before Santiago. Information received today from the Fifth army corps indicated that there is danger of fever at Siboney and at other points.

### General Toral Asks For Time.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Secretary Alger received the following: "Playa Del Este, July 13.—At a meeting between the lines at which General Shafter and General Wheeler and General Toral were present the latter claimed that he was unable to act without the authority of his government, but that he had received authority to withdraw and surrender the harbor ports, munitions of war and the eastern portion of Cuba. He urgently requested until tomorrow noon to receive an answer from his government regarding the offer of our government to send his forces to Spain, which was granted. [Signed] General Miles."

### Will Begin Assault Today.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The war department has given out the following: "Headquarters near Santiago, July 13.—Your telegram saying that no modification of the orders will be allowed has just been received. I have had an interview of an hour and a half with General Toral and have extended the truce until noon. I told him only his surrender would be considered and as he was without hope of escape he had no right to continue the fight. I think I made a strong impression on him and hope for an easy surrender. If he refuses I will open on him at 12 noon tomorrow with every gun I have and will have assistance of the navy, which is ready to bombard the city, with 13-inch shells. [Signed] Shafter."

### Spanish Claim a "Foul."

MADRID, July 13.—The newspapers here publish a statement to the effect that the Spanish minister of marine has "secured proofs that the Americans used incendiary projectiles, Spanish ships at the burning of the Spanish ships at the Cavite arsenal on the Bay of Manila. Some papers urge the government not to protest to the powers on this subject, but to use the same weapons in Spanish forts against American ships."

### The Northern Belle.

The probabilities are that work will be resumed on the Northern Belle. It is the northeast of the summit of Red mountain and adjoins the Good Friday. Work was suspended several months since an account of the lack of funds. The bulk of the stock is held in Toronto. It was the first Rossland property placed on the market in that city. There is a splendid surface showing.

# MINES AND MINING

## List of Companies That Have Taken Out Licenses.

### GREEN MOUNTAIN GROUP

Work Is To Be Commenced On This Property By a Syndicate—The Silver Belle and the Northern Belle Companies To Resume Operations.

The following is the list of mining companies in the division which have taken out their annual licenses of \$100 each, dating from one year from the 1st of July past. The statute requires that all companies must take out the license, with the exception of incorporations holding only crown granted properties which are not being worked. In the event that the company's properties are not crown granted, the locations become invalid if the \$100 license has not been secured, and the ground is open to relocation. Companies holding crown granted properties are liable to a daily fine for all the time in which they work their properties without having first secured a license.

The list of companies which have paid their fees is as follows:

- Algonquin M. Co., Anaconda Con. G. M. Co., Acme G. M. Co., Abbotsford G. M. Co., Alki G. M. Co., Abe Lincoln G. M. Co., Alf G. M. Co.
- Big Three G. M. Co., British Columbia Smelting & Refining Co., Bean Pot G. M. Co., Big Bump G. M. Co., British Columbia Contact G. M. Co., British Columbia (Rossland & Slocan) Syndicate, Brandon & Golden Crown G. M. Co., British Columbia Gold Discovery Co., British America Corporation, British Columbia Bullion Extracting Co., Black Prince G. M. & M. Co., British Columbia Development Co., British Columbia Mfg. Co., (\$50.)
- Copper Queen G. M. Co., California G. M. Co., Canadian Pacific Exploration & Canadian Gold Fields syndicate, Chrysolite G. M. & D. Co., Cumberland G. M. Co., Canada Mutual M. & D. Co., Columbia-Kootenay Mng Co., Dundee G. M. Co., Deer Park G. M. Co.
- Evening Star G. M. Co., Erie M. & Mng Co., Ethel group G. M. Co., Edgar G. M. & D. Co., Columbia Con. Mng Co., East Le Mng Co.
- Fourteen Gold Mines Con. Co., Good Hope M. & M. Co., Golden Plate Con. Mng Co., Giant Mng Co., Hamilton & Rossland G. M. Co., Iron Horse M. & M. Co. (foreign), Iron Hope M. & M. Co., Iron Mask G. M. Co.
- Jumbo Gold Mining Co., Kenneth M. & D. Co., Keystone G. M. Co.
- Lucky Boy M. & D. Co., London Con. Gold Fields Ex. & M. Co., Little Joe Con. G. M. Co., London & B. C. Alliance Mining syndicate, Lerwick G. M. Co., Little Bess G. M. Co., London & Rossland, B. C.
- Montreal-London G. & S. D. Co., Marguerite G. M. & S. Co., Mgwmgwg G. M. Co., Monte Christo Con. M. & D. Co., Montreal-Red Mountain G. F. Co., Mascot G. M. Co.
- New Brunswick M. & D. Co., New York-Kootenay M. Co., New Brunswick G. Co., Nickel Plate G. M. Co. of B. C., Native Silver Bell M. Co., Noonday M. Co.
- Old Gold Quartz & Placer M. Co., Olga G. M. Co.
- Piction Development Syndicate (\$50), Peter M. & M. Co., Primrose G. M. Co., Pine Ridge G. M. Co.
- Ruth Esther G. M. Co., Red Point G. M. Co., Roi Grand G. & S. M. Co., Rossland Development Co., Rathmullen Con. M. & D. Co., Rossland & Green Mountain M. D. Co., Rossland Syndicate, Rossland Good Friday.
- Slocan Mines Ex. & D. Co., Sullivan Group M. Co., St. Mary M. Co., St. Clair G. M. Co., Sault Ste. Marie G. M. Co., Salmo Con. G. M. & D. Co., Silver Bell G. M. Co.
- Virginia G. M. Co., Victory-Triumph G. M. Co.
- Wild Horse G. M. Co., War Eagle Con. G. M. Co., Walla Walla M. & D. Co., White Bear G. M. Co.

### Green Mountain Group to Be Opened.

The deal was closed yesterday and the money paid over by which Dabney & Parker, on behalf of a syndicate, acquired a large interest in the famous Green Mountain property. The Silver Belle and Mountain Group on Red mountain, and the necessary development work provided for. The new owners will join with the former owners in the formation of a company to work the property, and the probabilities are that in a comparatively short time, another shipping mine will be added to the list, and Rossland benefited correspondingly by it.

### Contract Has Already Been Let for the Sinking of a Shaft 200 Feet, and Work Will Be Commenced Immediately, and Pursued with All Possible Speed.

This property is on the north side of Red mountain, at about the same elevation as the Le Roi and War Eagle, and the ore is of the same character. Ever since its location, it has been considered by mining men to be one of the most promising properties on Red mountain, and is looked upon by all who know it as having a splendid chance of making one of the big mines of the camp. A great many flattering offers have been, at different times, made for the property, and there has been much rivalry between different buyers to get it. The fact that it is under the management of Dabney & Parker, guarantees that it will be pushed vigorously and its development will be watched with a great deal of interest.

### Silver Bell to Be Reorganized.

An effort is being made to reorganize the Silver Bell Mining company. A syndicate has been formed in Toronto for that purpose, made up of shareholders. They will call a meeting of eastern shareholders. When the meeting is held some plan of reorganization will be formulated. The Silver Bell property is on the south slope of Deer Park mountain.

### Certificate of Improvements.

#### NOTICE.

Annie Fractional mineral claim, situated in Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: East of and adjoining the Annie claim, and south of and adjoining the No. 1 mineral claim. Take notice that I, Samuel L. Long, acting as agent for the British America corporation, limited, free miner's certificate 13,464, intend, 60 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 27, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements. SAMUEL L. LONG, P. L. S. Dated this 14th day of July, 1898. 7-14-1898

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Montreal got in for some 50,000 shares.

Toronto. Strange to say Toronto failed to buy a single share of Giant. This city generally gets on to the good things, and why Toronto brokers failed to put their clients into Giant is a matter that needs explanation. Have they special pets to recommend?

Giant. This stock has advanced from 7 cents to 10 cents and will gradually go higher—watch it. Stock in a shipping mine at 10 cents is a snap. It is well to follow the lead of Rossland investors, and the people of Eastern Canada will, if they take our tip, place buying orders for Giant with their brokers. At 10 cents Giant is positively the best buy on the market.

Good Hope. At last the main ledge of this property has been uncovered. The ledge is 17 feet wide between walls, and a shaft is being sunk on the hanging wall. After various vicissitudes the Good Hope now bids fair to be a mine. The public will kindly remember we have persistently advised the purchase of Good Hope.

Monte Christo. This stock dropped to 28 cents, but now is firm at 31½ cents. We expect it to climb back to 37 cents.

Deer Park went a kiting to 20 cents Tuesday, but has dropped back to 18½ cents. It is safe to say it has passed the 15 cent mark to stay.

War Eagle. Quoted at \$2.70 on this market.

Iron Mask. Freely offered at 68 cents to 70 Cents.

Big Three. In demand at 8 cents.

Virginia. Selling at from 42 cents to 43 cents.

Smuggler. We are offered 15 cents.

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We had several buying orders for Virginia, but could not pick up the stock at the price offered. We think for a good speculation Virginia is the best. A small capitalization, assessable stock and good management makes it a most desirable purchase. Deer Park is steadily rising, owners of stock refusing offers of 18 and 19 cents. We think this stock will go up to 20 cents and remain firm. Monte Christo is firm at 30 to 31 cents with a slight demand.

QUOTATIONS.

Arlington	24	Josie	28
Bradford & G. C. W.	25	Julie	28
Canada Western	10	Lerwick	15
Commander	18	Monte Christo Con.	32
Deer Park	19	Monia	14
Dunde	12	Poorman	12
Evening Star	16	Salmo Con.	15
Good Hope	36	Virginia	43
Iron Mask	70	War Eagle	22.50
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Stock Market.

The past week has been a particularly active one so far as the stock market is concerned. War Eagle has failed to maintain the recent advance and after selling as high as \$3 is freely offered at \$2.60. Virginia holds its own and is firm at 42. Monte Christo is steady at 31. There was quite a flurry in Deer Park and large blocks changed hands at prices ranging from 15½ to 18½ and it is now firm at the latter price with every appearance of advancing to 20 or higher.

Giant, however, was the stock most extensively dealt in and we are pleased to say that our clients took over 120,000 shares of this stock during the last week. The price has advanced from 7 to 10 cents on the exceedingly good showing in shaft No. 2 and on the fact that a contract has been let for the hauling of the 200 tons of high grade ore now on the dump. This ore will be shipped immediately to the Trail smelter and judging from the recent smelter test which assayed over \$20 to the ton, should give very good results. A contract has been let for 150 feet of tunneling and 100 feet of shafting. Our eastern friends cannot do better than follow the lead of the home talent and invest their money in a shipping mine at 10 cents per share. Such opportunities are not of frequent occurrence.

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