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ROSSLAND, B. C., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1901

character and which will be of great importance to Revelstoke, Mr. Kirby being expected from London next month to make arrangements. U. C. Bennett. representing Vancouver capital, has taken a bond on the Pres-sott. Work wil be commenced at once, the bond calling for the expenditure of The Emma, Mann & Mackenzie's big

The Black Warrior group is situated \$10,000 this year. on the head of McDonald creek and is Reports from the Hartney are of the list of shippers and has sent out severa on the head of McDonald creek and is reached by a good pack trail at a dis-tance of about mine miles from Fergu-son to Black Warrior cabin. There are four claims in this group, with a fine showing of ore on three of them. There is als education of the fourth of the

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had gone through six feet of concen-trating ore by latest accounts, but had not reached the wall. Harry Howard ran an open cut last season on his placer claim on Smith creek and is getting in shape to work this property in the spring.

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WAR EAGLE MINE

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Toronto, Feb. 26 .- The annual meeting | "Your directors, recognizing the impor-Toronto, Feb. 26.—The annual meeting of the War Eagle Mining company was held here at noon today. In moving the adoption of the report of the directors, T. G. Blackstock, vice-president of the company, said: "It would be useless for me to attempt to disguise the fact that me to attempt to disguise the fact that shortly. the result of the year's operations has

been in a measure disappointing. "On the other hand, it may be said that quite too much has been of adverse circumstances encountered in the develop-

ment of the seventh level. |"We have, during the past year, passed from the richest level into the leanest. creek and is getting in shape to work this property in the spring. On McCullough creek caretaker Caesar is getting the riffles in readiness to owned by an English company. SOUTHEAST KOOTENAY. The Estella, Anchor, Beaver, Copper Mile. A shaft lately sunk has disclosed

distance have opened up some of the finest ore bodies at a depth of as much as 300

"Mr. Kirby in his report has confined his estimates, no doubt, to the ore bodies which would stand present costs of mining and freight and treatment should the negotiations, which are now being conducted, result in the cancellation of the existing result in the cancentation of the existing smelter contract by the acquisition of the Trail smelter. Such a reduction would follow on the costs of freight and treat-ment as will enable the mine to greatly

increase its output, thereby making a fur-ther reduction on the cost of mining and development ratably per ton. With these reductions on the cost of mining and treatment, and having regard to the very ex-tensive scheme of development now being carried on, the mine will be enabled to put

a day. "There are large quantities of low grade "lisions ares in Rossland which are suitsilicious ores in Rossland which are suit-able as a flux in lead smelting and as four tons of these Rossland ores are used to one of lead, it will be seen that the Ross-land mines are greatly interested in the theory amalting at some

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Activity in Smelter Sites-A Prospec-

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is a distinct tendency evinced to await its coming before much shipping is done.

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> ith site secured so far. The Tenderfoot mine is being developthe tenderfoot mine is being develop-ed mapidly, and there is about three or four feet of good ore showing at the end of the tunnel. The ore is chiefly moper pyrites and borhite. The different emelor The different smeller projects are leng actively pushed and the only mestion is who will have their smelter.

with first. As soon as a smelter has been blown in, it will find the ore ready Crosscutting at the Copper King is showing a hitherto unsuspected large body of ore. A crosscut from the drift

showing a hither to insuspected large body of ore. A crosscut from the drift, makes a total width of 13 feet of ore. It is not easy to obtain information in sold. n are developing the other carload next week. Mr. Drewry work on the Iron Mask, as the in gold. McBain and working as any business nrm does. Beaver. The shaft is now down 35 feet says that the Sunset is looking better There is, however, a large force of men and in a crosscut at that depth the lead rietors are not speculators, and are twork, and the ore being raised is has been encountered. The ore is cop-twork, and the ore being raised is has been encountered. The ore is cop-from the 158-foot shaft and is excellent. per, carrying gold. The work so far is position, rcent assays giving from three The Noonday is a claim that is com-ing to the first dividend of any claim near Kamloops. <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> Kamloops. The tunnel on the Sunlight is in 35 small seams of talc, iron and quartz are

Mr. B. Fowler has arranged for the purchase of the Mission property for \$6,000 for a smelter site and intends to

Th Iron Mask people are reported to The Estella, Anchor, Beaver, Copper ave bought a smelter site near the ead of Kamloops lake. This is the

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"With reference to the accounts, over standager for the Bosun Mines, Limited, which is operating the Bosun group of aix claims near New Denver, was in the city for several days recently accompanied by his son, who is the assistant manager. This mine is one of the successful ones in the Slocan. It has paid from the grass-roots. The ore, which is silver-lead, aver-ages about \$100 to the ton. It has been developed, Mr. Sandiford eavs. by a ser-

encouragement of lead smelting at so



Its First Ore to Northport Smelter.



THE MINING REVIEW Le Rol.-The last work for some time to come has been done upon the old come for the shareholders of this mine. Yesterday might have been seen the

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Rossland Great Western .- The shaft is

well night completed. Work is in prog-

and owing to the smelter having had a

run down furnace it is probable that the

for a while. The work of assembling the

machinery for the motor for the 40-drill

tled to permit of the dead weight of

the machinery being placed upon them.

No turning over will be possible for sev

eral weeks as the setting will hardly be solid enough to permit of any jarring.

New St. Elmo .- The north drift is in

123 feet from the north crosscut and the

ledge is five feet wide and near the foot-wall there is five feet cmfwyp shrdluuu

wall there is two and a half feet of ore that will average \$18.50 to the ton. This

shod: of pay ore is about 25 feet in length and still continues in the face of

the drift. The ore taken from the pay

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Spitzee.—There is a good showing of ore

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the big granite dyke which is known the middle of the old shatt, which in-It is therefore a terteres with the working of the mine as the Josse dyke. permissible inference that the other Le and also to a serious degree endangers Roi veins will also be found to continue the life of those using the old shaft. beyond the dyke named. This in turn Proper guides will be put in along the while affect such properties as the White sinking and sateties placed in the skips Bear, which are thought to be located on a continuation of the Le Roi west-Le Roi No. 2.—There is very little work Le Roi No. 2 .- There is very little work

on a continuation of the Le Koi No. 2.— Increase is they the excep-ward beyond the dyke. Also it is to be noted that the strike was made in an ap-tion of the sinking of the shaft which is raise from the 500-foot level of the Josie mine and demonstrates particularly the continuity of the vein from the surface whence it was followed down or over 140 feet to the level mentioned. As this vein has been found to preserve its values at this depth and as it will be remembered that assays obtained from this ledge have run higher 'than any others in the camp a valuable asset has evidently been added to the Le Roi No. 2.

The Northport smelter blew in its fifth furnace on Friday, making the nominal capacity of the smelter upwards of 1,250 tons per diem. It has happened that alsimultaneously furnace No. 4 has as on the surface and the possession of a new and well provided oreshoot is added run down and repairs have to be made to its water jacket. This will take some It thus chances that the blowing to the wealth of this promising mine. time. in of the 11th furnace, owing to the coincidence of the running down of one of its fellows, does not increase the actual capacity of the smelter for the time beress cutting out the station at the 800-foot level. No ore has been shipped yet ing. The fourth mechanical roaster is in o_{ν} eratios. The new engine for the supply of air to the blowers has been installed and is in operation. On the other hand it has become necessary to place the old engine in repair. One side has been taken electric compressor has been started. The huge bedplate of the motor was yesterday down, the high pressure, and the low pressure side will follow. Thus more time will be here expended. The track has placed in position. The concrete foun-dations are thought to be sufficiently setbeen completed and the orebins for the reception of the Le Roi have been built

and are in operation. 'The strike on the Homestake is the most important that has been made for many months in this camp, inasmuch as the mine is located in the South Belt, which has been under a cloud, so to speak, owing to the lack of results which have so far followed the work done there. The pay ore shoot in the Homestake has drifted on for a distance of 33 feet and the full face of the drift was in ore of a pay grade last evening. The strike is certainly one which is of great moment

to the camp. The Output.

There were seven shippers during the past week, the Velvet and Portland havdropped out pending completion of arrangements at the Northport smel-The Giant is shipping nothing and will not do so until the pending transfer of the property is completed and work way. One carload of ore was sent to the ity. There is now enorm concentrating began again. The Le Roi shipments are Train smelter during the past week and ore in sight to warrant the company in 2,000 tons under its average, mainly dis-to the changing over of the systems in operation at the mine. This will adjust Kootenav Mines.—There is nothing of monerty. There have been crossing the

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SOME RICH CREEKS Frank Clapp, on which 100 feet of tunto come has been done upon the old shaft through which so much money has Districts Tributary to Kaslo and Their Prospects for the Year.

nelling has been done, in ore all the way. It is a small vein, about 21-2 feet wide, The Silver Spray, owned by Charles Moore of Kaslo, is the next property. Considerable work has been done on it,

spectacle of the new system in full op-eration on the new shaft. The closing ed a year ago to tap the Payne lead at down of the old shaft practically cuts a depth of 1,000 feet will be completed in and native silver encountered. The group comprises five claims, which give consider off the whole of the eastern workings of about three months and will be 1, 00 feet able promise, as the lead is wide and well defined and carries high values.

STRIKE ON THE HOMESTAKE Progress of Work Upon the Northport Smel-ter-An Additional Furnace Biown in-in-auguration of the New System at the Le so that the transportation of ore on the so that the transportation of the the the transportation of the the the transportation of th The Tecumseh and Pontiac are known properties, and are now being worked by Charles Caldwell of Kaslo. The ore is very high grade, and during winter a large amount of ore has taken out for shipment. There is 1,000 feet or more of drifting on the vein, and so that the transportation of ore on the loaded trucks could be performed with are at work and the shipments amount the shipments already made have given very good returns.

facility. As the drifts from the new to about 500 tons a month. No diffient Adjoining these claims, on the same vein, are the Daniel, Scranton and Bird, owned oy Kaslo people. The vein is very prominent through the claims, and on the There are three events of interest to be marked in the annals of the week. The first in importance is the strike upon the Homestake, the second is the blow-ing in of the fifth furnace at the North-port smelter, increasing the nominal ca-pacity to 1,250 tons a day, and the third is the definite location of the Anne ledge at a derth of 500 below the surface. Scranton is the biggest surface showing on be much it assays very high, \$60 in the creek. It assays very high, \$60 go'd and 340 ounces of silver having been obtained from samples taken from showing. Also on the same vein is the Woodbury group, consisting of several claims and owned by an American com-pany, represented by Mr. Caldwell. From Is the dennite location of the Annie leage at a depth of 500 below the surface. The strike upon the Annie assumes its importance principally from the fact that the continuity of the north Le Koi ven is practically demonstrated to the west in method is the taking out of the nump in the continuity of the north Le Koi ven the strike upon the fact that the method is the taking out of the nump in the continuity of the north Le Koi ven the strike upon the north Le Koi ven the strike upon the north Le Koi ven the continuity of the north Le Koi ven the strike upon the north Le Koi ven the taking out of the nump in price of lead again reaches a point when this group several carloads of ore have already been shipped, giving very high returns in gold, silver and lead. Development increased shipments will be an object has been confined to drifting on the vein and will be prosecuted energetically dur confined to drifting on the vein No decision will be made as to future development after the ore chute is en-ountered in the long tunnel until the company sees what it has. South Fork of Kaslo. ing the summer. Further up are the Hill Top, Vernon Lucky Bill and Lucky Bill Fraction, Okt

and several other claims, with very good showings. On the other side of the basin The new wagon road up the South Fork of Kaslo Creek will probably be kept containing these properties is the Native Silver group consisting of four claims, and busy with traffic this year by the army of by J. P. Miller of Kaslo and men who will be working at the campe others. Considerable work has been done which it opens up. Camp Mansfield will drill at work stoping and the only reason for its presence is that a certain amount and the Joker worked in a manner that on them, opening up a vein eight feet wide, with a paystreak eight inches in width. Native silver is very prominent of ore must be sent down from the No. will prove its richness. A long tunnel the rock, and assays as high as 7,000 situated higher on the hillsides than will probably be run from one of the lowthe Josie, in order that the Josie may be er claims to supply drainage and to tap ounces have been obtained, and have gone lower than 250 ounces. Eighty the lead at a much greater depth than th grade of the gravity tramway existing be- present shaft and crosscuts. Some remarkfeet of a tunnel has been driven on the vein, in ore all the way, and a crosscut assays have been obtained irow the the railway track. The work on the Josie Joker, and the great width of the vein run to determine the width of the vein It is a dry ore proposition.

is principally on the Poorman shaft at its proves it to be one of the richest proper-This brings the traveler to the head of ties in the province. It is understood and in the continuation of the upraise into the Annie shaft. The Annie vein nations of the property for the Old Counthe creek, and over the summits is Camp ansfield, where work already done has shown that the Saw Tooth range does not cut off the belt of rich ore. All the proptry owners during the winter have revalues at the depth now being worked at ported that it gives promise of remarkable erties on the creek are easy of access, richness, and in view of these reports a very good trunk trail following the creek large staff of men will be put to work o its head. Some day Woodbury Creek to develop it to a shipping stage. The will be known as one of the greatest ord vein has been traced for a mile on the producing districts in the province, and surface, and very high assays have been obtained from ore taken from the differkaslo will reap rich benefits therefrom. ent open cuts. When the Joker is open-Shroeder Creek.

ed up and its richness made public the bead of the South Fork will probably see Among the many mining districts tribu tary to Kaslo which give promise of being much active development. Along the creek opened on a large scale in the near future is Shroeder Creek, a few miles up the lake from this city. It is about two the Bismarck and the Cork have been actively worked all winter. Two properties adjoining the Silver Bell are also beyears ago that showings carrying consider ing worked. On one of them a winze has able value were found, and the discovery been sunk 100 feet, and a very satisfactory led to the staking of all the desirable showing has been made. It has the rich ground. Energy, thus far, has been chiefly Silver Bell lead. A group of claims adjoin- confined to assessment work, although on ing the Cork, and owned by Messrs. H. some claims considerable work has been Giegerich, Chas. Dickson, J. P. Miller and done The claims are almost entirely R. B. Briggs of Kaslo, will be worked in the spring. They have the Cork lead, and the work already done has opened The district is easy of access, the creek a fine showing of concentrating ore. The Liberty Hill group, across the creek, is is abundant. The group upon which most now mixed up with litigation, but when matters are straightened out men will be put to work. The showing is very prom-lt comprises seven claims, and through sing and among the best on the creek. all of them the vein has been traced. On There is every reason to believe that the one claim 120 feet of tunnel has been Black Fox will also be worked again this driven and very good ore encountered in year, as development on adjoining claims the last 25 feet. On another claim 50 feet has proved it to have a very rich vein. of a tunnel has been driven on the vein, Then there is always the hope that somewhich shows from 8 to 18 inches of solid body with money will get hold of the galena. It has assayed 64 and 150 ounces in silver, galena. It has assayed 64 per cent lead of a high grade in the drift which is be have been long ago, among the richest pro-ing run on the 50-foot level. The ore ducers in the district. The Gibson, which with some copper. Active development work will be proceeded with this spring .- Kootenaian. which is now being met is of a white is located on the Silver Bell lead, and al quartz carrying excellent values. The drift ready has about 1,000 feet of tunnels and is in about 13 feet and is in ore all the drifts, will be opened up in all probabil-Blacks That Hold 'Ill way. One carload of ore was sent to the ity. There is now enough concentrating

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Crow's Nest Dispute.

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itself after a time but it need not be expected that the Le Roi shipments will come up to the amount calculated to be shipped right along on a regular basis for several weeks to come. Appended is a list of the shipments of

the past week and the year to date:

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and Electron Conserve	Week.	Year.
Le Roi	1,891	25,182
Centre Star	2,160	16,260
War Eagle	810	5,400
e Roi No. 2	405	1,282
Iron Mask	113	1,136
Velvet		500
I. X. L	25	70
Spitzee	22	67
Giant		60
Fortland		27
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Total	5,426	49,397

Homestake .- The pay ore shoot found a week since in the Homestake had been drifted on up to last evening for about tion of the levels of the two lower floors large shipments of ore to Kaslo. For the 33 feet. The full face of vne drift was is being continued. in ore of a pay grade, and carrying more copper than when the ledge was first en-countered. A Miner man visited the ress and there is an excellent showing. mencing at the mouth of the creek copper than when the redge was the ress and there is an excellent showing. countered. A Miner man visited the ress and there is an excellent showing. Homestake yesterday and the strike was In order to get rid of the ore which is expected. The ledge pettler than even he is in place and as far as the sides and face of the drift tunnet were concerned they also were of ore. A feature of the strike is that the pay shoot is solid and unbroken and is strongly mineralized throughout. The gangue is a white quartz, carrying gold, silver, lead and copper. From the face of the drift to the dike,

towards which the drift is being driven, the distance is about 87 feet. Should In the meanwhile the 18-drill compress the shoot continue that far, and it is almost certain that it will it will be over 100 feet in length. The dike, which is for operation in a shart time.

Iron Mask .-- Work continues along be met 87 feet from the present breast of the tunnel, is only 12 feet in width and usual lines. The Iron Mask sent 113 tons it is more than likely that the pay ore of ore to the smelter during the past shoot will be picked up on the west side week.

of it, the pr the east of the dike. There is a very tunnel is being pushed and the showing will become a very large producer. and the probability is that the ledge will of a satisfactory grade. will become a very large producer. Above the /King Solomon group are three claims owned by Sam Underhill and

be richer and wider west of the dike than is east of it. After the connection is usual lines, but there were no developmade by the upraise with the shaft and ments of note during the week. shaft is deepened another 100 feet blow Douglas-Hunter .-- Work on the lower the floor of the present drive, which will depth of from 400 to 500 feet on tunnel continues and good progress is begive a account of the sloping nature of the hill ing made. included in the Homestake ground, still Portland.—Drifting on the 100-foot level been at work all winter. Ticher ore should be found. Altogether, continues and the showing of ore is satis-On the opposite side of the creek is the the outlook on the Homestake is most factory.

ouraging and there is every reason to believe that it will make a valuable mine, when the workof drifting along the ledge of a low grade. for 200 feet and the upraise has been of a low grade. made connecting the tunnel with the shaft Wallingford.—Drifting on the ledge is This work will oc- progressing and the showing of ore is has been completed. about ten weeks.

Kootenay Mines.—There is nothing of property. There have been several ship-montance transpiring at the mine. The ments of clean ore made from the Gibson, importance transpiring at the mine. The ments of clean ore made from the Gibson shaft is down to the station level at the which carried about 80 ounces of sliver bottom of the sinking and the station it- and 60 per cent lead. There are three dis self is being commenced. This work will kinct veins running through the property. have to be completed and the timbering The New Chum and Noble Friend claims, placed in the shaft before drifting can be owned by J. P. Miller and partners, will commenced on the lowest level in order neceive some attention. They have a to explore the vein. The bottom and seven-foot lead, highly mineralized sides of the shaft are still in ore. containing one foot of clean ore. There

are also innumerable other claims on the Centre Star .- Shipments are being continued on a steady basis. The develop- South Fork, and development work on ment work is steadily in hand and the them this summer will probably open up mine is now well abreast all round in its properties of considerable richness. In event of the smelter being erected at work. The surface buildings are practically completed and nothing more will be kaslo there will undoubtedly be an effort with the yard until the snow disap- made to deve op the South Fork properties on a large scale. pears from the ground.

War Eagle .- There is every expedition Woodbury Creek

to hasten shipments from the mine which are expedted because of the better One of the most promising creeks trishowing at the lower levels than that butary to Kaslo is Woodbury. When the which obtained in the middle workings smelter is in operation here the Woodof the mine may be made. The explora- bury properties will undoubtedly

last three years ore has been shipped from evening Star .- The developing of the Woodbury Creek, and all the work has Com mencing at the mouth of the creek is the King Solomon Mining Company, which has a group of 40 claims, which cover a on hand shipments will be commenced

great deal of ground. The company has been working a large force of men for I. X. L.-The work of extending the nearly a year. The chief development work lower tunnel is in progress. Stoping con-tinues from No. 2 tunnel. A carload of been confined to sinking a winze in bas the old workings of the former owners ore was sent to Trail from the I. X. L. A depth of about 150 feet was' obtained, during the week, as the Northport smeland drifting commenced both ways on the wen. In three other places tunnels are Velvet .- The work of developing the being run on the vein and the showing several ore bodies in the Velvet continues. is very encouraging. The company is com posed of American people, who have made every proparation for mining on a very is being put together and should be ready large scale. An air compressor has been installed and all work is done by machin ery. The buildings are very complete and commodious ones. This year work will be proceeded with more energetically than

esent drift tunnel being to Rossland Bonanza.-Work on the drift ever, and if the ore is there the company

Cascade .- Work continues along the partners. The vein has been tapped at five differnt levels. It is eight feet wide, very strong and well defined, and an assay from the paystreak gave 240 ounces in suver. It is a dry ore proposition, which further work will undoubtedly prove to be one of great value. A force of men have

Grant group of claims, which has made several shipments of very high grade ore. Northern Belle .- The crosscut tunsel is A small force of men are now at work in for 271 feet and the face is in ore on the group, which is owned by the Grant brothers and Charles Rosseter of Ainsworth. It is a silver-lead property. On the same dry ore belt as the Underhill property are two claims owned by



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provements, for the purpose of obtaining with them; a dhild who can read the di crown grant of the above claim. rections can dye successfully with Dia-And further take notice, that action under section 37, must be commenced be When you decide to do your dyein fore the issuance of such certificate of

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THE WINNIPEG MINING AND "H.M.S. Pinafore." SMELTING COMPANY, LIMITED. At a meeting of the Executive commi tee of the Rossland Amateur Operation society, held last evening, it was deciled

Take notice that a general meeting of of the Company, at the "Winnipeg" Mine, near Phoenix, B. C., on Saturday, the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1001 hour of eight o'clock in the evening, for

the purpose of receiving the report of the Liquidator showing the manner in which the "Rossland Bonanza" Gold Mining & Pacific has refused to lift Crow's Nest coal ars for Montana or other American the winding up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and for the purpose of taking such action B42028, intend, sixty days from the date points, until such time as the coal com pany has fulfilled its promise to supply British Columbia. upon the same as may be deemed advis-

> Dated this 20th day of February, 1901. RICHARD PLEWMAN. Liquidator.

> > Major Leckie's Visit.

Maj. R. G. Edwards Leckie, general man ager of the Republic mine, passed through the city yesterday en route to Spokane, for the purpose of closing contracts with sev eral mining companies operating in Reput lic that want their ores treated at the Re public mill. The Major denied the report respecting the failure of the new reduction plant. He added that in the pros pective contracts he was prepared to guar the recovery of 90 per cent. of the values of custom ores.



the hall for the recepti at stated times, or for th some kind of the busine no doubt that such use portion of the hallway, a fice" within the meaning appears to me perfectly cl tions of the building, pub nitely let apart, and used for the transaction of necessarily form part within the meaning of the has happened here? Th tion had always been pu and used for the purpe the notices in question place, and the assistant himself would necessarily of the building, and u the purpose of perus when it would be necessa this being the case, it so fectly clear that I cannot this objection. Mr. Galt further urge have been specifically no and place when the p the commissioner at Ne carried on. This is a difficulty but in my opin make this necessary. the Act applies to every is to be made either to missioner of lands and gold commissioner, and i the application for the missioner or other per existing rights and recor-mine owners and also as plications.' Now, Mr. Da contended that section which does in terms, prov parties in interest, cann reference to the record proceedings to obtain w under sections 13 and 4 do not at present thin proper construction of all events it seems to me missioner is to have reasons mentioned specifica this means that they are

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hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the

purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the

And further take notice that action, un-

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SET BACK FOR TRAIL SMELTER TAR EAGLE AND CENTRE STAR

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His Lordship interposed the objection

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WIN IN SUPREME COURT.

chief Justice McColl Refers Back to Land Commissioner Matters of Water Right there is no provision made in the Act for them to keep each other informed

as to applications pending before them. There is no doubt in this case that the erts of All the Parties. Chief Justice McColl in the Supreme appellants when they continued the prourt yesterday rendered an exhaustive

ceedings for their record, and I think 't is udgment in the appeal of the War Eagle Centre Star Mining companies from decision of J. A. Turner, assistant of such application, but whether an or not it does not materially affect the matand commissioner at Nelson, B. C., granting certain water rights on Trail, Stoney Murphy creeks to the Trail smelter.

His Lordship ordered that the matter of sioner at Nelson for the purpose of en-abling him to consider the alleged rights \$6 to \$18 in gold on the surface. records be referred back to the comand interests of all other persons, parties and interests of all other persons, parties and interests of all other persons, parties and a dip of about 45 degrees to the peal, upon due notice to them of the time northeast. The development work already and interests of all other persons, parties and interests the court on the present and place when and where the proceedings now before the power to him to alter or will be carried on with power to him to vary the orders or records as they may alter or vary the orders or records he open cuts across the veins, and in driving The has made in any way necessary to meet a crosscut tunnel 300 feet to cut the upper appear upon a from the le Roi Mining the equities as they may appear upon a crosscut tunnel 300 feet to cut the upper judgment also affects the Le Roi Mining the equities as they may appear upon a vein, which, however, has not yet been reached, on account of bad air. As the company, which in its application may require it. water rights on the creeks in question may require it. "With reference to the point urged by

water rights of the ap-occupies a position analagous to the ap-pellant companies. At the morning session of the court the hearing of the argument was resumed. A. C. Galt appeared for the War Eagle A. C. Galt appeared for the War Eagle the commissioner, by personal examina-the commanies, and E. Davis A. C. Gait appeared for the twar have a for contested as for all that appears prove satisfactory. And Centre Star companies, and E. Davis the commissioner, by personal examina-and A. H. McNeill for the smelter, and tion of the place or other means, -may Hon. T. Mayne Daly for the Le Roi. Mr. have satisfied himself as to the propriety be called to the state in which this main

Water Clauses Consolidation Act did not apply in this case, that section only re-lating to interim records. The grant, he stated, had been obtained under the shorthand, and that any person interested the commissioner ought to have shorthand, and that any person interested the to have a conv of the evidence given before him, taken in shorthand, and that any person interested the to have a conv of the evidence given before him the to have a conv of the evidence given the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to the to have a conv of the evidence to the to the to have a conv of the evidence to the visions of section 44. The prior sec-is entitled to have a copy of the evi-I will also say that I have been in this tion gave power respecting the cancella-tion of records and the reduction of the last three years and have

the applications pending at Rossland, ac-tion might have been taken under section 18. The law, in this opinion, was defeed arising out of or being incidental to this ready well-known Rosebery mine, and still ively drawn. Mr. Davis reminded the court that the eity of Rossland had not offered any ob-jection to the granting of the records; be-the result of a fresh consideration of this the result of a fresh consideration of this Revelstoke. This is a property that is sides the act in no manner stipmatter by the gold commissioner, or comulated or provided that it was the duty missioner, will stand over to be brought of the respondent company to draw the matter of the other Rossland applications before any judge who is competent to deal it, as soon as possiblee. with to the attention of the Nelson official.

"Judgment is entered accordingly." There was nothing mandatory in the law

MINER-GRAVES SYNDICATE. made to the land commissioner, provided J. A. Macdonald Returns From a Profes-

sional Visit to Montreal.

the court. The Chief Justice then deivered judgment in the following terms: "As I have no doubt what I ought has returned from a professional visit to is a very promising property indeed. This to do in the matter in this appeal, and Montreal. He is counsel for the various group has considerable work done on i as it is of the utmost importance as I properties embraced in the so-called Minunderstand it, to the parties, that a final er Graves Sundicate, and the object of his The owners have made a trial shipment determination of their rights should be eastern trip was in connection with the of ore, which I understand has been very had, as soon as possible, I shall five my consolidation now being effected. Said judgment now. On the hearing of this appeal, it was formally admitted that the posed consolidation are the Knob Hill, are all on the same voin and only a few appellants have the necessary status to bring the appeal, and that their applica-companies, the Granby Consol dated Min-is being chiefly done on the Europea claim tion for a grant or record, was pending at Ressland from the 6th day of August Forks Power & Light company. A new of men working for the fast two seasons ast until the granting of the record com-planed of and now complained of and of the provincial legislature to take over hast until the granting of the inclusion of the provincial legislature to take over the inclusion in the inclusion of the provincial legislature to take over the inclusion in the inclusion in the inclusion of the provincial legislature to take over the inclusion in the inclusion in the inclusion of the provincial legislature to take over the inclusion in the in a down down by the stenographer, with proposed arrangement has already been ratified and approved by the shareholders rence to this matter, is correct. For of three of the companies. Special meet- of beautiful ore running well in gold and the appellants. Mr. Galt forcibly urged ings of the several companies involved in hat the notice posted up on the notice this deal will be held in British Columbia, board in the hall leading to the room, or into effect the proposed consolidation. These meetings will be held as soon as one of the rooms, occupied by the assistant commissioner and his staff, was not posted in accordance with the requirethe special act is procured from the legis-lature." ments of the Act. not having been posted up in the room, or one of the rooms. The

LAFORME CAMP.

ordinary sense, simply means a place where the public business develoving upon a Description of the Noble Three and commissioner, is transacted.

give proper regard to them. This being so, if Mr. Davis' contention is not cor-rect, and I cannot say that I have a settled opinion either way, but without more consideration, I think that, this af-fords no reserve for the comparison of the other 20 feet in width. The latest the other 20 feet in width. The settled opinion either way, but without more consideration, I think that this af-fords no reason for the commissioner de-ciding the matter behind their backs. The difficulty has arisen, of course, from 12 and the other 20 feet in width. The latter has not yet been tested by the the circumstance that these two commissioners have conflicting power and that at present are the two veins known as the

b.g Iron veins, and this is where the development work is going on at present. These veins are approximately 80 feet apart, and no doubt in depth will form one large vein. The surface showing here is a fair inference from the evidence that excellent. There is, next the foot wall, the commissioner at Nelson was ignorant 20 inches of solid ore, and inside of 18 feet from the foot wall there is at least three feet of ore, and in the upper vein at the hanging wall there are two teet at the hanging wall there are two teet of arsenical iron ore and 20 inches of car-bonates, all giving very satisfactory assays

\$6 to \$18 in gold on the surface. The veins have a northwesterly course, done consists of building cabins, stripping the veins in several places, with

company could not get in the necessary air pipe at that time of season, it had to suspend work until next spring. I might

Hon. T. Mayne Daily for the Le tot. In a stand the record applied for. Davis pointed out that section 18 of the of granting the record applied for. "I may add that I think in a contested time, and without the expenditure of \$800

also to have a written statement of the to be one of great promise. reasons, if any, for the decision of the But to resume. The veins But to resume. The veins are traceable gold commissioner, or commissioner, as for the whole distance across the prop-otherwise it is entirely impracticable when erty, and also for three miles to the souththe matter comes before a court of appeal, to deal intelligently with it. They have also been traced and staked. They have also been traced by myself

showing up well as development is carried on. The company has a force of men pushing development, having driven four tunnels, and I am informed that they have been attended with satisfactory results. Still lying to the west of this a short the famous Keystone Moundistance is tain, well known for the wonderful surface showings of galena and other ores. The Keystone group, owned by A. W. McIntosh of Revelstoke, who is known J. A. Macdonald, barrister of this city, here as the original locator of this camp, work done on it and has a wonderful showing of ore.

> satisfactory. These afferent camps and properties on which the company has had a force under the management of Ed. Adair ore four different times, first four inches of solid galena, still further on ten inches copper, and further on still, at the foot wall, about three feet of ore, assays giv-ing all the way from \$18 to \$56 in gold and copper. Still farther on is another cut in which there is 16 inches of arsenical iron ore. In conversation with Mr. Adain he informed me that his company has al ready expended over \$7,000 on this prop-erty, and that it is the intention of the

Mr. McCallum and a force of men have company, but work done on those veins a started in to commence operations again short distance east of here has proven on a large scale on this group. After mak-that they are fully richer in gold, silver ing an examination of this camp I believe and copper. Aost important, however, it has a great future, and with proper de velopment these properties will become large producers of gold, silver, lead and . I believe the day will soon come copper. when the hum of mining machinery will be heard through the valley of Laform creek and those other camps mentioned as it hoists the precious metal to the sur free from its hidden vaults in the heart of the mountains .- Herald. THE VALPARAISO.

Report of W. H. Jeffery, M.E., on the

Company's Claims. The Valparaiso Mining Company has re-ceived a report from Mr. W. H. Jefferey, M.E., on the company's group of claims, which is situated on Kootenay lake three miles north of Kuskanook. The report deals fully with the development done, and makes many suggestions as to the manner in which the future work snould be done. On the whole it will be very gratifying reading for the share-holders. The following are correct the shareholders. The following are some extracts: Both claims are traversed their entire width by a mineral bearing fissure or lode which has a strike north and south, and dips to the east at an angle of about 45 degrees.

time to time. During the interval, however, The property is being systematically dethe Trail smelter applied to the Land ommissioner at Nelson for 400 inches of veloped by adits crosscutting the country rock to the lode. The lode is tapped at a water on Murphy creek. It was claimed vertical depth of 90 feet and drifted on that insufficiency of notice existed, the 10 feet to the north and 75 feet to the notices having, it was alleged, been put up improperly, and that the application for the water was granted before the ap-pellants knew of the application. Four south. This should give a depth on the dip of the lode of about 130 feet. An upaise has been started to run to the surface for air, and is now up about 30 feet. In the event of the air getting bad hundred inches each on Trail and Stoney creeks, it was maintained, were secured in the same way. Mr. Galt went on to ex in the upraise a shaft can be sunk from the surface to connect with the upraise. plain that his clients had appealed from A large body of ore can be blocked out the decision, the application for such ap-

and stoping commenced as soon as con-nection is made with the shaft and uppeal having been granted by Mr. Justice raise, and shipments made to determine values and mode of treatment. The lode filling is much decomposed

and oxidized near the surface, and I would suggest sinking a winze from some conenient place in the drift as near as possible in line with the next level or adit The ore seems to run very evenly in

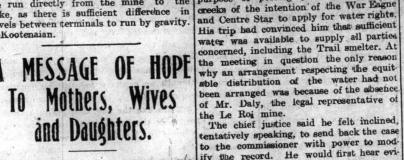
quantity and character throughout the drift, and in one continuous shoot for a long distance, and is proved on the sur-face for over 800 feet without any appar-As depth is attained the rock will be-

come more solid and require less timbering, and the development will progress more rapidly and cost considerably less than t present. Taking the close proximity to transpor-

tation and the cheap method of mining and extracting the ore, it does not require a very rich ore to make the Valaparise group a paying mine. The lode is strong and well defined,

and traceable on the surface for the length of several claims. From its persistency in passing through the hard formation and its

levels between terminals to run by gravity. -Kootenaian.



requirements of the act had not been

thief Justice McColl Is Asked to Cancel

Kirby Gives Evidence.

Three Water Records - Edmund B.

Mr. Galt submitted an affidavit that the Mr. Galt submitteu an anomic regularly notice of the smelter had been irregularly posted outside the commissioner's office at Nelson. The law required that the notice should be posted inside the office. The court ruled that this objection was worthless, holding that as it was the habitual practice to post these notices on a the doors of the office blackboard outside

but within the building, the provisions of the law had been fully complied with. Mr. Galt then argued that the smelter

Chief Justice McColl, sitting in the had not complied with other requirements, notably non-interference with existing Supreme Court yesterday, heard the aprecords, and failure to prove their repeal of the War Eagle and Centre Star quirements .The smelter, however, had been granted 1,200 indies, for which they Mining companies from the decision of Assistant Land Commissioner J. A. Turactually had no use. He also quoted see ner of Nelson, granting water rights on Stoney, Murphy and Trail creeks to the Trail smelter under the tion 144, which provides for the equitable distribution of water as between rival claimants, and the omission of the re-spondent company to serve notices of the application to the other interested parties. charter of the British Columbia Southern railway. A. C. Galt appeared for the appellants, E. P. Davis, Vancouver, and The further hearing of the case will be

A. H. MacNeill for the smelter, and J. resumed today. In the case of Stevenson vs. McCrae, L. G. Abbott for the city of Rossland promissory note for \$2,025 and interest. Hon. T. Mayne Daly represented the Le Roi company. Mr. Galt explained that his clients or non-jury, judgment with costs was given in favor of the plaintiff. A. C. Galt for August 6th last had applied to the Gold plaintiff, and Daly, Hamilton and Le Maistre for the defendant.

Commissioner here for permission to locate water rights on Murphy and Rock creeks The case of Mounier vs. Pyper was also under section 18 of the Water Clauses Consolidation Act, Revised Statutes, 1897. The petition would show that the applidisposed of. The judgment was in favor of the plaintiff. It was an adverse, the Georgia fraction having been declared cation was returnable on December 10th before the Gold Commissioner here under section 10 and had been adjourned from a Cascade business man and the cuber party is a prospector. A stay of proceed ings for ten days was granted. A. C. Galt for plaintiff and J. A. Macdonald for defendant.

A PAYMENT OF \$20,000

Part of the Purchase Price of the Onondaga Co.'s Properties.

The second payment, consisting of \$20,-000, was made by the Onandoga Mining mpany yesterday to Messrs. J. M. and C. B. Etner and J. and D. Cromie, the vendors. The claims purchased consist of the Maude S., Yellow Jacket, Standard, peal having been granted by Mr. Justace
 Martin, who had expressed the opinion
 that evidence should be heard. The order
 for the trial was made on January 22nd
 last. The point to be borne in mind, ad ded Mr. Gait, was that the War Eagle
 and Cenre Sar had applied in Kossland
 den Wich the Sar bad applied in Kossland
 rest who had applied in Kossland ofr a water right in August last, whereas the application made by the smelter comthe application made by the smelter com-pany had been made at Nelson before the land commissioner as late as last October. B. P. Davis argued that the respondents had fully complied with the provisions of the law, both in regard to the posting of notices and the application to the commis-sioner as provided in the statutes. Their respondents of the consisting of \$35,-000, is to be paid in sixty days. The properties purchased have been under desconer as provided in the statutes. Their position was just this: Of two officials to apply to they had applied to the Nelson officer. He pointed that the city of Rosswill brothers, and the showing of ore is so good that the management recently pur-plication. If other parties had applied io another court it was not the tault of his another court it was not the fault of hr-client, who, moreover, was not bound to bring the matter to the attention of the appellant companies. Ite con-tended that the notices had been published regularly, and the appli-cation had been granted according to law. Mr. Galt asserted that he had been in-ited to a conference of the parties in-

regularity at depth of development and great width, shows beyond doubt that this same regularity will continue. The contour and conditions of the land are such that a wire rope tramway can be run directly from the mine to the lake, as there is sufficient difference in levels between terminals to run by empiric

FISH CREEK.

Properties on Pool Creek in the Lardeau Country.

Most interesting information is at hand concerning the mining properties situated been arranged was because of the absence of Mr. Daly, the legal representative of on Pool creek in the Lardeau district. Pool creek enters Fish creek about eight : the Le Roi mine. The chief justice said he felt inclined, miles from Comaplix at the head of Artentatively speaking, to send back the case to the commissioner with power to mod-ify the record. He would first hear evi-the promising townsile of Camborne... row lake, and passes directly through The first property near the mouth of Mr. Davis said no objestion would be the creek is the Cholla group. It

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a Description of the Noble Three and Other Properties. (Contributed.) The camp is situated on the north ide of laforme creek about six miles (Contributed.) The great difficulty," he says, "we have to contend with in the Big Bend is the second properties of the se

one particular room or rooms in which the assistant commissioner himself or ais stac may be found during the office hours of the day. Assuring that he himself had been accustomed to use a portion of of the Rosebery mine on Carnes creek. the hall for the reception of the public There has already been considerable work at stated times, or for the transaction of done on four or five properties here, and some kind of the business, there can be all have shown up well. The Noble Three group, which, by the way, was the first discovered in this camp, has a wonderful no doubt that such use would make that portion of the hallway, a part of his "ofwithin the meaning of the Act. It appears to me perfectly clear that all portions of the building, publicly and definitely let apart, and used by the public, for the transaction of business, would necessarily form part of the "office" present. This is a galena proposition, al-though it carries considerable gold and within the meaning of the Act. Now what has happened here? The board in quescopper also. There is an abundance of good timber on this property, and also good water power for all mining purposes, tion had always been publicly recognized and used for the purpose of posting up the notices in question and is the only place, and the assistant commissioner the property being beautifully situated on the summit between Carnes Creek on the himself would necessarily use such portion of the building, and use this board for north and Laforme Creek on the south, the purpose of perusing these notices and near-by the head of the north branch when it would be necessary to do so, and this being the case, it seems to me per-fectly clear that I cannot give effect to this objection. to be a shipper with a very reasonable ex-

Mr. Galt further urges that he should penditure.

have been specifically notified of the time and place when the proceedings before the commissioner at Nelson were to be carried on. This is a question of some difficulty but in my opinion the Act does make this necessary. Section 13 of

is almost solid ore. here are about 20 practically unexplored. the Act applies to every application which is to be made either to the assistant com- tons of good, clean ore on the dump. The missioner of lands and works, or to the surface showing here is remarkable. be applied commissioner, and it says that upon the are several chunks of solid, clean hundreds of millions of feet of the choi-

plications.' Now, Mr. Davis very forcibly this to the east. The Adair group is own-contended that section 18, sub-section 2, ed by Ed. Adair of Revelstoke and some which does in terms, provide for notice to parties in interest, cannot possibly have set the Adair Prospecting, Mining and De-astern men, the values, M. Inst. "This all means great things for Rev. "This all means great things for Revelstoke and district if properly handled, prevalent opinion that the river is at its as the Adair Prospecting, Mining and De-aster Main Prospecting, Mining and De-reference to the record in question, the value of the record in question, the value of the record in question.

missioner is to have regard to the per-sons mentioned specifically in section 13, this means that they are to be entitled to appear before him on the application, and that they are singled out from the gen-teral multicity appear at an explicit of the gen-that they are singled out from the gen-that they are single of about 45 decrees

side of Laforme creek, about six miles east of Steamboat Landing, on Columbia river, and lies about four miles southeast at once investigate the necessity of im-proving the river north of here, especially at Death Rapids, by putting in a tramway around these rapids-about one-half mile in length. This would be a step in the right direction, and then, I believe, d scovered an this group consists of The work done on this group consists of stripping the veins in several places and caoins, etc. They have several tons of caoins are can shipping ore on the dump at boat service into Big Bend—say two small but powerful boats, one to run as far as Death Rapids and the other above this, as this would not only help out the camps at French Creek, McCullough Creek, Smith Creek, but would open up the country north of this to Canoe River, as the Columbia river above Death Rapids is navigable, and, I understand, 30 miles up Canoe river, about 70 miles in all, and then the only obstruction is a log jam

in Canoe river. It is a well-known fact that there is about one hundred thousand acres of first to the great good that Paine's Celery Com-Adjoining this to the soutehast is the class agricultural lands in the Canoe valley alone, besides the vast amount of good

"We have also immense timber tracts," galena ore 16 and 18 inches square lying cest timber in British Columbia for lum-

parties in interest, cannot possibly have reference to the record in question, the proceedings to obtain which were taken under sections 13 and 44 of the Act. 11 do not at present think that this is a proper construction of the Act, but at all events it seems to me that if the com-missioner is to hear arrow to the norm. Since Adair Prospecting, Mining and De-velopment Company. This property con-sists of eight full claims, Flora Bell, Morn-ing Star, Grandview, Eureka, Eastern Star, lron King, Mabel May and Alma mineral all events it seems to me that if the com-missioner is to hear arrow to the norm.

that they must in some way be afforded the opportunity of urging any rights they the schiste are found norms body. In the opportunity of urging any rights they the schists are found narrow bands of the schists are found narrow bands of the Adair group are several timestone. The veins run in or along solution of the Adair group are several timestone. The veins run in or along solution of the Adair group are several to the Big Bend the remedy that euros a cold in one day to the remedy that euros a cold in one day

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out Canada take pleasure in recommend-ing Paine's Ceiery Compound to their afflictea sisters. The marvellous medicine promptly gives that health and strength that all wearied, nervous, despondent and brokendown women so much need. Jessie M. Ross, Quyon, Que., writes as

pound has done for me. I was completely rundown in health and a victim of female Adjoining this to the soutenast is the class agricultural lands in the Canoe valley pound has done for me. I was completely pound has done for me. I was completely alone, besides the vast amount of good rundown in health and a victim of female land along the Columbia valley—in all weaknesses, and after using three bottles of the great Compound I was completely used well known fact that this whole stretch for a few feet, and the face of the tunnel run for a few feet, and the face of the tunnel weakness and a I recommend it to all who suffer as I did."

Kettle River.

In view of the recent applications for which does in terms provide for notice to extent of the recent applications for the re

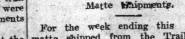
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Mr. Davis said no objection would be offered to that course provided the matter could be proceeded with without delay. Mr. Galt maintained that such a ruling would be insufficient. 'He wanted the court to make an order cancelling the ex-isting record and ordering that the appli-cation be heard anew. Mr. Davis objected to such a procedure, holding that its effect would be to make a mistake in the first instance. Mr. Galt argued that the existing rec-ord should be cancelled on the ground of the irregularity of the posting of the no-tices in the commissioner's office, and that Afflicted Women. The Wondrous Medicine That Cures When all Others Fail. Thankful and grateful women through-out Canada take pleasure in recommend-ing Paine's Ceiery Compound to their af-

was well known that the stream in ques-tion did not afford that much capacity; also that the existing rights of the city of Rossland had been overlooked in the grant. Another objection was that the smelter had omitted to state the require-requirements of water. Edmund B. Kirby, general manager of the War Eagle and Centre Star mines, was then examined in relation to the stops he had taken to secure an additional water supply for his properties. He said he had found that the only important and available sources of supply were Murphy and Rock creeks. The waters of Murphy creek were not in use, though a claim to them had been filed by other parties. In the case of Rock creek a small proportion of the supply was being used by the Trail smelter. The application of the parties. In the case of Rock proversion of the parties. In the case of Rock proversion of the Trail smelter. The application of the trail the state application the state application the trail the sthe propen of the supply was being used by the Trail smelter. The application of the Trail The Alma group, which is also in the smelter at Nelson had never come to his knowledge until it had been favorably considered. He said the water supply at bonded to Eastern capitalists, and active his mines was insufficient. The increased requirements were needed for general min-ing purposes, power, fire protection, do-mestic use, etc., besides the company pur-the best known groups of the section. mestic use, etc., besides the company pur the best known groups of the section. posed washing and separating ores, a work Both of these have very large bodies which required a great deal of water. Frank H. Lipplit, who represents the War Eagle at the Trail smelter, then cer-War Bagle at the Trail smelter, then cere bave been obtained. They are by taster they are proposition is ments of all the creeks taken by himself on foot to do more extensive developents of all the creeks taken by himself and another engineer, last August. The ment during this year.

and another engineer, last August. The mont during this year. power available on Murphy creek was comprised as follows: South fork, 45 inches; north fork, 38 inches; the north and south branches of the middle fork, Camborne. A large number of miners wave been attracted here and a lively 40 and 22 inches respectively. The meas-urement at the weir, near the railway season is expected in the spring. track, gave 206 inches; on the lower train Matte Minipments.

For the week ending this date the Extending over a month. The chief justice then ruled that the matte shipped from the Trail smelter appellants would have to prove that the was 73 tons.



it was a trifle more. The estimates were based on calculations and measurements

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will be able to consume.

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and the Boundary section from the round- crowd out of existence those which can poor quality. It is the desire of the which convene in in Greenwood this week, granting what is asked. The government

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B. C. TO THE FORE.

The Empire, a journal published in London, and which is largely devoted to mining, has the following, which shows that British Columbia is looking up in the eyes of the British investor: "A is a consummation greatly desired by the world-wide, has expressed to me the opinion that within a year South Africa and the main line, that much of the through ing centres of the world. For many reasons British Columbia has never yet had 'a fair show.' But the time is rapidly recognized. Undoubtedly it contains two or three of the finest mines in the world. Look at the Le Koi, for instance!"

becoming one of the leading mining centres of the world. The time was, and river and on the Columbia & Western between Robson and Cascade. not long ago, when London mining pro-

moters would not mention British Columbia in the same breath with South Africa promised in the speech. We believe that as an easy money market and a return and Westraha. Now, however, our min- no radical changes should be made in the ling faith in the merits of mining invest eral resources are mentioned as about mineral act because such dhanges have a ments, now prevail. It is apparent that equal to those of South Atrica. What bad effect on foreign investors who comthe financier says about the province plain that every time the legislature meets not having had a fair show is true, but changes are made in the mineral act, and to dispose of them on reasonable terms still considerable money has been put in some of these amendments have not had here and in other camps by British in- the most ibeneficial effect. Investors are vestors, but not nearly as much as the afraid that injurious features may be addmerits of our mineral resources warrant. ed to the act which will have the effect of The statement that there are two or three hurting any mining interests which they of the finest mines in the world in this migh acquire here. The government should province is undoubtedly true. The shrewd be conservative so far as the mineral act tinancier might have gone further and said is concerned.

that we have in this province scores of mining properties which, when they are properly opened up, will be equal to any-

thing in the way of mines in any other section of he wild It is pleasant to that thus far there has been no combinanote, however, that the possibilities of that thus far there has been interests the mining sections of the province are Then the ppage goes on to say that "Britbeginning to force themselves on the ft- ish Columbia report, which appears to be tention of the finingers of the London market, and we feel confident that our mining merits will grow ou them to such have combined under the name of the an extent that, being a great while, this Granby Consolidated Smelting and Minwill be the place prefaced by them for ing company, limited, capital stock, \$15,investment. Bruth Columbia is coming 000,000. In the absence of details it is to the front.

AN IMPORTANT STRIKE.

The finding of ore of a pay grade in a body of considerable size on the Homement because it was made in the much misstatement should be corrected. No order to believe in the bugaboes which

about way via the Arrow lakes and the not meet the minimum price charged by management of the railway to secure C.P.R., which has made the strip to and the favorably located and economically a better supply and the Crow's Nest lation to railways. In doing this the the people here do, an "open door" policy, conducted plants. from the coast such a long and expensive This state of affairs, we believe, will reone.| 'The route which the proposed road will be constructed over is the natural sult in the concentration of the smelters run a spur from the main line to the are located as well as of the province. one for a railway to follow between Van- in a few favored localities. For this rea- bounday line and cross the line and ex- They realize, as all of the people of Southcouver and the Kookenays. It will bring son those who put up smelters in the fu-

the effect of spurring the Canadian Pacific

NO SMELTER COMBINE YET.

which they hitherto have not enjoyed ow-ing partially to the indirect route over same time have the plant up to the plant up ing partially to the indirect route over same time have the plant up to date and minion parmament which privilege, we there are. Glance at the map and it which goods coming from these cities and furnish hem with the best and most eco- believe, should not be withheld.) He will be seen that the mining interests are consigned to Rossland and Boundary nomical labor-saving devices, to the end has promised that the Great Northern points had to be sent. The presumption that they may be able to underbid their railway will take 800 tons per day for the railways and water courses. Where use among its locomotives running is that the threat of the construction of iess favorably located rivals. through the almost coalless belt which the Coast to Kootenay railway will have

MANY MINING DEALS.

railway to renewed exertion to hold the Mining deals continue to be frequently East Kootenay to the smelters flouring territory, and one of the results of the made. Yesterday, in this city, \$20,000 was mills, factories and to householders government's action will probably be that the C.P.R. will exend its line from Mid- paid on a deal which involved \$65,000, the along the line of the road and in time way west across the Hope mountains to a purchase price for a group of claims east the traffic over the road in coal will junction with the main line. If this is of Waterloo. A strong syndicate of Sag. amount to several thousand tons per done, and the Coast to Kootenay railway inaw, Mich., capitalists has secured the day.

is also built, which now seems certain be- control of the Tammany group in the Is it not better to grant this charter cause of the support of the government, Burnt Basin section, and will develop it to Mr. Hill than to refuse it? The coal on an extensive scale. Negotiations are in which he carries will be extracted from there will be competition for the railway progress for the purchase of the Iron the mines by the residents of Canada traffic of the Kootenays and Yale, which Mask, the Giant and the Iron Horse, in and should in time furnish employment the eyes of the British investor: "A people. It is claimed, when the C.P.R. this camp, and a company is under pro-shrewd financier, whose experience is has finished the gap between Midway and cess of formation for the purpose of the charter will bring many thousands has finished the gap between Midway and cess of formation for the purpose of working some valuable mineral claims in of American dollars into Canada, for the British Columbia will be the leading min-Nest and Columbia & Western. By this is another deal in progress for an import-A road from the main line of the

means taster service will be given and the ant mine in the Rossland camp, but pubpressure on the main line, which at times lication of its name at this time would be approaching when the real value of this is very strong, will be relieved. It is doubt- premature. The famous Britannia group, province as a gold producer will be fully ful if ever the passenger traffic will be di-at the coast has been bonded for \$727.verted from the C.P.R. main line, for the 500. There is scarcely a Kootenay or a reason, it is claimed, that the scenery is Yale mining exchange that comes into this so varied and splendid, but is is doubtful office which does not contain accounts of The shrewd financier is eminently right If there is much scenery on the main line deals for mines that have been put through in his deductions as to British Columbia that is wilder or more grand than that or are in process of completion.

which can be found along the Kootenay It is evident that the disinclination that has been so manifest for nearly two years to invest in mining properties here has

Amendments to the mineral act are come to an end and that conditions, such now is the harvest time for those who have promising properties and are willing It must be remembered that these fortunate conditions do not always obtain, and those who desire to sell must take the investment tide when it is on the flood or be left with property on their hands when the ebb takes away their opportunities.

The conditions are favorable, however, for a considerable period when properties can be sold to fair advantage and the outlook is that more, bona fide deals for mines will be put through in British Col-The Mining and Scientific. Press says

CHARTER SHOULD BE GRANTED.

A crusade is being carried on against the entrance of the Great Northern railway into Southern British Columbia. The crusaders are not very numerous nor are they particularly influential but to be assumed that the same idea actuates they endeavor to make up by noise and

the formation that previously suggested bluster what they lack in numerical adian Pacific railway, which fears a possimilar combinations in Utah. Colorado strength or capacity for turning popular and Kansas,. viz: Centralization of intersentiment for or against any measure. ests and economy of operation." They are like the paid elaquers in a thea-

The Mining and Scientific Press seldom tre, when the drama presented is lacking stake is an important event in the min- makes an error, but in this instance, while in merit and hence only those whose busi- see the solicitude which the C.P.R. has ing history of the camp, and it is of mo- apologizing for so doing, we feel that the ness it is to do so gives it applause. In

it is claimed, now favors as much as the in favor of the "open door" policy in reand it should not be a great while before measures are the nearest at mand. In boards did what was in the very best order to reach them Mr. Hill's road will interests of the community in which they tend the rails to where the coal is located ern British Columbia do, that the mining

most flourishing where they are close to mining properties are situated remote from means of transportation they are the road traverses. Besides this the either languishing or in an undeveloped condition. Transportation facilities are the road will carry coal and coke from

the very life of mining. A Le Roi, a Payne, a B. C. a Knob Hill or a Mother Lode located 30 to 50 miles from a rail way or a waterway has little or no practical value and we must have additional railway facilities in order to reach and develop several promising localities which are known to be valuable, but which are waiting for transportation in order that they may be brought into a productive condition. The traffic of the mining section of Southern British Columbia is already assuming large proportions and large as it is gives promise of being increased manifold within a very short period and competing railroads are essential to the end that the people may not be at the mercy of any one carrying corporation. Great Northern to the Crow's Nest coal From the way in which the C. P. R. has would take at least a been able to keep out rivals of any magniyear to build, provided the tude in the past it is evident that, for charter allowing its construction the present, at least, the people must were actually granted today, and it look largely to the branches of the bigger might take a longer period. While the American railways for most of the comperailway is being constructed new coal pits tition of the future which the dominar could be made from which the American carrying corporation of the Dominion rairway could obtain its supply when it must meet.

was (ready to begin transporting it to Occasionally one hears the statement the United States customers. There that the Canadian Pacific railway is a would not, however, be the slightest dan- Canadian institution and must be supportger of their being a shortage of coke and ed at all hazards and protected against coal for the people and the smelters of outside competition on this account. It this section. There is coal enough in the is no more a Canadian institution than are

measures of East Kootenay to supply the the American roads, from which branches entire continent of North America for are extended into this country. Most centuries to come, and a very little exer- of the bonds and stock of the C. P. R. tion on the part of those who control the are held in the financial centres across the

coal fields would soon place the supply, Atlantic; the same conditions are attached largely in excess of the demand of this largely to the securities of the Great section and the country which is tribuorthern and Northern Pacific railways. tary to the Great Northern. As a matwhich are the principal American rivals ter of fact, the facilities for supplying a of the C. P. R. in Canada. When these largely increased demand are already pro- railways pay dividends on this stock, or interest on their bonded indebtedness, the It must be considered in connection money goes largely into the hands of for-

with the matter at issue that the Great eign stock and bondholders. Northern is not asking for a dollar of If the C. P. R. did not cross the inter subsidy in money or land for extending a national boundary line into American ter railway line into East Kootenay; all they umbia during the year 1901 than at any ask is the privilege of constructing a with good grace object to American lines number of miles of track so that they crossing into Canada. It has a train which may be able to purchase at the regular runs daily into Seattle, Wash. It runs market rates some of the coal of which through Maine and other states and has we have a larger supply than we and nearly as much trackage in the United posterity for many generations to come States a sit has in Canada. It enters several of the states of the Union to com-It is as plain as a pikestaff that the pete or business there, but howls for hue and cry raised and the sophistries protection from competition when Ameriused against the construction of the line can railways even talk of building a few into this section all come from one source, miles of track in what it is pleased to

> term "its territory," which would mean, if it had its own selfish way, all of the How Quebec by Its Families Is Rapidly big Dominion of Canada.

Northern is allowed to enter the territory If a majority of the people are willing which the C.P.R. considers its own. I We hope the census commissioner for to foster a great carrying monopoly which is enough to cause one to shed tears to British Columbia will be able to enter will overshadow every other and dwarf will overshadow every other and dwarf every other interest in the Dominion till of the same official from Quebec, thus so suddenly manifested in the matter of it becomes so strong, so powrful, so po

we will have what we want in the way The Motion as to th of competing railways, and also increased transportation facilities for getting the products of the province to customers outside of the province. British Columbia is B.C. SOUTHERN RY. too rich, too important a place to be "cabined, cribbed and confined" by a Chinese wall. We want and must have means Sheaf of Comm of doing business with our neighbors, and ecple-The Alderma competing railways are essential

THURSDAY

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A RESIDENT JUDGE

The Matter Will Come Up at the Meet ing of the Associated Boards

A discussion as to the chances of getting resident judge of the Supreme court oc curred at the meeting of the Board of Trade on Wednesday night with a view to instructing the Rossland delegates to the Associated meeting at Greenwood as to their course in the matter. It was asserted that there already exsited a law upon the statute books of the province directing that one of the judges should be resident in the Kootenays. This was inoperative from various causes. It was beld that there was power to compel this and that there was precedent in other provinces for such enforcement, notably in Ontario. Apant from there was the very practical thing to be considered that there are upwards of 11 sessions during the year of the full court to hear appeals. There were five judges and of these at least three had to be present. To constantly ettend the court would mean that s resident judge here would have to travel back and forwards to the coast. where the full court sittings, were invar bly held. If he attended every sitting it would mean that nearly half the year would be spent in travelling to and from Vancouver and Victoria. If only three were to constitute the court, then more than three months would be thus consumed. The court had agreed that then should be in future a regular sitting of the court not less than every 60 days in The end of the discussion was that the Rossland delegates were instructed to support the resolution which was that there should be a resident judge.

He spent considerable of the time while

interest of the capital stock of the Tan

of that city. Besides paying for the con-

the treasury for development purposes.

Work will be resumed on this promising

group, which consists of four full claims and four tractions, within a month or so.

Already \$6,000 or \$7,000 has been spent on

development work on the Tammany group and there is considerable ore in sight in

different veins. The ore carries gold.

silver and copper and is of a good grade

The group is located about two miles from

Pacific railway, thus affording easy means

trol of the stock of the Tammany Gold

Mines, Limited', was owned by Messrs.

Hector McPherson. George Green, J. P. Paxton and Bert Rea.

THE CENSUS.

Increasing.

Mr. Cote is thinking seriously of an

HEAD COLD.

IN 10 MINUTES

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder stops

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Coryell station on the line of the Cana

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the union to recommend to take charge of the ci he willing to do so. A letter was read from Winter' Carnival the for a similar grant as namely, \$350. This, the would be sufficient to m standing. A full state and expenditures would

the name of the treasurer finance committee. A telegrain was receive Cumberland asking i lief of the unfortunate men lately killed in the sion in the mines near TAMMANY GROUP

council voted \$100. The board of works rep A Saginaw Syndicate Will Operate It in that the sum of \$25 be the Future. Stussi and that Davis st through the new addition Mr. Bert Rea returned a day or two Mr. Stussi to a reasonal since from a five months' trip through Eastern Canada and the United States.

turn for this Mr. Stussi his addition, make the ex street conformable to th he was away in Illinois and Michigan. In Saginaw, Mich., he sold the controlling ready platted on the old t he would deed the title thus extended to the city many Gold Mines company to a syndicate A letter was received i Curtis, asking that the n trolling interest, a large sum was put into ward him at Victoria a l which the municipal counci to take up during the pr the legislature. The sittu ises to do his best to for ests of the city. He will on March 4th. Mayor Lalonde drew a

evil resulting from the additions without the aj city council, and stated he Mr. Curtis on the matter, proper steps be taken to r Alderman Kolt made an the present condition of fire alarm boxes: whether

are properly made and li ors in place. Alderman Hamilton repl lightning conductors were the newer boxes. There w lightning at present, and would have the matter seasonable period, which the snow disappeared. the usual mon pipes prote

these were not in place newer described by the Ottawa correspondent

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berated south belt. While it is true that considerable money has been spent in the British Columbia. It is true that several the public the latter would have to be the work there was improperly and poorly Miner-Graves syndicate are being consoling. Some of the best informed mining a capital stock of \$900,000; the Gray Eagle experts who have examined the mineral de- company, capital \$1,500,000; the Knob Hill

posits in the south belt have declared capital \$1,500,000; the Old Ironsides Minthat there is evidence of just as strong ing company, capital \$1,000,000, and the mineralization there as there is in the Grand Forks Power & Light company, north belt, where the properties at pres- capital \$500,000. These are being astement producing are located. The formation bled under one big corporation with a of the south belt, however, they declared, capital of \$15,000.000. There is only one was much more broken up, and therefore smelter in the deal, which is located at in order to find the larger bodies of pay Grand Forks, and which has at present a ore a depth of several hundred feet must capacity of 700 tons a day, but which is be gained. The people operating the to be shortly increased to 5.000 tons per Homestake, in the face of a great deal day, according to a recent interview with of discouragement, and after the expendi- Mr. S. H. C. Miner, one of the leading ture of over \$100.000. have kept steadily spirits in the enterprise.

on with the work of exploring their prop- There is no immediate likelihood of a erty and at last are rewarded by making smelter combine in this province like a find which promises to make a mine. those which have been formed in the They are worthy of congratulation for the States. Such a trust is rarely made until success which now seems to have come to the smelting industry reaches larger prothem. Their good fortune should have the portions that it has at present there. It effect of stimulating the owners of prop- will result when the smelters become large erties in the south belt to renewed exer- and prosperous, and then some Canadian tion in the way of development work. We J. Pierpont Morgan with a capacity for and, therefore, the good people of the an end. Competing railways have proved to believe if the work is carried on properly promoting large ventures, will step in and and with a proper knowledge of the local moid the competing smelters into one conditions, that there will be several val- gigantic corporation, with a view to bringuable mines developed in the south belt. ing about a "centralization of interests

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

and economy of operation."-We believe, too, that with the increase

In the telegraphic columns will be found this province ultimately will all be done in ment to erect metaphorically, a Chinese the speech from the throne delivered yes three or four favored localities. Smelters terday at Victoria on the occasion of the which will be able to smelt the ore the opening of the provincial legislature. One cheapest will be those which are located of the most important measures to this where they can secure dheap water power, by a madman, fuller of sound and fury section in the speech is the declaration of where a supply of coke is not too far the intention of the government to assist away, where fluxes are close at hand. in the construction of the railway to con- where the mines are near enough so that nect Kootenay with the coast. Such a the haulage of the ore to the smelter ists. Let us look at the other side. highway is of the greatest importance to will not be too costly. The smelters, too, The facts of the matter are that Mr. the province, as it will form a short line must be up to date and provided with la- James J. Hill, as president of the Great between the coast and the leading mining bor-saving devices. The smelters which section of the province, and the relations can underbid their neighbors by even 25 between the two portions of the province cents per ton on the treight and treatwill become more intimate than they have ment charges will ultimately get the bulk little coal along the line of the Great delegates to the Associated Boards of they have such convenience, we believe J. B. McArthur left for the Boundary

smelter combine has so far been formed in they are using in an endeavor to frighten coal for the dear people. The able presi went of the C.P.R. winks with one eve south belt, it is also true that much of of the companies under the control of the as credulous as children. The claim while he weeps with the other, when he that Mr. James J. Hill, the president of is telling in long interviews of the madone, and it is no wonder, therefore, that idated. These companies include the the Great Northern railway, and the chievalian schemes of Mr. James J. Hill the results have hitherto been discourag- Granby Smelting & Mining company, with Standard Oil trust and other big aggre- and the Standard Oil trust, et al. against gations of American capital have en- the interests of the people of British Cotered into a conspiracy for the purpose lumbia. of stealing from the people of the prov- He who runs may read the duplicity

ince a portion of their birthright, to-wit, which is being displayed in this matter. some of the coal from the almost inex- There is no danger whatever of the coke haustible coal fields of East Kootenay. supply of the smelters or the coal supply They say that if the Mephistophaleon of the citzens running short, but the Hill and the cloven hoofed Standard real matter at issue is the question of cil trust et al, are allowed to carry out whether the people of British Columbia their nefarious schemes to build a road shall have competing railways. The C.P.R. from the United States into East Koot- wishes to prevent this as much as pos enay so as to tap the coal region, sible. For the past three or four years that there will result a shortage in the it has succeeded in having the applica supply of coke and coal and that as a tion of the people of the Boundary counresult the smelters of British Columbia. try for a railway extending into their will be deprived of fuel with which to country from Washington genied, and now smelt ore and will have to shut down it is seeking to prevent the residents

will suffer a set back which it will be ing railway and also wishes to stop them difficult for them to recover from. Then, too, owing to the fact that the Hill railway will carry away nearly all of the is high time that the stoppage of the concoal at present extracted from the gigantic measures of the Crow's Nest fields province will suffer severely from the cold, and through a lack of East Kootenay coal the people will be unable to feed the fires in their factories, and all dary line every few miles there. They our industries will, so to speak, be frozen to death. For these reasons they in the competition that the smelting in are requesting the provincial governwall at the international boundary line to keep these alleged coal robbers out of and signifying less than this does. We have seen the one side of the nic true as painted by these would be alarm-Northern railway, has purchased a num-

and thus the smelting and mining industry of East Kootenay from naving a competfrom finding a market for the coal o which they have such an abundance. It struction of competing railways into this section by false pretences should come to be conducive to the best interests of the people of Eastern Canada, and they may be found crossing the international bounwould be of the utmost benefit to the residents of this portion of Canada, and we must have them. The government cannot afford to stultify itself by further refusing the grant the Great Northern and any other railway that may desire to

come into the Dominion to spend their money among the people for construction and to purchase uor products at the cur-rent rates; in short, the federal authorities should not hesitate even a moment over the matter of granting a charter to the Great Northern for its proposed branch into the East Kootemay coal fields.

"OPEN DOOR" POLICY.

ber of shares in the Crow's Nest Coal The Nelson and Greenwood Boards of company for \$35 per share. There is but Trade have very properly instructed their being of a most important section that been. It will divert the traffic from this of the ores to reduce, and, in time, will Northern railway and that little is of Trade of Southern British Columbia, that there will be no hesitation about district yesterday, to be gone for a west

tent, that nearly every other interest will of the Toronto Star. be merely subservient to it, then they Mr. Cote, known generally as "Hand some Tom," dropped into the Press Gal-lery today. Mr. Cote is an experienced should favor the "closed door" policy and give the C. P. R. the entire country to give the C. P. R. the entire country to newspaper man, and we look up to him caploit in, but if they wish railways to as having a big corner both in beauty be second to the other interests, and to and brains. At present he is French cen be in such a condition that they can be Quebec's birthright-I mean birth rate checked when it is necessary that they -does not suffer. He says the outlook should be, then they (the people) should

in Quebec is passing cheerful. "Families!" exclaims Mr. exclaims Mr. Chote, with come out strongly in favor of the "open an eloquent shrug, "I find them every door" policy, as have the Boards of Trade where-ten, fifteen, twenty-six, twenty of Nelson and Greenwood. The Great Northern should be allowed eight. C'est grand! C'est magnifique! Fo nstance there is that good citizen of o extend its branch into the East Koote-Kamouraska village, the baker Vaillan court, who has had two wives and thir nay coal fields. We want to sell all the ty-seven children. Thirty-three of them live and appear in my book. Twentycoal that we possibly can to the people of the United States. We have more than nine of them are sons. They are al ve can possibly consume and sooner or good Liberals and vote for Mr. Carroll. This is the smash record—what you call later would have to go outside of the province seeking customers. Here are cus- it?-record-smashed."

"Quebec," continued Mr. Cote. "has omers who come to the pit's mouth and tomers who come to the pit's mouth and offer to take a large tonnage per day. will be more. I count them so fast as Cash is offered for the coal, which will be I can, but my pencil is tired. be happy day for me when it is March the Canadian mine owners for profit. In other words, it will bring money into the other words, it will bring money into the province and this is something we cannot afford to keep out even at the request of To him has been only one wife, but. oh. the management of a transcontinental rail- so many pretty children, one at a time way, which says the coal fields are located twins, triples even. Now there are twenty-nine. All alive!"

in "its territory." . . . The people of the Boundary country, algebraical formula to make statistics whose petitions for a competing railway, easy. He will simply raise the Quebec have been refused three times by the birth rate to the n'th power and federal government should not be denied go at that.

when the application which they now have before parliament comes up for 'ac-

We believe that the scales have been lifted from the eyes of the members of the Laurier government. They were deceived by the sophistries of the paid advo- Or it will develop into Chronic Catarrh. cates of the C. P. R. They were sincere in what they thought was a patriotic efin what they thought was a patriotic ef-fort to sustain the C. P. R. and desired Catarrh after one application. Cures to give it what it asked, a free hand in this western country but now that they Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder with best this western country, but now that they this western country, but now that they realize fully the truth of the situation and understand that the people here desire Paulding, O.-9. Sold by Goodeve Bros. outlets so that they may reach a market

Mrs. A. L. Bird and children have ar with some of their products, and fully rived from Tacoma, Wash. Mr. Bird is the manager for the Le Roi Brewing com understand that it is essential to the well

ewer boxes. Alderman Rolt wanted to the proper instruments matic tests were in the fir Alderman Hamilton said ing of the matter at prequirer would put his enqu ing he would answer him Alderman Rolt said that the ability and thoroughne the fire chief and his assi out their duties, but it was fire department to insure ances with which it is I the best possible condition A resolution was then r man Rolt and seconded by Donnell that the fire and appoint a competent man reasonable remuneration amination of the Gamewell port on its present condition

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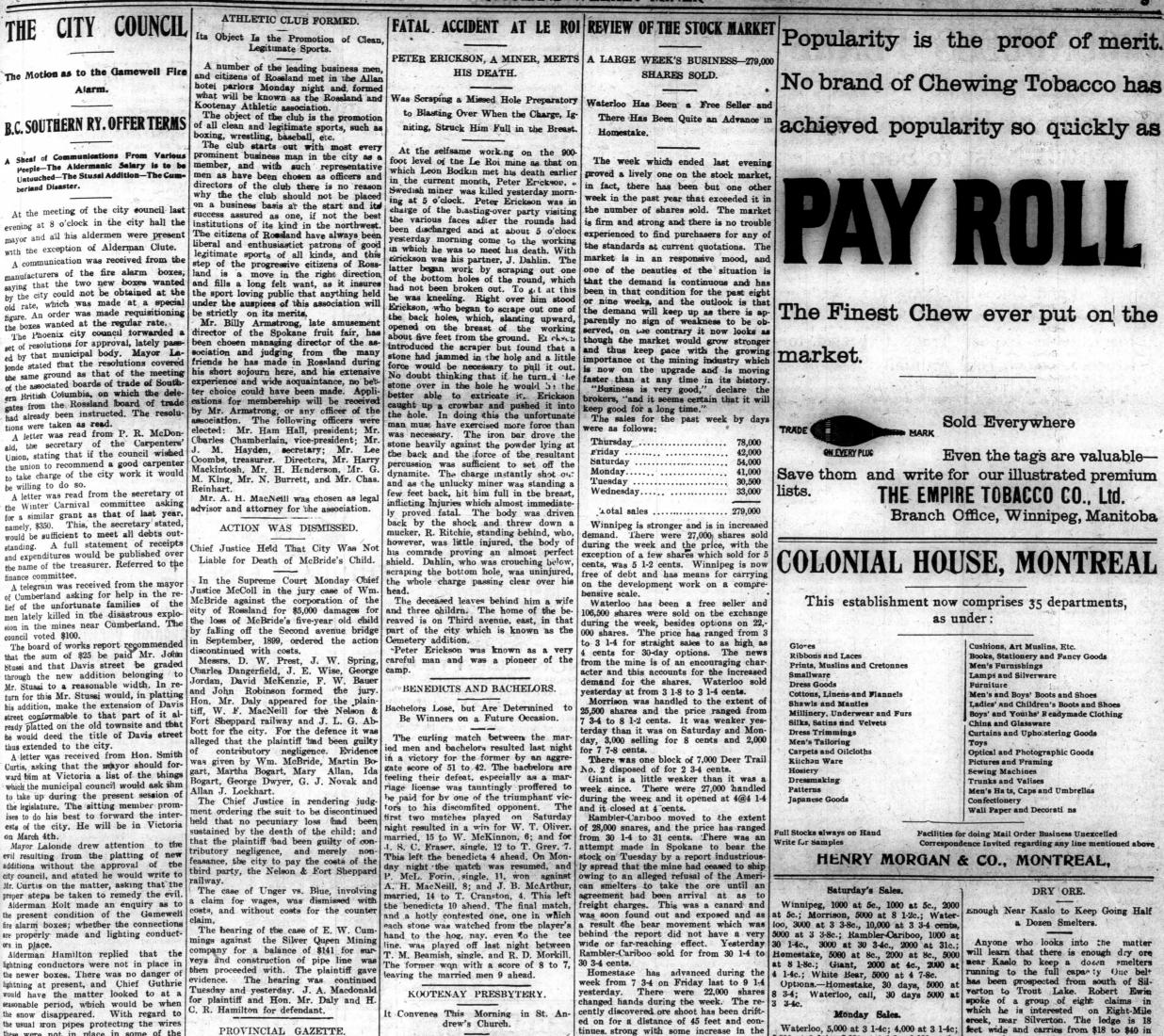
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the usual mon pipes protecting the wires drew's Church. PROVINCIAL GAZETTE these were not in place in some of the The Provincial Gazette, issued yester this morning in St. Andrew's church in boxes. Alderman Rolt wanted to know whether day, contains notice of the appointment of E. J. Scovi' of Peterborough, S. M.. as registrar of the county court of Koote-will occupy at least two days. The fol-arac for 5 3-4 cents. the proper instruments for making automatic tests were in the fire hall. Alderman Hamilton said he knew nothnay; Dr. C. McLean of Victoria, as resi- lowing ministers will be in attendance ing of the matter at present. If the enednt physician at Clayoquot, vice Dr. P. Rev. D. L. Gordon of Fernje, Rev. D. M. quirer would put his enquiries into writ-W. Rolston, resigned. Examination for efficiency in the prac-Reid of Fort Steele. Rev. W. G. Fortune, Cranbrook; Rev. Mr. Gregg, Moyie; Rev. ing he would answer him next week. Alderman Rolt said that he recognized tice of assaying will be held at the la-boratory of the bureau of mines in Vic-Kee. Rev. Dr. Wright, Nelson; Rev. A. the ability and thoroughness with which the fire chief and his assistants carried toria on March 25, and on such follow-D. Menzies, Kaslo; Rev. Mr. Gray, Ainsout their duties, but it was no slur on the ing days as shall be found necessary. Certificates of incorporation have been R. Robertson, Grand Forks; Rev. Mr. fire department to insure that the appliinces with which it is provided are in granted to the Anchor Mining Company, Anderson, Greenwood: Rev. J. Miller. the best possible condition. imited, and the Columbia River Lumber A resolution was then moved by Alder Phoenix; Rev. R. P. Murray, Midway Company, Limited. The Atlin Mining Rev. Henry Young, Ymir; Rev. Mr. man Rolt and seconded by Alderman Mc Company, Limited, and the Carroll's Ques Camp. Rev. Alex. Dunn. Trail: Rev. Hec-Donnell that the fire and light committee nelle River Leases. Limited. have been appoint a competent man at once at a tor McKay, Rossland; Rev. J. G. A. licensed as extra-provincial companies. Colquhoun, Velvet Mine. The moderator, Rev. Mr. Colquhoun, reasonable remuneration to make an ex-The Arrowhead & Kootenay Railway amination of the Gamewell system and rewill take the chair at 10 a. m., when the Presbytery will be constituted for the transaction of buisness. port on its present condition. This was Company will apply to the legislature for an act to extend the time for the carried. completion of the railway mentioned in On the third reading of the council allowance bylaw Alderman Hamilton, who was in the chair at the second reading their act of 1898. John L. Morrish has been appointed Trail Smelter Shipments. attorney of the Velvet (Rossland) Mine, Limited, and the Portland . ([Rossland) and thereby precluded from moving a Following are the ore shipments rereolution, now moved that the amount of ceived at the Trail smelter from the different shipping mines for the week ending February 16th: Mine, Limited, vice James Morrish, the aldermanic remuneration be unaltered Tis amendment was carried unanimously. The bylaw as amended passed its third POLICE COURT Tons. reading. Mine. Uentre Star 1850 Fines Inflicted by the Police Magistrate The mayor drew attention to the fact that the B. C. Southern railway was will-War Eagle 752 1-4 on Disorderly Offenders. ing to arange terms with the city with re-Iron Mask 58 1-4 Four offenders were brought up befor B. C. 602 34 gard to the water rights on Rock creek, Police Magistrate Boutbee on Monday morning charged with being drunk and which would possiby preclude a visit to Sullivan 400 1-4 Victoria by the mayor to oppose the pas-sage of a bill through the legislature deal-
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evidence. The hearing was continued Tuesday and yesterday. J. A. Macdonald for plaintiff and Hon. Mr. Daly and H. C. R. Hamilton for defendant.

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Lieut. Beer of Nelson, yesterday concluded the work of recruiting here for finance committee but did not care be on the special committee the august he final tests were in horsemanship and shooting at the rifle range. Fourteen ap tendered advice, as a solicitor, to the plications were accepted, as follows: T ter people regarding these very rights J. Jones, J. A. Trimm, F. B. Smith, W A creek. The objection was overrul-and on a motion by Alderman Me-mell and seconded by Alderman Rolt committee was appointed as defined. The city solicitor, Mr. J. L. G. Abbott, The city solicitor, Mr. J. L. G. Abbott,

Curtis and Dunsmuir.

Thomas Brownlee of this city is in re-ceipt of a letter from Hon. Smith Curtis giving the quietus to the reports that the latter was to enter the Dunsmuir government. Writing from Toronto

Mr. Henry C. Carr, manager of the John Monahan, one of the pioneers of truth in the rumor that I was to become at the state of the pioneers of Attorney-General. Your letter was the at the Allan. first I ever heard of it."



Nelson, whence all trains in the Koote at 4c; 3,000 at 4 14c. Rambler Cariboo, nays will be despatched James Lawrence. 1,000 at 30 34c; 2,500 at 30 1-2c; 3,000 at tranmaster at the former point, will act 30 3-4c. Sullivan, 10,000 at 30 7-8c; 5,000 as chief train despatcher, with headquar-ters at Nelson. Conductor David McKay 2,000 at 3 1-2c. Total sales, 78,000 shares. has been promoted to the position of as-

sistant train master.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 23.—This is the date fixed for the opening at Dawson of all crown claims and fractions except reservations for compensation. An appli-loo, 4,000 at 3 1.4c; 2,500 at 3 1.4c; 2,000 at 3 1.4c; 2,500 at 3 1.4c; 2,000 at 3 1.4c. Winnipeg, 1,500 at 5 1.2c. Bethune for a charter for the British-Bethune for a charter for the British-Wukon raiway, to run from Dawson to 42.000 at arg. date fixed for the opening at Dawson of all crown claims and fractions except government. Writing from Toronto Mr. Curtis said: "Of course there is no Yukon railway, to run from Dawson to the United States boundary and for branch roads on Klondike creeks.

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Friday's Sales.

30 40 24 13 5 Mining Brokers. Mining Properties Bought and Sold. Up-to-date regarding all stocks in British Columbia and Washington Write or wire 21/4 Columbia Ave. 3% F.J WALKER. SALES. Thursday's Sales. THE REDDIN-JACKSON (O. Winnipeg, 5,000 at 5 1-2c; 1,000 at 5 1-2c; 1,000 at 5 1-2c; 4,000 at 5 1-4c. Waterloo, LIMITED LIABILITY ESTABLISHED MAY 1895 The C. P. R. has announced a number of changes. The despatchers's office at Smelter Junction will be transferred to Smelter Junction will be transferred to MINING AND INVESTMENT P. O. Box 498 Money to Loan on Real Esta

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Yearly payment of \$10 provides insurance against small-pox, diphtheria, typhiod, typhus and searlet fever. Also special probler-Cariboo, 2,000 at 31c; 3,000 at 30 34c; 1,000 at 30 34c; 1,000 at 30 1-2c. Morrivision for injury by accident of disability arising from disease.

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30 1-4c; 2,000 at 30 3-4c. Giant, 1,000 at 3 3-4c; 3,000 at 4c; 5,000 at 4c. Home-stake, 1,000 at 9 1-4c. Winnipeg, 2,000 at 5c; 1,000 at 5 1-2c; Silverton, has the same formation uncov-1,000 at 5 1-2c. Total sales 41,500 shares. Options—Homestake, 30 days, 5,000 at 9 1-2c. 9 1-2c. Tuesday's Sales. Waterloo, 2,000 at 3c; 4,000 at 3 1-4c; 5,000 at 3 1-4c. Homestake, 5,000 at 9 1-4c. Rambler-Cariboo, 1,000 at 30 1-2c; 1,000 at 70 1-4c. Morrison, 10,000 at 9 1-4c. Rambler Cariboo, 1,000 at 9 1-4c. Tout Lake the formation has been pros-Nambler-Carhoo, 1,000 at 30 1-2c; 1,000 at 30 1-4c. Morrison, 10,000 at 8 1-4c. Win-nipeg, 2000 at 5 1-2c; 500 at 5 1-2c. Total sales 30,500 shares. Options-Waterloo, 30 days, 12,000 at 3 3-4c; Homestake, 30 days, 5,000 at 9 1-2c. Wednesday's Sales. Wednesday's Sales.

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DOMINION BUILDING.

Discussion at the Board of Trade-Calgary Stone and Vaults.

An application came before the Board of Trade asking that the stone to be used spon the Rossland government building should be dressed Calgary stone, instead should be dressed calgary stone, instead of the native granite called for by the specifications. Mr. C. O. Lalonde was op-posed to the application on the ground that the government had ever made it a part of its policy to endeavor that build-ing material should come from the dis-Ing material should come from the dis-trict wherein the building was to be erect-ed. Mr. Lalonde concurred with that policy, since the dressing of the native granite would give employment to local labor and the procuring of that granite would yield a revenue to the city.

There was another matter in connec-tion with the building which is to serve for a postoffice, and that is that there was no provision made in the specifica-tions for safety vaults. All that had been provided were safes. These did not nearly provided were sales. These did not nearly serve the same purpose, and as there was a large amount of stamps and regis-tered letters passing through the post-office, besides other securities which would have to be stored in the building, the Board of Trade determined to ap-proach the government on the matter and write letters about the same to the de-martment and to the member for the side partment and to the member for this rid-ing, Mr. W. A. Galliber.

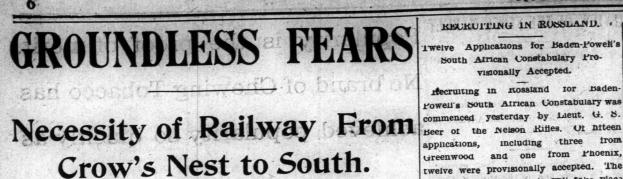
Granby Smelter.

Grand Forks, B. C., Feb. 26 .- The ore receipts at the Granby smelter for the week ending Saturday amounted to 4,453 tons

Claims Open in Dawson.







Ample Coal and Coke for Domestic Needs--Reserves Available are Unlimited and Incalculable--Export Trade Expected to Reach 2,000,000 Tons Annually.

IRREFUTABLE

view appears in this morning's issue of kets within reach to take. the Toronto Globe. It will be read with great interest by the people of the Pacific provinces. Mr. Elias Rogers, managing director of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company and one of the applicants for the Crow's Nest Southern railway er he expected the charter to be grani.ed or not, said: "I fail to see any possible the Crow's Nest coal fields to the boundary. It goes without saying that the interests of the whole country demands that everything possible shall be done to promote and extend our trade and commerce. Our boards of trade all over the country are organized for this very. pur-Our governments, both provincia and Dominion, have been subsidizing rail- that ways, building canals and spending enorsums of money for the purpose of providing railway facilities that will pro- on that point, we have no intention of mote our trade with other countries. "There is an universal cry for the cheap-

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est possible transportation for wheat and farm products as well as for manufactured articles. Why then? Because we have a surplus of these products over what is required for home consumption. We want to make the conditions as favorable as possible to enable ue to meet the competition we find abroad. The coal and the proposed railroad is just a parallel case. We have an unlimited supply of coal in the Cros's Nest Pass district and we want to obtain sale for as much of it as possible.

"According to the general reports there are about 250,000 acres of -land and a number of workable coal seams, aggregating 150 feet in thickness. Supposing there are only 200,000 acres, aggregating 100 feet in thickness, there would be 200,000,000 tons of coal, which at 4,000,000 tons per year would last just 5,000 years; or supposing we cut the quantity in two again it would last half that length of time, or

"That is probably as far as there is any occasion of our looking ahead at pres-ent. The British Cilumbia market cannot the British Columbia government from at present.

Ottawa, Feb. 23 .- (Special.)-An inter- about double what we expect all the ma "Will the government refuse to gran

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the charter?" "Under such circumstances I think not and this one cannot be recused. The C. P. R. is naturally jealous of any other railway coming into their territory, and they will oppose the charter. They on it as a matter of business on their charter, being asked by a reporter wheth- part in the interests of their company to keep any other road out. I think, myself that is a mistaken policy in this case, an least. The interest of the Crow's grounds on which any government could Nest Pass Coal company are identical refuse to give a charter for a railway from with regard to the building up of British volumbia and British Columbia industries, and we are anxious to co-operate with -extent for

them to the fulles' possible that purpose." "We are prepared to enter into contracts with responsible people to supply both coal and coke in any quantity may be desired for British Columbia so British Columbia interests can the absolutely protected so far as the supply is concerned. If any one has any fear attempting to divert trade from the Can- raher than to have the provincial gov adian Pacific which they now have, or cah get. The business we are after is gation is to be sent to the legislature entirely new business to Canada. It is a immediately. The intention is to make trade now supplied from other sources

sources for some time to come. But are favorable circumstances just there now which place it within our reach it we can promptly make the right connections. If we don't, certain combinations will be formed which will permanently anchor the trade to other coal fields, and

it will be a long time before Western Canada will have an opportunity so fav-orable as at the present for building up a large export trade of such immer value to the country at large. If we succeed in securing the market in question, the Canadian Pacific will certainly of . the pront from the development country which will result and the carriage of supplies for the district.

"We expect to have an export trade to the United States within five years of This

at least 2,000,000 tons per year. will mean an enormous direct revenue to reasonably be expected to take over half royalty. That government is now deriv-a million tons per year from this coal ing a revenue of about \$100 a day from field for a long while to come. That our present operations. It will also mean

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RECRUITING IN ROSSLAND. IT'S A WORKING AGREEMENT.

South African Constabulary Provisionally Accepted.

recruiting in Rossland for Baden Yowell's South African Constabulary was applications, including three irom Greenwood and one from Phoenix, riding and shooting tests will take place Monday. Uttawa will be the rendezy The medical examining officer is Dr. nennedy of Fort Macleod, N.W.T., of the Northwest Mounted tormerly The minimum chest measure Police. nent and neight requiréd of applicants are thirty-tour inches and five teet six inches respectively. The pay is five shillings per day, the period of enlistment for three years. Discharges may being be purchased in the first, second and

third years for \$100, \$75 and \$50 respecively

Lieut. Beer, who expects to enlist in the force, is stopping at the Allan. He stated that the majority of the local candidates are of good physique, but few of them have had any military training. On Monday it is proposed to submit them to the riding test, and a shooting test at the rifle range. Lieut. Beer will also receive enlistments at Nelson and Fort Steele. The successful Greenwood applicants were W. S. Keith, M. E., formerly editor

of the Greenwood Miner; F. B. Smith ormerly of the Jewel mine, and John Trimm, The Phoenix applicant, Jones. late of the Imperial army and saw service in India.

TRAIL IS TO INCORPORATE.

Delegation From There Yesterday Seeking Information.

Trail is about to incorporate. Yestertay Mr. D. B. Stevens and Captain W Davitt, representing the board of trade of Trail, were in this city seeking point ers on municipal government. Accompanied by Mr. John S. Clute, the solicitor for those seeking corporation in Trail, they interviewed Mayor Lalonde and ex-Mayor Goodeve. From these

two gentlemen they gained considerable information concerning the running of cities. Trail, they said, is now a pros perous town of 2,000 people and the resitents there teel that they would like to spend the money taken in in the city ernment disburse it for them. A dele the bill incorporating the town a gov and which can be supplied from other ernment measure in order to expedite its Dassage

BELATED SORTS.

Results of the Postponed Events From the Carnival.

Three events which it was impossibl to bring off last week during the reign of owing to the unsuitable tne Carnival, condition of the snow and ice were fin ished yesterday. These were the ski jump for boys, the fancy skating championship and the Consolation cup for the curlers The first was won by H. B. Boultbee with a jump of 14 feet, with A. Lockhar second, jumping 13 feet. There were sev eral other entries but the lads were unable to keep their feet. The course was on Spokane street between First and Sec-

and avenues. The fancy skating contest which came off in the evening at the rink won by G. Leighton of the Royal Bank and the second prize was secured by A. Lockhart. The Consolation cup was won by J. S.-C. Fraser 12, vs. T. M. Beamish 11. The amount is nearly double what it can take a wage pay roll of at least \$10,000 per at present. "What about the statement made in will be drawn from all parts of Canada, "What about the statement made in will be drawn from all parts of Canada, "Beamish 11. The names of the successful rink were J. Dun-lop, R. C. Dickson, P. McL. Forin and lop, R. C. Dickson, P. McL. Forin and he rink fully Fraser.

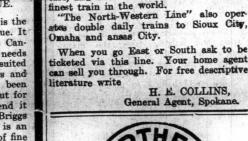
NORTH WESTERN weive Applications for Baden-Powell's A Telegraph and a Telephone Company Enter Into a Combine. Mr. F. E. Michaels, superintendent of the Spokane-Northern Telegraph com-pany, is in the city on an official visit. He was asked how the combination be-

tween the Spokane-Northern Telegraph company and the Columbia Telephone and Telegraph company was progressing. It was his understanding of the matter that the idea of the combine between the two Four Fine Fast Trains Each Way tweive were provisionally accepted. The corporations was so that each would be of mutual benefit to the other. For instance, one office man could do the office work of both companies and this would affect a saving. The poles of one company could be use by the other, which would a saving. also be economical, as one pole line could easily carry the wires of both companies. One is not the rival of the other in husiness. There is to be no actual merg-EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR ing of the two corporations, but rather a working arrangement which will be mutually beneficial.

A HELPFUL CATALOGUE.

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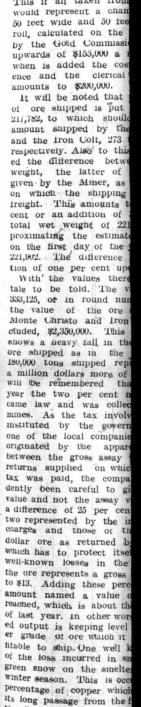
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GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Crow's Nest Coal company cannot sup-the British Columbia demand?" asked so universally beneficial to a country as the Crow's ply the Britis the reporter.

said Mr. Rogers, "there is noth-"Oh. ing in that. The woods are full of that the last stage of perfection before being kind of thing. It is all inspired from in-terested sources. That is a part of the on them in the country and there is The Lethbridge opposition campaign. The Lethbridge coal is a good coal and for some purposes it is preferred to Crow's Nest coal. It has always gone into that market since the railway was first opened and will un-doubtedly continue to go there for the next ten years and these mines can be into the country in return for coal ex-next ten years and these mines can be o the capacity I have mention-two years. ed, within two years.

"Our present arrangements contemplate. own seven-tenths of the stock of the expenditure of \$835.000 during the coman expenditure of \$835,000 during the com-ing summer. If twe secure a direct entrance into the American market as pro- respect, but it matters very little whethposed in the railway charter we are ask- er the mines are owned by Canadians or for, long before the railway can be Americans. The coal cannot be taken completed we will be able to turn out out of the country without the labor more than double what the Canadian mar- being expended in the country and that is where the great profit to the country kett can take.

We have the money and the moment at large is found. Canadian may own we secure a charter, brick, coke ovens, and operate the mines in the United line buildings, plant, etc., we will go States, and may derive profit from his at once with the construction of at least investments, but the percentage of profit additional houses. This is a small is small and amounts to nothing in com town iteself and means over 2,000 people, parison with the amount of money disthe houses will take in miners tributed in producing the coal.

as many of ""There is no state in the union that boarders. We are asking for no subady and no favors of any kind, simply would not welcome the investment of the right to build a railway with our own Canadian capital in coal mining. money for the purpose of creating an ex- have been importing coal from the port trade, which will bring millions of United States for many years, giving llars into the country. Was a railway them our good money, and we charter ever refused in any country? Be continue to import, for we in Ontario sides, it is quite possible that there has have no other sources of supply within reach. The Western States of the of Crow's Nest coal reach acornity from the fact that we had an accident United States are not dependent on the to our power engines at the Coal creek mines and were very much delayed, un- althouth we may be able to compete suctil we got a new engone installed a few days ago. That delay was only temporcessfully for that trade. Will any one deny us the opportunity? I cannot my-Will any one ary and we are now every day making self conceive it possible." e room and increasing our output

When we have the coal and the condi tions, as we find them in the Crow's Nes

Pass, it is only a question of time that Mr. Rowland Machin, general agent for money and men to develop mines to any capacity that may be required. The comoperations are already so far ad-Eng., manufacturers of Crown Brand pany' vanced that we are at present able to fuse, is in the city on a business visit. turn out over 1,400 tons per day at the Coal creek mines alone, which will be more than doubled within in year. We Mr. Machin reports that business in Rossland ahs been exceedingly satisfactory. That from Alaska to Montana and have a large new plant nearing compleclear through the province of British Columbia he has met with gratifying tion at Michael, twenty-four miles from where mine dev. lonment work is results. The demand for Bennett fuse going on and some coal is now being is growing by leaps and bounds all over the world and realizing this his firm shipped and where there will ultimately be a capacity of over 5,000 ions per day contemplate putting in a branch factory We also purpose opening mines at another at Johannesberg immediately and it is point with a capacity of at least 5,000 within the range of probabilities that a When,fully developed these tons per day. will have a maximum capacity of factory may be put up in Canada.

ern papers to the effect that Lethbridge "The farmer, the rancher, the miller, the cup. They got into the semi-finals in coal is now going to that market because the merchant and the manufacturer will one event, the Walkerville, and played in the second round in every other case.

> The Tammany Group. coal mining and coke for export trade The coal and coke are both brought to Mr. W. E. Pickering of Saginaw,

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Bennett Fuse in Demand.

Mich., is in the city. He is one of the nothing further to be done with them but to consume them. Not so with logs not so with lumber, not so with pulp, resuming work upon them. with wheat, with wool and many pro

A SMALL FIRE.

out a Family Was Homeless Last Even ing-Little Was Saved.

An alarm of fire was sent in at 7:32 o'clock last evening and and the fire brigade was soon upon the scene. The building was a board and batten home belonging to J. Gibson, a miner, work-ing at the Le Roi, situated on the south ast corner of Columbia avenue and Nevada street. How the fire originated is It was thought that a lamp not kn exploded in the bedroom while the ma of the house was in the kitchen. All ef-forts to extinguish the fire proved to be useless and little was saved from the ruins. All the portable belongings were thrown out as quickly as possible given room at a neighbor's house. The damage done is not known acculately, out- it will probably run into several

hundred dollars. Back Yards.

With the approach of the disappearance of the beautiful, many unsightly and un sanitary back yards may be revealed through the carelessness of house occupi-Grow's Nest Pass for their coal supply, ers throwing the household waste into the snow behind their dwellings. Under orders from the health officers Sanitary Inspector Thomas Long and his myrmidons will presently begin their annual inquisi-

ons, as an unsanitary condition of the city, tending to the developmet of typhoid fever, cannot be permitted. Spring cleaners are therefore requsted to look into Wm. Bennett, Sons & Co. of Camborne, the condition of the outside ot their houses as well as within.

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THURSDAY Febraury 28, 1901 ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER					
WORK OF THE YEAR		Douglas. Average number of men employed, 4 tunnelling, 480 feet.	WAR EAGLE FIRE BOYS DANCI	a second s	pers and others are rapidly blocking ou stoping groundLedge.
	Total 217,782 Gross Value	Northern Belle.	WAS GIVEN IN MINERS' UNION	The Position of the City With Regard to Rock and Murphy Creeks.	Neven Years in Bed.
An Increasing Number of Men Em-	DETAILED STATEMENT.	Number of men employed, 5. Develop ment-Crosscutting, 315 feet; drifting	TATT	As there is some interest attached a	"Will wonders never cease?" inquire the
ployed.	Le Roi Mine. Tons of ore shipped (dry) 159,73		0	the present moment to the water right	Kan They know the had have mall
- the second sec	Gross value \$1 427 79	8	▲ very Successful Ball-Everybody En-	ment of various industries, a short re-	to leave her bed in seven years on ac dount of kidney and liver trouble, nervous
FFICIAL MINING STATISTICS	Average number of men employed 655,2 Underground	Ure shipped, 506 tons; gross value	joyed Themselves Immensely-Dancing	sume of the facts of the case, and the lit- igation to date is here presented.	prostration and general debility; but
	Surface	velopment work, 300 feet. Machinery		The first water rights taken out on	"Three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three
nat Has Been Done in the Various flines	Development. Driving 2061 for	consisting of an air compressor. 50 H.P.		by the Trail smelter. The next taken	months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from Hearlache Backache Nerv
Throughout the Past Year-Gross Value of	Development. Raising	pumps, three machine drills, 50-ton ore	the difference. The dance given last night	out were those of the city. Now it is	ousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy Faint-
the Output as Compared with Assay Val- ues -Other Notes.	Additions to plant: Total value of plant and surface improvements \$378,2407 90.	bins. Cost of plant detailed, \$10,000. Big Four Group.	may be drue ordinarily, but when the right crowd come along the day makes lit-	poration which has the right to hold wa-	ing and Dizzy Spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaran-
	Additions for this year consist of One	Consists of a group of four grown grant.	Friday is a bad day an the week unon.	corporation, even if it secures an undoubt-	teed. T. R. Morrow and Goodeve Bros. Price 50 cents.
he following is presented as the offi-	40-drill air compressor, one hoist engine steam operating, one electric hoist en	ed claims, situated on Little Sheep creek.	The second among dancing circles that	ed right, can neither sell it nor give it away. It must also use it if it is to re-	the second
statistics as to theamount of min-	gine, nine boilers; crushing and sampling machinery.	consists of 300 feet of tunnel and shaft	by the fire brigade of the War Lagle asu Gentre Star was dustinctly a success in	tain its right. The rights of the Trail	INIT THIS DAFFIER
done in the camp for the year 1900 doing to the figures submitted by	Additions to compressor building: New	five men being employed. Gertrude.	every sense of the word. It could not fail	smelter were used as to Rock creek, but not as to Murphy creek. Consequently,	DUCIUNS DAIILLU
various mining companies to the	boiler house for 12 boilers, 38x140 feet; three new ore bins, 1,000 tons holding	This property was worked for a short	of being a success with so jovial and bearty hosts as were to be seen on every	the grant of the water right to Murphy	이 이 같은 것 같
Commissioner, Mr. John Kirkup,	capacity; aerial tramway, capacity, 100 tons per hour; new head frame, 100 feet	time during the early part of the year.	part of the hoor seeing that every maie guest and his duty and allowed no tady	creek given to the Trail smelter was can- celled by the lieutenant governor in coun-	A CASE OF SCIATICA WHICH RE-
has collected and submitted the at- ed report to the Minister of Mines.	high; hoist engine room; crushing and	Bonanza Group.	to sit out a dance when she would have	cil. Hence, the city has the first right to the waters of Murphy creek, but, pri-	FUSED TO YIELD TO THEIR
report shows that there has been	sampling mill, 100 tons per hour; timber and timber framing shed and carpenter	Hane Day of the Donanza No. 5, Our		ma facle, its title to Rock creek comes	TREATMENT.
tal of 218,000 dry tons dry weight	shop; blacksmith and machine shops and storehouse.	nope Fraction mineral claims. A very	friends the floor was well occupied from	second to that of the Trail smelter, which is still using that water and has always	The Patient Spent Nearly Three Months
ed during the year, of a gross er return value of \$2,350,000. There	ROSSLAND GREAT WESTERN MINES	promising group, situate on Iron Creek	music came up in excellence of perform-	done so. The possession of this water may be vital to the industry. However,	in a Hospital Without Getting Relief.
upwards of nine shipping mines	(LIMITED.)	property is being worked by the Ross	went went the houses. Went timed, went	there is a doubt as to the title. It is	Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored Him
in the report, two, the Iron Colt the Monte Christo not having been	Nickel Plate Mine.	Company, Ltd., non-pers mal hability and	measures, the very genus of dancing	possibly for this reason that the C.P.R. is endeavoring to secure the passage of a	to Health and Strength.
ed. Twenty-five working mines are	Tons of ore shipped, nil; average num- ber of men employed, 113; underground,			bill this session through the provincial	all
the smaller properties, of which	82; surface employees, 31. Development. Shafting (raising third	of tunnel work has been done on the Bonanza No. 3.	Graham's quintette and was much appreci-	legislature confirming the right to Rock creek and incidentally to Murphy creek.	For upwards of a quarter of a century
number 524, representing a money	compartment / alongside working shaft	Cascade Group.	Down in the corner of the hall, draped	The case stood in this position until last summer, when the War Eagle and	Mr. George McLean has been a resident of the town of Thorold. He is foreman
Very nearly seven miles of under-	making it a three compartment shaft, 268 feet; development, sinking shaft, three	alaima annaiti di G		Centre Star applied for rights upon these	in the lumber yards of McCleary & Mc-
g 6.000 teet of sinking and raising	driving 1900 feet: development,	nia and Royal Kangaroo, situate on Gren-	supper itself was served by that mall	creeks. The permission to apply was granted. Almost immediately afterward	Lean, and is known not only to the citi-
			Known caterer, Jack Lucas, at the Koote-	the Le Roi company made a similar an-	zens of the town, but by most of the inhabitants of the adjoining region as
sented by the tonnage shipped	improvements \$67 210 cc	feet of tunnel work was done. The prop-	of the dance that after support many than	plication, including Sheep creek. While these applications were pending the B.C.	well. Many of Mr. McLean's friends
if all taken from the same place,	A new hoist engine has been added to the plant and the surface improvements		half the guests reassembled in the sna-	Southern railway, another name for the	know that he was afflicted with a severe
t wide and 50 feet high. The pay-	have had the following additions made:	ited, of Kossland.	there were at least 150 courses present	permission to apply for the water mights	type of sciatica, and know also that he has been released from the pages of that
Gold Commissioner's report. is	New hoist engine building; head frame and ore bins; new brick compressor	m n a h ar i h	at so late an hour as 1:30 o'clock in the morning there were quite 60 ladies gracing	application was avayedly for industrial	excruciating trouble. Believeing that his
is of \$155,000 a month, to which, is added the cost of superintend-	building.	Mineral claims recorded	the hall. The hosts were aided in their	purposes. The others were for mining	story would be of public interest, a re- porter called upon him and asked him to
and the clerical labor involved,	KOOTENAY MINING COMPANY.	Placer claims recorded.	merous company by the Rossland fire brig-	were made before (fold Commissioner	what agency he attributed his fortunate
its to \$200,000. The noted that the gross amount	Kootenay Mine. Tons of ore shipped, nil; average num-	Certificates of work	uniforms.	last was made to the deputy commission-	tating reply was: "Dr. Williams' Pink
e shipped is put in the report at		Certificates of improvements	The ball was given on Washington's	er of lands and works at Nelson. A'	either." Mr. McLean continued: "I was
to which should be added the shipped by the Monte Christo	26.33; surface, 8.67. Dvelopment.	Abandonments 4	puy chosen by the War Eagle and Centre	applications at Rossland were pending.	afflicted with sciatica for a number of
the Iron Colt, 273 tons and 80 tons	Shafting, 466 feett: driving, 474 feet.	Miner's Certificates, personal 1,337	dance. The last given by the men on	The War Eagle and Centre Star apparent- ly were not aware that the application	number of years and when I was sonf-
e amerence between ary and wet	alsing 299 feet. crossoutting on fact.	Miner's Certificates, companies 60	the hill was during March of the past year	was pending at Nelson, and applied to	fened horribly with the trouble and the
the latter of which is always (cotal value of plant, \$22,066.62. Additions consist of new compressor building and	A loss of the second	War Eagle and Centre Star people will	have. it set aside. It is this appeal that	
nich the shipping companies pay i	oundations.		not be so backward henceforward in show- ing their good qualities as hosts, the more	siutang nere.	ed. I could not put my left foot on the
This amounts to about 1.35 per r an addition of 3,000 tons, or a	· LE ROI NO. 2 (LIMITED).	There is little work going on over the streets of the city just at present. Prac-	especially as they play the part so well.	In the meantime the original applica- tion of the War Eagle and Centre Star	
vet weight of 221,135, closely ap-	Josie Mine.	tically all that is being done is the filling	towards the establishment of a sympasium	name up before light Change it is	
ating the estimate of the Miner e first day of the year, which was	Tons of ore shipped (dry), Josie and No. 1 combined, 3,013.43; gross value,	and Queen streets with the earth eyes-	so that guests from the city wending their	ern. It was disallowed on the ground	er. I was in the hospital nearly three
. The difference is a small frac-	46,239.06; average number of men 47.	vated in the grading of Washington street	way up the 300 and odd steps to the domi-	wholly mining, and because, it was held.	months, but without being cured. Then returned home very much discouraged.
h the values there is a different	Development	Mountain depot. One of the first things	more worthily received. Altogether the	wo companies could not apply together	next tried electricity, but it had no perceptible effect. I also tried a number
o be told. The values show \$2,- b, or in round numbers, including	Raising third compartment alongside	to be done will be the grading of Davis street south through the new addition	lated on the number of the find	old commissioner has been appealed	of advertised medicines, but with no bet-
value of the ore shipped by the	contring shaft 447 fact 11 1 f	platted	the success attendant on their own efforts	next session of the Supreme court Mean-	er results. Finally I was urged to try r. Williams' Pink Pills, and as I was
1, \$2,350,000. This at first sight f	eet; driving, 1,940 feet; raising, 107 feet;	A Roaring, Raging Flood.	to make an evening pass pleasantly.	while the ground of the companies in, v	villing to try anything that offered hope f a cure, I got several boxes. I had been
a neavy fall in the value of the value of the value of the value of the previous year,	vinzing, 141 feet; crosscutting, 917 feet. Additions to plant consist of electric	Washed down a telegraph line which		usion was cut away by the refusal of "	sing the pills nearly a month before I
tons shipped represented nearly h	oist engine. Surface improvements con-	Charles C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to re-	reaction of the machinery bet op at.		ound much relief, but from that on my ecovery. was rapid, and in the course of
on dollars more of gross value. It s e remembered that during the o	ist of gravity tramway to railway and re bins in connection with No. 1 mine.	pair. "Standing waist deep in icy water,"		isted upon.	few months I was as well as ever I
he two per cent mineral tax be-	No. 1 Mine.	cough. I grew worse daily Winelly the	One of the most successful and satis- factory pieces of mill building that has n	ow to win the present fight and that	ad been. I am now a strong, healthy nan, and although I have since endured
As the tax involved a law suit a	a number of men 45, underground	and Omaha said I had Consumption and J	yet been accomplished in the Slocan is a	gainst the decision of Mr. Kirkup.and	nuch exposure, I have had no return of he trouble, and feel that my cure is per-
ted by the government against 3 the local companies, which was	0.59; surface employees, 14.41.	could not live. Then I began using Dr.	the Highland mill at Ainsworth camp, in a large amount of credit for which must in	terim record subject to the matter in	anent. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills certainl
ted by the apparent difference	Development.	cured by six bottles." Positively guaran-	be given J. A. Kelly, formerly of this th	The le Rei employed p	roved a blessing in my case, and I shall raise them when opportunity offers."
supplied on which the mineral	aising, 249 feet; winzing, 86 feet; cross-	and Lung troubles by Goodeve Bros and	on mill and machinery installed for 100 co	ome un before Mr. Kirkup on Keb 20	Rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, martial
is paid, the companies have evi-		I. R. Morrow. Price 50c.	machinery could be put in at any time at	as not approached, as the applicants are ad	aralysis, locomotor ataxia, nervous head- the, nervous prostration, and diseases
nd not the assay value. There is a	nd plant for Josie and No. 1 mine,	THE LOGT	and the capacity of the mill increased to the	on If the Le Kor is successful it also	epending upon humors in the blood, such scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc., all
ence of 25 new cent between the	Additions to plant consist of: An elec-	A Pleasant and Well Attended Social B	mill was started about the middle of last to	ill merely have an interim record subject di	sappear before a fair treatment with Dr.
and those or the rennery. 1en th	ic hoist engine.	Given in Odd Fellows' Hall	september and was running in full blast	On the other hand, if the bill before gl	Williams' Pink Pills. They give a healthy own to pale and sallow complexions. Sold
ore as returned by the smelter !	ame, hoist, engine room, ore bins and	A social was given by the Independent	water was turned on and the machinery	he legislature passes through the house, by	7 all dealers and post paid at 50c a box six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing the
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Now as half of the lodge that on next Thursday Iron Mask Mine. per is the vehicle in which the gold a sliver is carried, the drops of molten per uniting with the gold and silver \$43,177.61; average number of men em-Odd Fellows' hall. evening there would be an initiation nd silver is carried, the drops of molten DAILY KEST ROUTE esent in quite small quantities, the ployed, 33; development work, 2,124 feet. Refreshments were the concluding fea-Presence of copper, but also that of more precious metals combined mancally with it. This is of course One instance of course Manually with it. This is of course New St. Elmo. Tons of ore shipped, nil; number of men employed, 6 to 12; development work, 1,912 feet. Presence of the green denotes not only the presence of copper, but also that of Tons of ore shipped, nil; number of use, Lewister, ines, Portland, iek Gold Mines uth. Ouly line nver. rone and other California. at one instance of many. FOUL BREATH. 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L. ore shipments being as follows: tage of water per-Number of men employed, 11; ore ship-ped, 500 tons; gross value, \$39,800; tun-Tons rther information N. System or at O. tiful book. nels and raises, 480 feet. e avenue, Spo War Eagle..... Spitzee. Centre Star... 40,875 General Agent. Ore shipped, 155 tons; gross value, \$2,635; average number of men employed, ron Mask 2,765 Evening Star... rtland, Oregon. Giant... 6; shaft, 50 feet. 506

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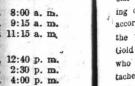
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tons of ore per day, is without crowd-ing, putting through from 125 to 130 tons of ore, and is saving over 90 per cent of Returns to Their Shareholders the values. Working one shift, in the first 19 days' run the mill produced 225 tons Returns to Their Shareholders. past been the accountant at the Royal Bank, has been appointed to a like capacity

It is interesting to know that of the with the branch of the Royal Bank in Re-29 British Columbia mines that have public, and will assume the duties of the of clean concentrates, and has proved itself the biggest kind of a success. It paid dividends all but seven are Slocan position within a few days. Mr. Craig has properties. And it is of further interest made a good impression among the pat-to note that of all the Slocan mines that is connected with the mine by a single rope tramway and with the wharf, which belongs to the company, by a gravity tramway, and is able to load directly on have paid dividends few if any will be stay in this city, and considerable regret off the shipping list this year. Of the is expressed over his departure.

to barges from their ore bins. The ma-chinery with which it is equipped con-sists of one Gates crusher, three sets of \$6,487,000 paid to date, nearly \$4,000,000 has been paid by mines in the Slocan proper. 'libore are a few properties rolls, five trummels, seven jigs and six Whifley tables, all driven by water pow-

owned by close corporations from whom the profits of their mines cannot be learned, but otherwise the following is will be held tomorrow. Many nominal Whifley tables, all driven by water pow-er, of which there is an abundance. The erection of this successful mill is a good thing for the Ainsworth camp, reflects a complete list of the dividends paid by support mines of this province since mining attend. supporters of the government refuse to credit on all connected with it from the

general manager to the cook, and shows that when in competent hands and under commenced: Slocan Mines-

proper management the mining and milling industry of the Slocan can be made a big success.-Silvertonian.

WATER RATES.

Adjustment Scheme Is Laid Before the Fire, Water and Light Committee. An adjustment scheme for the water mestic purposes of \$2 a month, which is

subject to a discount of 25 per cent. to all persons who will meet the rates promptper month. Baths will be charged extra, 50 cents, and so will water used

supplied and a reduction made on the rate at present charged will be to some degree offset by the rent on the meters. There will be an endeavor made to meet those cases where persons are not paying their full rates to the city so that the charges will fall more equitably on all. Because of the great amount of work

that the department is called upon this year to perform in the way of putting in new services and of completing the pres-ent system and placing it in a condition of thorough and systematic efficiency, there is no hope of making any material reduc-tion in the rates. This will be all finish

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2.532.000 The placer mines are not included the above list. It is certain that in a short time there will be added to this tion in the rates. This will be all finished ed, or nearly so, at the end of the year, and it is then hoped that a material re-duction in the prices charged will be able to be made.

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Ministerial Bolters at Victoria.

FOR THE GARDEN. Our new, large Illustrated seed catalogue is just out. It is better suited to Canadian Gardens than any other catalogue. For 10c we will send the catalogue with our new Steele-Briggs Evergreen Cu-cumber, and our Briggs Early Blood Turnip Beet-two seed packets for the garden, of very fine novelties which we have tested. Both are of excellent flavor. THE STEELE-BRIGGS SEED CO., Limited, TORONTO, Canada's Greatest Seed House. European plan, \$1 to \$2. American, \$2 to \$8 HOTEL GRAND THOS. GUINEAN, Prop. Newly Furnished and Equipped With AN Modern Improvements. Cor. Howard St. Spokane, Wash.



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ROSSLAND WEEKLY MINER

THURSDAY February 28, 1901

for the entertainment of the deleates to COAST-KOOTENAY R'Y SURVEY meeting of the Ass Trade of Eastern British Columbia to be held here on the 28th inst. At the quar-

MANN & MACKENZIE'S OUTFIT PASSES THROUGH ROSSLAND.

Work to Be Commenced Immediately in the Boundary Country-The Route From Vancouver and Jim Hill's Connection With the Enterprise.

A Mann & Mackenzie railway survey

party passed through Rossland yesterday

en route for the Boundary district for the

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terly meeting of the Greenwood Board of Trade, Duncan Ross and H. C. Shaw were elected delegates to the Associated meeting. President U. Scott Galloway is ex-officio a delegate. W. M. Law and D. C. McRae were elected alternates. The board also declared for free trade in railways, and for the formation of a county including Grand Forks, Kettle River and

Osoyoosm ining divisions. On the even-ing of March 1st, a banquet will be tendered the delegates, as also in recogni-tion of the formal blowing in of the purpose of commencing the survey of the are expected to be present. Arrangeproposed Coast-Kootenay railway. G. G. ments are also being made so that those McCartby of Toronto, was in charge and attending the convention may see the his assistants are W. J. Bessett, Howard two local smelters and some of the neardize railways. his assistants are W. J. Bessett, Howard by mines. Mayor Jakes has appointed Hill, St. Paul, Minn., Jas. H. Kennedy, the following to arrange for the recep-St. Thomas, Ont., and J. G. Taylor, Montreal. The surveyors, who carried C. Scott Galloway, W. G. Gaunce, F. J. Finucane, James Anderson, J. W. Smythe, D. A. Banerman, Robert Wood and Duncan McIntosh.

in from Spokane Monday, stopping over The annual reunion and "blow out" night at the Allan House and leaving of the old timers of the Kettle River, yesterday morning by rail for the Boun-Boundary and Okanogan will be held at Camp McKinney on August 1st. Hughie lameron, mine host of the McKinney

According to a paragraph in the Speed According to a paragraph in one Speech from the Throne on the occasion of the opening of parliament at Victoria last week, the government will introduce a measure this session providing for a sub-sidy of \$8,000 per mile in aid of the pro-Hotel is to provide the banquet and the turn out will be a big one. Gilbert Mahon, manager of the Jewel mine, in Long Lake camp, Boundary dis-trict, will probably leave for England posed enterprise. It is understood to be the intention of the promoters to seek shortly, to confer with the management there of the Jewel Mines, Limited, as additional grant from the Dominion the installation of a suitable plant for the treatment of the ore and the resumption The western terminal of the Coast-Kootenay railway will be Vancouver.

of an active policy of development of the mine, which is regarded as about the most promising gold-quartz property in the district. About 2,500 feet of work The route wil extend through the valley the Hope nountains, traverse the Similkameen and have already been done in underground development and a large quantity of ore has been blocked out ready for stoping. Okanogan districts and a portion of the district. Considerable speculation is being indulged in respecting the eastern terminus of the road. Both Cas-Mr. Mahon has taken an option for one-half interest in the Denoro Grande, n the same camp, for \$25,000. cade and Midway, points in the Boundary district on the international fron

IN BOUNDARY.

News of the Mines Development

Shippers.

it forms a connection with some other line in order to handle through traffic; Greenwood, B. C., Feb. 22.-(Special.)that Jim Hill of the Great Northern has pervnty-five thousand dollars is to be exan understanding with Mann & Mackenpended by the Dominion Copper Company zie is also apparent. The simple circumstance that the surveyors travelled a the purchase of additional machinery to equip the company's properties in Phoenix camp. The Bradley Engineering & Machimery company of Spokane has se-mred a contract for a large quantity of west on passes issued by the Great Northern tells its own story; moeover Howard Hill, a member of the outfit is stated to be a relative of the president machinery. For the Brooklyn and Stem-wander mines a double 12x16 geared fric-tion drum hoist is to be installed. A 350-Jim Hill's surveyors have already surveyed a line from Marcus, a point on the kane Falls & Northern, up the water grade of the Kettle river through the horse power boiler will be used to run both hoists. For the hoists skips of the automatic safety pattern, which will bring the ore from the mine and discharge reservation to Nelson, Wash., a miles from The survey also touches it directly into the ore bins, have also a point on the frontier, twelve miles east, at Cascade, B. C. If Jim Hill does been ordered. Waterloo, in Camp McKinney, is com

ing rapidly to the front. On the second level, east, at a depth of 120 feet from the surface the one averages five feet in width. Values have been well maintained Boundary creek and not be accomplish-and the average of many samplings, both ed without the expenditure of a large in the winze from the No. 1 to the No. ed without the expenditure of a large in the winze from the No. 1 to the No. 2, have no difficulty in extending his line will go about \$22.50 in gold. Until the

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entirely through American territory to Midway, B. C. If Hill comes as far as large stoping area opened up when mill-Nelson, a point west of Cascade, it is ev-ident that he will also extend south to ing is started. Among the new Boundary shippers, Mor Republic and other camps on the Reservation. The best engineering talent has

rison will shortly assume its position. Next week a branch from the Deadwood camp railway spur will be put into the mine, a distance of one and a quarter miles. The company is under contract to deliver 3,0.0 tons monthly to the Standard Pyritic smelter. The

to offer \$2,000 in prizes. There will be a display of fireworks both nights from the Emma in Sum-Grand Forks, Feb. 28.-(|Special.)-A The ore comes from the surface, and an of \$1,000 for this purpose will be raised. mittee entrusted with the arr

HILL ENDORSED. SMELTER TRUST.

Green Urges Relief for the Slocan Nelson Board of Trade Favors **Proposed Great Northern** Silver-Lead Indus-

Extension.

ket for the coal was made greater coal industry there would become

Nelson, B.C., Feb. 26 .- At a meeting of Victoria, B. C., Feb. 26.-(|Special.)the Nelson board of trade held last even-Politics instead of business ruled the house today. The debate on the speech ing a resolution endorsing the proposed Great Northern extension into the Crow's was adjourned after speeches by Tatlow, Nest coal fields was adoped, as follows Oliver, McInnes, McBride and Green. Resolved, That the delegates from this Each side of the house accused the other Boundary and Okanogan will be held at the Windsor Hotel and fully 100 guests government on its anti-government own-of trade meeting at Greenwood on the 28th instant be instructed to favor the ership utterances. The government replied by admitting its intention to subsi- granting of a charter from Fernie to the United States boundary provided provis-

ions be inserted in the charter applied Green made a strong plea for a measfor guaranteeing sufficient safeguards ure to relieve the Slocan district from the exactions of the smelter trust. He wants for securing an ample supply of coal and the government to subsidize a lead smelter coke for all smelting, mining and other industries, now or hereafter to be estabin the Kootenays or else erect and operate a smelter and refinery. MoBride refused to inform the ho lished in the province of British Colum bia, and if required also for the use of

what amendments would be made to the mineral act. Eberts, Helmcken, Martin His Majesty's navy. H. Bentley, resident' of the Fernie board of trade, said he was strongly in and McPhilips speak tomorrow. favor of the government allowing the Great Northern to come into that dis-trict. He stated that when once the mar-A bill to accelerate the incorpo Slocan City was introduced.

COURT AT GRAND FORKS.

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Local Bar Wants Boundary Formed Into a Separate Judicial District.

Grand Forks, Feb. 26 .- Court conclud d here yesterday before Jude Bole after a two days' session. A list of 35 cases, some of them of considerable importance, was gone through and disposed of. It was Judge Bole's first court in the Bounlary during the regrettable absence of Judge Spinks from illness.

here a deputation of the Bar vaited upon Judge Bole and laid before has now inconvenience under which the him the of Supreme Court sittings and of a local also made a vicious attack on the C.P.R.

Judge Bole promised to lay the matter trouble. before the government and see what could be done. He expressed his surprise at the lengthy dockets both at Grand Judge

Forks and at Greenwood and his sense subject. He remarked that he had very of the need the district has of more fre- little to say, but said that during courts and chamber sittings. quent

It is fair to state that the local practitioners and public were loud in their 1,100 cars, and notwithstanding this the praises of the Judge's courtesy and legal Trail smelter was forced to shut, down abilities on the bench and the patience he displayed in hearing everybody patiently and fully. All hope to see discharging the judicial duties of the had tried since last August, and had even discharging the judicial duties of the begged the coal company to make a conbeing every prospect of the rich and im-portant Boundary district being formed but had failed. He also stated that be portant Boundary district being formed into a separate judicial district. When that event takes place the general feeling is that were Judge Bole sent here as Supreme Court judge, a great benefit Supreme Court judge, a great benefit vould be conferred on the community.

The City of Paris mine, Central camp, has resumed shipments to the Granby A branch of the Lord's Day Alliance

has been formed here with J. B. Hen-derson as president, E. M. Fripp, vice-president; Chris Askew, secretary, and P. T. McCallum, treasurer. GRAND FORKS JOTTINGS.

Dominion Day Celebration, Race Track Project and Cougar Hunt.

Grand Forks, B.C., Feb. 22.-(Special At a largely attended public meeting held meeting of the associated boards of trade, today it was decided to hold a monster with instructions to support an "open Dominion Day celebration here on July 1 anu 2. Incre will be a programme or races, games and sports. It is proposed

of securing the introduction and passage of the first bill by the second se ninth parliament of British Colum

bia. The public accounts for the last fiscal year were presented by Mr. Turner, and the Premier moved the adjournment till Monday. Joseph Martin evidently wanted the House to understand that he

was still a member of it, and so was on his feet in an instant with objections. ing of the Granby Smelter company, held He thought the time of the House He thought the time of the House today, the amalgamation scheme was apadjournment. A majority thought other- proved and the old Board of Directors were wise and the motion prevailed and the re-elected. President Miner said the caopening session was over. Many ladies, wives of ministers, de to 1900 tors doin by Audit to extended partment officers and members were pre-sent, as were all the foreign consuls. The Bench was represented by Justices Walkem and Drake. Sir Henry Crease daily. The early erection of a converter also occupied a seat on the floor of the is also planned.

House. All the members of the legislature were present except Curtis, Rossland, Green, Slocan, Smith, Southeast Kootenay, Clif-ford, Cassiar, and Mamnell, Comox.

It has been aranged for Dennis Murphy, West Yale, to move the reply, while Dickie, Cowichan, will second it. Mr. Murphy represents Charles Semlin's

old constituency.. During the last ses-sion he proved himself a clear thinker, a clever debater, a brilliant orator, a a clever debater, a britant ex-premier. A letter from Hon. Smith Curtis gives the information that he will not reach Victoria before the 4th of March. The opposition looks upon this as very little short of a calamity, as they claim he is

greatest in the province. He proceeded to point out, and gave figures to show needed Joseph Martin's announcement of his that there was sufficient coal there meet the demand of the province. also stated that there was an agreement between the coal company and the government that no coal should be exported until all the home demands were met. The reason why the new smelters in the Boundary had not been suppled lately was that there had been a break in the machinery at the mine. New machinery recognize him as their leader. been put in and they expect turn out 3,000 tons per day. Mr. Bentley event of alleging that it was the cause of the who

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on the government recognizes a danger in this past six months the railroad company had hauled from the coal fields about he would reconcile all differences caused by Martin, would enunciate a policy J. J. Campbell, commercial manager

which would be acceptable to the country and on the strenth of this policy would receive accessions from the min-isterial benches sufficient to defeat the him the Hall Mines smelter, stated that the had tried since last August, and thad even overnment.

The government will hold a caucus omorrow: Saturday, when the railway oolicy will be settled upon. At present

t is undecided whether the C. P. R. or the MacKenzie & Mann claims for the Coast-Kootenay road will be recognized. This caucus will also decide on the date of Mr. Turner's retirement and the with the coal company for two cars a day and that only one could be obtained

cus Sunday.

Price of Locations on Dominion Lands Reduced to One Dollar an Acre.

Ottawa, Feb. 22 .- An order in council has been passed providing that the price lows: of quartz mining locations on Dominion "That a public address be preented to lands be reduced to \$1 an acre, and that His Most Gracious Majesty, the King, as

follows: "Most Gracious Majesty: Your Majthe necessary change be made in the sev-eral sections in the regulations in which esty's most faithful and loyal subjects, the price is quoted at a higher figure. The order also provides that all crown the commons of Canada, in parliament as-sembled. beg leave, most humbly to reprepatents issued for quartz mining claims situated in the Yukon territory shall be sent:

"That as a token of civil and religious made subject to townsite provisions and liberty, and of equal ty of rights guaran-teeu to all Britsh subjects in the Canadian regulations governing the administration of Dominion lands in that territory, other confederation, as well as under the British an coal lands established by an order

GRANBY SMELTER. President Miner Says Capacity May be Extended to 5,000 Tons Per Day. Two Dollars FROM OTHI Cessation of Ship to 1.200 tons daily by August 1, but they A LARGE BOUN ROYAL VISIT. votes of interest From a Laurier Is Urging Duke and Duchess of The Smelting Di York to Visit B. C Country-Installatio Ottawa. Feb. 26.-(Special.)-In parlia-Boundary Country.

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ment today Col. Prior com lained that the programme of the proposed tour of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duches of Cornwall and York to Canada as pub-lished in England showed that they were going to arrive at Haliax and only intend visiting the eastern provinces. He regretted very much if they would not have chance of visiting the Pacific coast. He asked the government to look into the matter. Sir Wilfred Laurier replied: "I may in

form my honorable friend that correspond ence is now going on between Ottawa and willingness to resign from the leader. London on this very subject. The corre-ship of the opposition as well as from spondence at this moment is confidential House has created a great deal of and it is not in my power to give the bers as well as government supporters. ing into particulars as to the house, without go-ing into particulars as to the tenor of the correspondence, I may state that I am al-accepted, as he is now looked upon as a together with my honorable friend to political impossibility by his own suppolitical impossibility by his own sup- thinking that it would be most unfortun-porters. At present but three members ate if their Royal Highnesses of Cornwall In the and York had not an opportunity of visithis resignation the choice for ing every province in the Dominion when eadership will be between Smith Curtis they come to Canada next summer. of Rossland, and J. C. Brown of New would be most convenient, and I believe Vestminister, with the chances greatly the best mode of all would be in favor of the former. Brown can only Royal Highnesses, who are to return from command the votes of the straight Lib- Australia next September, to come by way rals, while Curtis would be supported of the Pacific instead of the Atlantic. land by every member of the House not per- ing at Vancouver, visit British Columbia, fectly in accord with the ministry. The the towns of Manitoba and so on down towards Halifax. That is the view government recognizes a danger in thas and it is admitted by its members that think we can assume to being represented with Curtis as leader of the opposition. At this moment to their Royal Highnesses. More than this I cannot say at this mo-

CORONATION OATH

constitution the British sovereign

not be called upon to make any declara-tion offensive to the religious helief of any

Hon. John Costigan will Move for an Address to the

King. Ottawa, Feb. 26 .- (Special.)-Hon. John Costigan gave notice in the house today

is ever something in even careful calculation is necessary to the shi that he would move an amendment to tities of low grade or are not assembled in a year. The Le Roi l supply when the next occasion presented itself for the presentation of an address of His Majesty' the King, asking that the est, perhaps even the province, but the w coronation oath be amended by striking out those words which are offensive to Roman Catholics. He wanted the govern-14 months ago will a couple of months ing even this and other ment to believe that the motion was going to be made in a friendly spirit and then ses of delay into were precedents for it being accepted as such. The proposed resolution is as folprobable that the Boun 1901, tak ng all the cam exceed the output of 1900.

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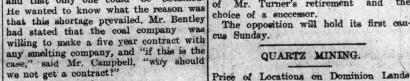
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Grand Forks in Line.

Grand Forks, Feb. 26 .- At a meeting o the board of trade held this afternoon Lloyd A. Manly and J. B. Henderson were elected delegates to the Greenwood

door" railway policy .

twice during that period.

MEN FROM SOUTH AFRICA.

of the Legislature.

23.—The

They Cut Quite a Figure at the Opening

party of engineers, from Cascade to Vancouver will be com ed at Cascade on Thursday. The route to Midway will follow the Kettle river via Grand Forks, Carson and Curlew lation here, and an early revival of busi-ness is anticipated. The engineers have made extensive purchases of supplies from local merchants.

Jim Hill at Phoenix.

Phoenix, B. C., Feb. 26.-(|Special.)-It is reported here that the real owner of Phoenix-Greenwood tramway charter is Jim Hill of the Great Northern railway, but that the fact is kept a secret private reasons. Hill apparently has in view the object of securing a share of the tonnage of this camp and the product of the Greenwood smelters. He is expected to build to Midway this summer to connect with the Coast-Kootenai road.

i'met GREENWOOD LOCALS.

A Banquet for the Delegates of Boards of Trade.

Greenwood, B.C. 'Feb. 26.-(|Special.) George Wilkes of the firm of Brown, Wilkes & Mackie of Vancouver, is report-ed to have closed a deal with the townsite company for a site on which to esfoundry and machine shops. The site selected is near the railway freight yards. Mr. Wilkes has retuned toVancouver to lay the matter before his associates.

Vernon & Nelson Telephone company have in view the extension of their services as far west as Camp McKinnev and from a point south from Rock creek to the international boundary line. Tenders have been asked for supplying poles and the line will be constructed early

The W. C. T. U. have established a free reading room in the Rendell bolck. Elaborate arrangements are being made

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understood to be in average of 1 the joint employ of the Great Northern and Mann & Mackenzie, reached here to day. The work of locating a railway tue No. 7 in Central camp, and the Be tha, on the north fork of the Kettle river. to the local smelter.

The new compressor at the Mother Wash., traversing British and American territory. The news has caused great jubi-lation here, and an early revival of bust-of from 35 to 40 drills. Mrs. Keffer, wife of Freedrick Keffer, general manager of the British Columbia Copper company, opened the steam valve and started the

ne in operation. big mach A site has been selected and men are now all work clearing ground for the new

permanent shaft for the Miner-Graves syndicate propyties in Phoenix camp. claim was chosen for the The Victoria shaft It is to have four compartments. and will be modern in every respect. The actual work of sinking will not start until

early in the spring. At an early date the Blue Bell, in Sum mit camp, will be equipped with an enlarg-

bia Copper Mining and Development com-pany of Chicago. John M. Scrafford, late superintendent of the B. C. mine, in this camp, is slated for the position of super-intendent, which he will assume about the Vellardena, Mex., and Monteray smelter navy officers:

irst of March. The force at the Marguerite in Deadwood camp will be increased, now that sinking is to be resumed from the 100-foot level. The east ledge, crosscut at this depth, proved to be a typical Dead-

wood camp one. It measured 80 feet in width, The payshoot is 45 feet wide, of a shipping grade. A drift on this shoot has also been started, and the shaft will be continued to the 300-foot level. Frank Chandler, who is interested in the King Solomon, up the west fork of the Kettle river, is enthusiastic over that section. He reports that the Sally has

some exceptionally rich ore, the quartz, showing much native silver, m from \$250 to \$500 per ton. Robert Wood the owners and his associates, of the

property, are employing a force of 10 men, getting out ore for shipment. The Carmi, in the same section is also a shipper. I. M. Rice, civil engineer, with headthe strike. quarters at Seattle, was here a few days

since in connection with th building the Greenwood-Phoenix "tramway. He has accepted the position of superintendent of construction. Just as soon as he can arrange his business affairs he will return here from Seattle to start operations. It is given out that London capital is intered in the undertaking.

ested in the undertaking. Everything is running smoothly at the local smelter, which blew in last Monday. Over 300 tons per day are being treated.

heroes were a great attraction yesterd ments includes Mayor White, A. C. Fluat the opening of parliament, and the merfelt, assistant general manager of the at the Miner-Graves syndicate: Lloyd A. Manly, grounds grounds surrounding the parliament buildings are crowded with people who Geo. A. Fraser, Alex Miller, Commodore Biden and Jeff Davis. As this city coonly hoped for an opportunity to see the veterans parade from the drill hall to operated heartily last year in the celebr the capitol.

tions held by adjacent towns, it is expect-Every point of vantage from which a ed the sentiment will be reciprocated. A joint stock company is being organ-ized here for the uprpose of building a modern race track and holding spring and view of the assembly chamber could be obtained was taxed to its utmost capacity. The floor, the galieries, the corridors and the press gallery were crowded almost beyond their limit, so unusual fall meets. It is believed by the promoers that the prizes, owing to the large was the desire to witness the pageant tributary mining section, will be suffi-The presence of the men in khaki stand-

ciently large to attract the best strings of Washington and this province. Montana, Alex McQueen is organizing a big cou-gar hunt up the north fork of the Kettle river, and has issued invitations to several Rossland friends.

New Smelter Superintendent.

The presence of the men in shaki stand-ing at "attention" on either side of the open space from the bar of the house to the throne, as motionless as bronze, was doubtless the attraction for the largest crodws ever present at the opening of parliament. Prominent among the returned volun teers was to be seen Rae of Rossland

Greenwood, B.U., Feb. 23 .- (Special.)- Many admiring comments on the magni-E. J. Wilson, superintendent of the ficent appearance of the men were heard

It is reported that at the 60-foot level, the faces of the north drift, 40 feet, is all in ore, as is also the south drift started a few days ago. The property is under bend to the Lake Shore & British Colum-bia Copper Mining and Development comager of the Northport smelter he was came the lieutenant-governor in a uni-the eastern agent of the smelter at New form resplendent with gilt braid, and York. He has also been superintendent the decorations of his Order. His suite the Omaha and Grant smelter at was composed of the following army and

at Monteray, Mex.

GOLDEN CHARIOT.

ton Street Northwards.

The city gang in grading north on Benson, D. O. C.; Lieut.-Colonel McKay Washington street from the Red Moun- of A company, 3rd R. C. R.; Lieut.tain railway track struck into a body of Colonel Gregory and officers of the Fifth iron, but also carrying some Regiment.

ore, mostly iron, but also carrying some pyrrhotite. This is apparently part of a ledge running east and west and which was located upon by the discovery shaft of the Golden Chariot, sunk some 30 feet South Africa as chaplain of the Cana-

to the east of the road. The property is a dian regiment, read the prayers. The writs for the bye elections in From the main shaft, situated on the couver and Nanaimo were returned to the Nickel Plate, a tunnel has been run east- House, and the newly elected member ward on the 200-foot level, and is not far introduced, J. F. Garden, west of the spot where the city gang made and J. H. Hawthornthwaite for Nanaim

Maxwell Will Retain His Seat.

The general motions regarding the appointment of committees, printing, etc., were made and carried. A bill to legalize the action of the

Vancouver, Feb. 23.-(Special.)-The Pheonix council and to enable that munpetition to unseat G. R. Maxwell, M.P. cipality to borrow an amount not to ex for Burrard, was dismissed with costs ceed 15 mills on the dollar of assessed today by Justice Martin. The judge valuation was introduced by Attorney-sustained the technical objection that a General Eberts, passed its first reading. copy of the petition was not filed with and was ordered placed on the order the clerk of the court on the same day paper for consideration Monday. The

it was presented in court, but two days was hill No. 1. Phoenix, the younges later.

ouncil dated the 26th of July, 1900. THE HAWKELLE MINE.

subjects of the British crown; "That by virtue of the act of Settle-A Fine Showing Made-What an Expert ment of 1690 the British sofereign on the Says of It. meeting of the first parsiament, or at the

coronation is called upon to make the fol-The Hawkeye mine at Belcher camp lowing declaration: 'I, by the grace of God, King, (or queen) of Great Britain and Ireland, defender of the Faith, do is coming to the front and promises to soon become a great ore producer. A few days ago T. M. Hammond, the well-known engineer of Republic paul the property a visit. In speaking of his visit solemnly and sincerely in the presence of God, profess, testify and declare that I do believe that in the sacrament of the to that place he said: "I found that the west ledge had been Loru's Supper there is not any transubstantiation of the elements of bread and cut; that is, the crossent has entered water in the body and blood by any perthe ledge for a distance of 12 feet from son whatsoever, and that the invocation or adoration of the Virgin Mary, or any the hanging wall. The hanging wall was encountered at 35 feet from the shaft. other saint and the sacrament of the

This wall is very perfect. having a dip of 60 degrees to the east, the same as the wall found in the shaft. After rase ing through the walls, which held one foot of talc, two feet of a very dark carbon-like formation was passed through. part thereof in the plain and ordinary Then the crosscut entered a white and sense of the words read unto me, as they Then the crosscut entered a wante and blue quartz carying cooper and iron pyrites, and was in that kind of vein matter when I left the mine. "I look for the copper ore found at the 95-foot level to be found on the foot multiplication of the valuable one in the state of the level to be found on the foot multiplication of the set of the valuable one in the state of the level to be found on the foot multiplication of the valuable one in the state of the level to be found on the foot multiplication of the level to be found on the foot multiplication of the valuable one in the state of the level to be found on the foot multiplication of the state of the valuable one in the state of the level to be found on the foot

wall of the ledge as the valuable ore in or any other authority or person whatso the shaft is not more than 50 feet above ever, or without any hope of such dispenthe present ore body in the west cross sation from any person or authority cut. The finding of such a perfect wall whatsoever, or without thinking that I am

on the west ledge was a surprise to me or can be acquitted before God or man, and has given me more confidence than or absolved of this declaration or any part ever in the property. Now if they in i thereof, almough the Pope or any other Rear-Admiral Bickford and his staff, by Captain Casement of H. M. S. Am-phion; Commander Simpson of H. M. copper ore on the foot wall and it is al-most certain that trey will, they will have the best mine in the Republic dus-or declare that it was null and void from phion; Commander Sumpson of their office. S. Egeria, with a number of their office. Strike of Ore Made in Grading Washing- cers, and Captain Walbran, D.G.S. Qua dra; Lieut.-Colonel Grant and officers

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alty of His Majesty's Roman Catholic subjects in Canada, comprising about 43 per and intend spending considerable more cent. of the entire population money in development work, and that minion and throughout the British posses-sions, should not be rewarded by their right away. It is the opinion of those experts who have examined the mine being chosen alone amongst believers of all that it has wonderful possibilities .creeds and branded as idolators by their

"That in the opinion of this house the above mentioned Act of Settlement should be amended by abolishing the said dec-laration and the British sovereign freed forever from the obligation of offending the religious principles of any class of his faithful subjects throughout the British empire.

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J. J. Warren, Toronto, is at the Allan

E. W. Perrott, Philadelphia, is at the Allan.

Major R. G. Edwards Leckie, maanger of the Republic mine, passed through this city on Monday en route from Spokane to Republic.

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