FEBRUARY

Improves the flavor and adds the healthfulness of the food. PRIOE BAKING POWDER ()

THE CARNIVAL COMMITTEE PRE-SENTED WITH HANDSOME HOCKEY CUP.

THER PROGRESS MADE IN CON-WINTER CELEBRATION.

The handsome hockey trophy preented to the Rossland Winter Carnival by Harry P. Dickinson, of the Siant Powder company, was formalf handed over to the committee yeserday, and accepted on behalf of the itizens of Rossland with cordial thanks. These expressions of appreciation will be embodied in a cominication to be forwarded to Mr. rring the disposition of the Citiz rophy, won for the third time last winter by the Nelson club and passing nto their possession permanently. All British Columbia teams may compete for the cup, and a third win is sufaddition a set of handsome medals

nival executive a hockey committee was formed as follows: Robert H. An-Jerson, Harry P. Dickinson, H. Dalby Morkill, Frank G. Stevens, Dr. A. W. lenning and Charles E. Barrett. This ommittee will have special charge of he arrangements for the carnival hoctition with the fast hockey playrs of the fair sex in Rossland the con ong the lady hockeyists she

val as a means of attracting curlers the city. While the Rossland dele gation to the Revelstoke bonspiel are on behalf of the Winter Carm-If rinks can be induced to come lary towns the bonspiel feature of the carnival would be eminently successian. The curling games would be played morning and afternoon on the curling sheets, and the rink would not therefore, interfere with the other

The matter of a tug-or-war was also gone into and most favorably considered. It is probable the feature will be incorporated with the carnival program. The matter is referred to at ength elsewhere.

Further meetings in connection with the carnival will be held almost daily this week, as the necessity for prompt action is strongly felt.

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Review of Past Week's Progress in Rossland

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Jumbo	
Le Roi Two	

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WHITE BEAR—The work of installing the new equipment has been carried steadily at the mine, and deep level preparations for shipping have also made such progress as to lead to the belief that shipments may be commenced during the present week.

WAR EAGLE-No unusual feature is reported for the week in connection with the work at the mine, which has been carried ahead along conventio lines. Deep level development is pro-ceeding steadily and the reports there-from indicte conditions satisfactory to

CENTRE STAR-This property also s adherred closely to the usual lines connection with last week's work.

Civic Affairs by New Element:

Warm Discussion Over the Dismissal of

It would have made Rossland the state of washington. To dismiss five leading officials of the Kootenays and of the province of British Columbia machinery is progressing apace. The next two months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The two months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will see this work of installing machinery is progressing apace. The active months will be active months will be active more active months will be active months will be active more activ

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such an amendment when it couldn't carry?" The point to be gained was that he could now challenge the majority members of the council to resign and go to the ratepayers—although he believed in advance that they wouldn't do it—and make the question of discharging faithful officials the issue of the sew election. He was satisfied the sport of ratepayers would prefer honest government to graft and corruption, and if he should chance to be defeated he would be heartily glad to be out of it, because he would be satisfied that the Rossland city council of 1904 was no place for an honest man. (Applause.)

7 MCDONALD ACCEPTS

McDONALD ACCEPTS.

OUTLINE OF ROUTINE BUSINESS

Under the head of routine business Allderman McDonald rose to reply a variety of matters of more or less The improvements to the Ivanho and said he would accept Alderman interest came up in the course of last milling plant are nearly complete. Rolt's challenge to resign and run night's midnight session of the city again. He insisted that the majority members of douncil represented the red letters as the most animated countries. The E

General News Of the Kootenay

THE SLOCAN.

Work is progressing favorably the long tunnel at the Rambler. The lumber for the remodelling the Sin concentrator is arriving.

command and the very narrow mar-gin of profit on which they were work-ing, and on which as a matter of fact all the mills in this district are work-of ing, they are unable to tide over a season of difficulty. Another large mill has also closed down."

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American Boy	2%	24
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Binek Tail		2
Canadian G. F	3%	8
Cariboo McK. (ex-div).	31/2	2
Centre Star	24	23
Fairview	4	
Fisher Maiden	2	1
Giant	21/6	1
Granby Consolidated	\$5 00	84 00
Morning Glory	14	1
Mountain Lion	15	14
North Star	6	
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Quilp	17	
Rambler-Cariboo	26	241
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Some weeks ago J. J. Hill, the chief magnate of the Great Northern rail-may system, made a speech at Bismarek, N. D., in which he uttered certain wild untruths about the Canadian were more with a view of warning American farmers against emigrating to this country. He plotured its as a country will continue to the morth along the first search and to the canadian production. Brain in the mining feature with the carea and the production were more claim will not receive assent in Canadian production. Brain in the mining amunck, the state has shown an aggregate increase in wealth production. Even in the mining field, where the hindrance was directly felt, a small increase is apparent, and some camps, where conditions were more camps of it. Already the air is clearing and it is safe to say that Colorado during 1904 will not receive assent in Canadian production. Even in the mining field, where the hindrance was directly felt, a small increase is apparent, and some camps, where conditions were more camps with the care and the promises of the main artery to the main

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GOVERNMENT RETREATS

Thought Better of Legisattention tigate the sary. He latter con lating McDonald Into a Seat.

Scandalous Work Done on Government House Contract.

VICTORIA, Jan. 28.-When the government announced the introduction of its bill to seat McDonald of Lillooet, the Times recalled the dismissal of Prior for failing to appreciate the meaning of the independence of parliament act, and suggested that as the cases were somewhat similar it was not unlikely that Governor Joly would vet the bill. McBride seems to have taken alarm, for he has now announced that this measure is to be dropped It is also stated that as soon as the days past session is over McDonald will resign, having made provision for some commercial venture in his riding, and that a bye-election will be pulled off. Me-Donald has not been voting in the railway in

house for some days.

Most of the afternoon today was such up to bills of little interest to British Columbians outside of Vanceuver island, which is more immediately affected by Hawthornthwaits' understood bill for the protection of deer. This measure reached the third reading after having its provisions extended for the protection of trout as well.

Hawthornthwaite's hand is also seen way agen

Hawthornthwaite's hand is also seen in a measure introduced by the premier to secure to certain settlers in the E. & N. railway belt their surface and undersurface rights. This revives the old squatters' rights question, which has been the subject of one cemmission and of numerous motions, wills, etc., in bygone parliaments. The committee to inquire into the sovernment house arbitration met this morning. Those who have seen the arbitrators' report say the arbitrators

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exonerating the government and de-ein doubtle claring that the officials have done bringing the their duty. The report is signed by all nite conclus the members of the committee.

Tre house will not conclude before
the first of next week, and possibly
not then.

TO LOOK AT **FINANCES**

The McBride Government Sends East For an Expert.

Premier's Course Discred its Him With His Own Followers.

VICTORIA, Jan. 29.—Today was subject to he tion, affected was no night sitting, and the discussion on bills was mainly a repetition of those in the committee surprise repeated on report. The supply committee finished its work, and the committee finished its work, and the committee finished its work, and the istimates are therefore practically out of the grip of the way.

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It now looks as though the house yould get through next week. A prominent government supporter today said there would be no railway legislation, to promised by the premier, the presentation being that the ministry is usable to reconcile the warring interests in this respect.

Sillison got back to the capital has right, and there was a caucus of government members this morning. The government it is said, has abandoned the enabling bill to seat McDonald, and is now bringing in about the seat for living the become vacant concurrently with progation. McDonald is intending retire anyway, and enter a compared a partnership with a brother-in-law of the premier, the firm getting the benefit of government contracts to inflict the premium of the

the benefit of government contracts in Edilocet district.

McBride is losing caste steadily, even with his own supporters. The latter are disgusted with his fulsome reference to the Socialists, whom he teclares he is proud to work with, and they say there is a heavy reckoning for him in the country when he cares another general election. Machine confidence and respect just as rapidly as his opponent is losing it. The commercial interests regard Macdonald as Miss Jean R. J. Millen R. J. Millen R.

The Socialists were unsuccessful to- J. Millen the secting the candidate's deposit reduced to \$50, and McNiven was also buque, masuccessful in his motion to substito the deposit a requisition signary of the deposit a requisition of the deposit and the deposit and

eute for the deposit a requisition signal of by fifteen per cent of electors where a candidate offers himself.

McNiven's model ballot was adopted by the house. It is black, excepting for the white circle for the cross, and the names are to be printed in white. The government announced white in committee of supply that they intend to retain Cross, who was in the amployment of the Ontario government. Of the Ontario government. employment of the Ontario gove.n-Greene, P.
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date and business-like basis, reaching Throgmorton street and the mages with equal felicity by means of atheraghly interesting yet economically onducted press bureau, lectures and earefully prepared literature of an axlanatory nature. British Columbia should spend not less than \$25,000 . rear on her London office, but et hould be disbursed only by a really ompetent agent-general. To vote Mr urner a cent is to incur a useless ax-

DODDERING DICK.

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To those who have watched the rayard antics of Premier McBride while addressing the legislative assemly, the following from the Victoria will be keenly appreciated:

There is an expression on the face the leader of the opposition as us vatehas the leader of the government when that remarkable individual is to m cratorical mood and delivering what e regards as a broadside, punctuated with desk-smashing blows, which to indicate that Mr. McBride is garded as a most "amoosing cuse." What a stalwart blacksmith the man could have made if Providence had disted his talents into the proper chansels." The instinct is in him yet, Tou can hear him strike his heavy blows,

With measured stroke and slow Like a sexton tolling the village bell When the evening oun is low.'

"The premier does not realize, per saps that he is ringing out the old and inging in the new; that the is sounding the knell of the Tory-Socialist comstration; that while he whack his tesk the country is taking his - easere and that the sentence of weighted in the Malance and found wanting will soon be pronounced; that if Me-Bride desires to remain the leader of party he will have to go over skin and ones to the Socialists, because he must either be repudiated by Conservatives or Conservatism will be cast sside by the country as another de rignation for opportunism and the leof relation of anarchy."

COPPER SITUATION.

During 1988 copper had an interesting reer and it promises no less intersting features for the year 1904. ittle more than a year ago New York wetations for Lake copper were \$11.63 1-2 per hundred. Early in Feb reary the price had advanced to \$12.76. seing to \$13.75 the first week in March. and before the end of the month Lake copper found a ready market at \$14.00 This was the highest price eached during the year, though the price was maintained at \$14.50 to \$15 atil June. In June a slight decline was noticeable, and, with more or less fluctuation, the price fell throughout he summer and fall, going as low as \$18 12 1-2; but on November 1 it ralled to \$14. During December the quoatiens fell to \$12.50, and at present the quotation is \$12.75 to \$13. The rise in price in the early part of 1903 was due to a large and steady demand for the metal, and the falling off in the latter part of the year is attributable a constantly increasing demand unil the latter part of the year, when seemed to be a game of waiting on he part of both seller and consumer. The seller waited for larger stockingse orders, and the buyers held back in the expectancy of a lower price. The the prospect of war in the far east has also had a material influence on the rice. Should war actually be declared, a strong and materially higher market may be looked for. It is also said that, although industrial activty is less pronounced in America than a year ago, the European demand tes copper has constantly increased. sepper ores are being simplified each year, making it possible to produce seanner under given conditions at & ewer cost than ever before. On the ing industry for 1904 is encouraging, and a price at least equal to that prevailing throughout the greater part of 1908 may be anticipated

WALL MERGER JUDGMENT

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NOTICE

At an Extra Ordinary General ment ing held jointly by the shareholders in the "Keremeos Copper Mines, Limited," and the "Pontiac Copper Mines, Limited," it was unanimously reschool to amaignmate said companies under the name of "Keremeos-Pontiac Mines, Limited," thus making sanighments. thus making sapitaling the new company \$2,500,000. Said resolution was confirmed at bsequent General Meeting

Sth day of July, 1903.

(Signed) A. C. SINCLAIR, Proceeding. W. H. DANBI, Secretary.

THURSDAY February 4, 1904

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DEATH IN WHITE BEAR SHAFT LAST NIGHT

TERRIBLE FATALIY CUTS OF HARDWORKING AND FRUGAL MINER.

From Sunday's Daily.

at the White Bear mine last evening The accident was of a ghastly nature, the deceased man's skull being crushed like an eggshell through being pre cipitated from a rapidly moving cage to the bottom of the shaft. An in quest will be commenced tomorrow. Rasmussen was on the afternoon

shift, and was working on the 1,000 level with his partner, John Noihl About 8:30 o'clock the men started to move their machine to the 850 level and got on the cage with Patrick Bonner, foreman. Rasmussen carrie in his arms the seven foot bar of the chine drill. The cage had only feet when the end of the bar caught on

ago, and leaves a wife and four chil dren, the eldest of whom is but four

TEN DAYS TO PASS

been secured for the use of tug-of-war desired in any quarter. teams desiring to practice for the contests during the carnival, and the

and Empire, and that a little organ

J. Stephen Deschamps and Edwin J. Stephen Deschamps and Edwin Durant leave this morning for Spokane as special representatives of the Carnival committee to organize the Spokane excursion. Owing to the interest already taken in the celebration there the undertaking should be readily put through.

The committee reports that subscriptions are coming in freely, and that citizens are donating willingly.

FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

BYLAWS TO BE AMENDED TO SE-CURE SAFETY OF PUBLIC

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DISTRICT AND LITTLE FOR OTHERS.

OTHERS nances—says that no opera house or music hall shall conduct its business without the payment of a license fee, and that on application for such a lipears of age.

Deceased was a hardworking and frugal man. He resided near the Lion brewery on property which he owned. He was insured in various companies, and was a member in good standing of Rossland Miners' Union No. 38, Western Federation of Miners.

The date of the funeral will not be determined until Monday.

TEN DAVE TO DACE

Tense the premises shall be inspected by the building inspector and propounced safe before the license shall issue. Pending application for such a license the building inspector has, he asserts, no more authority to enter any building than to enter a private residence, the application for a license being his "warrant to search" in a manner speaking. If the bylaw allowed of regular or emergency inspections no further authority would be required than the section of the ordinance dealcense the premises shall be inspected

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in the printer's hands.

The International Music hall has properly enforced should improvements be rely enforced should improvements be tentative assurance of support. The

The Carnival will not be graced by the presence of F. Aug. Heinze. Mr. Heinze has sent the committee an exceedingly neat letter acknawledging the committee's cordial invitation to trist Rossland for the celebration, and tion of the ladies to get the balance remarking that pressing business engagements prevent his leaving Butte on the dates of the Carnival.

The committee has decided to place on the programme a skl race for la-

NO RAILWAY

McBride Government's Gross Deception of the Public.

Its Supporters Are About Ready to Break Out in Rebellion.

notion carried. According to the statement of the remier he will make an announcement in a few days re the appointment

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The toboggan slide will be opened this week, and the toboggans brought out of the warehouse where they have reposed since last February. In opening the toboggan slide before the Carnival commences the management expects that citizens will become familiar with the use of the toboggans.

The suggested excursion from Spokane Camp and circle.

Three other applicants were admitted and given the protection and except forces. In your case the trouble may only be making a start—showing itself in a tired felling, a derrangement of the digestion, perhaps an occasional headache or a feeling of nervousness. These symptoms are too often followed by a complete breakdown of the health. In such cases there is no medicine which will bring back health. In such cases there is no medicine which will bring back health and strength as quickly as Dr. William's Pink Pills. Thousands of weak and weary men and women of the present day suffer are due to weak, watery blood, or disorders of the nerve forces. In your case the trouble may only be making a start—showing itself in a tired felling, a derrangement of the digestion, perhaps an occasional headache or a feeling of nervousness. These symptoms are too often followed by a complete breakdown of the health. In such cases there is no medicine which will bring back health and strength as quickly as Dr. William's Pink Pills. Thousands of weak and weary men and women one their forces. factorily arranged. The Spokane Athletic club has the matter under advisement, and the Chamber of Commerce will lend its assistance. Various Rosslanders who have been in Spokane recently report that considerable interest in the celebration is satisfaction.

So as to give the Circle a good boost liam's Pink Pills. Thousands of weak and weary men and women owe their present good health and increased visuality to this medicine. These pills make new, rich red blood, and restore shattered nerves. This is the whole secret of the wonderful success of Dr.



CITY NEWS



More than half the battle in cleaning greasy dishes is in the soap you use, If it's Sunlight Soap it's the best.

W. H. Danby, secretary of the Gold Mining and Milling company, informs The Miner that its apparent recreate to this company in reply to a correspondent is mileading. He states that the company has fulfilled all its that the company has fulfilled all its that the company has fulfilled all its legal obligations and is perfectly solvent. It owns the Rainy Day and Rainy Day No. 2 claims, near Ymir, and that substantial work has been done on the properties since 1900. The Rainy Day carries all the leads recent done on the properties in the local was signed by sixty members of the church immediately, and is now at McNeill's shoe store for further signatures. It is believed that Mr. Grant will accept the and pains about the heart all adding to my misery. A thorough use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me, and now at the age of fifty-two all aches and pains have left me and I amendemonstrated to carry free gold. Arrangements are now being made by the company for a resumption of operations at the properties in the spring.

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From Tuesday's Daily.

Excise collections by the inland revenue officer for the Rossland port amounted to \$1,149 during the month of January just closed.

A well attended meeting of the executive of the Snowshoe and Toboggan club took place last evening in the board of trade rooms. It was decided to adout white red and him for club

A meeting of the executive of the Rossland branch of the Provincial Raise st parts.

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A meeting of the executive of the Rossland branch of the Provincial Mining Association of British Columbia has been convened for Thursday right at 3 o'clock in the board of trade rooms. The business will be that of reviving interest in the branch and securing delegates to attend the second annual convention of the parent organization.

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R. P. Williams, representing the Canadian Rand Drill company, return-do to town last night.

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The showshoe club will have another tramp at an early date. The club has been invited to rendezvous at the Koctenay mine, and the tramp to that point would be a delightful experience, especially if the high road over Columbia mountain was taken on the return trip. On a moonlight night he view from the top of the divide is extremely picturesque.

Bank of Toronto note was passed over the teller's counter at the local branch yesterday. It was issued in 1858, and is a sample of one of the first notes issued by the institution, the face bearing a pastoral scene and the reverse side being practically free from lettering or other design. The issue has been out of print for at least twenty years, and the note cropping up here yesterday must have been stowed

January just closed.

The Rossland hockey club played at Silverton on Sunday and were defeated by five goals to two. The home team was a composite line-up, including all the fast men of the Slocan district.

A meeting of Rossland Preceptory, A. F. & A. M., took place on Saturday evening and Sunday. Among the visitors attending for the purpose of receiving degrees were W. J. Cook, G. D. Clarke and H. W. Bartlett, all of Grand Forks.

Collections at the customs office for January were \$10,163, as compared

death of her mother.

D. C. Johnson, commercial agent for the Northport smelter, was in the Mining Agent and Stock Broker.

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LOOKING FOR CARDINALS. The Claims of Brazil and Germany for

ROME, Feb. 2:—It seems more and more likely that the Pope will meet the wishes of the Brazilian government by creating the archbishop Rio Janeiro a chardinal, the pontive marking in this connection that Brisil contains over 1,500,000 Catholic It is further asserted that Emper William of Germany has also expressed a desire to have another German cardinal, as Germany has now only two cardinals, Fischer and Kopp, while the empire contains 20,000,000 Catholics, or two million more than Spain, which has five cardinals.

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WEEK IN THE MINES

Important Development in the Spitzee Deep Workings.

Activity at No. 1 Mine-A Favorable Outlook in General.

The event of the week in connection with the mining industry of the Rossland camp was the genuinely remarkain width and carries average values of \$20. This is in line with the recent discovery of twenty-dollar ore in the north crosscut on the first level. It is definitely announced that the ore on the second level of the Spitzee is greater in quantity, higher in grade and less subject to geological disturbances than was the case on the first level, all of which strongly supports the theories advanced in converting

the theories advanced in connection with the mine, that its value would imwith the mine, that its value would improve rapidly as depth was gained.

The management of the mine intends as soon as the second level is explored to descend to the 300 foot level, there to carry on a similar program of exploration and development. This miles exploration and development. This will be the crucial test of the mine. If the results secured are equal to those on the 200 level, and there is nothing to indicate that they may not be even better, the Spitzee immediately assumes a position among Rosslend's most valuable mines. The conditions existent at the mine makes low costs of operation, and with the high grade ore opened up on var-ious levels the Spitzee will earn large jous levels the Spitzee will earn large profits on the operations carried on.

The shut down at the Kootenay mine is in the nature of a temporary setback, but as the move is preliminary to a probable wider field of activity the situation can be viewed with equanimity. The matter is referred to at greater length elsewhere in this is making its making its maximal properties.

It is now assured that this week sees It is now assured that this week sees the commencement of shipping operations at the White Bear mine. In fact the first car of ore was loaded at the mine yesterday, or rather a car was spotted at the mine and a start was made in loading it. The product will go to the Northport smelter. As a starter one car a day will be sent out. but in the course of a week or two the

but in the course of a week or two this will be increased to two cars, or fifty At the No. 1 mine of the Le Roi Two group exceptional activity has been manifested during the week. The sin-gle shift with which the mire com-menced work on Monday was increasthe mine is now employing a total of forty men. Ore is being stoped on the 200, 300 and 400 foot levels, and tomor-row sees the first ore shipped to the Granby smelter, whither the product will be sent. ed to two shifts later in the period, and

new mill test has been commenced. The previous month's test was interfered with owing to an untimely delay hoped that this month a full run will hoped that this month a fall van will be accomplished, and this will be at-tained unless something unforeseen crops up. Upon the results secured in these test runs depends in some meas-ure the plans of the Le Roi Two com-Lany with respect to an expansion of the milling branch if its business while the data developed will undoubtedly have an important effect in respect to the plans of other companies for the adoption of concentration on this principle.

There was no cessation of activity at the Rossland Power company's mill. Sixty or seventy men were engaged steadily in the completion of the minor stability of the completion of the completion of the minor stability of the completion of the m steadily in the completion of the minor buildings and in the installetion of machinery which continues to arrive daily. The experimental plant used at Silica in working out the system of milling finally adopted for the big mill is now dismantled, and much of the machinery from Silica will be used to advantage in the new works. The undertaking is no light task, as much of the machinery is very heavy. The work was started yesterday morning, and will be continued without cessation until completed.

Shipments for the past week were about normal. The aggregate tonnage was slightly below the figures for the preceding week, but this was only an incident of the trifling fluctuation likely to occur when extensive operations are under way.

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LE ROI.—The usual operations were continued steadily during the week at the Le Roi. The development of the new stope on the 1350 level is continued rapidly, and it is expected that this ore body will be contributing substantially to the output shortly. On the 300 level a connection with the 800 on the Black Bear stope is being put through for ventilation as a prelimination of dollar step is the contribution as a prelimination of dollar step is the contribution as a prelimination of dollar step is the contribution as a prelimination of the contribution of the contribution of the continued steadily during the week at the continued steadily during the week at the contribution of t

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