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PLEWMAN, Agt., rial Block, Rossland, B. C.

LER IN CONTROL. il Producers Are Being

Out in Canada. t., Feb. 8.—The charge Trunk and the Canadian are discriminating in the nst independent dealers in favor of the Standard ill be investigated by the ttee of the privy council, ebruary 22. The subject ebruary 22. The subject tup on an appeal of the ng company of Hamilton, il tariffs of the railway he Standard Oil company control of the Petrolia dealers say the ean oil has been increased of compelling the con

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# A MINING MAGNATE AN EMINENT

George Gooderham Talks of His Holdings Here.

THE CENTRE STAR MINE

It Will Not Be Floated Until It Is in a Condition to Make Large Shipments -The War Eagle Plant-Investors Like the Dividend Payers.

velopment company, and T. G. Blackstock, the vice-president of the same company, are here on a visit, looking over their large interests. Mr. Gooderham is among the very richest comes up for trial. Mr. King is one of the eminent geologists and experts of the United States. He is a graduate of the Sheffield Scientific school of Yale. In 1862, the year following his graduation, he went to California, where he Gooderham is among the very richest men in Canada, and takes a deep interest in mining, and his investments here have already reached into the millions. It is claimed by those who know that the investments so far made by the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate are only the beginning of what it intends to make. In a talk had with Mr. Gooderham yesterday he stated that while he had not had an opportunity to take a thorough look into the situation, still it seemed most satisfactory, and he was more than pleased with the condition in which he found the affairs of the War-

feared if this were done that the people of Eastern Canada would cease to invest. and thus the wildcatter would kill the Everything, completed, have plenty more money to put into mining ventures, but he thought that the pro-moter of worthless companies should be prevented as much as possible from Canadian mining investors make some-thing on their investments here and it is certain that they will long continue to into the mines and nut their money nining shares of this section, concluded

Mr. Gooderham.
In regard to the departmental store, he said the plans have not yet been considered and therefore he had nothing to say at present concerning it.

EIGHT FEET OF ORE. An Important Strike Made in the Brandon and Golden Crown.

A telephone message was received lins, the superintendent of the Brandon & Golden Crown. It stated that eight feet of ore had been found in the upraise on the 150-foot level in the Brandon and Golden Crown. The ore assays \$34 to the ton in gold and copper, the larger value being in gold. The strike indicates more than anything that has yet been found in the property that the Brandon & Golden Crown may make a by Messrs. Dickinson & Orde, from Brandon & Golden Crown may make a 2 from the west drift. mine. The property is in a good belt.

Machinery for the Umatilla. The machinery, which is in the course of installation on the property of the for operation in about a week. There is a 40-horse power boiler and a 7x10 pleased him, for when he returned he hoist. The intention is to operate a steam drill with the new hoist. E. M. Aldrich is installing the machinery.

The Norway Mining company has purne of the most promising claims in the Burnt Basin section. The intennewly purchased property as soon as the snow goes away. The purchase was made by Messrs Saucier and Ouimette railway for British Columbia, is at the on behalf of the company.

# EXPERT IN OUTSIDE CAMPS value. The assay secured at five feet was \$83.12. and for each additional five feet up to 35, the returns were \$31.42, \$140.14, \$69.85, \$118.23, \$73.60 and \$79.6b. THE STOCK MARKET AROUND WMIR. AROUND WMIR. Property. YMIR, B. C., Feb. 14.— Special.)—

Clarence King Here for Gooderham Blackstock Syndicate.

A Sketch of His Interesting Career How He Exposed a "Salted" Diamona Field.

Clarence King, the eminent mining expert, is in the city in the interest of the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate as an expert in its litigation of the Centre Star with the Iron Mask company. He George Gooderham, president of the spent Tuesday, in examining the dis-War Eagle Consolidated Mining & Decomes up for trial. Mr. King is one o

G. M. King of the Hotel Allan, has has received the following gratifying telegram: "Portland Oregon, goose that has laid the golden egg. Totronto had, he said, invested millions of
dollars in our mining stocks, and had
plenty more money to put into mining
been made for the development of the
sewmill has been made for the development of the company's property. The sawmill has been shipped from Portland, and, as soon as it is erected, Mr. Edgecombe will return to Portland to inspect and torward the 10-stamp mill and cyanide plant, now purchased, and which will be in operation on the company's property in about six weeks.

Owing to inquiries from the east for

demand. He will dispose of nothing determined.

but treasury stock.

The following telegram was received late last evening. It is self-explanatory:
"Bob McCann, Rossland: Everything settled. Machinery shipped. S. THORNTON LANGLEY."

Assays of Sophie Mountain Ore.

The Evening Star. D. M. Drumheller, president of the Evening Star Mining company, visited the property of that company yesterday Umatilla Mining company, will be realy and inspected the recent strike. The said that the ledge had been drifted on for a distance of 50 feet and is from four to five feet wide. The ore, he says, will average \$25 per ton. There is about 175 feet of stoping ground. Mr. Drumheller says the intention is to push development work and to place the prop-erty on a producing basis as soon as pos-

sible.

having somew of a boom during the past week or so, and development work and the people of that new city are looking hopefully forward to the time when large numbers of men will be employed there permanently. In all sections of the Kootenay mining is looking better.

night and day and is giving good satis-faction. There is much speculation as to the returns, and estimates vary from \$20,000 to \$50,000.

On the Tamarac development work is progressing most favorably. The result of the ore test at the Hall Mines' smelter at Nelson proved very lucrative; and the company can now be ranked among the list of Ymir shippers.

A small force of men are working at owing to inquiries from the east for stock in the company, Mr. Peiser, the secretary, has gone to Montreal to make the necessary arrangements to meet the recessary arrangements to meet the assays considerably over \$100, but the extent of the ore body has not been decompined.

Says the Nelson Tribune: A good strike is reported from the Morning and Evening Star properties near the Dundee. Those working the properties profess to have struck a two-foot chute of ore, which gives an average value of \$50 to the ton.

The Dundee mill is now

The Wilcox property, of which Phil

o. White is the owner, is working a small force of men and is showing up well. A stamp mill will be erected upon the property in the spring. There are two tunnels in upon the ledge; one is in 150 feet and the second 350 feet. The ledge is from two to three feet wide.

The Wilcox property, of which Phil new down 175 feet, and in heavy miner alized rock. As the management intends to crosscut from the 100- and the 200-foot levels, as soon as this point is reached, great discoveries are likely to be heralded from the Kimberley camp. The force of miners is being increased steadily.

A Source of Annoyance.

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A. H. Kelly, manager of the Exchehas secured assay returns upon four samples taken from the bottom of the shaft, when the same was down 40 feet. The assays exceed the expectations of the management, the average of the four, from samples taken across the two-foot paystreak, being \$102.85. The ledge, which the shaft is being sunk to develop, is fully four feet wide, of which two feet carries pay ore, and assays made from the latter at every five feet has shown a gradual increase in down 40 feet. The assays exceed the

The Boundary Creek District Is Engaging Public Attention.

THE CASCADE SMELTER

\$140.14, \$69.85, \$118.23, \$73.60 and \$79.65. The first sample taken from the shaft at 40 feet was from a new stringer of ore about four inches wide, which had just came into the ledge. It returned a value of \$5.20. The second assay was from the quartz, which comes in between this stringer and the Franklinite, which makes up the body of the paystreak. This gave a return of \$22, of which \$1.60 was silver and the rest gold.

Work Has Commenced There, and Soon

The third and fourth samples were from

Noble Fives, Rambier-Cariboos, Dun-The third and fourth samples were from the Town Will Have a Large Population Enjoying the Benefits of Good Wages.

The Boundary Creek country has been taken out, which, from the assays taken at the different ast week or so, and development work the town The company will start another the Town The company will start another the Town Will Start another the

the ton. The company will start another shift of men to work at once.— Nelson Tribune. BOUNDARY COUNTRY.

A 50-foot shaft is being sunk on the

Bluebird in Skylark camp.

King Solomon ore, in Deadwood camp.

is constantly in progress, and as the re-sults are most satisfactory will be con-tinued without intermission. It is under-About 30 feet of an incline has been sunk on the ledge, which has a width of three feet, on the Great Northern mine, situated on Tamarac mountain. A nice pile of ore is on the dump.

It is reported that the owners of the Nero and Biscuit fraction will put a number of men at work developing the property as soon as the season will permit. The Nero is an extension of the Hope, one of the Sullivan group, and is considered a good claim, but work will have to be done to determine the extent of the ore body.

The North Star Mining company now working three eight-hour shifts in the large compartment shaft, which is now down 175 feet, and in heavy miner-

rink dressing, rooms. If the management of that institution would set about to discover the culprits they would much increase the popularity of the rink, and remove a very serious cause of annoyance. Some time ago a lady, who is a constant patron of the rink, lost a very valuable sable and astrachan cape, and so far no steps have been taken for its restant of the said to be a common occurbance. It is said to be a common occurbance of the common occurba

WAS PLENTY OF TRADING known by and by as the Dundee, Ymir,

dees and Other Shares Are Advancing-The Dividend Payers Are creek Rising in the Estimation of Buyers.

Stock trading for the week ending last evening was lively; in fact, it was one of the best weeks in the history of the business in this city. The business is growness in this city. The business is growness in this city. The business is growness in this city. Stock trading for the week ending last ing rapidly and orders are being constantly received from new places. There is an absence of sectionalism that is very noticeable. The shares of all the districts were dealt in, and freely, too.

strike in that property.

Nelson Exported \$293,895 Worth in the Month of January.

The value of the mineral exports from elson during January amounted to \$293,895. The total exports amounted to \$294,743. The .mports for the month were \$27,406, the duty on which amounted to \$8,050.53. The East Koot-

amounted to \$8,050.53. The East Kootenay district has now been placed for customs purposes under the survey of the port of Nelson.

During the same period, \$13,797 of free goods, and \$46,720 of dutiable goods were imported into Rossland. Total, \$60,516, upon which \$11,567.45 of duty was collected.

The exports for January were small,

W. F. Anderson, traveling passenger able value. Assays from this find have not yet been made. The management is in the city.

### AROUND YMIR.

Mining in this district is very active, and Ymir is rapidly coming to the front as a center, and quite a few properties on which it is intended to push development will probably become as well Porto Rico and Tamarac are at the

present time.

Of late considerable development work has been done on the main Wild Horse

The Black Cock has a large amount of work done on it, with the result that plenty of good shipping ore is on the

obtained.

The Wilcox is looking well, and in the

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Noble Fives have advanced from 20 to a short distance from the Victor. The whole five have driven a stant of the Good Hone have driven a stant of the Good Hone have driven a stant of the Good Hone have driven as 30 cents during the past week, and were owners of the Good Hope have driven a

and the shade and the treatment from the treatment of the

Iron Masks are quiet pending the outcome of the lawsuit with the Centre Star, which is to come up for trial soon. Buttes & Bostons are selling for 12½

Cents.

Lone Pines are quoted at 38@39 cents.
Brandon & Golden Crowns are selling freely for 25 cents.

Deer Parks are quoted at 17½@18

There is consider.

Stitions, and high assays have been obtained.

Major Burns, who used to run the Kuskonook hotel and store, died in December last, and the businesse is now being run by his sons.

The lower Kooten.

The Stemwinder is looking better than ever in the new tunnel, and work is being pushed with vigor. The last 30 at feet of the tunnel is in solid ore, which improves in value with each foot driven.

The Sullivan company have struck ore in the shaft about 400 feet from the old workings, showing the lead to run north and south. Their new hoist has been in operation since last Friday and it is the intention to sink to the 200-foot level.

It is reported that the owners of the Nero and Biscuit fraction will put a number of men at work developing the property as soon as the season will permit. The Nero is an extension of the Hope, we of the Sullivan group, and is considered to run the Market letter and the purchase of the selling for 12 cents.

The Stemwinder is looking better than the considerable inquiry for Iron Colts and they are selling for 12 cents.

The sullivan company have struck ore in the shaft about 400 feet from the old workings, showing the lead to run the business is now a solid mass of ice, and all the communication that the Goat River section has with the outside world is by means of Sam Smith's stare that runs from Bonner's Ferry to Kuskonook, which is now a flourishing town of about 300 inhabitants. There is about three feet of snow on the trail, and sleighing is very bad. There are some copper-gold properties afor lack of funds. "It is a certainty," said Mr. English, "that there will be a great boom in the Goat River country in the spring."

FROM THE

G A Almstrom to C C Knutson, the Mountain Trail mineral claim, on the east end of Sophie mountain, \$1.

Frederick John Smith to the Mount Socker & British Columbia Development company, the April Fool No 2. Yreka fraction, Matilda. T G Esie and Hampstead mineral claims in the Trail Creek division, \$1

Tohn R Stussi to Frank A Wilkin, the Fool Hen mineral claim, near the Black Bear, \$275.

J J Henager to Fred B Blockberger, % interest in the Lincoln fractional mineral claim in Rossland, \$1.

in the Lincoln fractional mineral claim in Rossland, \$1.

Patrick Dowd to Patrick McCue, the Keystone, Oswego and Hobson mineral claims, situated between Rock and Stony creeks, \$1.

John Morrigean, Fred Adie and A anson to George Herring, M B Bridgford and N Hartman, % interest in the North Star and Bright Future mineral claims, near the Salmon river, \$1.

N A Rivers, administrator of the estate of A Lemay, deceased, to Henry Bumiller, % interest in the City of Dublin fract onal mineral claim, on Deer Park mountain, \$1.

N A Rivers to M J O'Hearn, the Robbins mineral claim, on Lake mountain, \$1.

Roy H Clarke to Frank C Loring, the Old Sport fractional mineral cleim, \$1.

Wm Sword, Jr, to Wm Sword, Sr, the Little Falls mineral claim, on Murphy creek, \$50.

Big Compressor and Hoisting Plant Ordered for the B. C.

### A BIG FORCE PUT TO WORK

A Strike Has Been Made on the Propof Interest.

The now famous B. C. properties in Summit camp are about to be equipped with a large permanent mining plant to which has been yielding profits to it seplace the small plant now in use and shareholders for about four years an which is entirely inadequate for future developments. The plant which will be the largest in the Boundary district is very complete in every particular. It consists of a 20-drill Ingersoll-Sergeant consists of a 20-drill Ingersoll-Sergeant in Seattle, where he accumulated

The machinery will be installed at the saw shaft, which is to have three compartments, viz: two hotting compartments at pump shaft. A large stant of an apump shaft. A large stant of the same in addition to those in operation in the mill of the Carboo company. Since the same in the

plant worked like a charm. The power was derived from the electrical plant at Bonnington Falls, and consisted of 75 volt-meters, plus 3, or 110 horse power. The machinery started up easily and steadily, and continued to do three times as much wark as the other drills have

While drifting in the No. 1 tunnel of the Rio Grande property near Ymir, the other day a large body of concentrating ore was met which yields values of from \$18 to \$30. The strike is very satisfactory to the stockholders of the Rio Grande company, because it was made where it was not expected. A force of five men is now at work in tunnel No. 2, drifting to tap a ledge of high grade ore, which at the depth of 16 feet, assayed \$60. Of this amount \$30 was in gold and the balance in silver and lead. The ore also had a good percentage of grey copper. The latter has not been assayed, but it is thought there is a fair percentage. The pay streak at this depth was 26 inches wide. At the present rate of drifting the ledge will be encountered in about three weeks, when it is expected that the vein will be of width. The Rio Grande Gold & Silver Mining company owns four full claims. The work is under the super-vision of T. A. Helm of this city.

Mother Lode Gold Mining Co.

Another new company has been formed and shares and shares are now on the market. The Mother Lode Gold Mining company, with a capital stock of 1,000,000 shares of the par value of 10 cents each, received its charter yesterday. One hundred thousand shares were put on the market Thursday and already nearly all have been sub-scribed for. The opening price is 3½ cents, and the money thus obtained will all be spent in development work. No more shares will be offered at present, as the company is confident the mine will soon be self-supporting. The directors e Hon. T. Mayne Daly, president, and

Rike Shick, P. J. Jackson, M. J. Jackson, Herbert Daly, V. Le Maistre and J. Grant. The head office is in Rossnd. It is generally believed that the wners have a good thing and that the other Lode will soon become a diviend paver.

### SMELTER SHUT DOWN.

It Will Start Again Contemporaneously With War Eagle Plant.

The smelter at Trail has been shut down since the 1st of February for the purpose of making repairs and because there is a shortage of ore. Only about 20 men by en discharged, as all the rest employed in making repairs and betterments about the plant. There are still 1,000 tons of ore in the bins, and the War Eagle continues to send a few car loads each day. Just as soon as the new plant of the War Eagle begins op-erations the shipments will be largely increased. Then the smelter will start again and be kept going continuously.

# MINES AND MINING THE FREE MILLING BELT IRON MASK'S PLANT IT IS AN IMPORTANT DEAL

Working With Remarkable Ease

and Accomplishing Great Results-

It Was Started Yesterday.

B. M. McEntire Talks About the The New Compressor Has Just Been Conditions At Camp McKinney. Started Up.

It Will Be a Large Camp as It Prom ises to Have Several Dividend Paying Mines.

R. M. McEntire of Camp McKinney, Complicated System of Switchboards is a guest at the Allan. Mr. McEntire is Company Near Ymir-Other Notes an optimist so far as the Camp McKingenerally are concerned. It is his opinion that Camp McKinney is and will be the leading free milling camp of British Columbia. It has one dividend payer

the largest in the Boundary district is well as been in Camp McKinney complete in every particular. It consists of a 20-drill Ingersoll-Sergeant duplex air compressor of the Piston Inlet type, a large double cylinder Lidger-wood hoisting engine of sufficient capacity to hoist a thousand feet, a battery of 30-horse power return tubular boiler, inking pump, cage, etc.

The air compressor will be a compound machine 18 x 30 x 24. The hoisting engine is 75-horse power, double cylinder, links motion hoist 12/4 x 15, and of sufficient capacity to hoist a load of three tons 500 feet per minute. The drills are of the Sergeant type, similar to those used in this camp.

The contract for supplying this plant has been loosed with the James Cooper manufacturing company, represented in British. Columbis by James D. Sword. The machinery will be installed at the new shaft, which is to have three comparatments, viz: two hoisting compartments, viz: two hoisting compartments and partments of the two hoisting compartments, viz: two hoisting compartments, viz:

NEWS OF CASCADE.

A Number of Dwellings Being Erected Windermere, East Kootenay, is in the

-Work on the Dam.

City. Mr. Colemorgan reports that ther is considerable activity in that section in Steadily, and continued to do three times as much work as the other drills have done for months past. Active operations will be continued from this time on on an electrical basis. The trial yesterday was of unusual and especial interest because it is the first time in the history of the camp that the Stanley synchronous motors have been tried here. The plant was installed by George C. Hinton.

A STRIKE IN THE RIO GRANDE

A Vein of Ore Which Yields From \$18

CASCADE City, Feb. 7.—[Special.]—

Business was somewhat quiet here during the way of prospecting and general development work. The Swansea, he reports, to be a fine copper proposition. This property has been opened by a shaft, which has been sunk to a depth during the past week. Storekeeps say shaft it was the best week since Christmas, and in anticipation of a good spring trade are ordering their spring goods now while sleighing is to be had. Most of the freight will be brought over the tote road from Brooklyn.

Quite a number of dwelling houses are now under construction. Among the

Ferguson is putting up. These six cottages are situated about half a mile south from the main part of the town.

The construction work on the dam is the construction work on the dam is the work of the town. south from the main part of the town.

The construction work on the dam is being pushed with all possible speed before high water comes. All the men that can be worked to advantage are employed. The management of the work is under Hydraulic Engineer Anderson and Foreman D. Simmons.

A Presbyterian church is to be built.

A Presbyterian church is to be built The townsite company has generously donated a lot for the purpose, and a committee has been appointed to receive subscriptions. The committee reports that it expects to be in position to commence active work on the building

about March 1. The representatives of the contractors of the Columbia & Western extension of the C. P. R. pulled up stakes from Brooklyn last week, and are now to be found in their neat looking office on Main street. These are Paymaster Woodman, Purchasing Agent McLeod and a big staff of clerks.

Ashcroft about it.

in a good district.

formation you want.

M. B. W.: The Wild Horse mine is not now being worked, but will be in the spring. It is in a good locality. The same is true of the Porcupine.

INQUIRER, Prince Albert, Ont .: The

Giant is not being worked at present. It is in a good part of the camp, and has 200,000 shares of treasury stock on hand. The capital is \$2.500,000. The Commander is being been d and 22 men are at work.

penng p.o. d and 22 men are at work. It is capitalized at \$500,000 in \$1 shares. They are drifting in on the 300-foot level and the property is showing well. The Novelty is capitalized at \$150,000 in 10-cent shares,

INTERESTED, Toronto: The Christina

claim is considered a fair prospect and is

C. T. WHITE, Pembroke: Write to the Boundary Creek Times for the in-

A. P. A., Manitoba: The Jubilee claim is a good prospect and the tunnel is in about 100 feet. Write to J. Fred

Ritchie, Rossland, for further informa-

XENIL: The properties you inquire

Yesterday morning, as a freighter named Cameron was crossing Christina lake with a four-horse team and a heavy load, the ice broke, with the result that three of the horses were drowned and about \$1,000 worth of goods went to the bottom of the lake. Mr. Cameron himself came very near sharing the same

H. D. Lumsden, the C. P. R. engineer, was in town last week.

W. A. Willcox, the editor of the Record, left on a business trip to Nelson.

FROM THE RECORDS.

Transfers.

B Tompkins to A Forsland, 1/6 interest in Pilot plaim.
David H Wilson and W J Clark to Thos Abriel.
A interest in the Sir John A fraction, 1/2 interest
in Antelope claim, 1/2 interest in the Carro claim
und 1/2 interest in Cairo fraction, \$1,000.
R T Gardner to Tom M Robbins, 1/2 interest in
the claim to

R T Gardner to Tom M Robbins, % interest in Alice claim, \$1.

William Lynch to Lewis O Garnett, ½ interest in the World claim, \$1.

Chester Glass to David Glass, the English claim, \$1.

Same to same, ½ interest in the Gordon claim, ½ in the Fred fractional claim, ½ interest in the Australia, ½ interest in the Sun, and ½ interest in the Brook claims, \$1.

W P Robinson to Joseph Sturgeon, the Gigantic claim, the Rork claim, the Yellowstone, Beaver Hill, Derby, Golden Grove and Green Slope claims, \$240.

TANUARY 16. George J Schley to James Scott, J Anderson to Gus W Peterson, Last Chance

Certificates of Improvement. Ross Thompson and Daniel J Burke for the Wild West claim on Deer Park mountain, Philip Aspinwall for the Nelson No 2 claim in Alki Gold Mining company for the Alki frac-

Heated rooms for rent over city offices

Leiderkranz Purchased by a Ross land and Spokane Syndicate.

The Development of the Belcher-Cross outting For the Ledge on the Bel-IT IS RUN BY ELECTRICITY cher-The Weather.

REPUBLIC, Wash., Feb. 9.-[Special.]-A very important deal was closed last evening, as a great many Rossland parties are interested in it. It was the purchase of the Leiderkranz claim, situated about two miles northeast of town, and ients Greeks were as child's play mpared with the bewilding maze of the new company will start in ries, transformers and switches incidental to the new electrical plant just installed on the Iron Mask. In a new and spacious building there has been erected one of the most perfect electrical who hard the list of promoters in their who hard the list of promoters in their

LOST QUILP ORE CHUTE.

foreman on the Swansea property, at It Has Been Found and the the Ore Averages \$17 Per Ton.

Quite a number of dwelling houses are F. A. Mulnohand and associates by the Mining company. The ledge is mow under construction. Among the most noticeable are those which D. C. most noticeable are those which D. C. Farguson is nutting up. These six cot- of about 17 per cent copper and sometunnel, intending to drive ahead 40 feet, expecting to cut through a break which shows on the surface. The point was reached, but not the ledge. Mr. Braley then returned to a point a few feet beyond where the ore had been left, and started a crosscut to the left. He had gone only six feet when the ore was struck. They are now in ten feet, with a full face of fine looking quartz. In the tunnel the chute was followed 40 feet before the chute was lost. A crosscut from both the tunnel chute and from the bottom of the 50-foot shaft, 200 feet to the north, gave the width of the vein as Anda mine is on Texada island, apply to the Victoria Colonist for the information the north, gave the width of the vein as 15 feet. They will now follow the ledge to the shaft. Mr. Braley states that the you desire. It is, however, considered good. The Kelley Oreek also is away from here in the Lillooet district. Ask the British Columbia Mining Journal of

entire chute will average \$16.

The shaft on the Hoodoo claim, belonging to the Noble Three, is now timbered. It is down 20 feet, and a drift of 25 feet has been run, cutting stringers of quartz. Development work will now be

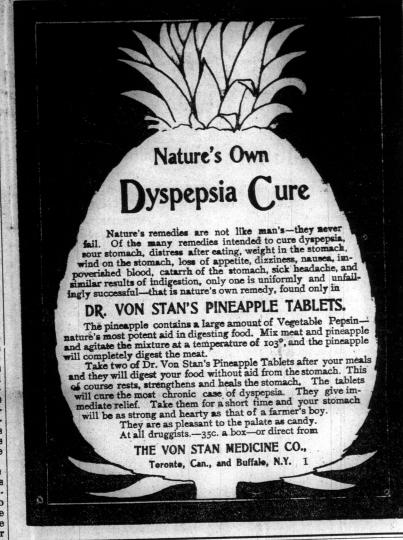
A shaft is being sunk on the Spokane fraction, north of the Morning Glory.
They are sinking on the ledge, which is over two feet wide. The assays are fine.

A Regrettable Accident. John McDonald, who had been employed on the outside at the War Eagle, she was perfectly restored, and enjoys good health today. Sold by Goodeve was Saturday put to work on one of the 300-foot level and the property is showing, well. The Novelty is capitalized at \$150,000 in 10-cent shares, of which 500,000 are in the treasury. At present no work is being done but will be very soon. last night he was doing well.

THE SAMOAN DIFFICULTIES. Fermany Is Inclined to Move With the Other Powers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.-The sudden change in the attitude of the German government respecting the recent complications at Samoa, reported in the press dispatches, is attributed here to the fact that Ambassador White, within the past day or two, has been able to deliver to the German foreign office the formal presentation of the American case. While dignified in tone, it was a ARNIL: The properties you inquire about are prospects not yet developed. The Heather Bell and Kootenay London are considered to have good showings, that is if they are the prospects located in the Rossland camp, but there are duplicates of most of the prospects you inquire about in other camps in the Kootenay district, and it is difficult to tell whether your properties are in this case. While dignified in tone, it was a good deal more energetic in remonstrance against the conduct of the German officials at Samoa, than Mr. White man officials at Samoa, to or perhaps had had given expression to or perhaps had even conceived. But, inasmuch as every claim of this government has been based upon a strict adherence to the lines of the treaty of Berlin, the German government has found itself under the presents of moving to secure an tell whether your properties are in this camp or not. Consult Gosnell's Year Book of British Columbia. the necessity of moving to secure an amendment of that convention in the line of its desires, according to the usual methods of diplomacy. NEW YORK, Feb. 11. - Silver, steady; Bar silver, 593/4c; Mexican dol-

Weller & Co., Plumbers and fitters.





A. C. SHELDON, General Agent, 250 Washington St., PORTLAND, ORE.

### IN THE SUPREME COURT, IN THE MATTER OF K. GOLD MINING COMPANY

The Unasigned Official Liquidator Will Sell by Private Treaty Subject to Ratification by the Court

IN ONE LOT

The property and as the O. K. Mine and the buildings belonging to the said company. Also entire mining and milling plant of said company, the whole situated on the south slope of O. nountain, in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay, Province of British Columbia. claim is surveyed and crown granted and known as the O. K. mineral claim, official number The property is about two and one-half miles west of the City of Rossland and close to the n wagon road and Red Mountain railroad, both leading from the City of Rossland to Northport, the State of Washington.

Averages \$17 Per Ton.

Refullic, Wash., Feb. 9.—[Special.]—
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ROSSLAND, B. C.

Weekly Market Report with Quotations on Rossland, Slocan and Republic Stocks Furnished on Application.

NERVES PARALYZED. Provous Prostration So Severe, Lost Power of Hands, Side and Limbs, but South American Nervine Beat Off Disease and Saved Her.

Minnie Stevens, daughter of T. A. company of London, was stricken down with a very severe attack of nervous prostration, which resulted in her losing the power of her limbs. She could not lift or hold anything in her hands, and other complications showed themselves. other complications showed themselves. Her parents had lost hope of her recovery. She began taking South American Nervine, and after taking 12 bottles

New York's Coldest Weather. NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—This was the coldest day New York has had since the weather bureau began business, which was in 1872. At 7:30 a.m. the thermometer registered 6.2 degrees below zero. That was two-tenths of a degree colder than Friday. This is the first time in its history that New York has had three days of continued zero mue, have sold their business to Miller weather.

Dundee Men to Dine and Dance. The concentrator at the Dundee mine at Ymir is doing well and giving every satisfaction. So well are the directors pleased with the plant and with the services of their employes that they have decided to give them a banquet and

R. M. McEntire left Saturday by way of Bossburg for the Boundary Creek country and Camp McKinney. While in this city Mr. McEntire completed the negotiations for the sale of the Sailor group at Camp McKinney. The Sailor adjoins the Minnehaha and the Cariboo and is a well and favorably known property. The terms of the sale are withheld.

The Walton Bros., who have been in

HE famous appliance and reme dies of the Erie Medical Co. are now offered on trial without expense to any honest man. Not a dollar to be paid in advance. Cure effects of errors or excesses in old or young

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# Mining and Financial Brokers

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Quotations for all active British Columbia | We have purchasers for anything GOOD in the Rossland or Boundary Camps. Why not try Oro Denero?

Gold-Copper ore is what capitalists are after these days, as is evident from the fact that 100,000 shares of the Oro Denero Mine (belonging to the King Mining Company) were disposed of in three days in Montreal recently

THE ORO DENERO is in the Boundary District and adjoins the Emma, which is owned by Mann & McKenzie. It is a splendid proposition. The surface showings have NOT BEEN SUR-PASSED in the district. At the 50-foot level assays went as high as \$83.90. Development work is being pushed ahead night and day and a power plant will shortly be installed. We have a block of treasury shares to dispose of at 25 cents. Immediate application should be made to the undersigned,

# WALDEMAR WALLACH & CO.

Victory-Triumph Property.

The Vein Is Two and a Half Feet

Wide—Iron Mask's New Electric

Plant Will Begin Today—Starting

Half Feet

yet been made in the property.

A crosscut has been made to the east
from the 100-foot level and another ledge
has been found. This ledge is eight feet of War Eagle Plant Delayed.

On the 100-foot level of that property a two and a half-foot vein of gold-copper ore, made up largely of copper pyrites, has been encountered. Assays of this mine.

The new Columbia & Western railway line is being constructed as rapidly as possible and the trestle, which by the way will allow of the better showing in the copper ore opened by the railway cutting. The new Columbia & Western railway line is being constructed as rapidly as possible and the trestle, which with the columbia of the copper ore opened by the railway cutting. The new Columbia & Western railway line is being constructed as rapidly as possible and the trestle, which with the columbia of the copper ore opened by the railway cutting. The new Columbia & Western railway line is being constructed as rapidly as possible and the trestle, which with the columbia of the copper ore opened by the railway cutting.

own the control of the War Eagle company's shares, are here and will be on hand when the new plant begins work, unless this event is delayed for too long a time. The new electrical plant of the Iron Mask is scheduled to begin actual operations today. This event should mark a new era in the history of mine, as the new plant increase the output and soon will increase the output and soon there should be a dividend in sight. The big surface find made by the railroad contractors on the Centre Star to the west of the shaft house excites the wonder and admiration of all who see it. The ore body exposed is 30 feet wide and it is solid and well defined. There has been an accident at the Lily

land camp for the week ending February 12 were Roi, and consequently nothing was sent to the Northport smeller. The shipments, all of which went to Trail, were as follows:

One of the chief features of the week was the strike on the Victory-Triumph. On the 100-foot level of that property a Crosscut and 60 feet of stoping ground the copper ore opened by the railway cutwide. The entire eight feet is well min-

that been encountered. Assays of this ore, it is thought, will show that it is worth at least \$50 to the ton. On the same level there is an eight-foot ledge with a three-foot pay streak, which has been drifted on and found in place for a distance of 60 feet. The two and a half-foot vein, however, is the important one, and the ore brought to town from this strike is rich looking, and it seems certain that it carries high values.

The big electrical compressor of the War Eagle has not yet begun working, and it is now stated that it will be some little time before it does so Messrs. Gooderham and Blackstock, who own the control of the War Eagle company lays apares are here and will be on the control of the War Eagle company for the same and same and same and same are the readent of the work of development econom-pany lays apares are here and will be on the control of the War Eagle company has a pare are the readent of the same that the victory-frumph will make a mine.

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May, which has resulted in the disaster of the compressor. As it wil be necestof the compressor. As it wil be necestor, been passed, and the ore body continues, sary to send east for a new casting for The fact that the place of the supposed The fact that the place of the supposed that the s the compressor that property will shut down for a couple of weeks and perhaps longer. The Le Roi did not send any ore to the smelter during the past week, put it is antisipated that shipments will not send any ore to the smelter during the past week, nel. The ore body now averages four the supposed with the Senator Cox syndicate for the sale of the control of the property. From the fact that Mr. Galusha still respect to the single of the control of the property. ore to the smelter during the past week, but it is anticipated that shipments will be resumed early in the present week. As soon as the War Eagle electric plant and the Iron Mask machinery get to work and the Le Roi is again in full work and the Le Roi is again in full swing the ore shipments will rise to the

ORE IS OF HIGH GRADE

have not yet been made, but it is work. The building of the law to the sale in york on the 300-foot level tomorrow for the purpose of crosscutting to the ledge.

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Jumped into the cars without difficulty. A much needed improvement has been made in stringing a line of incande lights along the stairway leading to the CENTRE STAR .- The new buildings at

is progressing well and there is a con-tinuance of the better showing in the

horse power horizontal return tubular boilers. These are to be connected and will form one battery. They will supplement the boilers already in use at the plement the boilers are already in use at the drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will have to be drift on the 300-foot level will be a saving by this change of fuel. Drifting is said to be still in progress on the 300- and 500- foot levels. hoisting works. This will give at the drift on the 300-foot level will have to be shaft a total of about 350 horse power, to say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the power at the combatter of the say nothing of the say have to be driven 100 feet farther in order to reach the lead that was encountered in the 300-foot level in July of last year. The shaft has been timbered and is in excellent shape.

Jumbo.-The extension of the upper and lower tunnels continues. The upper EVENING STAR.—Work is being continued in the lower tunnel of the Eventual the lower tunnel 140 feet. It is expected There has been an accident at the Lily ing Star and drifting is still in progress that the ledge will be tapped in the lowmay, which has resulted in the disabling on the vein. The drift is now 45 feet in er tunnel within the next 25 or 30 feet. ore. The place of fault in the ledge has M. R. Galusha, manager of this property, is still in Toronts. No word has

work and the Le Roi is again in full discuss plans for its development. He swing the ore shipments will rise to the last year mark of 3,000 tons and over per week.

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THE MINING REVIEW

superintendent of the Victory-Triumph, arrived in the city from that property arrived in the city from that property is strong fence is being built on the bluff side so as to keep the road perfect. No new developments have been reported it more pleasant and safe to work in the trike. Mr. Smirl says that a crosscut is being run west from the shaft on the is being run west from the shaft on the is being run west from the shaft on the loof for two or three weeks past. George Gooderham, president of the company, and a strike was a drift in the Deer park and make a drift in the Deer park and make it more pleasant and safe to work in the tunnel is 70 feet in length and the stopeway is 50 feet, making a total of 120 feet. A point 22 feet from the shaft a ledge two and a haft feet the shaft and the shaft and the shaft a ledge two and a haft feet the shaft a ledge two and a haft feet the shaft a ledge two and a haft feet the shaft and the shaft and the shaft a ledge two and a haft feet the shaft and the shaft a

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HOMESTAKE.-Crosscutting is in progress at the 150-foot level, and the out-look there is excellent for a good body of

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down to the 300-foot level, and to also

IRON HORSE.—The double compart-

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Novelty.—The work of extending the

tunnel is making good progress. It has been driven for a distance of about 200 feet. It is expected that the ledge will be reached when 75 or 100 more feet.

fore the work can be resumed.

cut and crosscutting commenced.

CURLEW.—The double compartment shaft has now reached a depth of 96 feet.

When the 100-foot level is reached the intention is to begin crosscutting, the winze, and good progress is being made. Good ore bodies are being uncovered. The winze is to be sunk 50 feet more, and work on it will be com-Annie — There is nothing specially new at the Annie, but work is progressing well and the outlook is becoming menced tomorrow. The new electrical plant, a description of which appeared more promising.

FOURTEEN CONSOLIDATED .- Five in yesterday's Mines, will be started this morning for permanent work, and before long the Iron Mask is expected to has been driven in a distance of 60 feet GIANT.—Crosscutting from the 112foot level is in progress. There are no GREEN MOUNTAIN.-The regular work

was interfered with to some extent by the blowing out of a cylinder in the hoist engine. Arrangements have been made by W. L. Lawry, the manager, to put in a two-drill air compressor. The short is

TWO CARS PER WEEK. The Black Cock Mine Sending Its Ore

recently on account of a change in the management. The present owners are employing from 15 to 20 men and are taking out eight tons per day from the 50-foot level. The vein is only at this depth from 18 inches to two feet in width, but the ore extracted is of a good grade.

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To Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
Leave New Westminster to Victoria Monday at 1315 o'clock; Thursdays and Saturdays at 7 o'clock.
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For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Friday employed. The new company has ample erty. The Black Cock was shut down funds in its treasury, and is proceeding recently on account of a change in the

The intention is to continue the shaft on The wild War Eagle Savages having broken forth from their wigwams and ment shaft has reached a depth of 200 taken to the warpath against the B. A. feet and excellent progress is being made. The work of deepening the shaft to the 300-foot level is to be energeticated assure the citizens of Rossland that they need not fear a general massacre, as C., the B. A. O. Spread Eagles beg to assure the citizens of Rossland that they need not fear a general massacre, as they will undertake to repel the attacks of the Savages with stick and puck. Let all enlightened and patriotic citizens be present in the Skating rink, when the battle occurs, to witness the final tri-LILY MAY .- Owing to an accident to the air compressor the Lily May has been shut down pending the repair of the broken machinery. As it will be necessary to send east for a new cylindrical state of the state o battle occurs, to witness the final tri-umph of civilization over the barbarians. The date of the game has not yet been

Curling Notes.

The Sandon curling bonspiel has been postponed for one week, and will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 21st, 22 and 23rd. The meetings of the Rossland curling club and of the Kootenay Curling association, which should have been held last night, have been postponed to Tuesday night.

### ATLANTIC S. S. LINES.

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Time Table No. 32, taking effect Jan. 1st, 1898 VANCOUVER ROUTE.

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NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.

eave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's
Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23
O'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 oclock.
Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east
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For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Paradays and Pridays at 7 o'clock.

samer Tees leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports the 15th and 30th of each month.

KLONDIKE ROUTE Steamers leave weekly for Wiznzel, Juneau,
Dyea and Skagway.
The Company reserves the right of changing
this Time Table at any time without notification.
JOHN IRVING anager.

DOES NOT WANT TO DIE. Petition to Save Cordelia's Life-Ship

in Danger. OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 11.-A petition has been received at the department of justice asking for commutation of the sentence of Cordelia Viau, who with Sam Parslow, is waiting execution at St. Scholastique for the murder of her

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### ROSSLAND AND THE ROSSLAND MINER.

Since the establishment of THE Ross LAND MINER on Saturday, March 2, 1895, it has worked for Rossland, the golden city of British Columbia, first, last and and as Rossiand marches on toward a greater destiny, it will ever sound her praises. The Miner has always fought praises. The Miner has always fought praises. The Miner has always fought many officers from the Eastern States passed through time and opportunity to send out many graceful contributions to the leading graceful contributions to the leading graceful contributions and England a both hard and earnestly for her best interests in particular, and generally for those of British Columbia, the most glistening in Victoria, Vancouver, Toronto or in and sparkling gem over which our good Montreal than in Rossland, it should be and noble queen reigns. It has always done. This is a matter that rises higher contended for cheap smelting and than mere sectionalism. The city must transportation rates to the end that the country might the sooner reach the people like "Subscriber" is hurt. It is with strong approval on all sides. high tide of its prosperity, and will ever even possible that there is not available continue to be the champion of these among the 8,000 people in Rossland such causes of the people. This fight will be unwearyingly and unremittingly kept up until the freight rates and the smelter better suited than any local man, in the The present temporary quarters of the charges are what they should be. The name of all that is good select him. In corporation are expensive and unsatispeople are justly entitled to these facili- such a contingency all should pocket factory, and altogether inadequate for a ties, and must have them. One of their local pride for the public good, rapidly growing community like Rosswhich should be the first consideration. land. There are plenty of precedents for world lies to the west of us in the feetly competent for this position in this the government should not comply with Boundary country. It is to a large ex- city. It may be, too, that they have not the request. veloped. There are fortunes for thousveloped. There are fortunes for thousands of men in its gold and copper-ribands of men in its gold and copper-ribTHE MINER cares for in this matter is to ands of men in its gold and copper-ribbed hills and mountains, most of which are virgin ground which has as yet are virgin ground which has as yet and it care is taken at the outset to prothe defeat and says that the personanty will be required in that most certainly will be required in the immediate future, as well as providing and it care is taken at the outset to prothe defeat and says that the personanty will be required in the stand taken for Mr.

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chines, at a cost of seven thousand dollars, and it now takes pleasure in stat- and encourage the Government to proing that these will be installed ceed along the lines it has declared within the next few days. With these for. The idea that the mining sections machines more news can be put in the of the Province do not approve of the paper, and THE MINER of the future will be much better than THE MINER of the ently incorrect, at least so far as Nelson

THE MINER now has to announce the engagement of Mr. John B. Kerr as editor and manager. Mr. Kerr has had considerable experience in newspaper work. He began his career in 1885 on measure provides that any assayer shall, the Toronto News, of which paper he was city editor and also night editor. When the Empire was started he joined its staff, and was successively assistant competent. The provisions of this bill city editor, night editor, and was a mem- are intended to protect the public from ber of its Ottawa parliamentary staff, this peculiar form of incompetency. A He was subsequently editor of the Vancouver Telegram. He joined the staff of ince are competent and are a credit to the Globe in 1892, and has been con- the guild. Unfortunately, however, nected with that paper ever since.

As will be seen by a dispatch in another column, Mr. Kerr was banquetted by the members of the Globe staff on ance. Saturday evening. Robert Jaffray, president of the Globe company, presided at this banquet. Mr. Kerr left Toronto for Rossland Tuesday evening.

### WANTED-A FIRE CHIEF.

In a communication published in to-8,000 people in Rossland one man com- that the incompetent assayer fails and petent to fill this important office could on which he gives wrong results to his

Weekly Rossland Miner, for a head for the fire department. It says made by at least two assayers. In has never said, in so many words, that a case like this were the patron to it would select for the place at its dis- submit his samples to two incompetent posal a man from the east. The object assayers the result would be to misinto secure the very best talent possible might be, in such a case, that both the inas Rossland is, of buildings that would such an event they would possibly spoil offer ready food for the flames, should a the sale of the property. If the assay fire once get a good start. Many west- returns were higher than they should be ern towns have not paid much atten- it would result, perhaps, in the purchase tion in their beginning to properly of a property that was worthless. It is out of conflagrations. They are determined to take the proper precaution BEFORE and not AFTER the city has been visited by a disaster of this sort. In this they are eminently right,

> wisdom of the council, it is thought a will soon adorn the law books of the better man can be secured for the place even if the pride of a few of the local joint court house and city hall will meet It may be true that there are men per- the action, and there is no reason why

### THE NELSON ELECTION.

found.

The contest in Nelson yesterday resulted in the return of the Government candidate, Hon. J. Fred Hume, and Salmo, to hear from. In view of the fact that Mr. Hume carried the constituency by only 13 votes on the 9th of tionably strengthen the premier's hands, ments to the mining statutes is apparis concerned.

### SHOULD BECOME A LAW.

There is pending before the provincial legislature a bill that should pass. This before he sets himself up in his profession and charges for his work, be repractical character to show that he is neighbors respect it. large majority of those who are engaged in the business of assaying in this provthere are some who are possessed of only the most meagre qualifications and who,

doubtless, without intending it, deceive

their patrons through absolute ignor-It has been said that to make an ordinary assay requires no more skill than is requisite on the part of the housewife to make a good batch ot home-made bread, and yet there are many housewives who are unable to make good bread. While this may be partially true as to assaying certain classes of day's issue a subscriber asks if there is ores that contain but little or no base no home talent fit for the position of metals, it is not true where there are states that it is an insult to western men sample to be assayed. There are some to have the city council send east for a assays that require the nicest technical head for the fire department. It is the skill and a great deal of experience to opinion of "Subscriber" that among the make them. It is on this class of work

for a head for the fire department. It says made by at least two assayers. In

ing first-class machinery for the putting most difficult and complicated operation. The number is a credit to the publisher. The examination, provided the bill is effect of keeping the incompetent, the last week, at the comparatively early age business. It will also protect the public province with the provisions of this bill. ing through the press.

trade and city council to provide for a

The council will vote a sum equal to that placed in the current estimates for

this year.

Our own venture will, of course, be on a much more modest scale, but the needed accommodation should be in use before the coming summer closes.

### ENGLAND MADE BY THE SWORD

ores and low transportation rates are the Hume's majority there was 32. Yester-Men have always fought and the probgreatest factors in the upbuilding of day it crept up to 136, the rest of the so as long as the conditions remain as were producing gold, but paying no been paid. they are on this earth. Life is a strug- dividends, and some could not pay withfore determined that the Boundary country, as well as of the other sections of

| Jority. No doubt the desire to retain gie for existence from the crade to the expenses. The other 106 mines were in melee Johnson bit Anderson's nose off.
| Jority of the desire to retain gie for existence from the crade to the expenses. The other 106 mines were in melee Johnson bit Anderson's nose off.
| Johnson then sought safety by fleeing ing. It is natural for nations to have ing. It is natural peculiar force to the voters of the dis- wars with each other for the reason that value of the gold yield in 1897 was \$58,-The Miner announced some time ago trict, but the result must be taken as an they are simply made up of aggregations 250,000, or \$15,000,000 more than in 1896. that it had purchased two linotype maof the czar and the hopes of peace societies that they can bring about a was 5,741,311 tons, which gave a yield of state of universal peace. It is to be de- a little over \$10 to the ton. Working plored that man is constructed on pug- expenses were about \$6.62 per ton, leavnacious lines, but it is a fact, just the ing a net profit of \$3.38 per ton. same. General Gatacre, of the British army, has no faith in the proposed peace conference, as is evidenced by his utterings in a speech which he recently made. General Gatarce said, and there is a good deal of common sense in his utterances, that he believed in keeping fighting going all over the world, and resuscitating it were it ceased. England had made hood. Were there no material in our city from which to choose, such a course must live. It need not always be fighting, but it must maintain the old spirit quired to pass an examination of a that has kept it going so long and made

### A SEVENTH DAY CONVERT.

mining broker who says that the increase of interest taken in Rossland mining shares among the buyers in The Vancouver World quotes a local mining shares among the buyers in ing the past few months.

This shows that while Vancouver has been behind Toronto, Montreal, Spokane and other places in this respect that she has finally realized that there is money to be made by purchasing the standard shares of this camp. The other places mentioned have realized this fact for many months and their citizens have profited considerably by it. It is never too late to mend, however, and Vancouver can come in even at this late day, and will find it greatly to her advantage to trade chief of the fire department. He further several base metals to contend with in a in the shares of this camp, which are fact, however, by reason of her geographical position, that she should have long since sustained much more intimate trade relationships with us.

be found.

The city council, as we understand the matter, has not sent east for a fire chief.

It is sometimes the case that mining properties are purchased on the assays made of their ore. It is true that few placed an advertisement in the papers purchases are made without having as-

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

A GENTLEMAN who recently arrived from New York says that it is a fad sought to be attained by advertising was form him as to the value of the ore. It the hat to male acquaintances. While A Team of Three Horses Drowne for the position. It is a most import-ant place in a city constructed below the real value of the ore assayed. In discriminately indulge in this practise seems to be in bad taste, besides it is very destructive to hat brims.

THE first number of the Kootenay equipped and well-officered and manned related as an actual fact that a piece of a Mining Standard issued in Rossland equipped and well-difference and market product and product to an has come to hand. It is replete with disastrous in many instances. They have incompetent assayer and he was directed well written articles concerning mining disastrous in many instances. They have to give returns for gold, silver and cop- and other matters. It has several half suffered immense loss from great fires. to give returns for gots, sixtor and other matters.

Then it was that they thought of a proper. He gave the costumer a certificate tone mining views, which are very equipped department for the extinded declaring that there was \$20 in gold, \$15 erly equipped department for the saint in silver and eight per cent in copper in in the presswork. These consist of tained a destructive start. In the case that piece of grindingstone. In this inviews of Trail, Hall Mines, Nelson, the of Rossland, both the civic authorities stance he said he had to make a "part- Le Roi mine, the Dandy and other of Rossiand, both the civil authorities stand in the declared was a characteristic pictures of mining scenery.

In the death of Archibald Lampman, pretenders and charlatans out of the of 38, Canada loses one of her gifted sons. At the time of his death the poet was a clerk in the civil service at Ottawa,

With the Hudson river frozen as far COURT HOUSE AND CITY HALL. as New York harbor and the Niagara The move on the part of the board of first time in 20 more and the Magara people killed nightly by the intensely cold weather in the eastern cities, the people of that region are having all this sort of thing that they want. We, too, local freight. have had more than the usual quantity experts that each winter there is only so much cold, and if it is intense for considerable periods that this means an early spring. This is a consummation, to those like the people of this city who have been fettered as it were with snow and ice for several months, most devoutand ice for several months, most devoutly to be wished for.

should be a credit to all concerned.

Joint action, however, must not mean unreasonable delay in construction. In Toronto the good, after years of wrangling over details, they started out to erect a cover details, they started out to ever details over details, they started out to erect a grievous injury to this Frontice.

An act has been introduced in the similar building in the year of grace Miner further declares that it was dislegislature to relieve New Westminster tinctly a Hume triumph and not a goving the property in consequence of the destructive fire of in consequence of the destructive fire of in consequence of the destructive fire of in consequence. It provides for an issue of last summer. It provides for an issue of last summer.

THE report of the mining industry of the South African Republic for 1897 in cent. the Transvaal shows that the capital of the 198 gold mines working at the end of 1897 was \$363,863,750. Of these, 28 mines with a capital of about \$50,000,000 paid \$14,750,000 in dividends, or nearly 30 per cent. Sixty-four other mines ware avadation of these are also been raid their passage money has

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. The Fire Chief Matter.

EDITOR MINER—Sir: What's the matter with Rossland? Can it be possible that our city council intend sending east for a fire chief?

The very suggestion is a burning shame and an insult to western man-

Have we no brains, courage, brawn and muscle in the west, or are such qual-

Vancouver has been phenomenal during the past few months. jealous of her good name. It is to be hoped that the council will reconsider this question, and that the voice of the people will rise in its might and condemn any action which reflects upon us as a city as westerners and as men as a city, as westerners and as men.

### Rossland, Feb. 14, 1899.

"Pirates" to Be Repeated. "The Pirates of Penzance" will be repeated on Tuesday evening, February 21. The cast will be the same as before, and there will be a repetition of the features

### HUME WAS ELECTED.

Nelson District Decided It Wanted a Cabinet Minister.

Nelson, B. C., Feb. 14.—Today's election resulted in the return of J. Fred Hume. With only two small polling places, Erie and Salmo, to hear from, his majority is 187. The result at these places will not be to hand until tomorrow, but there is not more than 30 votes all told.

# ALL SORTS OF NEWS Rossland Mining Stocks

in Christina Lake.

### 200 MORE COKE OVENS

They Are to be Erected by the Crow's Nest Coal Company-Steamer City of Greenwood Burned-Construction of the Kootenay Valley Railroad.

Cascade is talking of incorporating. Harry Drew is putting up an ice house, apacity 150 tons, at Kimberley.

A crown grant has been secured for the land on which the Niagara townsite is located. It is reported that the Bank of Mon-

treal will open a branch at Cranbrook at an early date. An Anglican church is to erected in New Denver at a cost of \$1,000. Nearly

all this sum has been raised. The coyotes around Golden are somehave paid the town a visit.

Several American army officers from

recently opened offices along the Crow's Nest Pass railroad at Blairmore, Crow's Nest, Fisher, Kitchener and Moyelle. The steamer City of Greenwood was burned to the water's edge the other day at Okanagan Falls. The boat was built in 1897 by J. W. Bassett, the

freighter. Engineers are laying out a 2,500-foot sidetrack in the C. P. R. yard at Nelson to accommodate the increasing through business and facilitate the handling of

Cranbrook continues to grow both in of cold. It is contended by the weather population and importance. In a census of the town just completed the number of inhabitants is given as 616, and the voting strength as 142.

A new sawmill has been erected by Columbia Lumber company at a

Mr. Blakemore, general manager of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, has received instructions from the board of THE result of the election in the Nel-son riding was not at all to the liking of tions for the building of 200 more coke

popularity having gained him the day. last summer. It provides for an amount-debentures for such a purpose amounting to \$953,000, and tempeorary debentures amounting to \$200,000 at five per

and some could not pay with and Hogan Anderson became involved and Hogan Anderson became involved in a bitter quarrel. During the

of four horses went through the ice on Christina lake. One of the horses was saved but the other three were drown The driver had a narrow escape. outfit belonged to Rod Cameron and the loss was about \$1,000.

The construction work is well under way on the Kootenay valley railway north of the international line. On the American side only three camps are ye established, but other camps will soon follow and men will be put to work as the camps are located. The bridge across the Kootenay river at Bonner Ferry will be completed before the annual high water time.

Frank Dana Moore, purser on the steamer Moyie, was recently presented with a leather medal by the officers of the steamer Kokanee, as a token of their appreciation of the part he took in the scue of Isaac Lewis a few men in our midst it would be manifestly unfair.

Fancy Rossland, a city of nearly 8,000 inhabitants, sending east for a chief for her fire department! What a magnificent advertisement for our fair town! in diving into the icy waters of Kootenay lake and saving Isaac Lewis from drown-The presentation was made at made a modest and fitting reply, dis-claiming any desire that his name should be handed down to posterity as a "hero."-Nelson Tribune.

The report was current in Revelstoke last week that the long and eagerly looked for railway construction connecting Arrow lake with Kootenay lake will commence within a few weeks. This is splendid news, if true, and conjures up visions of brilliant possibilities for the great Lardeau district, through which it would pass, that are unequalled, perhaps, by the great Slocan. The Lardeau and Trout Lake divisions are regions of wonderful ore bearing richness, and all they need to bring them to the front of the last performance with the exception of the cold house. The plan of seats will be at Roll's drug store in a few transportation. While there is as yet no official report given out, it is freely stated that telegrams have been sent from Montreal inquiring about the condition of the ice on the Arm and at Trout Lake, and this is the chief ground for beligning that the C. P. R. company for believing that the C. P. R. company will act speedily in trying to secure the trade of this important field to itself by reason of first come first served. The rumor has it that work will commence

### MARKET FEATURES.

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The market was very active yesterday. In fact, more stock changed hands y sterday than on any previous day this year. Noble Five, Rambler-Cariboo and Minnehaha are the features of the past week, and have kept speculators busy keeping pace with them. At present prices we strongly advise buying Rambler-Cariboo. It will make you a quick and good profit. As they approach the ledge in the Virginia the stock becomes firmer and scarcer. All the 46½c. stock firmer and scarcer. All the 46½c. stock was taken yesterday. We have buyers for Waterloo, Rambler-Cariboo, Noble Five, Athabasca, Pathfinder, Virginia and Iron Horse.

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### Rolt & Grogan THE STOCK MARKET.

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The stock market was active yester-day. Minnehaha, War Eagle and Ram-bler-Cariboo rose several points, there being a decided bullish movement in

each the 50-cent ma	irk.
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Printed weekly stock letter issued every Monday. Write for copy.

RICHARD PLEWMAN Rossland, B. C. P. O. Box 756.

Will Smelt Lead in Two Weeks. D. W. Moore, ore purchaser for the Trail smelter, says that the lead furnace of the Trail furnace will probably be blown in in about two weeks. The experiment of the Trail smelter, in the matter of the treatment of the lead ores of the Slocan, will be watched with in-terest by those interested in local minDOMIN

Mr. Justice Mart Supreme Co Rossland

His Lordship Makes quent Repl

### A BRILLIANT YO

He Has Great Faith in Is Surprised at th Have Been Made in Last Two Years.

Hon. Archer Martin, th ever appointed to the p of a superior court in Car session of the court in day. He confesses to be and is proud of the fact of Edward Martin, Q. chancellor of the dioces the head of the firm of I barristers, Hamilton, Or a resident of the west days, and practised law some years, but moved January, 1894, where he of Martin & Langley. H judge of the supreme co last year. On taking his seat on

terday for the first time M. McLeod, president o ciation, read the following To the Honorable Mr. J On behalf of the men land Bar association quested to extend to y come on your first ap city as supreme court j We are reminded that

now occupy is an old a one. Centuries ago, on the to the northwest of Eur ple with natural instinct ment. One of the funda of the constitution un people lived was "Equa In the words of the Gr over 700 years old, the sell to no man, we will to any man, either just It is recorded that ki It is recorded that kile arly times, before our rived at its full perfective heard and deter tween party and party by the long and unifor ages, our kings have whole judicial power to several courts. "Her is always and the law is always and th whole judicial power to several courts. "Her eye of the law, is alw her courts, though she distribute justice. He mirror by which the reflected."

Sir William Blackst "Another capacity is considered in dome the fountain of justice servator of the peace By the fountain of just not mean the author only the distributor. rived from the king a but he is the steward dispense it to whom the spring, but the right and equity ar thousand channels,

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# CONGRATULATIONS

Last Two Years.

Hon. Archer Martin, the youngest man ever appointed to the position of judge of a superior court in Canada, opened a day. He confesses to be 33 years of age, and is proud of the fact that he is a son of Edward Martin, Q. C., D. C. L., chancellor of the diocese of Niagara and the head of the firm of Martin & Martin, barristers, Hamilton, Ont. He has been a resident of the west since his young days, and practised law in Winnipeg for some years, but moved to Victoria in January, 1894, where he formed the firm of Martin & Langley. He was appointed indeed of the surveme count in Santanhar.

After Mr. McLeod concluded reading the address it was presented to the judge. He ledge is straightening up in good shape.

The Butte & Boston vein is swelling out, and now has a vein of over six feet, was conscious, he said, that he fell very far short of the complimentary refersences to himself, but he would do his best to maintain the esteem and respect to the bar, which they were so good as to of the bar, which they were so good as to of the survey were so good as to assure him he had now, and earnestly endeavor to live up to the traditions of the survey were so good as to assure him he had now, and earnestly endeavor to live up to the traditions of the survey were so good as to assure him he had now, and earnestly endeavor to live up to the traditions of the survey were so good as to survey were so good as the ledge is straightening up in good shape.

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the fountain of justice and general conservator of the peace of the kingdom. By the fountain of justice, the law does

THE TOLLS OF THE LAW. By the fountain of justice, the law does not mean the author as original, but only the distributor. Justice is not derived from the king as from his free gift, but he is the steward of the public, to dispense it to whom it is due. He is not the spring but the reservoir where the reservoir where the spring but the reservoir where the spring but the reservoir where the reservoir w

dispense it to whom it is due. He is not the spring, but the reservoir whence right and equity are conducted, by a thousand channels, to every individual."

Seeing that the position you now occupy is a very honorable one, viz.: to carry out duties once assigned to the highest temporal ruler in dispensing justice to whom it is due, we congratulate the people of this province that such a young and able a man as yourself is willing to make the sacrifice of leaving a large and lucrative practice at the bar to

from the constant turmoil of office practice, you will find time to pursue what emigrate to a certain climate

"The man of letters is sent hither specially that he may discern for himelf and make manifest to us the divine idea of the world, which lies at the bot-

At no time, possibly, in the history of tions of trust. Mention was made of a people inhabiting the small islands on the northwest of Europe. Many people lands and have become colonies, always that has been played on the ose colonies grown, and so successful have they been in self-government, that now, the people who are on those islands in Europe consider that they have power beyond their own borders, and instead of Great Britain and Ireland, there is now, thanks to the men who have accepted positions of trust, a Greater Britain, including parts of Asia.

Africa, North and South America, and all of Australia. Five years ago, the land upon which the city of Rossland stands, was but a barren mountain top, with a few log cabins to mark the workings of some mining prospects. Today Rossland is a city. It is but one example out of many which shows the kind of province weare living in. Rapidity of growth, energy of tensive visit to Toronto and Montreal.

Mr. Justice Martin Opens
Supreme Court in
Rossland.

Character of the citizens, and a strong faith in the city's future by civic councils, are some of the characteristics found in these mining cities, and if we fret and chafe because we think some parts of our provincial machinery is too slow it is because we breathe quick, inspiring is because we breathe quick, inspiring

atmosphere.
Now, sir, while in this drama of rapid development of a part of Greater Britain, away out by the Pacific ocean, and yet in the midst of the Rocky mountains, though it is a very small part of Greater Britain, and unknown, possibly, to a very large majority of the English-speak-Wery large majority of the English-speaking people, you have been chosen to be the "mirror by which the queen's image is reflected in her majesty's courts," and we deel that that image will be reflected brilliantly and untarnished; and as her gracious majesty, in her high position, has led a pure and noble life, and science, art and good government have assisted in making her empire the greatest known to history, so you, in an humbler capacity in this great empire, will do the work which you have undertaken faithfully and well.

We have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servants, on behalf of the Ross-

land Bar association, F. M. McLeon, President. EDWARD CRONYN, Secretary. Rossland, Feb. 14, 1899.

of Martin & Langley. He was appointed judge of the supreme court in September his office. In this he felt sure he would

large and lucrative practice at the bar to take a position on the bench of this a precaution has been taken which will make men of this character more care-

journalism to a higher ideal. Such qual-ities will not be allowed to lie idle, now that you are on the bench; when, away that you are on the bench; when, away that the refused to pay and inseems to you to be a pleasant recreation.

Warmer than Rossland. Finally they grew tired of this, and as soon as his

Ourling Notes.

The final games in the bonspiel competitions were played off on Sunday and this provice, was there such need for able and energetic men to fill high positions of trust. Mention was made of a Peters of Nelson, Smith winning by a score of 8 to 12. Monday Smith of Rossland, played Cranston of Rossland, from those islands have, during the course of centuries, sailed to foreign 13. The game was the hardest fought maintaining similar laws and principles this winter, the score was a tie on the of self-government. So steadily have eleventh end. This gives the Consolation trophy to Smith.

"THE MINER'S" NEW EDITOR. John B. Kerr, a Toronto Globe Man,

Has Accepted the Position. TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 13 .- John B. Kerr, who leaves here Wednesday for Rossland to take editorial charge of the Rossland MINER, was banqueted Saturday night by the members of the Globe staff, who said many kind things of him. Robert Jaffray presided. Mr. Kerr was former-ly editor of the Calgary Tribune and the Vancouver Telegram.

Smith Curtis has returned from an ex-

Water to Be Brought From Rock Its Ore.

REPUBLIC, Wash., Feb. 11.-[Special.]- If the Canadian Pacific Has Not Con-The shaft is down 10 feet on the Insurgent. The foot wall is being followed. The ledge is very wide on the surface.

ing the big ore chute.

Mr. Earnest, manager of the new stage line, states that he will put on a daily line to Marcus over the state road.

He will have stations and 24 horses, and

He will have stations and 24 horses, and will make the trip with all speed.

F. W. Rol of Rossland, who is largely interested in mines both in this district and Sheridan camp, is in town. He is consulting Superintendent Snyder of the Zala M., whose shaft is now down 105 feet. The patent hoist is doing good work. The ore is steadily improving. One thousand ore sacks are now here on their way to Sheridan in which ore will be shipped.

be shipped.

The Rebate winze is down 18 feet, and

REPUBLIC, Wash., Feb. 14.—[Special]— THE MONEY WILL COME ledge, which is seven feet wide. Drift- Mayor Goodeve Has the Assurance

waiting to usher her royal highness to

an anxious public.

James Edwards, a well known railroad

speaking of kings Carlyle says:

"He is called king, konning, which means con-ning, able-man. Find in any country the ablest man that exists there; raise him to the supreme place and loyally reverence him; you have a perfect government for that country. The ablest man, is here looking over the field. One of the stages came in with 16 passengers this afternoon.

Homimhousin came to Rossland some time ago and was employed at the Interpretation as a waiter, and finally leased the cafe in the house and started business for himself.

He found then that he could get credit the found then that he could get credit and run bills in several stores, principally a C. Fry's, and it was on an affination which the cliss us to do must be precisely the wisest, fittest, that we could anywhere or anyhow learn."

A. C. Fry's, and it was on an affination went to Marcus of the boundary was due at davit made by H.-T. Hicholson, head alove the state into the custody of the sheriff last night.

Many of us have noted your labors epart from your successful work at the spart from your successful work at the house, which ager Klockman stated that these accounts had been, paid. When this failed it is stated that he refused to pay and informed his creditors that they could emigrate to a certain climate much warmer than Rossland. Finally they grew tired of this, and as soon as his intended departure was known action was brought to stop him.

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was of sufficient importance to be attached to a passenger train.

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Creek, If Possible.

trol of Rock Creek the City Will Try to Get Possession of It Without Loss of Time.

Clute were present.

asking for information as to sanitary a marked rise. and other matters, which the clerk was instructed to reply to.

The report of the sanitary officer for the month of January, showing a balance in favor of the city of \$117.75, was Abe Lincoln.....

ance in favor of the city of \$117.75, was received and filed.

The report of the fire, water and light committee showed that the resignation of Joseph Squires as chief of the fire department had been accepted, and that Charles Collins had been appointed temporarily to act as chief. Ex-Chief Squires asked for pay for the full month of February, and the matter was referred of February, and the matter was referred to the fire, water and light committee,

to the fire, water and light committee, with power to act.

The same committee reported that they had received a report from H. B. Smith, the city engineer, recommending that preliminary surveys be made to determine the cost of bringing water into Rossland from Rock creek. The committee reported in favor of the matter. An analysis of the matter and the firm to Marin & Landey. He was appointed plage of the suprame court in September to the Suprame mittee reported in favor of the matter, and Alderman Lalonde strongly urged

of the Government.

An Additional Appropriation for Ross land Will Be Placed in the Supplementary Estimates.

Mayor Goodeve Tuesday received the following letter from Hon, F. Carter-Cotton, minister of finance, which, while explaining itself, is somewhat ingrass, secretary of the Princess Maud, is here, and with President Wilmot, is night to learn from Minister Cotton what amount had been placed in the

rapidly. The main section of the mining country is about 30 miles from Florence, but the trails are in excellent condition and there is no trouble in getting in supplies. "The Buffalo Hump couning supplies." The Buffalo Hump couning the biggest of matter of providing safeguards against ret accidents in mines.

A bill respecting the city of Sandon, introduced by the attorney-general, makes it lawful to borrow money in the regular way for the purpose or improving the channels of Carpenter and Sandon creeks.

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# THE DOMINION'S YOUNGEST JUDGE THE REPUBLIC CAMP THE CITY COUNCIL Rossland Mining Market DICKINSON & ORDE,

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THE WEEK'S REPORT.

The market, since our last report, has been very steady with a general upcouncil was held in the city offices Tues- ward tendency. Rambler-Cariboo has been decidedly on the up grade, and with night, Mayor Goodeve in the chair. the prospect of dividends being declared, will probably fetch a much better rate to be driven at least 75 feet before reach- Aldermen Lalonde, McCrae, Hooson and than it is at present selling at. Athabasca, Waterloo and Tamarac have quieted down, but Victory-Triumph, with the news of the recent strike, has made rapid Communications were read from the strides to the front. Dardanelles, Nelson-Poorman, Iron Colt and Evening Star cities of Greenwood and Grand Forks are still maintaining their hold on the market. Noble Five and Dundee have had

### TODAY'S OFFERING'S.

TRAIL CREEK. 

Monte Christo, 1875.11 Mugwump, 500.... 5½ Novelty, 12000..... 3½ Novelty, 12000 . . . . 3½
Poorman, will pay . 12½
Rathmullen, 5000 . . . 2½
Red Mt. View, 47500 34 Silverine, 500 . . . . 4
St. Elmo, 2000 . . . . 4½
\*Virginia, 1000 . . . . 51 OTHERS.  Golden Gate, 1000... 4 London Hill, 200. Nelson-Po'rm'n,2500 27 Noble Five, 4000 . . . . 32 Okanagan, 250.....10 Old Ironsides, 6000.\$1.10 Rambler-Car., 3500.36 Reco, 5000.....85 Salmo Con, 1500....20 Van Anda, 5000 .... 4½ \*Waterloo, 700 .... 1034 \*Winnipeg, 1250 .... 24

All Offerings Strictly Subject to Previous Sale.

WE CAN RECOMMEND PARTICULARLY THOSE OFFERINGS WITH AN ASTERISK SET OPPOSITE THEM.

WANTED.

Iron Colt, Cariboo McKinney, Virginia, Monte Christo, Evening Star, Noble Five, Tamarac, Dundee, Waterloo, Iron Horse.

Write to us if you wish to buy or sell.

Your Interests Are Ours.

A. W. MORE & Co.
STOCK BROKERS THE STOCK MAIKET

86 Government St. British Columbia

Rossland and Slocan Stocks Bought and Sold JOHN HARRIS & Co.

(Late of Harris, Kennedy & Co., Rossland, B. C.) MINES AND STOCKS

I have some valuable gold, silver and copper properties for sale in Boundary, Slocan and Washington, 113 Mill Street, SPOKANE, WASH.

estimates, but at the time of going to press this morning no answer had been received.

The letter is as follows:

A S. GOODEVE, MAYOR OF ROSSLAND:

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Among the guests present were Mrs.

Among the guests present were Mrs.

Falding, Husband, Lockhart, Graves, Breston, Dangerfield, Dunlop, Freburn, Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Goodeve, Archer, Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Goodeve, Mayor of Rossland;

Reduction in the Cable Tolls. On and after the 15 instant the rate from all Western Union offices in the United States east of the Mississippi river, including St. Louis and Galveston, river, including St. Louis and Galveston, Financial Agents for Eastern and English BUFFALO HUMP.

Tiver, including St. Louis and Gaveston, to Havana, Cuba, will be 25 cents per word instead of 45 cents, as at present. The Lone Pine is driving along with her wide ledge, and assays are rather increasing.

MINERS' GERTIFICATES.
A Provision to Renew Them After They Have Expired.

Victorial, B. C., Feb. 14.—The mining committee of the legislature made a report today, including several important recommendations. These include a provision that miners' certificates shall all expire on the same day annually, and that any person inadvertently allowing his license to expire, may, within three months, upon the payment of \$25, obtain a special certificate, the effect of which shall be to revive his title to any claim owned by him at the time of the lapse of his certificate and not since vested in any one.

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Dave Stussi is now in Spokane, on his way to Rossland, where he expects to arrive in about two weeks. Mr. Stussis rive at the United States west of the Mississippi river, excepting St. Louis and Galveston, there are the United States west of the Mississippi river, excepting St. Louis and Galveston, there will be arrive in about two weeks. Mr. Stussis arrive in about two weeks. Mr. Stussis that the neighbor which are to havana, Cuba, will be 35 cents per word instead of 60, as at 45 cents per word instead of 60, as at 45 cents per word, and to Jucaro, Santal the biggest boom in that country that the country has ever seen. The people was allowed the event of the lapse of the rate from all Western Union offices in the United States west of the Mississippi river, excepting St. Louis and Galveston, the rate to Havana, Cuba, 45 cents per word instead of 60, as at 45 cents per word instead of 60, as at 45 cents per word. From the Western Union offices in the United States west of the Mississippi river, excepting St. Louis and Galveston, the rate to Havana, Cuba, 45 cents per word instead of 60, as at 45 cents per word. From the Western Union offices in the United States west of the Mississippi river, excepting St. Louis and Galveston, the river to Dave Stussi is now in Spokane, on his United States west of the Mississippi United States west of the Mississippi

The market has been active throughout the week, and the stocks traded in have been numerous. There has been a further advance in Noble Five, Virginia, Rambler-Cariboo, Victory-Triumph and Minnehaha. Victory-Taiumph has engaged the attention of eastern buyers during the week, and has risen to 10 cents. Some very good values have recently been obtained from the property. Rambler-Cariboo is very scarce at 37 cents bid, while Noble Five is equally scarce at 30 cents. Deer Park has become weaker having fallen to 16½ bid, and should be a good buy at that price. It is difficult to pick up any Virginia under 50 cents, and the stock grows stronger every day.

OUOTATIONS.

Having decided to locate in Spokane, I shall make a specialty of handling Republic and Rossland stocks on a strict commission basis and solicit your orders

ANGLICAN DANCE.

The Poor Boys and Girls Must Walk Sedately for Six Weeks Now.
Tuesday night, being the eve of Lent, known in the Latin countries of Europe

Tioo Abe Lincoln... 10 2000 Aliberta... 3 3000 Athabasca... 55 5000 Arlington ... 65 2000 London Con... 40 2000 Minnehaha ... 40 2000 Baltimore ... 57 500 Mugwump ... 5% 5000 Mugwump ... 5% 50 Tuesday night, being the eve of Lent, known in the Latin countries of Europe as the great day of the carnival, and in the southern states as the Mardi Gras, the members of the choir of the English church gave their usual dance, which has come to be one of the looked-forward.

The hosts and hostesses were Mr.

Fred Burroughs, Mrs. Campbell and D. Diok-will gave th

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# THE WAGES OF SIN

Why Young Brewster Finds Himself Behind the Bars.

### ACCUSED OF STEALING

He and Sinclair Are Said to Have Em bezzled \$1,500 of Moneys Belonging to the Columbia & Western Railway-Tried to Shield a Friend.

### (From Friday's Daily.)

Trail was thrown into a fever ef excitement by the announcement made It Is Being Energetically Celebrated yesterday that W. D. Brewster, station agent of the Columbia & Western railway had been arrested on the previous day on the charge of embezzlement. The amount of the peculation is somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1,500. Mr. Brewster has been connected with the Columbia & Western railway since 1896, and has been popular, and considerable surprise was therefore expressed that he should have gone astray. Brewster's downfall is said to be largely attributable to J. H. Sinclair. The latter was in the office of the Canadian Pacific railway at Nelson, and a few months since was employed by Mr. Brewster to act as his assistant. In addition to his assisting Brew-ster in discharging the duties of freight mysterious odors which none but John agent. Sinclair was also put in charge of the affairs of the Dominion Express company. Soon after the arrival of Sinclair in Trail it was noticed that he was a man of dissipated habits, and it known that he frequented saloons and gambling houses. Sinclair was older than Brewster and seems to have exerted an evil influence over him. The First Step in Crime.

It seems that the first step in crime was made by Sinclair. About a month unique and uncommon, a trip to Chinafor some freight. This he took without the knowledge of Brewster and lost in a gambling den. Sinclair confessed the their of the 2000 to Provide town will be found well worth the trouble; and they are sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that of the 2000 to Provide the trouble; and they are sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that the trouble is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that the trouble is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that the trouble is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that the trouble is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly that the trouble is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly is the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly in the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly in the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the offer of a friendly in the sure to be greeted with a very cordial "Kung-ahe-soun-neen" and the sure to be greeted with a very theft of the \$300 to Brewster shortly after he lost the money, and the latter, with a desire to shield his friend and associate, endeavored to hide his guilt, and the presumption is that the two sought to make up the loss made by Sinclair by taking further chances at the gambling table. It is known to a cer-tainty that a number of other sums since been abstracted from the funds of the railway company, and that the total deficit will aggregate about \$1,500. Nearly all of this sum is said to have been lost at the gambling table. Brewster, when he saw that luck was going against him and his pal, began to drink heavily. This came to the attengoing against him and his pair, began to drink heavily. This came to the attention of F. P. Gutelius, general superintendent of the Columbia & Western, and J. W. Kimball the auditor. Brewster was threatened with dismissal un-less he abstained from drinking.

They Became Frantic. This caused the two embezzlers to be-come frantic with fear that their pecula-tions would be discovered. They made the most energetic efforts to raise funds with which to replace the sum which they had stolen. Their friends were ap-pealed to for loans, but they were un-able to raise the required sum. In fact, it was through their efforts in this direction that the fact that the money had en stolen finally came to the ears of been stolen finally came to the ears of Messrs. Gutelius and Kimball. Sinclair was the first to realize that detection was certain, and he resolved to flee from the wrath to come and to leave his friend Brewster to face the music. On Wednesday last he left Trail for Rossland, telling Brewster that his purpose in coming here was to endeavor to raise money among friends here to be used in making up their deficit. The nsed in making up their deacts. The presumption is that he fide across the line, as he has not been seen since. Before this Sinclair had sent his wife to Nelson, presumably to give color to the impression that he was to follow her and that the officers of the law would, when the hue and cry was raised, first seek him in that city.

Brewster Arrested. On Wednesday afternoon Brewster was arrested. The matter was kept quiet until he was brought before Justice Topping yesterday to answer the charge of embezzlement. The defendant was re-manded without bail pending a full ritery in bond auditing of the affairs at the railway The exact amount embezzled

will soon be known.

There are still some details of the story of the downfall of Brewster and Sinclair that have not as yet been made public. It is thought that Mr. Keeley, who kept a butcher shop at Trail, is in some way connected with the affair. It is known that Keeley paid considerable money to Sinclair for the transportation otheef. Keeley has disappeared. Early in the month he purchased a ticket from Frail to Robson and return. Fled to Spokane.

When he returned from Robson he bought a ticket from Trail to Rossland and return. He came to Rossland and the next heard of him was on the 7th instant, when he was seen at Spokane. It is thought that the loss will fall on F. P. Gutelius, the general superintendent of the road, and J. W. Kimball, the auditor, for the reason that Brewster and Sinclair were not under bonds. It is claimed that the rule is to hold such officers responsible for losses where they fail to place employes who handle money

### THREE TO THREE.

A Tie Game Between the Junior Clubs

Thursday Night. There was a small but enthusiastic gathering at the rink Thursdayto see the first match between the Victorias and the Rosslands second hockey teams,

dulging in a good deal of body checking, and rough play. The game was exciting from start to finish, but there was an entire lack of team play. Taylor, for the Rosslands, played a good game at cover point, and Rea at point was always ready for an attack. Wilkin and Turnbull were most in evidence on the Rosslands forward line. For the Victorias de Voin at point excelled himself at lifting and relieving, and was the main factor of the Victorias defence the victoria to the victoria that he left Saturbies that he left Saturbies the trouble away from him. Sold by deinterested to learn that he left Saturbies the victoria, and was struck on the victoria that his head had to be treatived. The victoria the victorian that he left Saturbies that his head had to be treatived. The victorian the whistle for the face off.

Victorias forward line Armstrong, Ridout, Kennedy and McDonald played well, on the individual plan, but they should take a few lessons from the Lions and the Tigers at combination play. At half time the score stood, Rosslands, two goals; Victorias, 1.

two goals; Victorias, 1.
In the first half Taylor and McDonald came together in a not altogether par-liamentary style, but as each left a splendid opening for the other's attack they came to the very sensible conclusion that it was better to quit even, so re-

sumed their play.

Armstrong and Wilkin clinched in the second half, but, like two sportsmen, seperated without striking in the break-The teams should lose no time in get-

ting together again for the decisive CHINESE NEW YEAR.

by Rossland Mongols. Medes and Persians. And so the Chinese New Year is being celebrated in Rossthousands of years ago. All Chinatown is en fete, and at midnight on Wednesday lanterns were lighted, copious libations of sui chow and a multitude of evil smelling cigars were indulged in by visiting friends. Religious services were first attended and then in rooms gaily decorated and lighted by innumerable Chinese lanterns, redolent with all the himself can tolerate and accompanied by fearful and discordant groans and shrieks from the one stringed "tu hui" and the sonorous "cha," the merry Mongols parsonorous "cha," the merry mongotoble took of everything delicious from "lichees" to the indispensable pork. The festivities are to continue for a week and the bland and suave Oriental is only too glad to initiate his Melican brother into the weird and mystic rites and fantastic ceremonials of their quaint customs. To those interested in the will be found well worth the

Kipling to Captain Evans. Rudyard Kipling has presented Capt. obley D. Evans with a set of his works Robley D. Evans with a set of his wo and a letter containing these verses:

Zogbaum draws with a pencil, And I do things with a pen; But you sit up in a conning tower Bossing eight hundred men.

Zogbaum takes care of his business, And I take care of mine; But you take care of ten thousand tons Skyshooting through the brine.

Zogbaum can handle his shadows, And I can handle my style; But you can handle a ten inch gun

To him that hath shall be given, And that's why these books are sent To the man who has lived more stories Than Zogbaum or I could invent.

Curling Point Competition. The Rossland curling club held their Point competition Friday at the rink, for the bonspiel gold medal, R. Dalby Morkill, Jr., coming out first with a total of 38. The other clubs have yet to be heard from. The score:

Engineer Tye of the Columbia & Western railway, denies that the supplies
used in the construction of his road have

are Purchased in Canada.

Engineer Tye of the Columbia & Westfore he and Mr. Gooderham leave
Rossland a decision will be arrived at.
They will be be in Rossland for 10
in Rossland. This was done in December, 1897. During the year 1898 more used in the construction of his road have or are being purchased in the United States. Messrs. Foley Brothers & Larson, who are the principal contractors, Engineer Tye admits, are having the supplies they are using taken into the section around Christina lake and Grand Bellow and I can then talk to you. This is because of Yes." he added in reply to a remark, Forks via Bossburg. This is because of the high grades and bad roads prevent them from being transported via Bloom transported via Bloo them from being transported via Brookritory in bond.

125 MEN ENTRENCHED From the Inroads of Dreaded Catarrh -What Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Did for Mr. LeBlanc He Proves Will

Do for Others. Alfred LeBlanc of St. Jerome, Que. was a great sufferer for years with catarrh of a very severe type. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder rescued him when everything else had failed. Today when he goes to his lumber camp with his 125 men, this great remedy is considered as much a necessity to comfortable camp life as anything else. It relieves cold in the head in ten minutes; prevents the growing of catarrh germs, and when they are sown it cures them. Sold by Goodeve Bros.

Will Obey the Law. Messrs. Dickinson & Orde have been object of locating an office for the transfer of shares in the same district as their mine.

property, Nelson. WHEN HEART FAILS.

and a draw at three goals to three was the result. The game was set for 7 o'clock and at 7:15 Referee Roper blew the whistle for the face off. mended to try Dr. Agnew's Cure for the

ing Interest.

DOWN \$30.000 CASH

Hon. George B. Foster, Hon. Francis Climow, Donald McMillan and Associates Are the Purchasers—Development Will Be Pushed.

Edward C. Finch, secretary and manager of the Silver Queen mine at Cariboo creek, has sold all stock in the Silver Queen company to eastern capitalists. From the time that Paan Ku (the The total amount of the consideration is Chinese Adam) chiselled his way out of withheld, but \$30,000 is the amount of chaos and founded the Empire of the the cash paid. The purchasers are Hon. Pure, some 4,751 years ago, the ways of George E. Foster, minister of finance, the almond-eyed Mongolian have been Hon. Francis Climow, dominion senstor as fixed and immutable as those of the and Donald McMillan and associates The above named gentlemen have been land in the fashion of their sires of for some time endeavoring to secure the control of the stock of the company, but were unable to until Mr. Finch, heretofore the controlling owner, decided to sell. This throws the control into the hands of the above named capitalists. The mine is still under the same manage-ment, and another shift will be put to work to rush development, as the new owners expects to ship a quantity of ore Mining and mercantile interests of before the rawhiding season is over. vast dimensions have already arisen There are at present 12 men at work, and the number will be increased to 16

within a few days.

A crosscut tunnel is being driven to tap the ledge at a perpendicular depth of 250 feet. The tunnel has been driven for 130 feet and progress is being made at the rate of five feet per day, but with the increased force five or all feet. with the increased force five or six feet per day, but with the increased force five or six feet per day will be made. At this rate the ledge will be reached in about 20 days, there being only 120 feet more to run.

Mr. Finch has been in charge of the irrection of its development. mine since the beginning of its development and has spent his whole time in its promotion and much is credited to his ability and judgment for the manner in which the property has been de-

when interviewed last night he stated that he had tendered the company his resignation and requested them to re-lieve him by the 1st of March, and that his intention was still to operate in British Columbia. He further stated that he still had an option on 200,000 shares of the Silver Queen stock. The buyers show their confidence in the property for the reason that they have for some time been heavy stockholders.

### WAR EAGLE MAGNATES

Gooderham and Blackstock Arrived Here Yesterday.

The Department Store Matter Has Not Been Settled Yet, But Will Be Next Week.

George Gooderham, president, and T. G. Blackstock, vice-president, of the War Eagle Consolidated Mining and Development company, arrived in Roseland yesterday over the Red Mountain road and immediately drove up to the War Eagle offices.

Mr. Blackstock stated to a MINER reporter that at present they were unable of the company in Rossland in connec- often involving of the company in Rossland in connection with the big department store that had been discussed, and it would be a few days yet before they could. The matter is under consideration, and be-

BLUE GROUSE CAMP. Superintendent Pollock Tells What

Has Been Accomplished. H. C. Pollock, who for the last seven months has been superintending the development work on the Millie Mack, of the Blue Grouse mountain group on Cariboo creek, has just returned to bly showeth that: Rossland on a much desired vacation, Rossiand on a much desired variation, and has the following to say about the work accomplished: "Since August 1 court house on lands of the crown, we have partly made two and three-quarter miles of wagon road/from Mineral to Columbia and First avenue; and trail to the court house on lands of the crown, situate in the city of Rossland, between Columbia and First avenue; and Blue Grouse mountain, built a good trail on an eight to 10 per cent grade five and on an eight to 10 per cent grade live and a half miles up the modutain to the Millie Mack mine; built good cabins, stables and blacksmith shop, and opened 300 feet of surface crosscuts, and ran 500 feet of tunnels, winzes and uprises. We seeked about 100 tons of average grade communicated with by the manager of sacked about 100 tons of average grade the Athabasca company in answer to their letter published in our columns of the 8th instant, stating that arrangethe 8th instant, stating that arrange-the 8th instant, stating that arrange-ments are being entered into with the ments are being entered into with the the smelter, for a test sample of the the smelter, for a test sample gave an avermine. The mine samples gave an average of \$22.56 gold and 35 ounces silver per ton, and the smelter sample should be near about that amout. All of the miners who worked in the miners who worked Charm Vanishes-No Case of miners who worked in the mine, swear Heart Disease Dr. Agnew's Cure for by the Millie Mack, and the prospectors the Heart Will Not Relieve in 30 owning claims in the district point to it Winutes, and Permanently Cure. with pride. Mining on Blue Grouse Thos. Petry of Aylmer, Que., says that mountain should be undertaken by large Thos. Petry of Aylmer, Que., says that mountain should be undertaken by large ing such prominents in grade in that a court house should occupy.

for about five years he was a constant capital, that can afford compressed air that a court house should occupy.

J. A. Webb Becomes a Benedict.

# ANOTHER JUDGE WANTED THE SOLONS IN VICTORIA J. B. Johnson & Co.

in the Matter.

the Court House on Some Better Site.

A meeting of the Bar association of Rossland was held Friday evening, F. this afternoon H. C. Helgesen, seconded M. McLeod, chairman and Edward by his colleague from Cariboo, Major-Oronyn, secretary. In addition to these General Kinchant, moved a resolution there were present: J. L. G. Abbott, J. directing the attention of the govern-S. Clute, Jr., R. W. Armstrong, W. J. ment to the employment of Chinese and Nelson, W. S. Deacon, A. H. MacNeill, Japanese by the Consolidated Cariboo A. C. Galt and C. R. Hamilton.

that came before the meeting was the that came before the meeting was the consideration of the report of the committee regarding the necessity of an additional judge of the supreme court. The report which was adopted and ordered to be transmitted to the proper authorities, reads as follows:
Report of Messrs. C. R. Hamilton and

A. C. Galt, acting as a committee of the Bar association of Rossland, regarding the desirability and necessity of securing the appointment of a judge of the supreme court of British Columbia to be a resident of Rossland.
Rossland was incorporated as a city in

the year 1897, and it has grown so rapidly in population that it has already become the third largest city in the prov-

and litigation, involving enormous sums of money, is constantly being prosecuted in the supreme court, but owing to the fact that no supreme court judge resides nearer to us than Vancouver, which is 692 miles away and takes two days to reach, great delay is occasioned to litigants, which, in many instances, amounts to a denial of justice altogether.

tions of a supreme court judge, Rossland is practically excluded from this advantage by reason of the fact that no county court judge resides here. Consequently litigants are deprived of the opportunity of issuing a capias or taking any other speedy and effectual steps to avoid loss in the case of debtors who decide to cross in the case of debtors who decide to cross the United States boundary line, which s only six miles away.

But even the permanent residence of a county court judge in Rossland would wholly be inadequate to meet the requirements of business here, masmuch as there are many important subjects which are excluded from the supreme court jurisdiction of the county court which are exclude

Amongst the subjects which are ex-pressly excluded are the following:

1. Matters relating to criminal pro-

ceedings.

2. Habeas corpus.

Mandamus.
Payment of money out of court sing with payment of money into court. 6. Staying proceedings after verdict

of judgment.

It has also been held by supreme court judges that the county court judges have no jurisdiction. 7. In proceedings to wind up a company under the Dominion Winding Up

Nor to appoint a receiver. Whenever it becomes advisable or necessary for any of the above proceeding to be taken, the papers have to be forwarded by solicitors at Rossland to their agents in Vancouver or Victoria, whereby not only is there great delay

information as to the plans whereby not only is there great delay

out of this sub-registry, involving property to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars. Your committee feel that the above brief statement of facts ought to convince any fair minded man that the Next week and I can then the year. Yes," he added in reply to a remark, interests of Rossland, and indeed of the "it would be a grand idea to get a cable road up here if any one would build it." province, imperatively require that a province, however, failed to say that the War reside here, and that if none of the reside here, and the reside here. province, imperatively require that a present bench can be spared for the purpose a new judge ought to be appointed.

A petition on the court house question asking that a better location be selected for the building was ordered sent to the attorney-general. The petition reads as

Whereas it is understood that it is the

Whereas some work has been done on the foundations thereof, indicating that proach, and in a comparatively unfrequented part of the said city; and

Whereas such intended location is unsuitable and inconvenient, and not in such a conspicuous position as such a public building ought to occupy, in the opinion of your petitioners; a

Columbia avenue, the prominent street of the city, would render the same more acceptable to the public, accessible to those having business to transact therein, and at the same time give the build ing such prominence as it is desirable

Therefore, Your petitioners humbly pray that such court house be constructed near and fronting upon Columbia avenue, the chief business thorough fare of the said city.

The Bar Association Takes Action A Resolution About Chinese and Japanese Labor Passed.

Petition to the Government to Locate Bill Providing for the Examination of Assayers Is Read a Second

VICTORIA, Feb. 9.—In the legislature Hydraulic Mining company, in alleged Among the most important matters violation of the spirit of their lease, which permits the employment of oriental labor only when white labor is

not available.

Ex-Premier Turner said his government shortly before their retirement had received a complaint to the same effect as this resolution, and had notified Mr. Hobson, the company's manager, that white laborers must be employed.
Mr. Hobson in reply had stated that a sufficient number of white men could not be secured. The resolution was

Mr. Neill's bill, respecting the bureau of mines, providing that assayers must pass an examination as to competency, was read a second time.

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The Toronto Work article under the head ada a Free Hand." this statement ought word of a new and p this country. Spec tie up the Dominio Referring to railway Another case: A

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(Editorial concluded from Page 4.) PROVINCIAL POLITIOS. Owing to the meagre and very unsat-

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Those who have known the attorney-

general in the past will easily recognize

his hand as the guiding one at the pres-

ent time, nor will his efforts cause sur-

prise, since they are quite consistent

with his very well known record. With

one action of the government Rossland

will have no complaint. The pro-

vincial board of health, under

simply a nuisance, blocking the

tion is welcome news, indeed. Our own

James M. Martin voiced the views of his

constituents in supporting the new order of things, which will enable the council to settle the sewage question in this city

of the contest in Nelson next week may

turn on this very question. We very

much doubt if the proposed bill concerning queen's counsel will meet with the

The election in Northeast Kootenay,

where W. C. Wells was returned by ac-

clamation on the 6th, will bear inspec-

tion; in the mean time the government have gained a seat. Mr. Martin is play-

ing a bold game. If he succeeds he will

be able to form a cabinet after his own

heart. If the Opposition gain Nelson

and can hold out any hope to independ-

ents the battle will still be a close one.

That party lines will be drawn sooner or

later no one doubts, but the present

state of affairs can hardly be satisfactory,

even to those who would gladly see a

purely business administration of our

local affairs, indifferent to or independ-

issues to the larger field of Dominion

A FREE HAND.

given of some attempts being made to

tie up the Dominion in various ways.

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ing to sew us up.

Are we thus "sewed up"?

ists of the Canadian Pacific railway be

again successful this year, or will the

people-particularly the people most in-

terested-have a "clear and regulating

voice"? If an offer is made, and we are

Referring to railway matters, the article

politics.

approval of the legal profession.

the former management,

isfactory parliamentary summary furnished by the Associated Press, it is CHEAP LIGHT.

usually necessary to wait the arrival of the coast papers to grasp what the proof the best quality at the lowest possible vincial house is doing. It is very clear, however, that the Hon. Joseph Martin is the controlling force in all the legislaformers aim at. tion that is going through the mill.

The question being a live one at the lighting, for the reason that electricity Five, \$400.68; Iron Mask, \$356.64. has been shown to be far cheaper. The

way for all improvements, and its abolielectrical company to put in a plant to compete in the street lighting, expecting draw from the contest. The city council having it all his own way, and the convenience of the contest is a close one; closer than the late gent headquarters if it shall be deemed company should succeed, the privilege sideration since the 4th of July last, but reserved to the city of purchasing the appeared to be too much overcome with the sanctity of the Columbia river to produce forever an annual dividend of ported in Friday's Tribune makes inter-This section of the Province is opposed five per cent. In two years after the esting reading. It being understood that to the alien mining law, and the result company began work in 1893, they paid the paper mentioned is strongly supa dividend of seven per cent. In 1896 a porting the ex-minister of mines. In the dividend of 11½ per cent, and in 1897 a report referred to, Mr. Hume's dividend of 10 per cent, on a capital of \$800,000. The amazement of lows: "J. Fred Hume was the the citizens at this demonstration of the first called upon to address marvellous cheapness with which electric lighting can be carried on may be imagined. They proceeded to exercise fourths of the audience were his suptheir right of purchase, and have issued porters," while Mr. Bodwell later on the promised five per cent stock to the is reported at length, to the extent of owners of the plant. The stock is now four columns, for the reason that "his quoted at 100 per cent premium. Had views are entitled to more weight than the Leeds city council possessed the attaches to the remarks of the ordinary foresight of the electric company they political speaker." At least that is the or less. Leeds will have to pay forever an minister of mines can be so described interest charge of \$40,000, but that is and disposed of by his own party paper street lighting that will save the city low gets in, since it is possible he may be thousands of pounds yearly. ent of party, relegating, in fact, all party

The importance of this demonstration needs no remark, but when a city like Leeds can make so very good a thing out of the change from gas to electricity, other municipalitities need not hesitate to adopt the light of modern times. These The Toronto World has a lengthy facts go to prove what has been claimed article under the heading of "Give Canwith respect to the extraordinary cheapada a Free Hand." The World thinks ness with which electricity can be prothis statement ought to be the watchduced and supplied for all purposes. word of a new and progressive party in this country. Specific examples are

THE SIBBALD REMOVAL.

T. D. Sibbald, late gold commissioner and government agent at Revelstoke, Another case: An attempt is being was summarily dismissed by the Martin made by the Canadian Pacific railway to government recently without any assigned cause. Whereupon a mass meetcolonial railway to the former corpora- ing at Revelstoke passed a unanimous tion. Sir William Van Horne today is resolution denouncing the act and de trying to secure rights over Canada's manding a parliamentary investigation. national system, between Halifax and The Nelson Tribune explains the matter

St. John, that would make the Intercolonial an annex of the Canadian Pacific. We want no long contract with
that road in this respect. Let Mr. Blair
take a firm stand and carry Sir William
Yan Horne's traffic and cars over the
Intercolonial at a reasonable figure, and
let him do the same for the Grand
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Trunk or any other railway that is seek
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stances. "Take up the white man's burden!
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closing verse is a trumpet call to dutyable to the member, but he held the
Trunk or any other railway that is seekTrunk or any other railway that is seekTrun St. John, that would make the Toter- as follows: ing the privilege, but let there be no long office nevertheless. The member bided time contract, or let there be no insinu- his time, and Sibbald was notified that ation of a C. P. R. partnership into the his services were no longer required. control and management of the national Had Sibbald been a manly man he would railway. Canada must keep her hands have resigned gracefully; but evidently free to use the Intercolonial for the he isn't, for he is taking up too much benefit of the people and as a regulating space in a local newspaper trying to prove that he should have the emolu-Canada, too, must have her hands free ments of office for life."

in regard to the fast Atlantic service. The Nelson Tribune does not voice the She must not be tied up to any port or prevailing sentiment of the people of to any steamship line, or to any railway British Columbia in the above. Its Penzance." It is now in order for New company, even the Canadian Pacific utterances are in line with the sentirailway. Canada must be free to choose ments of machine politicians, which that port and those lines of railway and are embodied in the idea that "To the the steamship companies which, to her victor belongs the spoils," which is used mind, will give the country the best and by party hacks in the United States. fastest service and still allow her to take This idea does not nor will it prevail in advantage in the near future of any im- British Columbia, where politics are proved port, or any improved railway conducted on a different plan. route or any improved ranway Mr. Sibbald's tenure of office the ocean. Somebody is busy today try-should have lasted through good behavior and should not have been The C. P. R. is pretending that the dependent upon the whim of the "10 per cent clause" has already tied member of the Provincial parliament for that riding. The people of Revelstoke late the freight charges of that road. were opposed to the removal of Sibbald, because he had proved himself a faithful, vigilant and popular officer, and ought to have a voice, a clear and reguhave been deprived of his position simply for the purpose of making room for lating voice, in the transportation ques-If this is the aspect of affairs in some henchman or friend of the repre- lowing institutions: Banks, loan com-Eastern Canada in matters vitally affeoting the whole Dominion, how are we who hold positions like that of gold

"sewed up"? Will the eminent lobby- reasons. MANY PRODUCTIVE MINES.

British Columbia is rapidly becoming noted for its productive mines. The Province exacts a tax on the output of assured that it will be, to open up the lode mines. The minister of mines recountry from the south, upon the same cently made a return to the legislature

that are in favor of free hands for the people and of all those who seem to be the largest producer of values in British OTIS STILL ON TOP in favor of tying up the country to Columbia. The reply of the minister of monopolies and great corporations of all mines does not bear out this assertion. It does show, however, that the Le Roi for the fiscal year mentioned above headed the list by paying \$7,528.45, A plentiful supply of water and light against \$6,124.92 the previous year. Next in amount is the Payne, \$5,922.56, rates is what all modern municipal re- in 1898, and 2,409.04 in 1897. The Silver King is third, \$4,411.00 and \$2,679.10. Then follows the Whitewater, \$2,398.28; present time attention is called to the Ruth, \$2,273.76; Reco, \$1,378.58; Cariboo interesting experience of Leeds, England, with the lighting problem. A 299.93. These are all that paid in excess coast exchange points out that this town of \$1,000. There are 85 mines that paid of over 400,000 population, owning and less than \$1,000, the chief of which are controlling its gas works, selling gas at the Idaho, \$898.81; the Cariboo (Camp Otis had another victory to record this the very low rate of 50 cents per thou- McKinney), \$840.50; No. 1, Slocan, sand feet, has been obliged to turn to an \$573.78; Last Chance, \$541.91; North ordinary every day company for street Star, \$531.55; Enterprise, \$491.14; Noble loss to the American side as the battle

THE NELSON ELECTION.

The result of the by-election in Nelson on Tuesday next will be awaited with interest. Hon, Mr. Hume is not been called on to rescue the perishing, and the account of a joint meeting held could have borrowed the money for the way the Tribune puts it. If the exnothing in comparison with the gain in a mining section like Nelson, we in from having discovered a method of Rossland will not worry if the other felsomething more than just "ordinary."

A POPULAR POWER.

Electricity is rapidly coming into use in the camp. The Coxey, the War Eagle and the Iron Mask have each installed plants which are driven by electricity. It is stated that the British from the surgeon-general in regard to the health and condition of troops in the plation the substituting of electricity for steam on their several properties. Some of the printing concerns of the city, including THE MINER, are using electric power for driving their machinery, and the use of this energy promises to grow in time to a point even beyond the quan-

Have done with childish days—
The lightly proffered laurel,
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Comes now to search your manhood
Through all the thankless years,
Cold, edged with dear-bought wisdom
The judgment of your peers.

THE little always imitate the big. This is evidenced by the fact that Nelson is now organizing an amateur opera society. It will be remembered that Rossland organized such a society some time since and produced "The Pirates of Denver and Silverton to imitate the example of Nelson. In time there promises to be enough amateur opera singers in the Kootenays to organize a professional company, which would be able to produce grand opera.

ONTARIO'S REVENUE TAX. Treasurer Harcourt Will Levy on

Many Corporations. TORONTO, Out., Feb. 11.—The Evening Telegram this afternoon says: There is still a great doubt as to the terms of the revenue producing legislation which Hon. R. H. Harcourt is expected to introduce next week. The government has been gathering information as to the taxpaying capabilities of various institutions, and when the measure is laid be fore the house, provisions will be made for the annual provincial tax on the fol-

Similarly situated in the West. Is the Boundary Creek country to remain "Sewed no."2 Will the commissioner should be beyond the progress along the line of least resistance and the taxation will not apply to street companies in any municipality other than a city. It is not known yet whether the mileage or gross earnings will be taxed, but it is certain that Hon. Richard Harcourt will call upon the street railway companies to stand and deliver.

Stuck on Newspapar Work. Montreal, Feb. 11 .- A. Dansereau postmaster, has returned from New York, and confirms the report that he or even better terms, than was offered in compliance with a resolution requesting resign his position worth \$4,000 a will resign his position worth \$4,000 a will resign his position worth \$4,000 a year, to take the editorial managership of La Presse. He says he did not go to the result. The public generally has been educated during the interval that has elapsed, and in the concluding words of the article referred to "the public is beginning to keep track of these public men and these newspapers by the several mines in the shape of a tax on their output. The ground covashington to see Sir Wilfrid Laurier, as had been stated and added: "In company with M. Berthiaume, editor of the public is beginning to keep track of that official reports often are damaging that official reports of the says he did not go to Washington to see Sir Wilfrid Laurier, as had been stated and added: "In the presse, I went to New York, where we had the pleasure of inspecting the large newspaper buildings."

He Will Probably Have Aguinaldo Captured Soon.

UNLESS HE STEALS WINGS

The Rebel Chief's Power Gone-Emissaries of the Filipinos Badly Scared in San Francisco - Report of the Health of the Troops.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—General Caloocan did not result is as heavy a morning, it is believed to have been just as important in its results. Caloocan is on the line of railway connecting Manila with Malos, the insurgent capital and it may be that the capture of the first named town will make it possible to ad-

Aguinaldo's Power Over. The officials here are encouraged today by General Otis' quotation of the opinion of creditable persons among the Filipinos, it is understood, to the effect that Aguinaldo no longer has the power to keep the insurgents under his lead; this points to an early submission of the insurgents to the American government. None will be allowed to come into Manila, however, unless they have laid down their arms for good. As for Aguinaldo, it is now believed that he will refuse to the last to make terms that would meet with the approval of General Otis and that when the insurrection falls through he will make his escape to the continent rather than remain in Luzon.

May Come Through Canada. San Francisco, Feb. 11.—The two Filipino commissioners, Major-General Erigo de Dios, who was a commander of a division of Aguinaldo's army, and Senor M. Riviera, a wealthy merchant of Manila, who arrived here yesterday on the steamer American Maru, are in a badly flustered condition. Riviera speaks English fluently. He asked anxiously whether any spies would be set upon them, and whether there was any could have borrowed the money for the installation of the plant at 3 per cent, or less Leeds will have to pay forever an whether any spies would be set upon them, and whether there was any danger of their arrest. The commissioners decline to outline their future plans, but it is likely that they will go to Vancouver at once and travel over the Canadian Pacific road to join Agon-

Health of the Troops. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- In response to a resolution of inquiry the secretary of war today sent to the senate a statement

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Before His Honor William Ward Spinks, Local Judge.

In the matter of the Goods of Paul Langham [L. S.] in time to a point even beyond the quantity which the present company is able to furnish.

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RUDYARD KIPLING, who has just arrived in America, took the precaution to issue his opinion in advance of what the nation ought to do under existing circumstances. "Take Up the White Man's as ordered, for the due administration of the said estate and effects of paul Langhamity (L. S.)

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 Northport
 1:00 p. m

 Arrive 3:10 p. m.
 Rossland
 Leave 11.55 a. m
 ARRIVE .....6:30 p. m. .....1:00 p. m. No change of cars between Spokane and Rossland.

Rossland.

Tickets on sale all over the world.
Close connections at Nelson with steamers for Kaslo and all Kootenay lake points.
Passengers for Kettle river, Boundary Camp and Boundary creek connect at Marcus and Bossburg with stage daily.

H. W. Ruff, Agent, Rossland, B. C. Seatle & Dewar, Agents, Trail, B. C. C. G. Dixon, G. P. T. A., Spokane, We

A FEW INTERESTING FACTS...

When people are contemplating a trip, whether on business or pleasure, they naturally want the best service obtainable so far as speed, comfort and safety is concerned. Employee of the WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES are paid to serve the public and our trains are operated so as to make close connections with diverging lines at all junction points.

Pullman Palace Sleeping and Chair Cars on through trains.

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Dining Car service unexcelled. Meals served a la Carte.
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THE WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES and you will make direct connections at St. Paul for Chicago, Milwaukee and all points Rast. For any further information call on any ticket agent, or correspond with

JAS. C. POND, General Pass. Agent, Milwaukee, Wis JAS. A. CLOCK, Genral Agent, 246 Stark Street, Portland, Ore.

Reverend A. H. Macfarlane, Franktown, Ont., advises all men who are weak and who desire a speedy and perfect cure Dr. G. H. Bobertz, 252 Woodward Ave , Detroit, Mich.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Dewdney mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Deer Park mountain (west side.)

Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet (acting as agent for Charles E. Hope and myself) Free Miner's Certificate No. 34 0634, intend 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 27, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1899.

Certificate of Improvements.

Hamlet Fraction mineral claim situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On the south slope of Red Mountain, covering the ground once located as the Legal Tender mineral claim.

the south slope of Reu Moultain, Cotarion aground once located as the Legal Tender mineral claim.

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting as agent for T. B. Garrison, free miner's certificate No. 3855 A. intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

2-9-10t

Rossland Red Mountain Gold Mining Company (Foreign).

ing Company (Foreign).

Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Rossland Red Mountain Gold Mining company (foreign) will be held at the office of Daly & Hamilton, solicitors, Rossland, B. C., on Wednesday, the first day of March, 1899, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable, of passing a resolution authorizing the disposal of the whole, or any portion, of the assets of the company, and to transact such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting.

Dated at Rossland, B. C., this 23rd day of January, A.D., 1899.

F. LEWIS CLARK, F. LEWIS CLARK, Secretary.

Ethel Group Company.

meeting.
Dated this 24th day of January, 1899.
J. FYFE,

Liquidators' Sale of Unclaimed Shares.

Tenders will be received by me up to the 23rd day of January, 1899, for the whole or any part of the unclaimed shares of the Carbonate Silver Mines, Limited, (non-personal liability). These shares are not claimed by the shareholders of the Carbonate Silver Mining Company, Limited Liability, under terms of sale to the Carbonate Silver Mines, Limited (non-personal liability). Tenders must be accompanied by cash, draft or marked check for 25 per cent of the price bid for the shares.

Hashes. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
Liquidator Carbonate Silver Mining Co., Ltd. Ly.
Rossland. B. C., Dec. 19th, 1898.
N. B. Notice is hereby given that the date for the above-mentioned sale has been postponed he above-mentioned sale has intil the 31st inst. January 23, 1899. N. B. Notice is hereby given that the date for N. B. Notice is hereby given that the date for N. B. Notice is hereby given that the date for N. B. Notice is hereby given that the date for

the above-mentioned sale has break the above-mentioned sale has break until February 15th, 1899.
P. C. McARTHUR, Dated this 1st day February, 1899.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax Act. West Kootenay District, Nelson

ing rates, viz.: If paid on or before 30th June, 1890.

Three-fifths of one per cent on real property.
Two and one-half per cent on assessed value of wild land.
One-half of one percent on personal property.
On so much on the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, namely, upon such excess of income when the same is not more than ten thor-and dollars one per cent; when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and not more than twenty thousand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent; when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars, one and one-half of one per cent.
If paid on or after 1st July, 1890.
Four-fifths of one per cent on real property.
Three per cent on the assessed value of wild land.
Three-fourths of one per cent on personal property.

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On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, namely, upon such excess when the same is not more than ten thousand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent; when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and not more than twenty thousand dollars one and one-half of one per cent; when such excess is twenty thousand dollars one and three-quarters of one per cent.

Provincial revenue tax, three dollars per capita.

Assessor and Collector.

Kaslso, B. C., 23rd January, 1899.

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PartI V. "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897."

1. This is to certify that the Rossland Air Supply company, limited, a specially incorporated company within the meaning of Part IV, of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," incorporated on the 30th day of September, 1898, has submitted its undertaking to the lieutenant-governor in council for approval, which said undertaking, as shown by the documents and plans filed with the undersigned is as follows: To erect hydraulic air compressors at the junction of Beaver creek and the Columbia river, in the Trail Creek mining division of Kootenay district, or to erect an electric plant, and to operate the same by the use of three thousand two hundred (3,200) inches out of Reaver creek, 500 inches out of the main Salmon river, and 1,500 inches out of the main Salmon river, and 1,500 inches out of the main Salmon river, and 1,500 inches out of the main Salmon river, company for the purpose of supplying compressed air or electricity, and conveying the same through conduit pipes or wires to the mines in the Trail Creek mining division, and for general power purposes; and that the said undertaking as so submitted has been approved.

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proved.

2. And this is further to cerify that the amount of capital of the said company, which shall be duly subscribed before the said company commences the construction of its undertaking and works, or exercises any of the power of the water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," Part IV., in that behalf, is hereby fixed at the sum of \$200,000.

IV., in that behalt, is necesy hereby hereby 2200,000.

3. And this is further to certify that the time within which such capital is to be subscribed is fixed at six months from the date hereof, and the time within such undertaking and works are to commenced is fixed at six months from the date hereof, and the date by which such works shall be in operation is fixed at the 1st of April, 1901.

Dated this 24th day of January, 1890.

W. S. GORE, Water Commis

Water Commissioner.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 24th January, 1899.

Certified to by
A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
4t-w Deputy Clerk of the Executive Council.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

James Stanley mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On the north side of Rock Creek, south of the Winnie Davis mineral

Take notice that I, J. A. Kirk, acting as agent Take notice that I, J. A. Kirk, acting is agent. for A. G. Elliott, free miner's certificate No. 0620A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1898.

12-8-10t

J. A. KIRK.

> Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Douglas mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district, Where located: On Sophie mountain.

Take notice that I,O.B.N Wilkie, P.M.C. 33,745A. acting as agent for R. H. Smith, free miner's certificate No. 12,405A, intend 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 10th day of December, 1898.

2-8-10t

O. B. N. WILKIE, P. L. S.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Aaron's Isle, Aaron's Star, Aaron's Gem and Aaron's Fraction mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: East of the Columbia river, about five miles east of Waterloo, at the head of Iron creek.

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting as agent for Nils Pearson, free miner's certificate No. 9975A, and Wm. Gibson, free miner's certificate No. 9975A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 21st day of December, 1898.

12-22-10t

F. A. WILKIN.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Yreka Fraction and April Fool mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of Kootenay district. Where located — On Deer Park mountain, about, 1,500 feet west from the Roderick Dhu.

Take notice that I, J. A. Kirk, acting as agent for Fred J. Smith, free miner's certificate No. 32532 a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant for the above claim.

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

Dated this 10th day of December, 1898.

12-22-10.

J. A. KIRK. NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

High Ore No. 2, 1 ral and Dandy No. 2 mineral claims, situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: About three miles southeast of Rossland, is the valley between Lake and Lookout mountains.

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting as agent for R. Miller, free miner's certificate No. 11,502A, intend 60 days from the date hereot, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issussection 37, must be commenced before the section 27. paction 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

F. A. WILKIN.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1898. 12-22-10th

> Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE.

Fool Hen Mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: North of and adjoining the Phoenix and Nest Egg mineral claims, on the southwest corner of the original Rossland town-

southwest corner of the original Rossland townsite.

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting as agent for John R. Stussi, Free Miner's certificate No. 13,327 A. James E. Poupore, Free Miner's certificate No. o21 A, and Peter Genelle, Free Miner's certificate No. o27 A, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 25th day of January, 1899.

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE. Copper Queen mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: on Trail creek, believed to the Country of the Copper and the

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the statutes, that Provincial Revenue tax and all taxes levied under the Assessment, act are now due for the year, 1899. All the above named taxes collectible within the West Kootenay district, Nelson division, are payable at my office. Kaslo. Assessment taxes are collectible at the following rates, viz.: If paid on or before 30th June, 1890.

Three-fifths of one per cent on real property. Two and one-half per cent on assessed value of wild land.

One-half of one percent on personal property. On so much on the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, namely, upon such excess of income when rates are

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Lulla mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On the south slope of Red mountain. between the Le Roi and Centre Star mineral claims.

Take notice that I, F. A. Wilkin, acting as agent for Charles J Schleif, free miner's certificate No. 124,02A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

2-2-10t F. A. WILKIN.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Chance mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining Division of West Kootenay district. Where located: About two miles northwest of Rossland, adjoining the Blue Elephant and Morning Star mineral claims.

Take notice that I, F A. Wilkin, acting as agent for Lulu F. Largey, free miner's certificate No. 34,320A (administratrix of the estate of P. A. Largey, deceased), and George E. Pfunder, free miner's certificate No. 12,761A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 1st day of February, 1899.

2-2-10t F. A. WILKIN. NOTICE.

Certificate of Improvements.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Lincoln Fraction mineral claim, situate in the Trail Creek Mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: Near First avenue, city of Rosslaud.

Taken notice that I, Kenneth L, Burnet (acting as agent for J. J. Henegar. F. M. L. No. 12800, F. R. Blocksberger, F. M. L. No. 34240A, and Jas. Paccalo, Free Miner's Certificate No. 34053A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 6th day of February, 1899.

KENNETH L. BURNET.

T. MAAYNE DLY Q. C.

Daly & H milton.

Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries.

Rossland .B. C.

GEO. F. COPELAND, Superintenden

### Harry Lippman's Rossland Comme cial Company, Limited.

FLOATED ON PURE WIND

The Investors Have the Experience and the Promoter Has the Money. and Is Presumably Having a Good Time Disbursing It.

to secure a settlement. The organiza-tion of the company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman B. C. secured considerable money out of the scheme which, it is alleged, he converted scheme which, it is alleged, he converted to his own use. Lippman is on the other side of the international boundary line, and is said to be enjoying himself over there. The reason for his leaving Rossland and his long stay abroad may be conjectured from the following:

W. H. Paul, when intervied on the subject, granted a Miner reporter a very cordial and fully explanatory interview.

Mr. Paul said in substance: "Lippman came to us early in Decem

ber with a proposition to float a company for the establishment of a large departmental store to be conduted here in Rossland. He said he had the Gooderham-Blackstock company behind him. He said he had credentials from Gooderham-Blackstock company behind him. He said he had credentials from Gooderham-Blackstock. He was asked to produce them. But with suave and unctuous phraseology, with urbane gesticulations and obsequious genufiexions he explained why he could not produce them forthwith. He was given time. They were never produced. He claimed, also, to have the backing of Mr. Durant and the Honorable C4. H. Mackintosh. representing the British was blown up in the harbor of Havana and 266 American seamen lost their lives. The event was remembered in this city today. Flags were flying at half mast on the city hall, the public schools and all other public buildings. Nearly all the vessels in the harbor had flags at half mast. Private residences were pictures of the ill-fated battleship with the phrase, "Remember the Maine." Mackintosh, representing the British Maine." America corporation, but the credentials were never produced. Mr. Lippman finally explained the dereliction by blandly asseverating that on account of the Truck Act, neither Mr. Blackstock the Truck Act, neither Mr. Blackstock nor Mr. Mackintosh wished to have his name mentioned in connection with the will be built by the Cramp Shipbuilding scheme. As a man representing Gooderham and Blackstock, we entertained
his suggestion which was known as
the Rossland Commercial company,
limited liability. There were no shows limited liability. There were no shares sold, as we did not wish to put them on the market until the majority had been the majority had been the market until the majority had been the majority had been the market until the majority had been the majority had been the market until the majority had been the market until the majority had been the majority had bee subscribed for. They were never sub-

Mr. Lippman \$80.75 to enable him to meet sundry debts, which heat osettle in town before he could leave. Some of these debts, I understand, he did not psy. On the 6th, I advanced \$127.70 to defray his traveling expenses. On the 17th, I received this telegram: 'Sold 60,000 shares, expenses'. On the 8th legram: 'Sold 60,000 shares, expenses' in the leave montreal tomerrow. Wire Blackstock cash my draft \$150.00; see letters.' I may add that these letters have not arrived yet. I replied to Mr. Blackstock that I would honor the draft on presentation. About an hour later I received the following telegram from Toronto: 'Will you accept H. E. Lippman's draft for \$150? V. D. Williamson.' I replied that as I had not the pleasure of Williamson's acquaintance and had not been advised of any such monetary transactions I would not accept the draft. That is the last I head of Mr. Lippman or his scheme. He saw me in the Kootenay when he returned; said he had done well, was tired and would meet us all at 10 in the morning. At 8:45 he left for Spokane. He is a special to the suttempts at repairing in the following telegram from Toronto: 'Will wou accept the draft. That is the last I head of Mr. Lippman or his scheme. He saw me in the Kootenay when he returned; said he had done well, was tired and would meet us all at 10 in the morning. At 8:45 he left for Spokane. He miles distant. Attempts at repairing On the 5th of December, I advanced Mr. Lippman \$80.75 to enable him to

ment of a worthless check, and poured water. The hurricane continued for two many anathemas on his departed head. Mr. Lippman is happy, smiling and bespeckled and bespangled with diamonds, and appears to be happy—across the line. There are said to be others are said to be others. monds, and appears to be happy—across the line. There are said to be others who put their trust in Mr. Lippman.

Mr. Lippman issued a prospectus of Rossland Commercial company, the Rossland Commercial company, which contained the names of Ross Thompson, Hon. T. Mayne Daly, F. W. Rolt, James Martin, M. P. P., Harry Lippman, W. H. Paul & Co. and Edward Baillie as proposed directors. All of these gentlemen, who were seen, disavow all connection with the company and it is certain that their names pany, and it is certain that their names were used without their knowledge or nsent. The prospectus among other things savs:

This company is formed for the purpose of trading in groceries, hardware. dry goods, crockery, machinery, and all kinds of mine, smelter and general sup-

The headquarters of the company will be in Rossland, where a suitable site has been secured for the necessary buildings giving ingress and egress on both sides convenient to the mines and in the cen-

ter of population in Rossland.

No company of this kind has yet been formed in the Trail Creek district of British Columbia. But the success of such concerns in Montana and other the concerns in Montana and other than the concerns in the concer sections of the United States has been most marked in every instance.

The opening for such a company to supply Rossland and the surrounding country is a very remarkable one. The following estimate has been made

by a gentleman long connected with the wholesale and retail trade in Rossland and is well within the mark, estimated upon actual figures of the number of miners actually employed in Rossland

of the territory is \$2,000,000 per annum. many unpleasant symptoms that lead to trouble are experienced. A few doses of nature's health restorer will quickly set 10 per cent clear on its annual turnover this will represent 50 per cent per annum on the capital of the company.

As a matter of fact the net profit on life to be that you have long neglected.

Kootenay and many other mines, and of the Northport smelter; of the Trail smelter, and of the management of the Jumbo mine. Members of these companies and of many other mining companies in Rossland are themselves or through nominees already applicants for a large proportion of the capital stock of the company.

MONEY IN MONTREAL

Smith Curtis Says It Is Plentiful for Legitimate Purposes.

Arrangements have been perfected to place the business management in the hands of men thoroughly familiar with the business, both as regards its general characteristics and local requirements.

The Rossland Commercial company, limited liability will be able to have

The Rossland Commercial company, limited liability, will be able to buy cheaper and sell cheaper than any firm doing business in the mining districts of British Columbia.

To the future expansion of the busi

MOURNING THE MAINE

New York Was in Sackcloth and Ashes Yesterday.

Philadelphia, However, Celebrated the Anniversary of the Disaster by Starting A New Maine.

New York, Feb. 15 .- A year ago today the United States battleship Maine was blown up in the harbor of Havana

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—The anniversary of the blowing up of the battleship Maine was marked here with the be-ginning of work on the powerful man-of-

American Steamer.
PLYMOUTH, Eng., Feb. 15.—The Hamburg-American steamer Pretoria, Captain Koppf, which sailed from Hamburg on January 29 for New York, and which was

Troubles and Dangers That Stomach rangements Bring On.

Paine's Celery Compound Banishes Every Difficulty and Restores Perfect Health.

Stomach troubles are exceedingly common and varied in character. To-day thousands complain of stomach derangements. Stomach difficulties are usually manifested by poor appetite, foul

s 360.000 sq.,000 sq.,

the digestive machinery of the body in

As a matter of fact the net profit on turnover on goods of this class has up to now been not less than 25 per cent.

The Rossland Commercial company, limited liability, has secured the support of the Gooderham-Blackstock group, inside liberty of the Gooderham-Blackstock group, inside liberty of the British America corporation, limited, controlling the Le Roi, No. 1, Josie, Nickel Plate, Great Western, Columbia-

Smith Curtis Says It Is Plentiful for

People Are Anxious to Put Their Capital Into Them as Well as Into Those That Are of a Promising Kind-Boundary Flotations.

apart from the class who buy shares for unless first satisfied of the merits of the property and of the reasonable certainty of its becoming a mine. Hence dividend paying shares are keenly sought and the competition is so great that the dividends will give but five or the price. six per cent per annum on the price paid. Next shares in partially developed properties disclosing pay ore in quantity meet with ready sale. Any other class of property is not in vogue at all. The interest in Rossland is unabated, but there is some disappointment that so long a time is necessary to develop a prospect into a shipper. The interest will be very keen as soon as two or three additional steady shippers are added to

"All eyes are turned to the Boundary ountry, and Montreal capital is already well represented there, and will lead in the development of that magnificent mining region. So far there has been no sag in the shares of any Boundary company floated in the east, but in nearcompany floated in the east, but in nearly every case the shares have greatly increased in value. The Montreal people, fortunate enough to get in the syndicate recently acquiring the B. C. mine in Summit camp are feeling good, and will, undoubtedly, make a big thing out of it. Major Leckie is to be congratulated on engineering this deal, and the development of the property will doubtless confirm the high opinion which I found Montreal share investers entertained of his ability as a mining engineer.

his ability as a mining engineer.
"My visit was in connection with the King Mining company's treasury shares.
W. Wallach had preceded Mr. MacNish
and myself to Montreal, and was very successful in inducing leading citizens to purchase, which they freely did, after thorough inquiry as to the merits of the Oro Denoro claim in Summit camp. All

bership fee came up and it was decided that the fee of \$10 should for the present year cover the annual dues. An amendment to the bylaws was made by which mining men and superintendents could more appropriate than frozen fog." be admitted to membership.

Mayor Goodeve advocated the ques

tion of making the new provincial building a combined courthouse and city hall. The members who were present at once became enthusiastic and as soon as it is known what amount has If You Would Avoid the been placed in the provincial estimates there will be a meeting of the city council and board of trade and a bylaw will probably be submitted to the taxpayers of Rossland to raise an equal

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 15 .- A letter rethat their mine on Dominion creek was

MONTREAL BOYS AHEAD. They Won the Hockey Match Yester-

MONTREAL, Feb. 15 .- The long talked of hockey match between Montreal and Winnipeg came off today and was very hotly contested. The Winnipeg Victo-PROFIT YIELDING MINES The second game was started right away,

The Marblehead Came Near Going to the Bottom.

JUST ETRURIA

In Time of Peace Cunard Passenge Steamer Comes Near to Destroyin One of Uncle Sam's Cracker Jac Cruisers.

New York, Feb. 15 .- In addition the many more or less apprehensive incidents attending a voyage of one con tinuous buffetting by heavy and stron gales, the passengers of the Cunard line Etruria, which arrived yesterday, ha an exciting experience on Monday morn ing of narrowly escaping a collision wit the United States cruiser Marblehead. The Ghost Walked.

At 10 o'clock on the morning named, when about 70 miles from Sandy Hook, the officers on the bridge of the Cunarder were startled by the apparation, arder were startled by the apparation, as Captain Ferguson described it, of a large vessel looking out of thick clouds of driving sleet and snow on the port bow, only a few lengths ahead of the Etruria and making directly across the bows of the latter vessel. Chief Officer Barr was the officer on the watch and was on the bridge with Captain Ferguson.

Instanly M Barr, divining the danger that threate ed, signalled to reverse the engines, then when the Etruria had engines, then when the Etruria had slowed down to a standstill the order was given to go full speed ahead, and with the helm hard a startboard the Cunarder passed under the stern of the Marbhehead, so close in fact were the two vessels that despite the mist, the officers on the bridges waved their hands to one another. Captain Ferguson of the Etruria was averse to saying much about the escape, but he remarked that if his vessel had struck the Marbhehead abeam, as would have happened undoubtedly if the engines had not been reversed, the cruiser must assuredly have gone to the bottom.

His Worst Voyage.

Speaking of his passage, Captain Fermade in the many years of his exand would meet us all at 10 in the morning. At 8:45 he left for Spokane. He told us to wait. We are still waiting."

George Green of the Grand Union, hunted around for Mr. Lippman for payment of a worthless check, and poured many anathemas on his departed head.

Mr. Lippman for payment of a worthless check, and poured many anathemas on his departed head.

Mr. Lippman is happed her course for Bishop's rock, 871 kas and four the gales were continuous. As a rule house and City Hall.

An adjourned meeting of the board of trade was held in the city offices last very high and oil was poured upon the water. The hurricane continued for two night, when the question of the memmany anathemas on his departed head.

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> BUNGRY AND THIRSTY. The Crew of a Steamer Have a Terrible

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 15 .- Every member of the crew of the wrecked steamship William Lawrence was saved, but only after the greater number of them had suffered terrible hardships. The tugs Cambria and Cynthia came in this evenamount to that contributed by the province, so that a respectable building can be erected on the government property. This property has a frontage on Columbia avenue of 120 feet and a depth back to First avenue of over 300 feet. This allows room fer a handsome structure and if the government, as expected, will allows room fer a handsome structure and if the government, as expected, will appropriate \$12,000 and the city an equal amount, a building that will be adequate for a long time can be provided.

The question will be decided in a few days.

THAT HALFPENNY REPUBLIC.

Nicaragua Is Declared to Be in a State of Seige.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 15.—President and serial state of seige.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 15.—President and interesting and searched every island and inlet northward until the castaways were found at 9 o'clock on Hunting island. Captain Willis and his men left the ship on Sunday at 9 o'clock. After 12 hours at sea in a blinding gale, the two boats under the captain and first officer made land on Caper's island, a desolate and barren little sand spot. In beaching, both of the boats were smashed and the men were thrown into the surf. Though almost exhausted they managed to scramble usually manifested by poor appetite, foul tongue and breath, putrid or bitter taste in the mouth, a desire for acids; some have headache, sleepy feeling, constipation, inactive bowels, and vomiting of food and bile.

Victims of stomach-trouble manifest low spirits, despondent mind, and have fears of impending danger. It matters not what the symptoms are; any of them the front as rapidly as they are collected. An uprising was recently discovered at Matagalpa. It was organized by a Catholic priest, who had been captured and is now on his way to the penitentiary.

South As ROSSLAND. In order to avoid the many dangers of indigestion, dyspepsia and general stome ach derangements, Paine's Celery Compound figures the estimated trade pound should be used when any of the In round figures the estimated trade pound should be used when any of the In round figures the estimated trade pound should be used when any of the In round figures the estimated trade pound should be used when any of the Indigestion, dyspepsia and general stome and the Indigestion, dyspepsia and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion and general stome and the Indigestion are represented by the Indigestion and general stome and After painful efforts they Sunday. After painful efforts the reached Hunting island. Some soldier ceived here from the Moore-MacFarlane who were stationed there took them in company of Ottawa in Klondike states

Big Fire in Chicago.

A FLOURISHING INSTITUTION. The Merchants' Bane of Halifax Did

From its inception in 1869 as a very small local bank in the then comparatively small town of Halifax, the Merchante' Bank of Halifax has in 30 years

rias won the first game in 12 minutes.

The second game was started right away, but was interrupted on account of rough play and injuries to some of the players. Montreal won in 24 minutes.

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T H. F. Lippman, promoter of the Rossland Commercial company, in which it was claimed there was to be millions of profit, has left the city. There are some people here who would like to see him in order to secure a settlement. The organization of the company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed, but is certain that Lippman and commercial company was never fully completed. The company was never fully completed the company was never fully completed to the .....\$ 474,061 89 818,558 25

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A RANK QUITTER. Earl Stevens Steals Out of the Great

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Bicycle Contest. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 15.—The sensation of the day in the six-day race Kennedy Bros. & Purgoid was the rank quitting of Earl B. Stevens, the Buffalo boy.

Stevens withdrew in the early morning hours. His trainer whipped him ing hours. His trainer wipped mind back to the track once, but he sneaked out again and when examined by competent men and found perfectly sound and in excellent shape to go on, actually lay down on the floor and would not be carried out. Stevens claimed that he was going all to pieces, but during his stays on the track out-sprinted all the riders including Miller, Barnaby and

The moment his trainer gave it up as bad job, Stevens donned his street clothes and walked from the building. Another feature of the early morning was the superb riding of Barnaby, who is rapidly becoming a factor in the contest. Hannan also quit. His quitting was due to a poor stomach, which would hold no food. He rode 10 hours on an guson said it was the worst he had ever made in the many years of his ex-"The trouble was," he said, stay on his wheel for 469 miles and four

> TOBONTO, Ont., Feb. 15.—A special cable says: The Canadian government having intimated its willingness to receive more Doukhobors and settle them in the west, a committee is preparing to dispatch another contingent of about a thousand. These are now settled in Cyprus, but the climate has proved unitable, and in any event they have decided to avoid dispersion into various quarters of the world. The Hamburg-American line intends to put on seven ships to ply between Halifax and Hamburg between April and June, carrying immigrants, mainly Galicians and Hun-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15.-The Republic and Rossland Stocks president has conveyed assurances to some of the party leaders in congress, in addition to those given last week, that he will certainly call congress together in extra session if it fails to pass the army reorganization bill at the present

New York, Feb. 15. - Silver, steady; Bar silver, 595%c; Mexican dollars, 471/4c; silver certificates, 691/2@

No Decision Yet Rerched. London, Feb. 15. - Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, announced in the house of commons today that no decision had been arrived at by the ministry regarding the proposed Pacific cable.

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