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burning kitchen stove, which effects a yearly saving of some \$75 in the fuel bill. Mr. C. L. Harris, M. B., will open a conservatory of music at the corner of Hunter and MacNab.

FRANCE DOESN'T LIKE IT. Paris Paper Wants the Powers to Forbid the Deal. The Island of Pantellaria, in the Mediterranean, is to be exchanged for the Island of Perim—The former is now an Italian convict depot with a population of 1000 and has good fruit-bearing capabilities—The other is a barren rock-plateau.

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Table with columns: County Towns, Pop., Lic., Lic. prop., Ret. Rows include Hamilton, Walkerton, Orangeville, etc.

WHY THE DISTINCTION? shop licensees were permitted to sell tobacco only in the Districts of Niagara, Algoma, Thunder Bay and Kenora. Why was such a distinction made? Even the temperance people would not oppose the extension of this privilege to the shop men throughout the province.

THE AGE LIMIT. The solicitor also opposed the proposed age limit of 21 years. This was a most vexatious provision, for it excluded married men in its restriction. The proposal of the temperance people to place the onus of proving the age of the buyer upon the license holder was a most reasonable one.

IN RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS. The section empowering the License Commissioners to remove a license if petitioned by at least 100 persons, or not less than 25 in the case of a license in a residential district, was but another way of declaring that there should be no change in the law in such districts. It required a majority of the electors in favor of the issue of a license and in favor of the license would, therefore, have to vote in the majority of the electors destroyed without compensation simply because of a momentary whim of the electors.

THE PROPOSED BILL. He then proceeded to deal with the proposed bill, considering the restriction restricting the number of licenses to three to the first 1000, and one to each subsequent 1000. He stated that 152 licenses in the province without compensating for the loss entailed upon those who lost their licenses. The Royal Commission appointed by the Dominion Government had decided that compensation in such cases was not legal and just. Besides, it would mean that a great many persons would be thrown out of employment. There was no public expression that there were too many licenses, and if they were reduced, it would tend, besides, to create a monopoly in the smaller towns. He illustrated the effect of the bill by an example.

WHERE DESTINY IS FATEFUL. Mr. Smith of St. Thomas representing the shop-keepers, followed. Amid considerable laughter he suggested that it was a very embarrassing thing for a shop-keeper to ask a lady if she was 21 years old. He contended that they were mostly patronized by that sex.

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Hamilton, March 17.—(Special from Our Staff Correspondent)—Ireland's Orange and Green Banners were flying in St. Patrick's Church, and Rev. Dr. Burns, principal of the Law School, delivered an address. He said that such an act would do much to advance the treaty of arbitration between England and the latter country would no doubt afterwards entertain similar suggestions.

AT THE STANDARD HEARS AN ENTERTAINING ADDRESS. The Standard heard an entertaining address by the Rev. Dr. Burns, principal of the Emeralds Beneficial Association. "Robert Emmet," a stirring drama, was acted by the Standard's own troupe. The play was acted by J. B. Nelligan, M. J. O'Reilly, F. E. Morrison, H. J. McNeill, and Misses J. F. Morrison, H. J. McNeill, and Misses J. F. Morrison, H. J. McNeill.

Winnipeg Jots. Death of John B. Bell, a Pioneer—The Saskatchewan. Fred Titus Re-instated. Niagara Falls, Ont., March 17.—(Special)—Secretary R. W. Oviatt of the Port Hope League has received permission from His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to name an annual regatta of the club after him. The race in which the cup will be given is for polo, mullin, and furlongs. The value of the race, which will be run on June 22, 1897, is \$1000.

BYRON HIS METTLE. The speaker of the Iowa Legislature resigned in great indignation. Des Moines, Ia., March 17.—A tremendous session was caused by the ensuing resignation of the speaker of the Iowa Legislature, Mr. Lambert. He had resigned his office in the morning, and the speaker of the Iowa Legislature resigned in great indignation.

MINOR MATTERS. William Bradt, 109 Bay-street, was removed to the General Hospital in the ambulance. He was 70 years old and weighed 270 pounds. He fell an easy victim to the grip.

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To say that the excitement was intense in the city over the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight is putting it very mild. The throng at the down-town streets were hierarchically through, the newspaper offices being besieged like election day. Not only had the free shows great crowds, but the special wires at the Pavilion, at the Princess Hotel, the Toronto Opera House, the Auditorium and Bijou attracted full houses.

Perhaps the representative crowd of sporting men were thronged into the Pavilion. All the top men in the city and all the big spectators were there. The doors were opened at exactly noon, but the place did not fill until 1 o'clock; the time for the fight was estimated at 2:30. It was a most orderly crowd and at the outset one could not tell whether it was a Fitzsimmons or Corbett house, but as the game progressed it was a matter of course that the Corbett house was the more numerous.

The delay at Carson City was two hours and the time from 1 to 3 o'clock here did not seem long in slipping away, as, interesting preliminary news was called off from the identical wire that ran from the ring side. The special announcements here were all checked and there was a gallant hurrah for Mrs. Fitzsimmons when her entrance to the arena was announced.

An amusing incident occurred when one of the spectators slipped and fell on the stage and slipped gracefully down. The lady who fell under the name of the Women's Christian Temperance League, and there was much merriment until the banner was announced.

It was just 14 minutes past 3 o'clock when the fight was started. The call of the fight. As the battle progressed, the partiality of the crowd was not so much in favor of Corbett as it was in favor of Fitzsimmons. The crowd long ago declared that Fitzsimmons could not get near Corbett, but in the very first round he landed the lightning blow. Corbett seemed to have the advantage at the best work in the eighth and ninth rounds. The tenth was a vicious round and again Fitz had slightly the best of it.

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The Rights Arranged for Texas and Arkansas—How Fitz Whipped Maher and Corbett and Secured the Championship—The Fight and What They Fought For—About George Siler, the Referee.

Carson City, March 17.—The bustle and crowds of the past couple of days, which have transformed the sleepy little town into a bustling burg, appeared only a drop in the ocean in comparison with the excitement of this battle of the century.

The preliminary arrangements, with the exception of the rather unimportant position of master of ceremonies, were harmoniously completed by midnight. There was something of a wrangle over the referee, which was taken out of Stuart's safe. Martin Julian, as usual, started the preliminary negotiations by objecting to the referee in which the seams were sewed on Corbett.

Brady, not to be outdone, took exception to the workmanship of Fitzsimmons' gloves. He had a little sparring both men, and the gloves were returned to Stuart's office, where the gauntlets remained in charge of the Texas until thrown into the ring. The gloves were weighed, wrapped up, and sent to Carson City by the paper, string and scales at the limit of maximum weight, five pounds.

The next important item was the toss for corners, and Julian got a set-back. The coin was flipped and his call was not turned. Brady chose the southeast corner, where Jim had his broad back to the sun.

William Madison of New York was named official timekeeper, while Lou Housman of Chicago was selected to hold the watch for the Australian. The official time of Boston performed a like office for Corbett.

SILER HELPED THE GAME ALONG. George Siler, of Chicago, who has already gained national reputation for his interpretation of rule 12 of the Marquis of Queensbury rules, and who has been much quoted in the press, was called in to settle the matter of the toss for corners, and was named as referee.

The history of the negotiation, which culminated in the city of Carson, and which has been so fully reported by the press, is a story of the most interesting nature. It is a story of the most interesting nature. It is a story of the most interesting nature.

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April 16—Knocked out Al Allch, three rounds, New York.

April 19—Knocked out M. Connors, one round, New York.

April 21—Knocked out Peter Maher, one round, 1 minute 35 seconds, Mexico, opposite Langtry, Tex.

April 22—Knocked out Phil Mayo, two rounds, Chicago.

April 23—Knocked out Warner, one round, Baltimore.

April 24—Van from Jack Hickey, two rounds, Newark, N.J.

THE HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

Stuart at length got the representatives of Corbett and Fitzsimmons together in Carson City, and the result of the 17th of December the articles of agreement were signed for a battle to be fought under Queensbury rules. The purse offered by Stuart was \$100,000, and the prize was to be split between the victor and the loser.

William Kenyon Wheeler, Stuart's confidential agent, disappeared from Dallas early in January of the present year, and came to Carson, where he masqueraded as William Kenyon. Wheeler procured the aid of Al Livingston, prominent Nevada sport, and the pair lobbied the bill legislation, which was then in session. The measure was introduced by assemblyman Garrard on January 20, passed both houses and received Gov. Sailer's signature four days later.

HO, FOR CARSON CITY! Within a fortnight after the bill became law, Corbett and Fitzsimmons were both on their way to Nevada. Corbett was first on the ground, and selected the Springs Hotel, three miles from Carson, as the place for the battle. He was accompanied by Jack McVey, Billy Woods and Kid Egan. Billy McVey, who had come on from New York in time to put on the "Cotton" trousers, Corbett trained conscientiously for this battle than he had trained for any other.

Fitzsimmons settled down to hard work at Carson. He had trained for the fight for a month ago, and he improved every minute of the time. That date, Ernest Hooper, the wrestler, Dan Hickey, and Jack Steiner have kept him busy, and made from a slight cold, which he could not break up for nearly two weeks. He has been in a slight cold, which he could not break up for nearly two weeks.

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THE NIGHT.

The brutal spectacle that was witnessed yesterday by the most cosmopolitan aggregation of sports that ever assembled on this continent is not in itself so much a disease as it is the symptom of a disease. The fight may be compared to the pustule on a small-pox patient. The pustule is not the disease. It is merely the mechanism of the disease that carries through the whole system. Similarly the Corbett-Fitzsimmons scrap is but the symptom of a moral weakness that seems to permeate the entire social fabric.

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Yesterday afternoon a large and influential deputation from Port Arthur, Fort William and the Rainy River country generally will swoop down upon the Ontario Government and ask for a bonus of \$5000 per mile to the proposed line of 150 miles from a point on the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway to Rainy Lake, near Fort Frances, will, when built, tap through-out its whole length one of the richest gold and iron belts on the continent. The promoters are, therefore, confident of obtaining their request from the Government.

The deputation, as it will appear at the Parliament Buildings this afternoon, will include: Mayor George T. Marks, J. J. O'Connor, President of the Board of Trade; D. P. E. Thomas Marks, Edward Jenkinson, M. V. McBrady, G. O. P. Clavet, W. J. Clark, J. S. Matthews, J. L. McKee, K. Weatherston, Judge Fitzgerald, W. E. Fortune, W. F. Haskins, C. Shera, George Hadden and Joseph King, all of Port Arthur; Major McKellar, E. A. Morrison, George Graham, J. F. Malone and E. P. King, all of Fort William; Dr. Edmiston of East Portage, members of the Foley Mines Company and representatives of other portions of the western gold fields.

Yesterday a vanguard of the deputation, consisting of Messrs. O'Connor, Marks, Jenkinson and McBrady, waited upon the Council of the Toronto Board of Trade, and requested the members thereof to back up the deputation in its request for a bonus. President Gurney promised the gentlemen to give the matter their favorable consideration. The bulk of the deputation were to have arrived in the city last night, but failing to make connections at North Bay they will come in this morning.

LEVELLED HIS PISTOL

And Shot Him in the Breast—Wild West Incident at Hole River.

Law and order seem to pretty well prevail in the mining camps of both Ontario and British Columbia, but already a lawless incident has occurred in connection with Manitoba's newly-discovered gold fields.

Billy Raymond, a fisherman of Lake Winnipeg, was in Winnipeg on Friday, and he told one of his most interesting stories of a recent occurrence there. Billy lives in a shanty near Hole River, and his next door neighbors are two mining prospectors, who left Winnipeg together on a gold hunt up the lake some months ago.

Raymond says these men have been brilliantly successful in their explorations for the "yellow metal." Wednesday of last week they struck a silver pure "bonanza" in the shape of a vein of unusual ore. One man was ahead of the other in making the discovery. Friendship died out of his breast when his testing implements showed a big find. He told his companion the claim was his exclusive property. The other thought he should have a share of the luck, and after discussing it a brief space they both got mad. They were sitting in their cabin, and both had their guns ready. "Draw your pistol, and let's settle it with a bullet," growled one, in a furious heat. The other man instantly leveled his revolver and fired. His friend was shot in the breast before he had time to discharge his own weapon.

Raymond, the fisherman, was summoned from his hut near by, and the wounded miner was given the best of attention available. When Billy left the camp to come to the city, the victim of the fight was improving but slowly. His fellow miner had extracted the bullet in the hospital, and was and was nursing him back to health again.

GOLD NEAR KINNOUM.

A Rich Belt of Ore Believed to Extend for 25 Miles.

Why should prospectors flock to British Columbia when our own country is rich in minerals? asks The Minden Echo. Within 4 miles of Kinnoum we have six mines; a rich mineral belt extends for 18 miles from Kinnoum to Gooderham, waiting for men with money to open it up and get wealth. Minerals in great variety are here in abundance, and in great mining operations are active in Galway township, but what is the matter? It is a little from Kinnoum, John Morrison, Esq., owns a lot which promises a rich harvest.

GOLD IN DUCK'S CROP.

Rather Remarkable Story That Comes from the City of Montreal.

A duck's crop is not exactly the place in which one would expect to find gold, says The Montreal Gazette, but it seems that a small quantity of gold was found there by a sister of Mr. H. Bowls of 501 Wellington-street, while preparing a domestic duck as the chief piece on the dinner table. The lady lives on a farm in the Laurentide Mountains, but Mrs. Bowls does not care to give the exact locality. Her attention was drawn by brightly shining particles in the crop, which she carefully collected them and sent them to her brother, being under the impression that they were gold. Her impression was pronounced correct by Mr. William Bramley, jeweler. One particle is about the size of a grain of wheat. It is supposed that the duck became possessed of this small treasure while feeding in the bed of a stream which passes through the farm, and which takes its rise among the hills. An effort will no doubt be made to find this gold by other means than by having the ducks take it up with their food.

The Craig Mine.

This well-known free milling mine of Tudor Township, Hastings County, has recently been developed by a shaft to the depth of 16 feet, having a mineralized ore body for the whole depth of the shaft. Seven tons of ore has recently been sent to the Kingston School of Mines, and the "bullet" yield is pronounced by the experts of that institution as that of a good property. The mine has recently been transferred to the Toronto Mining Company, Limited. Up to the present time the owners have not offered

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WIMAN GETTING OUT.

Several Judgments Against Him, Aggregating a Large Amount, Vented. New York, March 17.—Judgments aggregating \$26,924 were to-day ordered vacated by Justice Beach in the Supreme Court, and eleven actions were also ordered discontinued on consent, the judgments and actions being against Erastus Wiman, with Austin B. Fletcher as plaintiff. Judgments by the National Eagle Bank and the Boylston National Bank of Boston against an electric power company of Staten Island, and Erastus Wiman for \$572 and \$596 respectively, were also vacated, and the suits discontinued.

FAMILY QUARREL.

Franks Shot His Children and Himself to Split His Wife. Philadelphia, March 17.—Frederick Franks, aged 37, at 6 o'clock this morning shot and killed his son William, aged 9 years; shot and dangerously wounded his daughter, Amelia, 5 years old; and then shot and fatally injured himself. The tragedy is said to be the outcome of a jealous quarrel with his wife.

Cespedes Released.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Sherman has received an cablegram from Consul-General Lee, dated late yesterday, saying: "Oscar Cespedes, a native of Key West, is released from the Cabanas on condition that he leaves the island."

Stearns Found on Fire.

Syracuse, March 17.—A fire in E. C. Stearns & Co.'s bicycle factory in this city last evening entailed a loss of about \$25,000, fully covered by insurance. The firm states that there will be no delay in shipments.

Pilgrims at Rome.

Rome, March 17.—The band of American pilgrims who are on their way to Jerusalem are expected to arrive here to-morrow. The assertion that the Pope has thanked Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul for having used his influence in favor of the election of McKinley is denied in Vatican circles.

Posted as Missing.

London, March 17.—The British barque Lord Dufferin, Capt. Roberts, which sailed Oct. 7, from Montevideo for New York, has been posted at Lloyd's as missing.

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The Edmonton Bulletin, in a two-column leader, makes the startling prediction that instead of \$50,000 as heretofore, the Saskatchewan River will hereafter yield \$5,000,000 every season in gold.

Gold has been mined, or perhaps more accurately washed, from the bars of the Saskatchewan for many years. The metal is found in the form of minute scales, so small as to be only noticeable by the naked eye from their sparkle.

By the use of the primitive "grizzly" and blanket the miners used to save 15 a day from the washings, but the bars have been worked over and over again until \$150 has of late been an average day's pay.

FROM FORT STEELE

Sales of Several Properties Reported From This New Mining Region.

Fort Steele, B. C., March 17.—(Special.)—Messrs. Greig and Vancouver have sold the Little Chief, Big Chief, Eureka and Geneva to a Victoria syndicate for \$3000. These properties are in the North Star group.

Mr. Garret has bonded the Vermont Boy to Victoria capitalists. The claim is one of the Perry Creek group.

Messrs. Watson and Moffat have sold their claims on the Perry Creek, Col. Kingsberry of Spokane, Mr. Kaup has sold the "Contact" to Mr. Porter of Spokane.

Mr. Porter of Spokane has also made several other purchases in the Perry Creek district.

Messrs. Thompson, Sundin, Rosenbake and Kaup have sold the Mammoth and Waseca group to Victoria capitalists.

The Lake Shore mineral claim (1-2 shares) was put up to auction, but only \$1000 was bid. The sale was postponed for 30 days. The mine is on Monga Lake.

CARE ADVISED

In the Capitalization and Management of Canadian Mining Companies.

In the London, Eng., Mining Journal under the caption "Over-capitalization of mining companies," appears the following: Although the gold mining industry has suffered so many tribulations during the past few years, it is a somewhat remarkable thing that the financial side of mining enterprise should have undergone so little perceptible change.

The average company promoter is not, as a rule, very partial to reforms in the management of mining business, and so long as he has a robust faith in his lucky star he is not disposed to be guided by any principles of industrial economy. Thus it happens too frequently that a really excellent property is conducted on business lines that, if applied to an ordinary business, would speedily land the proprietor into bankruptcy.

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FAIRVIEW CAMP.

A Great Many Properties are Showing Up Well in This Promising District. Vancouver, B. C., March 17.—(Special.)—Stocks have been much more active for the past week in the local market, the Slocan properties being as usual the favorites.

The talk of the week, however, is the Fairview Camp, which many believe the most promising in the British Columbia district.

The Constance has a shaft down over 90 feet, and the ore is very rich, running parallel, and there is a tunnel being run in to cross the vein.

The Winchester has two shafts, one down 40 feet and one down 15 feet. This property has \$2000 worth of ore in sight.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named insolvent has made an assignment under R.S.O., 1887, c. 124, and amending acts, of all his credits and effects, to me, for the general benefit of his creditors.

THE INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS OF ONTARIO. The Spring Examinations of the Institute will take place on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 19th, 20th and 21st of May, commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. with the oral examination.

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NOTICE OF CREDITORS.—In the matter of Charles Pye Parkinson, insolvent, petitioner.

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In the Matter of Esther Ware Moore of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Widow, an insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that Esther Ware Moore of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, has made an assignment under R.S.O., 1887, c. 124, and amending acts, of all her credits and effects, to me, for the general benefit of her creditors.

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The Company's Claims Comprise Twelve Full-Sized Claims or Twelve Large Placer Mines.

The Shares of this Company are being rapidly sold, and the whole number of treasury shares set apart for sale will shortly be disposed of. Parties desiring to purchase shares should do so at once. The area from which subscriptions are coming in is very large, and as all shares will be allotted in the order of subscription no shares can be held over for intending purchasers. Shares should be subscribed for without delay. The weather is now opening up and operations will shortly be resumed at the mine. Negotiations are now in progress with one of the best placer mining men in all British Columbia.

Testimony showing the value of the mine is given in the prospectus and includes the names of Dr. Dawson, Chief of the Government Geological Survey; Mr. A. W. Smith, M.P.P.; Mr. Sones, the Government Gold Commissioner for the District of Lillooet; Mr. Marcus Baldee, Mr. J. W. Tyrrell, Dr. Egleston, Mr. J. C. Scott and Mr. John B. Hobson.

One of our well-known citizens also speaks from personal knowledge. He says: "A short time ago I paid a special visit to the property. I went for the express purpose of investigating the whole matter for myself, and while there I indulged in a little amateur mining. I selected quantities of gravel from various portions of the property and personally washed same in river. The result far exceeded my expectations and showed in some cases as high as \$50.00 to the cubic yard. A practical miner would have realized far more, but I was anxious to be in a position to speak from personal knowledge."—Interview with Mr. John H. Land as reported in Toronto World, March 4, 1897.

"Our mine as you know is a placer mine, that is to say it is a huge gravel deposit rich in gold, and nine-tenths of the total gold production of the world comes from just such mines. We have two miles of bed and over a square mile of high bench lands rising about four hundred and fifty feet above the river, which formed at one time the bed of a much larger stream, and from tests that have been made I believe these benches contain gold in unusually large quantities from the grass roots to the bed rock.

"Hydraulic mines are almost invariably controlled by millionaires, but the public have now an opportunity rarely offered."—From interview with Mayor Colquhoun, in Toronto World, March 4, 1897.

This Company will be Properly Officered and Thoroughly Equipped and will be Directed by Business Men on Business Lines.

The financial part of the Company's proposition is distinguished and unique in this: The purchasers of treasury shares are put on a preferred basis and the promoters cannot directly or indirectly realize on the ordinary stock until the mine has actually made net earnings equal to the entire amount of treasury stock sold with interest at six per cent. In other words the promoters depend for their profits entirely on the ordinary stock eventually will get about eight shares for the price of five in addition to dividends.

Purchasers of Treasury shares can sell or transfer the same with all benefits at any time after purchase. For full particulars call or send for prospectus. This prospectus has been submitted to leading financial men in Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton and other places, and up to the present moment all comments thereon have been of the most favorable character.

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GOLD IN THE NORTHWEST

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At the present moment, when the investing public is beginning to consider whether, after all, auriferous mining offers such a satisfactory opportunity of remunerative gains as it has been led to believe in the past. For a great many years to come gold mines will continue to occupy the attention of a large section of investors, and if conducted upon proper lines, they would undoubtedly yield considerably larger profits than would be possible in any other industrial enterprise. It is very desirable, therefore, that in the flotation of gold fields, the promoters should manifest less desire to secure the maximum of capital out of the public than they have done in the past, and that the shareholders should insist on the properties being developed on strictly economical and business-like lines.

LADIES AS MINERS.

Company of Women Being Formed in Ontario to Operate a B. C. Mine.
Toronto is to be the headquarters of a Woman's Mining Company to be formed and run on the lines of a similar corporation of Spokane. The company is to be incorporated with a capitalization of \$340,000, and will operate in Fairview camp. There are to be 24 original owners of the mine, and the promoters are representative of the gentry from Victoria to Halifax. Miss Clara Brett Martin is the legal adviser of the concern, which is being organized by Miss R. L. Leigh-Spencer, the well-known mining expert. The company, B.C., who is known in Toronto chiefly as the representative of the Vancouver and Columbia Island. Miss Spencer thinks Toronto has a lot of able business women, and it is understood that the most widely known ladies in this and other cities will be on the board. Small blocks of stock will be offered in this and other cities of the Dominion in about three weeks. It is to be understood that men may buy stock in the mine, though the management will be exclusively feminine.

Work on the Golden Drip.

Since beginning work at the incorporation of the company, there has been, to Feb. 20, 205 feet of tunnel made in the mine. The drift on the main vein shows the ore continuously, and there are now many tons piled up on the dump, waiting the time when it can be milled. They have also opened a fine body of ore in the south drift from the four-foot ledge, showing in the mine that this drift has been run 65 feet south from the main tunnel. The tunnel has been started down by the creek level, which will tap the ore ledges at a depth of several hundred feet.

Bridge River Mines.

The attention of careful investors (and there are many such) is invited to the large advertisement in this issue of the above company. The company has the special features: Shareholders are carefully protected, as they get shares bearing 6 per cent. interest, which must be paid before the promoters get any return whatever, as per terms in prospectus. This is a Canadian company operated by Canadians. The capitalization is only \$750,000, while the property comprises 120 acres, or twelve placer claims. These hydraulic or placer mines have yielded more than three-quarters of all the gold produced. This remarkable statement is borne out by authentic statistics. Investors are in-

cluded to compare the prospects of this company and its terms with those offered by any other company. Fred J. Stewart, Toronto, is the official broker.

White Bear.
Letters from Mr. Cole, superintendent of the mine, and other advisers are of interest. Speaking of the character of this mine and development in the drift at the 100-foot level, it appears that the drift running east from the main shaft has been driven for about 20 feet along the vein and throughout is in solid ore, and the drift west also all in solid ore. The drifting has been suspended for the time being, to allow the sinking of the main shaft to the 200-foot level, when similar drifts will be made along the vein east and west. The shaft is now about 120 feet deep, and still continues to hold in solid ore. These drifts are 6x4 feet in area. The extension of the shaft and drifting to be done will uncover a large body of ore, and will facilitate the stopping and getting out of ore fit for shipping. The shaft is also being timbered to protect the workmen. There is a considerable quantity of ore on the dump fit for shipping.

Ontario Game Laws.

Editor World: I have read with considerable interest the letters from Mr. G. F. Burns, Chairman of the Game Law Commission, and Mr. J. H. Wells, agent of the Ontario Game Laws, and am decidedly in sympathy with the latter gentleman. I am not a sportsman, but I am a game preserve, and if the laws are not made in the interests of the benefit of the present and future generations, why the present game laws are not only a nuisance, but a curse. I am not a sportsman, but I am a game preserve, and if the laws are not made in the interests of the benefit of the present and future generations, why the present game laws are not only a nuisance, but a curse.

INDIAN FAMINE FUND.

What the Presbyterian Church is Doing Towards Relief-Interesting Letters Received Yesterday.
Rev. Dr. Warden, Toronto, acknowledges the following additional contributions in behalf of the India famine fund: G. F. Burns, Toronto, \$1; H. A. Church, Toronto, \$2; Exeter's Presbyterian Church, \$3; St. Andrew's Mission, Brantford, \$1.85; First Presbyterian Church, Port Hope (additional), \$1; Profine and Bryanton Presbyterian Church, \$2; John Lindsay, Jr., Lincoln, \$1; Knox Sabbath school, Victoria, B.C., \$15; Haynes-avenue, St. Catharines, \$12; Knox, St. Catharines, \$24.50; Knox, St. Catharines, Sabbath school, \$25.40; Brantford Sabbath school, \$18.50; Brandon C. E. Society, \$49; Hourigan, \$15; Farnham Centre, \$3.50; Ashton, \$12.50; Scotia, Manitoba, \$12.35; Frankton and Beckwith Churches, \$28; St. George's Church, River John, N.S., \$27; W. A. McDonald, West River, \$2; Station, N.S., \$4; Two Truda, Scarborough, \$2; Tenth, London, \$3.

INTERESTING LETTERS.

For the information of those who have been contributing for the relief of sufferers through Rev. Dr. Warden, Toronto, treasurer of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, the following information is given:
The missionaries of our denomination, who are scattered throughout India, are in connection with the Presbyterian Church in Canada have decided to take in a large number of additional children who have been deserted by their parents, on account of the famine, or whose parents have died. One of the missionaries went recently to the famine district intending to bring back with him 50 children. Instead of this, however, he returned with 80. A Presbyterian missionary of the Free Church of Scotland says that the people are reduced to the utmost extremity, whose families have no resource but to gnaw the roots of the lotus plant. The Government are wisely relieving the population by giving them rice, but there are those who cannot be reached in any such way, especially the orphans and the deserted children, which the villages, sometimes in the fields, and the Government look to the Christian missions to assist them in the arduous task of feeding and caring for them. These children must be "mothered" before they can be fed, and this cannot be done in famine camps nor by any machinery of relief. No famine relief fund as administered by the Government can reach these children in former India. The various Christian churches to take charge of the numberless orphans, whose parents had either perished, or had deserted them. This policy was abundantly successful on former occasions, will be equally so here. Nothing better becomes the Church of Christ than to take charge of the children, who, bereft of their earthly parents, have been cast on the fatherhood of God.

FAMISHED CHILDREN.

Miss Ligertwood, Presbyterian mission, connected with the Free

Church of Scotland, thus writes: "We have had a busy time, as a number of famished children were sent down to us from the north. We got a telegram from the missionary who was bringing them that they would arrive at midnight that night. We immediately sent off for blankets, and our boarding school girls worked hard to make up some clothing for them. We met them at the station, and a very forlorn-looking little band they were. We got them to the boarding school, where, as you may imagine, our own girls were all awake. The first thing they did was to feed the hungry little mites with milk and rice. They would have gone on eating as long as we would have fed them, but we had to stop for fear of making them ill. Next morning there was a good deal of scrubbing to be done. The children in Canada laboring in India cannot refuse a home to such children, and they have often entreated them to speak of their spiritual degradation. Moreover, they must be kept in the mission for years till able to take care of themselves. Yet, all the leading missionaries in India can show good results of children saved in former famines, who have grown up to be useful members of the Church of Christ.

THE GOSSIPING TONGUE.

It is Responsible, Says Bishop Sullivan, for West of the Heartbursts in the Christian Church.
Bishop Sullivan's address yesterday noon in St. James' Cathedral was "Gossip." He took for his text the

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But Against the City of Toronto Owing to an Alleged Defective Sidewalk-To-Day's Lists.

Butts v. City of Toronto was not concluded at the Non-Jury Sittings. It is brought to recover damages for injuries sustained from fall on defective sidewalk near Gerrard-st., owing to alleged defective condition of the sidewalk.

The action of Old v. Boucher in respect of the village of Arthur as fraudulent against creditors. It was dismissed with costs.

Single Judge, at 10 a.m.: Canada Land & National Investment Company v. Toronto City Bill Posting Company.

Non-Jury Sittings, at 11 a.m.: Butts v. City of Toronto (continued).

WORK OF DEACONESSES. What the Methodist Church is Doing - Appeal for Further Help in Toronto.

The Board of Directors of the Methodist Deaconess Aid Society held their regular meeting on Monday evening at 8 p.m. at the Home, 28 McGill-st., Mrs. Sutherland presiding.

WELLAND WHISPERINGS. Michigan Central Will Run T. & E. After April 1 - The Assets Clear.

WELLAND, March 17.—(Special).—The official announcement has been made that the Michigan Central will be controlled by the T. & E. and B. on April 1. A number of the employees at this end of the line have been notified of the change.

Business Embarrassments. Charles Boyle, the horseman, Woodstock, has assigned for the benefit of his creditors a number of his horses.

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WALL-STREET REVIEW

European Markets Alarmed Over the Eastern Situation - Wall-Street - New York, March 17.—The Evening Post's financial article says: The European markets experienced a little preliminary alarm to-day over the movements of events in the Mediterranean. Consols and rentes, again declined rather sharply, and American securities were weaker.

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BETTER DEMAND FOR WHEAT.

An Advance of One Penny in Liverpool Futures. LOCAL MARKETS ARE DULL. Business in Canadian Securities is Dull and Prices Irregular.

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CHICAGO MARKETS. Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Wheat - May 73 3/4, July 72 3/4, Sept 71 3/4. Corn - May 24 1/2, July 23 1/2, Sept 22 1/2.

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THE DROLIN IN SILVER. London, March 17.—The Westminster Gazette says the silver market is very depressed.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET. Montreal 22 1/2, Toronto 22 1/2, London 10 1/2.

CHICAGO GOSBIE. Henry A. King & Co. 12 King-street east, Toronto.

MONTEAL STOCKS. Montreal, March 17.—C.P.R., 43 and 52.

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