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Six sturdy Joplinites, of the Rossland Miner type, quit their job at the Josie this morning and demanded their time. They got their pay and will leave for dear Old Missouri tomorrow over the Great Northern. Cliff Bowen, the Canadian Joplinite, who lured the Missourians far from their native heath, did his best to coax the men back up the hill at noon but the men said they were homesick and anyway the Rossland climate and the people did not agree with them.

All our fancy biscuits to be closed out at 15c per pound. Paulson Bros.

"CHICKEN" HUNTERS

Chipmunk Dogs--A \$500 Bet--Safe Return of a Party.

The game season is well on around Rossland and many sportsmen are met with on the surrounding hills, making the most of this glorious autumn weather.

The honorary secretary of a party of four "hunters" who returned at a late hour last night, has handed in the following memo for publication.

C. B. Lord of Sheep Lake fame, William Hawken and George Bunny miners, and John Jacobs engineer, have returned from Shields Landing, where they were royally entertained by Thos. Boman, Esq., of Green's hotel. These gentlemen enjoyed themselves shooting and fishing. Game was somewhat scarce but is considerably scarcer since their return, as they killed in the neighborhood of 200 chickens. Mr. Hawken and Mr. Bunny killed a fine buck, the head of which they are getting mounted, while Messrs Lord and Jacobs caught some fine fish during their stay, including one salmon weighing 18 lbs. These gentlemen took with them two of the finest bird dogs in the city of Rossland, kindly loaned them by a friend. The above gentlemen will bet \$500 that these two dogs will tree more chipmunks than any five dogs in Rossland.

WANT AN INJUNCTION

Le Roi Company Applying at Greenwood--A New Move.

Notwithstanding the fact—as stated in the Miner—that the strike is all over and that the mines are progressing favorably, the Le Roi company is applying to Mr. Justice Irving over at Greenwood for an injunction against the union.

The application will come up on Thursday next and S. S Taylor will oppose the motion.

Just what the company is seeking by the application is not known at the present time.

Birth.

At the residence on North Washington street, Rossland, on Monday, October 21st, the wife of J. B. Singer, of a son.

SYDNEY SWEPT

Flames Fanned by a Terrible Gale.

ESTIMATED LOSS IS \$500,000

Buildings Were All Frame—Sixty Were Burned Up—Water Gave Out.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 22.—The prosperous and thriving town of Sydney, Cape Breton, was almost swept out of existence on Sunday by a fierce conflagration which started about 2 o'clock. The flames, which were fanned by a forty-five-mile gale, swept through the principal business portion of the town, causing ruin and devastation. Four blocks of the finest business buildings are in ashes.

The only thing that saved the city from total destruction was a heavy rain storm, which set in after dark. The wind decreased in fury and the firemen and hundreds of miners succeeded in getting the fire under control. Over sixty buildings are in ashes, and many more are badly scorched. The buildings were nearly all large wooden structures and they burned so fiercely that it was impossible to save any of their contents.

Half an hour after the fire started one-quarter of the business portion of the town was in flames.

The town's water supply now gave out, and the engines had to be sent to the harbor to pump water.

At 4:30 two of the business blocks were destroyed and the fire spread to Bentick street, and half an hour later Bruce, George, Bentick and Charlotte streets were a mass of fire. The miners resorted to the use of dynamite and several buildings were blown up with little effect, as the strong wind carried the burning embers to other buildings.

The fine building belonging to the Union Bank of Halifax and the Baptist and Presbyterian churches were soon destroyed.

At 7 o'clock the fire had reached the east end of Charlotte street, and here its progress was stayed.

The blocks on Wentworth, Prince and Pitts streets and half a block on George street were destroyed.

The fire is supposed to have been started by the bursting of an oil stove. It is impossible to estimate the loss at present, but it is roughly placed at between \$400,000 and \$500,000, of which not more than half is covered by insurance.

We have a large stock of grapes for jelly making; 85c a box. Paulson Bros.

The Jewel Mine.

The latest property to commence shipping its ore to the Grand Forks smelter is the Jewel in Long Lake camp, the management of which has just made arrangements for the shipping of 200 tons of its rich ores to the Granby smelter as a test to see how the ore will run under the smelter treatment, several hundred tons having already been treated at the Silica reduction works at Silica, B. C.

A Modest Editor.

A Dundas clergyman last Sunday preached on Beauty, Strength and Loveliness. When he gave out his text the banner man, who was in the audience, simply bowed majestically and looked satisfied. Galt Reporter.

Ontario's Finances

Toronto, Oct. 22.—The provincial secretary's department has issued a statement of Ontario's finances. The receipts are given as \$3,378,653 and expenditures as \$3,988,792 leaving a surplus of \$280,861.

Politicians look upon the giving out of the statement as an indication that elections are near at hand.

Accepted a Reduction.

Hamilton, Oct. 22.—Conductors and motormen on the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville electric railway have accepted a reduction in wages of from 13 to 14 cents an hour owing to a contemplated dull season.

OLD NO. 5 MUST GO

The Furnace at Northport Is a Wreck--Missourians Going Home.

Furnace No. 5 at the Northport smelter has finally come to grief and will have to be taken to pieces before it can be used again. The furnace froze this last time for keeps and all efforts to draw the charge failed.

Accordingly before it can be used again the furnace will have to be taken down and the contents chisled out.

News has come to Northport today that down in Joplin a raise of wages has been granted, and many of the men who were induced to come up north are now anxious to go back home again and some of them have already got their time and are packing up.

ENGLAND INVADED

Preparation for American Exhibition in Crystal Palace, London.

London, Oct. 22.—Arrangements were completed yesterday for holding an exclusively American exhibition in the Crystal Palace from May to October next year.

In view of the tremendous influx of foreigners to participate in the coronation festivities, it is believed that the undertaking will afford American exporters an unrivalled opportunity to show their manufactures and products to the nations of the world. The Crystal Palace company is promoting the scheme, and is backed by strong advisory committees of American residents in London and prominent Englishmen, including the Lord Mayor of London, Mr. Winston Churchill, M. P., and Sir Henry Irving.

The First Snow.

A year ago tomorrow the first snow of last season commenced to fall and by the following day there was nearly four inches of the beautiful on the streets of the city.

It is hard to imagine snow while we are enjoying weather like the present, but the fall last year was preceded by just such fine balmy days as these. Snow fell earlier last year than in any previous year in the history of the camp.

Hot Weinerwurst served with every glass of beer at the Alhambra.

A VALUABLE HAUL

Sixteen Little Foreigners and Seven Others.

THEY CAN'T SPEAK ENGLISH

Missourians Went Out to Welcome the New Comers and Make a Showing.

"Oh where are the ninety and nine" sang Willie Thompson last night as he looked over the sixteen fur-coated Doukhobors that Ex-Chief Ingram proudly exhibited to the assistant manager at the War Eagle boarding house. The scabherder explained that seven more were just then eating their first square meal in a month, and as to the balance, he thought they'd be along some time if the union men did not get them.

Ingram left Calgary on Friday with 67 industrious scabs and landed with 23 at Tonkin's, War Eagle pen last night. Ten departed at West Robson, and of those who arrived here 16 were Doukhobors, and the other seven claimed to be Canadians.

Assistant Manager Thompson ran down to meet the party at Trail and came up on the special. He was so ashamed of the outfit and afraid of anyone seeing them that he got the conductor to run the special right up to the mines.

A union miner more curious than the rest of his fellows went up the hill and called on the party at the War Eagle boarding house. He tackled the Doukhobors and counted the lot, 16 in all. None of them could speak English and then the balance of the party were inspected, there were just seven all told and they were all at supper talking the situation over. The union man left them some literature explaining matters and after he had sized up the outfit he was given a pass and kindly escorted back to town by a special to hunt up some of the missing ones. When the railway station was reached the special was warmly thanked in well chosen language and the union man departed having as he expressed it "exchanged cards with the enemy."

The company are welcome to the Doukhobors as it will take about two years to teach them mucking. Some of the remaining seven are expected down town this evening and then their experiences will be worth relating—wait for it.

The balance of the party who arrived last night over and above the 23 mentioned may be "good sturdy Canadians" but they have hardly had time to become naturalized.

In order to protect the incoming herd the management dispatched a select lot of Missourians to meet the special and to return with the newcomers. The gentleman from "Old Missouri" were very much in evidence on the train, knives, guns, in belts and plenty of ammunition to "protect" the believers in free speech. They tried to make a great show of numbers, but there will not be more than 23 applicants for work today and Billy Rugh will have a hard time of it to get most of the new names right.

The cooks and waiters at the War Eagle hotel kicked over the newcomers last night and refused to wait on them, so the Doukhobors were finally sent off to a cabin of their own and allowed to do their own cooking.

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A VALUABLE HAUL.

Having gathered in all the idle miners in the Couer d' Alenes and the last of the "young Ontario harvesters," the Le Roi management has fallen back on Doukhobors, men who can not speak a word of English, and who were imported into this country as farmers pure and simple.

One can imagine the sort of welcome these men will get from the miscellaneous mob on the hill, and one can also imagine the compliments showered on the ex-thief catcher for his latest efforts at scab-herding. Doubtless he told his employers that he did his best, and perhaps he did as the union men were before him wherever he went, and the scab-fishing is bad in the Territories just now.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Webster Davis has been sued for the price of a windmill. Now we know how he worked up big pro-Boer orations. As soon as the money of Oom Paul gave out so did the wind.

Whitaker Wright must have made a big pot out of the Le Roi and allied mines that these companies cannot afford to pay the same wages to muckers that every other working mine in British Columbia is paying today.

"President Roosevelt" it is said, "went to church and unostentatiously took a seat." An American contemporary inquires whether the writer expected the President to have someone blow a bugle as he sat down or take off his gold crown with a flourish and deposit it under the cushion.

The initial number of The Colorado Chronicle, published weekly at Denver, Colorado, by Messrs. Thum and Coates has just come to hand. The publishers say: "The Chronicle will aim always to be a labor paper in all that the name implies. We shall to the best of our ability encourage the organization of laboring men into unions of their craft, and shall aid in every possible legitimate way the building up of those unions now in existence."

But that there is contained in it (the Rossland strike) the nucleus of a movement to wage war on unionism as such in British Columbia we can hardly credit. Such a struggle if carried out to the bitter end would practically destroy all the capital invested in British Columbia mines and would lead to years of industrial anarchy. It would certainly seem to be as contrary to the interests of the mine owners as it would be hostile to the spirit of the age.—The Victoria Mining Record.

Labor organizations are truly the poor man's church. They are for the social, moral, intellectual and financial elevation of mankind. They bind men closer together in friendship, assist each other in attaining a higher efficiency in the various pursuits of the trade upon which depends their daily bread, assist a brother when out of employment. When sickness and death visits a member's family the society furnishes to the bereaved both moral and financial support.

The retirement of Bernard Mac-

donald from the management of the Le Roi mine at Rossland, will be welcomed by fully nine-tenths of the business men of Kootenay and Yale, and only a few members of the Mine Owners' association will go into mourning for thirty days. The business men believe that on Macdonald's retirement the wage question will be settled to the mutual satisfaction of the companies and the men and the settlement will be permanent. Once mine workers know that the rate of wages is fixed permanently, good men will be attracted to British Columbia. And once a good man has secured a job he strives to keep it. Swashbucklers and union smashers are not wanted in British Columbia. The former will not work themselves, and the latter will not let others work in peace.—Nelson Tribune.

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Sealed tenders, indorsed "Tender for Velvet Mine Waggon Road," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Saturday, the 2nd November, 1901, for the construction and completion of the Velvet Mine Waggon Road.

Plans, specifications, forms of tender and contract may be seen on and after the 21st October, 1901, at the Government Agent's Office, Rossland.

Tenders will not be considered unless made upon the printed forms supplied for the purpose, and the agreement to execute a bond, appended to the form of tender, is duly signed by the contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province in the penal sum of \$2000 for the faithful performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. KIRKUP, Government Agent, Rossland.

Application for Transfer of Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Rossland at its next meeting for a transfer of the liquor license held by me for the Florence Saloon, situated on lot 23, block 17, city of Rossland, to Martin Rach.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1901.

Application for Transfer of Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Rossland, B. C., at its next meeting for a transfer of the liquor license held by me for the St. Charles hotel, situated on lot 8, block 10, city of Rossland, to Charles Ehlers.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1901.

Application for Transfer of Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Rossland at its next meeting for a transfer of the liquor license held by me for the M. & M. Saloon, situated on lot 24, block D, city of Rossland, B. C., to C. Mattioda.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1901.

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Yours respectfully,
O. D. PHELPS, M. D.
Feb. 5, 1901.
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NOTICE!

TO any customers who patronized us all the time while they have been at work, and especially to those with families, we beg to announce that we will trust them to all the goods they may need during the strike and will wait for the pay until they start to work again and be able to pay. To those who need other stuff, such as Groceries, etc., which we do not carry, and cannot get credit elsewhere, we will give them orders, on which they can get all they want on our account until the trouble is all settled. This is a bona fide offer, which fact can be readily proven when occasion makes it necessary.

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| 9:00 a. m. | Rossland | 7:35 p. m. |
| 12:25 a. m. | Nelson | 4:10 p. m. |
| 10:10 a. m. | Nelson | 6:05 p. m. |

EFFECTIVE MAY 5
H. A. JACKSON,
General Passenger Agt.,
Spokane, Wash.
H. P. BROWN,
Agent, Rossland, B. C.

THE Real Situation.

Rossland, B. C., Sept. 5th, 1901.

To the Citizens and Business Men of Rossland and Vicinity and to the General Public:

The Le Roi mine manager has been circulating a report that the strike here is practically at an end and the mines are about to resume. This report has been taken up by their organ, the Morning Miner, and sent out over the country as a true report of the situation in Rossland. We have made a careful analysis of the situation here and believe that no impartial reader can see much reason for the joyful enthusiasm which Mr. Bernard Macdonald and his paper profess to feel.

For three and one-half months the strike has been in force at Northport. The greatest claim Macdonald or Kadish have ever made during that time is that they have been able to operate two of the five furnaces at the smelter. It is only a question of simple arithmetic to see that if it takes three and one-half months to start two furnaces, it will take eight and three-fourths months before they can have the smelter in operation. Now, if it takes eight and three-fourths months to secure the 500 men necessary to start the smelter it will take twice that many, or seventeen and one-half months, to secure 1000 men for the mines in Rossland. Or, at the end of twenty-six and one-half months, if Macdonald has the same success he claims to have had thus far at the smelter, he will be in a position to work the mines.

No one can deny or dispute that Bernard Macdonald has left no stone unturned to secure men for the smelter at Northport. He has cast his drag net over the states of Minnesota, Colorado, California, Oregon, Missouri, Montana, or, practically, over the entire country west of the Mississippi river, and has been able to start but two of the five furnaces at the Northport smelter. This is the success he boasts. He claims the strike is at an end. It has only begun.

So far we have taken as true his statements that he has two furnaces in operation at Northport. We wished to prove how futile are his statements by his own evidence. The real truth is he has never had two furnaces in successful operation at one time for 24 hours. They have produced no matte for shipment up till August 25. He claims to have shipped one carload on August 21. That it was the highest in value of any shipment made. The records of the railroad at Northport fail to show any trace of matte shipments on or about August 21. If any shipment was made it was via the Columbia river route and rests at the bottom of the river.

He also claims to be able to start the mines in Rossland. Apparently he does not realize there is an alien act in Canada, for of the 30 employes now at the mines all but two have been brought here in direct violation of this law and will be deported inside of two weeks. He has in eight weeks been able to secure but two scabs in Canada. Now, if the Canadian people should, to his surprise, enforce their laws, even if it does hurt the feelings of Bernard Macdonald, how long will it take to start the mines at the ratio of two every eight weeks? And as yet there is not a miner in the lot.

We are not deceiving the miners of Rossland by false promises. We hope for an honorable settlement of the difficulties here. The sooner the better it will suit the union miners of Rossland. But if it is necessary to continue this fight to its final end the union miners and smeltermen will stand shoulder to shoulder for carrying on the fight.

This war was forced on these unions. We entered the struggle full of a belief in the justice of our cause and confident of our ability to carry it successfully to an end. This belief has never been shaken for an instant, and certainly is not when we consider the almost unbroken line of successes which have thus far attended our efforts.

EXECUTIVE BOARD
ROSSLAND MINERS' UNION No. 38, W. F. M

"Drilling Missed Holes."

There's a death-dealing custom
Abroad in the land,
I can see by the verdicts
On every hand.
No fires lit with coal oil,
Nor rushing 'e goals,
Are so fearfully fatal
As drilling missed holes.

When bosses are planning
Some trouble to meet,
They fill up their mines
With some cheap tenderfeet;
And the juryman's mirth
He can scarcely control,
For he knows it's so easy
To drill a missed hole.

The miners at Bullion
Were out on a strike,
And they watched a performance
They didn't quite like—
A cheechaco preparing
To light his first charge—
His experience was small
But his confidence large.

He saw the crowd smiling,
And cursed the whole lot,
And swore he knew all
About lighting a shot.
The boys said they noticed
His fuse was too short,
But he lit it! They know,
For they heard the report!

The tales were conflicting,
The jury looked droll,
But they found the "departed"
Had drilled a missed hole."

Last week, at the quarry
On Bessemer Hill,
A Swede disappeared
With a keg and a drill,
And the papers came out
With a long rignarole
'Neath a caption like this—
"Miner Drills a Missed Hole."

The Polander, Rhyewhiski,
Who worked on the grade,
Spit his fuse, but it missed,
And the work was delayed.
So Mickey, the boss,
In a terrible stew,
Told Rhyewhiski to
Try again, p. d. q.

The explosion was fearful,
Excitement ran high,
While the smoke and rock-shower
Darkened the sky.
It was hard to tell what
Had become of the Pole,
But the verdict was easy—
"He drilled a missed hole."

An Italian was seen
Going into a drift
With a charge such as only
A burro might lift.
On his hat were his candle
And piece of capped fuse!
Yet some people expressed
Great surprise at the news

Of the crash which soon followed!
And then on the street
It was learned the destruction
Was almost complete.
The rails were all twisted,
The timbers all wrecked;
But signs of poor Tony
Were hard to detect.

They found some old rags
And a spoonful of brains;
The "intelligent jury"
Who "viewed the remains"
In their kindness of heart
Did the poor wife console
By "finding" her husband
Had "Drilled a Missed Hole."

There are verdicts of "heart fail-
ure," "apoplexy"
"Temporary insanity," "felo de se,"
But the juries "find" nothing
So dear to their souls
As "unanimous verdicts"
Of "Drilling Missed Holes."
—PROSPECTOR.

Hot Roast Beef served with every
glass of beer at the Alhambra.

A Stiff Argument.

A train had just recommenced
its journey towards Bedals.
"What did the porter say was
the next station?"

"Excuse me," said passenger
No. 2, "you mean what is the
next station. It is still a station
you know."

"You're wrong. Is is was, but
was is not necessarily is."

"You are getting ridiculous,"
said the second speaker irritably.
"What was is, and what is is. Is
was is, or is is was?"

"Don't be foolish! Was may be
is but is is not was. Is was was,
but if was was is, then is isn't is,
or was wasn't was. Is was is, was
is, was is was, isn't it? But if is
is was then—"

"Listen, Is is, was was, and is
was and was is; therefore is was
is, and was was was, and is is
was."

"Shut up, will you! I've gone by
my station already!"

And there was silence for a
while.

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days from the date hereof, to apply to
the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of
Improvements, for the purpose of ob-
taining 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
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Dated this 21st day of October A. D. 1901.
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Witness: A. G. CRUELMAN,
Rosland, B. C., 9th September, A. D.
1901. 9-9-2m

**STRIKE
NOT SETTLED.**

Whereas agents of
the mining companies
have circulated the re-
port that the strike
existing at this place
is settled and work is
to be resumed at the
mines, we wish to
state that this report
is false and there is no
probability of a settle-
ment of the strike for
some time to come.
We advise all men
looking for employ-
ment to keep away
from Rosland, or
Northport or vicinity.

Executive Board,

Rosland Miners' Union No.
38, W. F. M.

Labor Union Directory.

Officers and Meetings.

**WESTERN FEDERATION
OF MINERS**—Edward Boyce
president, Denver, Colorado;
James Wilkes, vice-presi-
dent, Nelson, British Co-
lumbia; Wm. C. Haywood,
secretary-treasurer, Denver,
Col.; Executive Board, John
C. Williams, Grass Valley,
Cal.; Phillip Bowden, Butte,
Mont.; Thos. B. Sullivan,
Leadville, Col.; John Kelly,
Burke, Idaho; Chas. H.
Moyer, Lead City, S. Dako-
ta; James A. Baker, Slocan
City, B. C.

DISTRICT UNION NO. 6,
W. F. M.— Jas. Wilkes, Pres.
Nelson; Rupert Bulmer, vice-
president, Rosland; Alfred
Parr, secretary-treasurer,
Ymir.

MINERS' UNION No. 26,
Western Federation of
miners—meets every Wed-
nesday evening at 7:30, p.
m. in Miners' Union Hall,
Frank Woodside, Secretary
Rupert Bulmer, President.

**NEW DENVER MINERS
Union No. 97,** W. F. M.
Meets every Saturday even-
ing at 7:30 o'clock in Union
hall. T. J. Lloyd, Pres., H.
J. Byrnes, Sec.

**PHOENIX MINERS UN-
ION No. 8,** W. F. M. Meets
every Saturday evening at
7:30 o'clock in Miners' hall.
Henry Heidman, Pres., Jno.
Riordan, Sec.

**YMIR MINERS UNION
No. 85,** W. F. M., meets
every Wednesday evening
at 8 o'clock in Miners' Un-
ion hall. W. B. McIsaac,
Pres., Alfred Parr, Sec.

**SLOCAN CITY MINERS
Union No. 62,** W. F. M.
Meets every Wednesday
evening at 7:30 in Min-
ers' Union hall. James Nix-
on, Pres., D. B. O'Neil, Sec.

**NELSON MINERS UNION
No. 96,** W. F. M. Meets
every Saturday evening at
7:30 o'clock. John McPh-
erson, Pres., James Wilks, Sec.
Visiting brothers cordially
invited.

**GREENWOOD MINERS UNION
No. 22,** W. F. M., meets every
Saturday evening in Union hall.
Geo. F. Dougherty, Pres., M.
Kane, Sec.

**TRADES AND LABOR
COUNCIL**—Meets every sec-
ond and fourth Tuesday in
each month at 7:30 P. M. in
Miners' Union Hall. Presi-
dent, W. L. McDonald. Ad-
dress all communications to
Secretary-Treasurer, P. O.
box 784.

**ROSSLAND FEDERAL
Labor Union No. 19.** Meets
last Monday evening in each
mnhth at 8:00 in Miners'
Union hall. T. H. Reed,
Pres., J. V. Ingram, Sec.

**TYPOGRAPHICAL UN-
ION No. 335.**—Meets on the
last Sunday of each month
at the Miners' Union Hall.
J. J. Barkdoll, Sec.; Wm.
Poole, Presid

**CARPENTERS & JOIN-
ERS UNION**—meets every
Friday of each week at 7.
30 p. m. in Miners' Union
Hall. John McLaren, Pres.;
W. R. Baker, Sec.

PAINTERS' UNION, No.
123, painters and decorators
of America, meets in Beatty's
Hall, on second and fourth
Tuesday of each month. R.
C. Arthur, Pres.; W. S.
Murphy, Sec.

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first Monday in each month
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Fairclough secretary, P. O.
box 314.

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STOCK MARKETS

Business Remains Fairly Quiet on Exchange.

NINE THOUSAND SHARES SOLD

The Latest Quotations and Sales Locally and on the Toronto Market.

Winnipeg sold at 8½c on the local market this morning. Rambler-Cariboo at 50½c, and Cariboo Camp McKinney at 17c.

The Toronto market is easier than yesterday, and almost the entire list is down a point or two.

Business is quiet in Rossland, nine thousand shares being the total sales his morning on the exchange.

Appended will be found today's quotations and sales here and in Toronto.

Today's Toronto Quotations.

| | Asked | Bid |
|----------------------|-------|-----|
| War Eagle..... | 15 | 11 |
| Centre Star..... | 45 | 35 |
| Iron Mask..... | 17½ | 16 |
| Rambler-Cariboo..... | 53 | 48 |
| Giant..... | 4 | 4 |
| California..... | 4½ | 4 |
| Republic..... | 3½ | 2½ |
| Payne..... | 19 | 15 |
| Winnipeg..... | 9 | 6 |

Toronto sales today included: 500 Cariboo, Camp McKinney, at 18c, 500 Cariboo, Camp McKinney, at 17½c, 4000 Morrison at 2½c.

Today's Local Quotations:

| | Asked | Bid |
|--|-------|-----|
| Abe Lincoln..... | 5 | 5 |
| American Boy..... | 10 | 9½ |
| Albion..... | 4 | 4 |
| B. C. Gold Fields..... | 3 | 3 |
| Big Three..... | 2½ | 2½ |
| Black Tail..... | 10 | 9 |
| California..... | 5 | 4 |
| Canadian Gold Fields..... | 5 | 3½ |
| Cariboo (Camp McKinney)..... | 19 | 18½ |
| Centre Star..... | 45 | 41 |
| Crows Nest Pass Coal..... | 80 | 77 |
| Deer Trail No. 2..... | 3 | 2 |
| Dundee..... | 5 | 5 |
| Evening Star (Assess. paid)..... | 3½ | 3½ |
| Giant..... | 3½ | 2½ |
| Golden Crown Mines, Lim..... | 3½ | 2 |
| Homestead (Assess. paid)..... | 1½ | 1½ |
| Iron Mask (Assess. paid)..... | 19 | 13 |
| Iron Coll..... | 1 | 1 |
| I. K. L..... | 20 | 20 |
| Jumbo..... | 10 | 10 |
| King (Oro Denoro)..... | 4 | 3½ |
| Knob Hill..... | 4 | 3½ |
| Lone Pine..... | 3 | 3 |
| Monte Christo..... | 3 | 3 |
| Montreal Gold Fields..... | 3 | 3 |
| Morning Glory..... | 3 | 1½ |
| Morrison..... | 3 | 1½ |
| Mountain Lion..... | 20 | 20 |
| Noble Five..... | 4 | 3 |
| North Star (East Kootenay)..... | 35 | 25 |
| Novelty..... | 1 | 1 |
| Old Ironsides..... | 85 | 75 |
| Payne..... | 10 | 10 |
| Peoria Mines..... | 2 | 1½ |
| Princess Mind..... | 2 | 1½ |
| Quill..... | 22 | 18 |
| Rambler-Cariboo..... | 52 | 50 |
| Republic..... | 3 | 3 |
| Rossland Bonanza G. M. & S. Co. St. Elmo Consolidated..... | 3½ | 3 |
| Sullivan..... | 10 | 8½ |
| Splitsee Gold Mines..... | 3 | 2 |
| Tamarac (Kootenay) Assess. paid..... | 2 | 2 |
| Tom Thumb..... | 13½ | 11½ |
| Van Ande..... | 3 | 1½ |
| Virginia..... | 3 | 1½ |
| War Eagle Consolidated..... | 1 | 1 |
| Waterloo..... | 1 | 1 |
| White Bear..... | 3 | 1½ |
| Winnipeg..... | 9 | 7 |
| Wonderful..... | 4 | 2 |

Today's Sales:
Rambler-Cariboo, 1000, 2000, 50½c; Winnipeg, 5000, 8½c; Cariboo, Camp McKinney, 1000, 19c. Total sales, 9000 shares.
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MINOR MENTION.

J. S. Carter C. P. R. agent Nelson is in town.

C. S. Wallis went over to the Boundary country this morning.

A. H. MacNeill, K.O., left for Greenwood on the early train this morning.

P. McL. Forin left for his old home in Bellville, Ontario, this morning on a short visit.

Miss Jean Robinson and Miss McCoy left this morning for Phoenix camp where they will give a recital.

Henry Bratnober accompanied by his secretary M. B. Mein of San Francisco arrived on the Spokane train last evening.

James Wilson and B. S. Jenkins, of the C. P. R. Telegraph company came in last night and left for the Boundary country this morning.

Joseph Cocking, an old Rossland miner, has accepted a position at Fairview, B. C., as timberman, and left for that place on Sunday last.

An American syndicate has bonded for \$150,000 the coal lands lying along the Nanaimo river, owned by Nanaimo men. Work is to be commenced next month.

Entitled to Nine.

A cat, long a pet in a small hotel in Manitou Springs, saved seventeen lives not long ago. Fire broke out and no one but the cat discovered it. It rushed to the bed of the landlady, sprang of her face and scratched until she awoke, after which it rushed through the house caterwauling and scratching at the doors. The building burned so rapidly that the guests made their escape attired in blankets. Among those saved were two babies. The rescued have voted the cat a medal and think nine lives none too many to be enjoyed by an animal who saved seventeen.

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Over 20 Per Cent of the Total Population Attend Schools.

Washington, Oct. 22.—About 21 per cent of the total population of the United States attend public schools, and about two per cent of the rest attend private schools, according to the annual report of the commissioner of education. The grand total in all schools, elementary, secondary and high, public and private, for the year ending July 1, 1900, was 17,202,710 pupils, an increase of 282,348 over the previous year.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

KOOTENAY.

- Henry Roy, city.
- J. M. Miller, city.
- E. J. Shirley and wife, city.
- W. H. Burken, city.
- W. A. Clark, Portland, Ore.
- Nick Coulter, Seattle.
- Wm. Cowling, New York.
- W. H. Lynch, Spokane.
- Mrs. Ira Soustax, Velvet.
- D. W. Moore, Trail.
- James Jones, Sevenoaks.
- Mrs. E. Kitche, city.
- J. H. Reynolds, Troy, N. Y.
- A. C. Mesker, Midway.

Barrels of Money.

In Cincinnati, according to the Times-Star, all prominent minister investigating the strike of the machinists, started to quiz a striker in the presence of Attorneys Eugene Poicoy and W. H. Gazley.

"How much do you get, my good man?"
"Two dollars a day."
"Two dollars a day. Why, that is good wages. What did you do with it?"
"I'll tell you, but don't let it out," said the striker satirically. "After I paid taxes, assessments, living expenses for a family of six, I placed the balance in a flour barrel, and when it was full I headed it up and began on another barrel. My cellar is full of barrels of money."

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PROCTER JOINER, K. of R. and S.

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I. O. G. T. Independent Order of Good Templars meets every Thursday evening in the Lecture Room of the Baptist church. Members of the order visiting the city will be cordially welcomed.
O. J. B. LANE, C. I.
W. H. CRIBBITZ, Secretary.

I. O. O. F. Meets in Odd Fellows Hall on Queen Street, between First and Second avenues. Regular meetings each Monday night. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend and register within 30 days.
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