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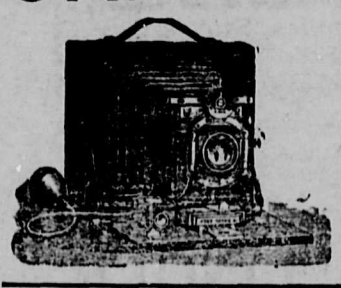

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Henry Moller is back from Burnt Basin where he has been doing assessment work. Mr. Moller is displaying some nice looking ore as the result of his labor.

H. M Rumball mining man and capitalist has returned from a six weeks' visit to New York and other eastern points.

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THE MACHINISTS

Important Meeting Held in New York Yesterday.

VOTED $100,000 TO STRIKERS

Central Federated Union Acts Promptly for the Strikers—What the Delegate Stated.

New York, June 10.—At the meeting of the Central Federated union, A. Kunzelmad, of the Machinists' committee, said:

"There are 50,000 machinists on strike for a shorter working day throughout the United States."

"Of these 30,000 belong to the union and we have to keep the other 20,000 in line. Should we win, as I hope and believe we will, it means a nine hour work day for 650,000 people throughout the United States. As it will bring the shorter work day to all affiliated trades.'.

He gaid that the fight would be a long and continued one and he asked tne central body to lend its aid financially and otherwise. It would require $150,000 a week, he said for the non-union men.

The meeting voted to give $100,000 directly to the machinists and adopted a resolution directing the secretary to write to all the affiliated unions asking for financial assistance for the strikers.

Returned to Work.

Buffalo. June 10.—The 500 machinists, pipe fitters and helpers, who struck at the depot shops of the New York Central a few days ago, returned today, in accordance with the orders received last week from the convention of the International Association of Machinists at Toronto, which decided after investigation that the strike had been too hasty."

Hurled Defiance.

Toronto, June 10.—At Saturday's session of the International Machinists Association a resolution was passed accepting the declaration that was issued by the National Metal Trades Association and hurling back the defiance. "We never will accept any modifications of our demands or resume labor until the cause for which we struggle is triumphant and a shorter work day is an accomplished fact."

MINER SAID TO BE SOLD

Transfer Closed in Spokane Last Week---The New Owners.

There has been a well defined rumor current on the street for the past few days that F. Aug Heinze of Butte has sold the Rossland Miner to the Le Roi company or to the Mine Managers Association of British Columbia which is now understood to control the Nelson Miner.

The story goes that Secretary Tolmie's recent visit here and Bernard Macdonald's trip to Spokane last week to meet Heinze's representative in that city were connected with the deal which it is asserted is now closed. Tne circulation books of the paper together with other data were expressed to Spokane early in the week and the details were gone into at the conference there.

The sum mentioned as paid is said to figure around $20,000.

If the report is true it will be interesting to watch the highly "independent" stand taken in the editorial columns of what might and should be the leading mining paper of the Kootenays.

It is that asserted the editor is not officially aware of the change of ownership but will be shortly informed of it.

Remembering what happened the evenfng paper in Rossland last December it is to be hoped that the Le Roi management have reserved sufficient room in their storehouse so that when the time comes the poor old Miner can be placed side by side with the plant of the defunct Record where it lies today.

IS IT DONE ON PURPOSE

The Miners' Ore Shipments 1500 Tons Short Yesterday.

The Miner stated yesterday that the ore shipments last week amounted last week to 5425 tons and no ore shipments from the Le Rói went out for the first three days of the week.

On Monday the Le Roi shipped 20 car loads and on Wednesday a similar shipment went out from the Le Roi. This represents about 1600 tons, just about the amount which the Miner was short in its weekly estimate, over 7000 tons having been shipped during the week.

A NEW UNION.

The Rossland Labor Union Formed on Saturday—Meeting on 15th.

A special meeting called by the Rossland Trades and Labor Council was held at Miners' Union hall on Saturday evening. About fifty persons were present.

After a good deal of discussion it was decided to organize a union to be called "The Rossland Labor Union." A president and secretary, pro tem, were elected and a committee was appointed to draft working rules for the new organization.

The special committee will report next Saturday night at a meeting to be held on that date when all laboring men are requested to be in attendance.

The Dominion Trades and Labor Council will be asked to grant a charter to the new union.

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English Cricket.

The South Africans opened their tour at Southampton on the 16th of May when they were beaten by Hampshire by an innings and 51 runs. At the Crystal Palace on the 22nd they defeated London County by 61. On the 18th at the Oval, Surrey beat Derbyshire by an innings and 11 runs. Sussex defeated Essex by 171 and Yorkshire beat Worcestershire by 90. On the 21st Yorkshire beat Derbyshire by an innings and 282. Gloucestershire were badly beaten by Surrey. Lancashire and Notts drew their match. Essex lost to Warwickshire and Worcestershire to Sussex.

Ready mixed paints at F. W. Pretty's at $1 per Imperial half gallon. tf

TO END THE WAR

Hague Arbitration Court Will Now Intervene.

WILL ENGLAND GIVE CONSENT?

Sensational Dispatch from Berlin—German Emperor Will Act—Boers Now Want Peace.

Berlin, June 10.—The Kleins Journal today prints a dispatch from The Hague saying that Queen Wilhelmina's recent visit here was meant to obtain Emperor William's consent to end the South African war, both the Zweilbund and Dreibund being willing to do so, through The Hague arbitration court, and that the emperor consented and the court began work thereon. The dispatch has created a sensation here.

The Associated Press has just obtained the following foreign office statement which is authorized by Count von Buelow, the imperial chancellor:

Neither Great Britain, France nor Russia ever approached Germany to participate in any action aiming at ending the South African war. Germany has all along distinguished between offering her services and intervention. To render her good office would be possible under certain circumstances, viz: If both parties to the war requested it; but itwill be remembered that Great Britain joined the Hague conference only on condition that the Boer states were excluded.

"There is no doubt that Mr. Kruger, who is a serious statesman, came to Europe to obtain the good offices of several of the powers to end the war; but there is also no doubt that Great Britain does not want their good offices. At least it is true that since the South African war began Great Britain has never, either verbally or in writing, confidentially or officially broached such an idea. It is quite possible that the Boer side has now asked formally The Hague arbitration court to lend its aid to end the war somehow, and that the court has had a session regarding the matter, but that, of course, is entirely different from any serious step to end the war."

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Home From China.

City Assessor Harp had a pleasant surprise on Saturday when his brother John Harp arrived in camp on his way home from China. Mr. Harp has been in the English customs service at Port Arthur and other Chinese ports for the past 24 years and is now on his way to his old home at Toronto. He will be the guest of his brother all this week.

At The Hospital.

Samuel Waters, whose people reside in Butte, is in a very critical condition at the hospital with pneumonia and bright's disease.

Kenneth Martin is improving.

Barney O'Brien is in the hospital with rheumatism.

Mat Garland and John Deegan are improving and are as well as can be expected.

A. E. Philps, the unfortunate man who lost his legs at the Centre Star lately will have to undergo another operation.

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SOME MORE "REFLECTIONS."

In a lengthy two column editorial yesterday, the Miner purports to give a review of President Shed's history of the Northport troubles which appeared in these columns last week.

The WORLD does not know who wrote the article but acquits the editor of being the author. The Miner apparently cannot understand that it was possible for Mr. Shed to write a perfectly plain unvarnished and truthful review of all the facts of this unpleasant case, and accordingly, by ignoring the issue raised and giving prominence to portions of the statement by the lavish use of capitals, seeks to gloss the matter over.

The issue is plain. What the men complain of and what they seek to arbitrate, is the unjust discrimination of the management against union men as union men.

Presumably acting for the management Mr. Kadish made no secret of the matter. He told the men that if they would abandon the union he would take them back to work at once, but otherwise no union men would be employed, and that is now the issue which will be fought out to a finish here, and at Northport.

The morning paper, which is now avowedly a mine managers' paper pure and simple, asks:

"What do the union men themselves think about it? What do the business men of Rossland think about it?"

We are inclined to think that the answer to these two questions will gradually be instilled into the management of the Miner from this time on, now that the paper has come out in its true colors. To prove that the men are clearly within their rights in asking for arbitration in the matter, we refer to the Albany case, which was settled on Saturday on the lines asked for by the Northport union. Five men employed by the United Traction company, who took a leading part in the late tie up, were discharged because of their connection with the Amalgamated Association of Street Car Employes. The president of the association demanded that the case of these men should be arbitrated. Now see what followed. We quote the Associated Press dispatch from Albany in full as it appeared on Saturday:

"At a conference held in this city today between the board of directors of the United Traction company and the committee representing the employes of the Albany and Troy lines, the differences which have sprung up between the company and its employes during the past two weeks were amicably settled and all chances of a strike happily avoided. The suspended conductors were reinstated with pay and the other matters in dispute settled to the satisfaction of the company and its employes."

We invite the Miner to "reflect" some more and to include the Albany case as it applies to Northport.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to newspaper reports, Bernard Macdonald is going to force a fight on the Western Federation. A large force of men has been laid off at the Northport smelter and at the Le Roi mine with the evident calculation of breaking up the labor organizations. Macdonald is spoiling for a fight and he will certainly get it. All the money that the Whitaker Wright corporation and the Gooderham-Blackstock syndicate can dig up will not be a circumstance to what it will cost to drive the miners' union out of Rossland.—Paystreak.

While the cost of smelting has been reduced, transportation charges are less, modern machinery is now in use, and the ore shipments are much larger than heretofore, the Le Roi and War Eagle mines at Rossland are not paying dividends. Under the old (American) management, before the capitalization of the Le Roi was raised to the tune of five million, this property paid $1,305,000 in dividends, and the conditions if anything were less favorable than at present. The War Eagle, too, is clouded in mystery. Between stock manipulation and extravagant management, and the scarecrow cry of "labor troubles" these properties have been much reduced in value so far as the stock exchange goes.—Lardeau Eagle.

SCOTTISH CENSUS.

For the first time the population of Scotland is greater than that of Ireland, the excess being 15,411.

The following are the returns for towns having more than 50,000 inhabitants:

Glasgow	760,423
Edinburgh	316,479
Dundee	160,871
Aberdeen	153,108
Paisley	79,335
Leith	76,667
Govan	76,351
Greenock	67,645
Patrick	54,274

The total population is 4,741,957, an increase in 10 years of 446,310. In 19 of the counties the population has increased and in 14 it has decreased since 1891. The greatest growth has taken place in Lanarkshire, (which includes Glasgow) the excess over the last census amounting to 231,949, or more than one half the increase of the whole country. The largest reduction was in Roxburghshire, 4707.

THE ORE SHIPMENTS.

The Miner's ore shipments as given yesterday were about 1500 tons short of the true amount, and these figures were sent out to the Associated Press. The morning paper also stated that not a pound of ore came down from the Le Roi on the first three days of the week, whereas 40 cars, or nearly 1500 tons, were sent down on Monday and Wednesday. The blunder was a stupid one and unless the shipments are more correctly stated in future no credence will be given them. Previous shipments in May were given away over the actual figures and no corrections were made in the total for the year.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

In today's issue will be found a resume of the Bank of Montreal's yearly statement, which is always so eagerly looked for by all Canadian business men. The statement made by the general manager that throughout the Dominion the business outlook is good will be noted with pleasure, and the rest of the annual statement will be perused with interest by all business men of Rossland.

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BANK OF MONTREAL

Report of Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

BEST YEAR IN ITS HISTORY

Mr. Clouston, General Manager, Says Outlook Warrants Caution—Over production in Some Lines.

Montreal, June 3, 1901.

The report of the directors to the shareholders at their 83rd annual general meeting was read by Mr. E. S. Clouston, general manager, as follows:—The directors have pleasure in presenting the 83rd annual report, showing the result of the bank's business of the year ended 30th April, 1901.

Balance of profit and loss account, 30th April 1900	$427,180 80	
Profits for the year ended 30th April, 1901, after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts.....	1,537,522 39	
		$1,964,703 19
Dividend 5 per cent., paid 1st Dec., 1900....	600,000 00	
Dividend 5 per cent., payable 1st June, 1901	600,000 00	
		1,200.000 00
Balance of profit and loss carried forward.....$		764,703 19

As shareholders are aware, the present bank charters would have expired on the first of July next. Instead of introducing an entire new bank act, the Government proceeded to continue the charters of the banks, and has provided for the changes which in its opinion were advisable by amendments to the bank act of 1890. The accommodation in the bank's building at headquarters having become very inadequate for the proper conduct of the business, it has been found necessary to erect suitable premises on the site recently acquired on Craig street, and the work is now in progress. The new premises are to be connected with the present building by a bridge over Fortification lane. Premises are also be being erected at the corner of Wellington and Magdalene streets for the Point St. Charles sub-agency, and since the last annual meeting the bank's building at Sydney, N. S., has been completed and occupied by that branch. It has been decided to open a branch of the bank at Glace Bay, N. S, at once. The head office and all the branches have passed through the usual inspection during the year.

Strathcona and Mount Royal,
President.

Bank of Montreal, head office, June 3rd, 1901.

The General Statement.

The general statement of assets and liabilities of the bank, April 30th, 1901, was read as follows:—

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$12,000,000 00
Rest.....	$7,000,000 00	
Bal of profits carried forward	764.703 19	
	$7,764,703 19	
Unclaimed dividends .	2,432 01	
Half-yearly dividends, payable 1st June, 1901.	600,000 00	
		$ 8,367,135 20
		$20,367,135 20
Notes of the bank in circulation ...$	6,482,214 00	
Deposits not bearing interest	18,184,774 47	
Deposits bearing interest	54,501,853 13	
Bals. due to other banks in Canada.	46,082 93	
		79,214,924 53
		$99,582,059 73

ASSETS.

Gold and silver coin current $	2,564,358 36	
Government demand notes	3,472,440 25	
Deposit with Dominion government required by act of parliament for security of general bank note circulation.....		310,000 00
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Great Britain....$	2,536,166 61	
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in foreign countries...	2,264,257 63	
Call and short loans in Gt. Britain and U. S.....	23,536,628 00	
Dominion and provincial government securities..$	617,930 93	
Railway and other bonds debentures and stocks	2,889,973 17	
Notes and checks of other banks	1,690,470 10	
		33,535,426 41
Bank premises at Montreal and branches		600,000 00
Current loans and discounts in Canada and elsewhere (rebate interest reserved) and other assets	58,850,440 34	
Debts secured by mortgage or otherwise...	131,135 27	
Overdue debts not specially secured (loss provided for)	118,250 07	
		59,099,834 68
		$99,582,059 73

E. S. CLOUSTON,
General Manager.

Bank of Montreal.
Montreal, 30th April, 1901.

The General Manager's Address.

Mr. Clouston then said:—The statement before you requires a little explanation, as it is made up to conform to the amended bank act of last session, and now embraces our foreign business, as well as our Canadian. Previous statements showed only the balances which would be due us from other countries after our business there had been liquidated. Consequently, our statement now includes all deposits and loans elsewhere than in Canada. This makes a comparison with former statements an impossibility, but for the information of the shareholders, I may say that the principal changes in our Canadian business are as follows:—

Circulation increases, $321,000.

Deposits not bearing interest, increase, $1,963,000.

Deposits bearing interest, increase, $5,422,000.

Current loans and discounts, decrease, $360,000.

You will notice that our profits are a little in excess of those of last year, and the statement is one of the strongest we have had the pleasure of laying before you.

The New Banking Rules

As the charters of all the banks would have expired in July of this year a further extension of ten years was granted and certain amendments to the bank act were enacted. The chief changes were:—The rate of interest on notes of suspended banks was reduced from six per cent to five per cent. Power was been given to enable a bank to purchase the assets of another, thus overcoming the barrier which formerly existed to the amalgamation of banks. In addition to the annual return of unclaimed dividends and balances, we are also required to furnish a statement of all drafts, and bills of exchange issued and remaining unpaid.

In the case of a suspended bank, the Canadian Bankers Association has been given power to appoint a curator. The association has also been entrusted with the work of inspecting and supervising the note circulating accounts of all the banks in the Dominion, an added safeguard, if any were needed, to the circulating currency of the country. In this way the association has practically become an agent of the Government in the administration of the act. The form of our statement to the Government has been changed and fuller details are now required. It was this that rendered advisable the new form of statement now laid before you. Other changes were of more interest to bankers themselves than to the public. Generally speaking the alterations were in the direction of strengthening and improving the act under which we have worked for the last ten years.

At the last session of Parliament the finance minister took power to establish a mint. The opinion of the bankers, not from any selfish point of view, but from what we believed to be in the best interests of the country at large, were set forth at the last annual meeting of the Bankers' Association, and I do not propose to say anything more on the subject here. The act was only permissive, and it may be that on looking more closely into the matter the government may decide not to incur considerable expense in order to deteriorate the value of one of our products, as the gold is more available to pay our foreign indebtedness and more valuable for export, as bullion, than if it were minted into coin. As a circulating medium it will not displace the paper currency here any more than it does in the United States, while the miners today can obtain from the banks the same value for their gold as they would if the mint were established even in British Columbia.

Business Generally Good.

Business during the last year has been generally good, notwithstanding a short crop in the northwest, and in spite of the unfortunate condition of affairs in the mining districts. In other sections of Canada even the most pessimistic of farmers should have been satisfied with the results of the last two years. If, from a sentimental point of view, we were eager and willing to aid the mother country by the dispatch of troops, as will always be the case, the practical result is a magnificent advertisement to Canada and an additional market established for our products which will probably recoup the outlay of this country. In the last year there has been an increased demand for its products in consequence of the Boer war in South Africa. On the other hand, the woollen manufacturing industry has not been prosperous, and, I am sorry to say, the outlook for the lumber trade is not of the best, prices ruling low and the markets being congested, and we can only hope for an improvement before the season finishes.

Need for Caution.

There are also signs of overproduction in textile goods and in the manufacture of pulp, which only need judicious restraint to be put on a good basis. We must not forget the return of the wave and get so far beyond our depth as to lose our footing. It is too early to speak of the future crops, though up to the present the reports are good, and if they turn out according to promise we ought to have another good year, and if that comes you can see that this bank is in a position to take advantage of it.

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

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STOCK MARKETS

Business Continues Good on the Exchange.

ALL THE PRICES REMAIN FIRM

Homestake Is Going Up—Sales and Quotations Here and in Toronto This Morning.

Business on change was very good this morning. Monday is usually a dull day, but 16,000 shares were sold at the morning session today. Prices remain firm but with very little change either here or in the east.

Homestake is moving up in view of the proposed shipments this week and two 60-day options at 15c and 14c were given.

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

Today's Toronto Quotations.

	Asked	Bid
War Eagle	21	19
Centre Star	41½	39
Iron Mask	26	24
Rambler-Cariboo	32	29
Giant	4	3
California	5	2½
Evening Star		
Republic	10⅝	10⅜
Payne	32	29½

Toronto sales today were: Republic 1500 at 10½c, White Bear, 5000 at 2c, Fairview 10,000 at 1⅛c, Payne 2500 at 30½c.

Today's Local Quotations:

	Asked	Bid
Athabasca	$4 00	
B. C. Gold Fields	3	
Big Three	2½	1
Black Tail	10½	9½
Brandon & Golden Crown	3	
California	5½	3¾
Canadian Gold Fields	7	5½
Cariboo (Camp McKinney)	41	39
Centre Star	42	40
Crows Nest Pass Coal	$88 00	$80 00
Deer Trail No. 2	3	2½
Dundee	15	
Evening Star (Assess. paid)	4	2
Giant	3½	3
Homestake (Assess. paid)	14½	13½
Iron Mask (Assess. paid)	33	26
Iro Colt	1	
I X L	20	
Indian Chief (Spitzee)	6	3
Jumbo	10	
Kin (Oro Denoro)	4	3
Knob Hill	60	50
Lone Pine	6½	5
Mont Christo	3	1
Montreal Gold Fields	3½	2
Morning Glory	4¼	3¼
Morrison		
Mountain Lion	26	20
Noble Five		4
North Star (East Kootenay)	70	50
Novelty	1¼	½
Old Ironsides	85	75
Payne	32	27
Peoria Mines	1½	
Princess Maud	2¼	1¾
Quilp	27	23
Rambler-Cariboo	31½	29½
Republic	11	9¾
Rossland Bonanza G. M. & S. Co.	4	3¼
St. Elmo Consolidated	5	3¼
Sullivan	8¼	7½
Tamarac (Kenneth) Assess. paid	5	3¼
Tom Thumb	14½	
Van Anda	2¼	
Virginia	3	1
War Eagle Consolidated	22	18
Waterloo	1½	
White Bear	2½	
Winnipeg	6	3½

Today's Sales:

Homestake, 500, 13½c; Giant, 2000, 3½c; Princess Maud, 5000, 2¼c; Rambler-Cariboo, 1000, 1000, 30c, 3000, 32¼c; Centre Star, 2000, 41¼c, 1000, 41c; Cariboo, Camp McKinney, 500, 41c. Total sales, 16,000 shares.

Calls—Homestake, 60 day, 3000 at 15c, 1c down, 20 day, 3000 at 14c, 1c down.

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ROSSLAND METHODISTS.

An Eloquent and Practical Sermon by the new Pastor Yesterday.

The services in the Methodist church were unusually well attended on Sunday, a large congregation being present to hear the initial sermon of Rev. A. M. Sanford, B.A., the new pastor.

Mr. Sanford devoted the morning sermon to a discussion of the relation existing between pastor and people, declaring that he was not here to have dominion over their faith but to their helper. In his evening sermon he emphasized the fact that God had a plan for each man's life and that each man must serve God in his own sphere.

The general impression from these services was that in calling Mr. Sanford to Rossland the church has made no mistake.

The music furnished by the new choir was of a high order and much appreciated.

HE NEVER FORGOT IT

Stratton's Generous Act---Redeemed the Matchless Mine.

Leadville, Colo., June 20.—Winfield S. Stratton, the millionaire mine owner of Cripple Creek, has redeemed ihe "Matchless" mine in Leadville for the widow of the late Senator Tabor.

Years ago Senator Tabor advanced some money to Stratton when Stratton was a poor struggling miner and he never forgot it, when Tabor died he had lost almost everything and he was vainly endeavoring to save the Matchless mine which he always insisted, still contained millions in its unexplored depths. The property was sold several months ago at a sheriff's sale and the final title would pass on July 4th, to the new owners. Senator Tabor's widow has continued the struggle and Mr. Stratton has now come to her assistance and will also enable her to exploit the property to greater depths.

Call at F. W. Pretty's and see their wall paper at 11 cents per single roll. tf

Lightning Strikes.

A very vivid flash of lightning was noticed by everyone about 3 o'clock this afternoon. The Daly residence was struck and a chimney demolished, while the new flag staff in front of the house was shivered to pieces.

At the city hall offices the fluid entered the building but departed without injuring anyone.

A Church Party.

The young people of the Baptist church propose giving an entertainment at the Baptist church on Monday evening, June 10, commencing at 8 o'clock. A good program has been prepared and during the evening strawberries and cream will be served. Admission to the entertainment, silver collection. Strawberries and cream, 15 cents for one, 25cents for two. 4t

HIGH GRADE PICTURES.

A Moving Show at the Gulph Block Afternoons and Evenings.

The management of the European high grade entertainmen of moving pictures have secured the ground floor of the Guelph block for their exhibition.

From 1 to 5:30 and from 6:30 to 10 every day this week a capital show is given and ladies and children are specially invited.

The funeral of Queen Victoria, scenes iu China, Paris and other European cities are given and the entertainment is a most pleasing and instructive one.

Jay P. Graves passed through Rossland yesterday on his way ot Spokane from Phoenix.

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MINOR MENTION.

E. M. O'Brien, Montreal, is in town today.

Horatio C. Cook formerly with Goodeve Bros., recently passed his examination at the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto, with first class honors and received the degree of Ph. M.B., at Toronto University. Mr. Cook is now with Miller Bros., of Greenwood.

Mrs. W. Herron left yesterday on a visit to her relatives at Rockford, Washington.

Miss Mabel Whitney of this city, is visiting Mrs. H. L. Richardson of Spokane.

The sum of $3000 was distributed among the creditors of the Chapleau last week.

The Queen Victoria Memorial Fund in London now exceeds $500,000.

Slocan will have its first municipal election on June 22nd. Nominatisn day is the 15th.

R. Morgan left for San Francisco yesterday.

William Connolly went over to Erie Camp yesterday.

James Martin and Mr. and Mrs. William Martin will shortly remove to the residence formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Desmond north of the Le Roi offices.

Hello, Hartley, box of strawberries. Phone 171, V. & N.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

KOOTENAY.

W. B. Etnier, Spokane.
Trail Base Ball Team, Trail.
A. Brown, Spokane.
D. J. Andrews, Portland.
A. N. Paterson. Paterson, B. C.
J. A. Kinney, Nelson.

WINDSOR.

W. E. Roberts, Emmetsburg, Iowa.
F. Powers, Philadelphia.
C. Teesor, Chicago.
E. H. Hattrup, city.

A car of Boulter's canned goods just arrived at Paulson Bros. tf

Boxing This Week

Messrs. Armstrong and O'Neill will give an exhibition of the manly art every evening this week at the International Music hall. Drop in and see a round or two.

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THE STARS WIN.

Rossland Team Defeated The Trail Men—Score Ten to Five.

Considering the very unpleasant weather yesterday a good crowd witnessed the ball game on the Rossland grounds between the Trail aggregation and the Rossland Stars.

The home team proved too much for the Smelter city men as the total proved, but the Smoke Eaters put up a plucky game.

The game by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Trail	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	5
Stars	1	0	1	5	0	3	0	10

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Wire Curlers 5c, 10c and 15c
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Corticelli Tape 6 yards for 5c
India Tape four bunches for 5c
Feather stitched Braid six yards for 10c
Pocket books 5c and up
Hair Combs 10c and up
Hair Brushes 25c and up
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Silk Cords 2 yards for 5c
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Belding's Embroidery Silks six skeins for 25c
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Crochet Cords per spool 5c
Knitting Cottons per spool 5c

Wool Mendings per skein 5c
Silk Mendings per skein 5c
Embroidery Hoops 10c, 15c and 25c
Lace Cushion Tops 15c, 25c and 35c
Cushion Tops from 35c and up
Petroleum Jelly per Bottle 5c
Dress Shields per pair 10c
Hooks and Eyes 6 doz for 5c
Hooks and Eyes, patent 4 doz for 5c
Basting Cotton 2 spools for 5c
Baby Ribbons 1c per yd, 2 for 5c and up
Whalebone Sticks each 5c
Handkerchiefs 5c, 6 for 25c
Handkerchiefs 10c, 3 for 25c
Handkerchiefs 15c, 2 for 25c
Handkerchiefs 20c, 3 for 50c and up
No. 5 Ribbons, all colors 3 yds for 10c
No. 9 Ribbons per yd 5c
No. 16 Ribbons per yd 10c
Special lines of Ribbons, wide widths, silk and satins 20c and 25c
Veilings, special 15c and 25c
Children's Bibs 10c and up
Writing Pads each 10c
Pom Poms per doz 15c and 20c
Fancy Neck Frilling per yd 25c
Fancy Elastics were 35c, for 25c
Val. Laces per doz 15c and up
Wash Veils each 15c
Kid Gloves 75c and up
Beauty Pins 2 for 5c
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SIR WALTER BESAUT DEAD

Two Well Known English Literary Men Gone--R. W. Buchannan Dead.

London, June 10.—Sir Walter Besant, the novelist, died yesterday at his residence in Hampstead after a fortnight's illness from influenza. He was morn in 1836.

Robert William Buchannan, poet and prose writer is dead. He was born August 18th, 1841.

Robert James Loyd-Lindsay, first Baron Wantage, is dead. He was 69 years old,

POLICE COURT.

Charged With Selling Goods Without a License--Other Cases.

V. Simons was charged, on the information of City License Inspector Harp, with taking orders for sale by retail, for goods to be supplied by the Crown Tailoring Co. of Toronto, without taking out a license as provided by City Bylaw No. 3.

Mr. Abbott appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Whitesides for the defendants. After hearing the evidence the police magistrate adjourned the case until tomorrow morning.

Edward Davis was remanded until tomorrow and the charge of vagrancy against Eugene Burk was dismissed.

St. Charles Hotel

The partnership between Messrs. Thompson and Hermann of the St. Charles hotel will not be dissolved for some time yet.

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Notice to Pre-Emptors of Crown Lands.

The attention of pre-emptors of Crown lands is hereby called to an amendment to the "Land Act," passed at the last session of the legislature, which provides as follows, viz:—

"9. Pre-emptors of Crown lands, whether in arrears in payment of installments of purchase money or not, who at the time of coming into force of this Act have obtained certificates of improvement within twelve months thereafter, shall on conforming with the provisions of the "Land Act" except as hereby altered, be entitled to obtain Crown grants of their pre emption claims upon completing payments of purchase money at the rate of seventy-five cents per acre, and Crown grant fees, which payments may be made as follows:—

"Twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 31st day of December, 1901.

"Twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 30th day of June, 1902, and the remaining—

"Twenty-five cnets per acre on or before the 31st day of December, 1902, and without any further payment of interest or arrears of interest."

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1901.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS,

ROSSLAND-VELVET MINE WAGGON ROAD.

Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tender for Rossland-Velvet Mine Waggon Road," will be received by the undersigned up to and including Thursday, the twentieth instant for the construction of a wagon road from Rossland to the Velvet Mine.

Plan, profile, specification and form of contract may be seen on or after the 7th instant, at the office of John Kirkup, Esq., Government Agent, Rossland

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, made payable to the undersigned, for the sum of thirteen hundred ($1,300) dollars, as security for the fulfilment of the contract, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied and signed with the actual signatures of the tenderers.

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 3rd June, 1901.

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NOTICE.

"CANADIAN CONTINGENT EXEMPTION ACTS."

All returned South African Volunteers, who have not already done so, are requested to communicate with the undersigned without delay, as also the next of kin of those deceased, or of those who have not yet returned to British Columbia, or any other persons interested in mining properties held by such Volunteers. The latest date possible for receiving applications for exemption under the above Acts will be the 1st July, proximo.

RICHARD McBRIDE,
Minister of Mines.
Department of Mines,
Victoria, B. C. 3rd June, 1901.