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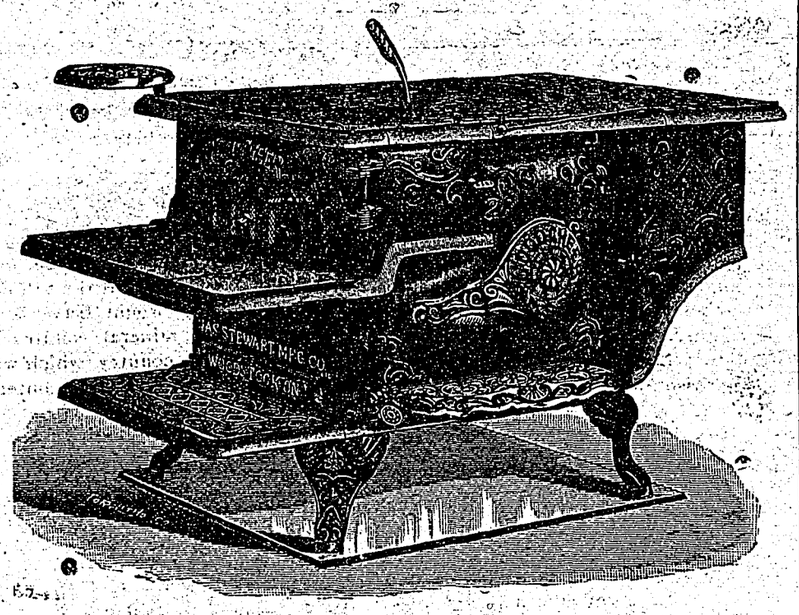

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MINERAL PRODUCTION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

From the returns of the mineral production of the Province of British Columbia for the year 1900, submitted to the local legislature by the provincial minister of mines on March 5th, it is gathered that there was during the year an increase in the value of the output of the lode mines of the province of $3,307,203 and a decrease in that of placer gold of $66,176, leaving a net increase in metallic minerals for the year of $3,241,027. There was also an increase of $690,879 in the value of coal and coke and of $43,600 in that of other non-metallic minerals. The foregoing figures, therefore, exhibit last year's net increase, which was $3.975,506, as shown in detail in the following table:

	1899	1900	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Gold, placer	$ 1,344,900	$ 1,278,724	$	$ 66,176
Gold, lode	2,857,573	3,453,381	595,808	
Silver	1,663,708	2,297,840	634,132	
Copper	1,351,453	1,615,289	263,836	
Lead	878,870	2,690,557	1,811,687	
Iron ore	.....	1,740	1,740	
Total metallic minerals	$ 8,096,504	$ 11,337,531	$ 3,307,203	$ 66,176
Coal	3,882,396	4,318,785	436,389	
Coke	171,255	425,745	254,490	
Miscellaneous	206,400	250,000	43,600	
Grand total	$ 12,356,555	$ 16,332,061	$ 4,041,682	$ 66,176

The difference in the quantities for the respective years is shown below:

	1899	1900.
Gold, placer, ounces	67,245	63,936
Gold, lode, ounces	138,315	167,153
Silver, ounces	2,939,413	3,938,705
Copper, pounds	7,722,591	9,977,080
Lead, pounds	21,862,436	63,158,621
Iron ore, tons	.....	580
Coal, tons	1,294,132	1,439,595
Coke, tons	34,251	85,149

The total mineral production of the province for all years up to and including the year 1900, is as under:

Gold, placer,	$ 62,584,443
Gold, lode	12,812,860
Silver	13,638,449
Copper	4,362,583
Lead	7,618,626
Coal and coke	49,104,341
Other minerals	1,982,900
	$152,104,202

The number of tons of metallic ore mined in the province in 1899 was 287,343 and and in 1900 554,794, the increase for last year having been 267,453 tons. The respective increases for 1900 over 1898 were: In quantity of metallic ore mined, 338,852 tons, and in value of metallic minerals, coal and coke, $5,425,200, the latter being an increase of nearly 50 per cent. The total number of shipping mines is now 99, while the number of mines shipping over 100 tons each in one year was 60 for 1900 as compared with 43 in 1899.

The figures for the whole of Canada for the year 1900 are not yet available but those for 1899, given in the following table, will serve to show the very important position the part of the Dominion lying west of the Rocky Mountains occupies in regard to Canada's total production in 1899 with that situate east of the Rockies. It will be seen that the total value of metallic minerals, coal and coke produced in British Columbia and the Yukon was $28,150,155 as against $10,073,642 for the remainder of the Dominion.

	British Columbia	Yukon District.	All Other Provinces	Total for Dominion
Gold	$ 4,202,473	$ 16,000,000	$ 847,257	$ 21,049,730
Silver	1,163,708	.....	170,663	1,834,371
Copper	1,351,553	.....	1,303,866	2,665,319
Lead	878,870	.....	98,380	977,250
Iron	.....	.....	248,372	248,372
Nickel	.....	.....	2,067,840	2,067,840
Platinum	.....	.....	838	838
Coal	3,882,396	.....	5,157,662	9,040,058
Coke	171,255	.....	178,767	350,029
Total	$12,150,155	$ 16,000,000	$ 10,073,642	$ 38,223,797

As the output of coal in British Columbia is rapidly increasing and attention is now being directed to its iron deposits, it appears as though it will not be long before the mineral production of the province will be greater, not only in the total, as at present, but as well in all the individual minerals (excepting nickel and platinum), than that of the remainder of the Dominion east of the Rocky Mountains.

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CITY COUNCIL.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council was held last Monday night. There were present the mayor and Aldermen Caulfield, Naden and Sutherland.

The city clerk was instructed to notify I. P. Armstrong that, according to the report made by the city engineer, the council will not be able to supply the water asked for by him. The bid of T. M. Gulley & Co. to bury bodies of dead paupers at $17 each was accepted. The street committee was empowered to assist the Yale-Columbia Lumber company in protecting the banks of Boundary creek at the company's lumber yard, cost not to exceed $100. Messrs. Portmann and A. Sater were accepted as bondsmen for the city scavenger. Ald. Naden introduced a fire limit by-law, which received its first and second readings. The estimates by-law was finally passed. It was resolved to hold a court of revision in connection with the 1901 assessment roll on April 23 and following days if necessary, and the clerk was instructed to advertise same. The water works committee was requested to repair the intake at the reservoir and the city engineer was instructed to report fully upon his suggestion that a mechanical gate to regulate the flow of waste water be placed at the reservoir and to have a weir constructed across Twin creek for the purpose of obtaining data as to the flow of water down the creek the year through. Ald. Caulfield, Naden and Sutherland were appointed a committee to look into the question of street lighting and to report thereon. The city solicitor reported that the city's appeal in the case of Waterland vs. City of Greenwood, had been set down for hearing at the May term of the Full court. Council adjourned at 11 p. m.

The wife of Mr. A. Lander, farmer, died in premature childbirth at her home near Midway last Monday night. The funeral took place at Midway yesterday afternoon, Rev. R. P. Murray, Presbyterian mininter, conducting the burial rites. The deceased lady who leaves two young children without a mother's care, was a sister of Mrs. A. E. Horridge, of the Imgrim ranch. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Lander in the irreparable loss he has sustained by the death of his wife.

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SNOWSHOE MINE IN PHOENIX CAMP

The Snowshoe group, situate near Phoenix, is owned by the British Columbia (Rossland and Slocan) Syndicate, Ltd., of London, England. The Snowshoe claim is being developed by both shaft and tunnel workings. An incline shaft has been sunk 200 feet and crosscuts and drifts have been run at both 100 and 200 foot levels. These developments have opened up a lot of ore. From the 200 foot level a diamond drill hole has been put down 500 feet.

The crosscut tunnel is in about 500 feet. It has encountered one body of ore and is now being driven ahead in the hope of another payshoot being met with. A winze in the tunnel has been sunk 100 feet and a crosscut in the bottom of it has shown that the ore continues at that depth and is of good grade. This ore body, as developed by the tunnel and winze, has been shown to have an average dip of about 45 degrees northerly, that is, into the Snowshoe property. A raise from the tunnel, at the westerly extremity of this shoot of ore, now up about 80 feet, is in ore also of good grade. The main object in view in making this raise is to improve the ventilation of these workings, but it is at the same time good development work since it is proving the ore to be continuous. The Snowshoe ore is generally similar to that on the neighboring Old Ironsides and Knob Hill group.

The Snowshoe group comprises the Snowshoe, Pheasant, Fairplay fraction and Alma fraction. A prospect shaft, sunk 35 feet on the Fairplay fraction, shows at the present time a large deposit of iron pyrites carrying values in gold and silver. Altogether some 4,000 feet of work, in shafts, drifts, crosscuts, etc., have been done on the group.

A spur has been put in from the Phoenix branch of the Columbia & Western railway, for loading ore. Although there is a large quantity of ore locked out ready for extraction, the mine is not yet equipped for maintaining regular shipments. From time to time one or two carloads of ore have been sent to the smelter for test purposes and in this way 14 carloads in all have been shipped.

The plant on the property includes a 70-horse power horizontal return tubular boiler, a 40-horse power locomotive boiler, a 12x18 straight line Rand air compressor, a 28x10 air receiver, half a dozen machine drills, two hoisting engines—one 6¼x8 and the other 5x8—and a No. 5 Cameron sinking pump.

THE WINNIPEG.

In his circular stock letter of Feb'y 25th, Mr. Richard Plewman, of Rossland, who is managing director of the Winnipeg Mines, Ltd., made the following comment on the Winnipeg mine: Development work at the mine has been progressing satisfactorily. The station in the north tunnel, 300-foot level, over the second north vein, is finished and a complete new plant installed and sinking is now being vigorously pushed there. On the 50-foot level the eastern dyke has been pierced and the tunnel driven forward 60 feet. A crosscut to the north was then made, which failed to encounter the ledge. Then a crosscut to the south was started and word has just been received from the mine that this has encountered the ledge. This same ledge, between the eastern and western dykes, pitches to the north and then faults. Now we have the same ledge for the first time outside the dykes and instead of pitching north it pitches south. This important discovery may explain why the 125 feet of a crosscut to the north, driven last summer on the 100-foot level, failed to find the ledge. That crosscut should probably also have gone south instead of north. It now looks as if the long-lost key to the mysterious faulting of the Winnipeg will soon be found.

Under date March 11th, Mr. Plewman remarks: The winze on the second north vein, 300-foot level, is now down 50 feet. Timbering has just been completed and sinking resumed. Since the tringer came in 25 feet down the vein has steadily widened and is now 6 feet wide with good walls. It is confidently expected that at a depth of 60 ft. or 65 ft., the No. 1 and No. 2 veins will have united. On the 50-foot level—east of the eastern dyke, where an important discovery was reported in my last as having just been made—the south crosscut showed the ledge to be 6 feet wide, the same width that it averaged for 90 feet when stoped out on the other side of the dyke. Drifting eastward was then started and continued for 25 feet, and at this point we are about to sink on the vein for say 20 feet, and then if all is satisfactory, we will cease working at this point and commence a crosscut to the south on the 100-foot level, where it is confidently expected the vein will again be tapped.

RAILWAY MEETING.

The meeting called by the mayor of Greenwood to consider matters relating to the proposed Coast-Kootenay railway was numerously attended last Friday night, every seat in the City Hall having been occupied. In the unavoidable absence of the mayor Mr. W. M. Law was appointed chairman and Mr. W. G. Gaunce was secretary. After considerable discussion the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas the Provincial government has declared its intention of introducing a measure providing a subsidy to aid in the construction of the Coast-Kootenay railway.

And whereas it is reported that the Canadian Pacific railway company are making every effort to secure the subsidy to assist them in building the road.

And whereas cheap freight rates are essential in the development of the mining and allied industries of the province, and in the absence of government ownership of railways, the best safeguard against excessive freight charges is competition.

Therefore be it resolved that the citizens of Greenwood, in public meeting assembled, urge upon the Provincial government that any subsidy to aid in the construction of the Coast-Kootenay railway should be in cash granted to a company not likely to fall under the control of the Canadian Pacific railway, and should be made only on the immediate commencement and bona fide continuous construction of such road.

And be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the government and members of the Provincial legislature.

The Coast-Kootenay railway matter having been disposed of, advantage was taken of this opportunity to obtain an endorsement of the Midway-Vernon railway project with the result that the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, an extension of the Shuswap and Okanagan railway to Rock creek or Midway would traverse an agricultural and mineral country of great promise, a country which will not be served by any other contemplated line of railway; and whereas an increased traffic would accrue from such extension to the Shuswap and Okanagan railway it would go far to relieve the Province of British Columbia of the annual liability of $40,000 or thereabouts incurred by the provincial guarantee of interest.

Be it resolved, that this meeting recommends to the favorable consideration of the government any proposal calculated to secure such extension and expresses its opinion that any such scheme would be worthy of a liberal cash subsidy from the province and should be made only on condition of the immediate commencement and continuous construction until completed of such road.

ADAMS-MOFFET.

On Tuesday evening, 5th inst., Mr. Harry Adams, brother of Mrs. L. A. Smith, of Anaconda, was married to Miss Maud Moffet, youngest daughter of Mrs. R. H. Hutchens and stepdaughter of the popular superintendent of the British Columbia Copper company's Mother Lode mine. The ceremony took place at the mine in the Masonic hall, which was very prettily decorated with flags for the occasion. Rev. W. A. Robins, M. A., clergyman in charge of St. Jude's Church of England Mission, Greenwood, officiated and there were present besides relatives of the bride and groom about 80 others, including many personal friends. Mrs. J. A. McKinnon, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and the bridegroom was attended by Mr. Milton A. Lehner as best man. The bride looked charming in a cream colored silk dress, profusely trimmed with lace and she carried a beautiful bridal bouquet. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins entertained at supper in their home between twenty and thirty guests. The toast of the bride and bridegroom was enthusiastically received and was responded to by the latter. Other toats followed and a very pleasant time was spent until the company dispersed at midnight. The bride was the recipient of numerous presents. Mr. and Mrs. Adams at once went into housekeeping in their new home at the Mother Lode mine, where they are held in much esteem.

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OUR MINERAL PRODUCTION.

IN another column of this issue ether appear particulars of the mineral production of British Columbia for the years 1899 and 1900. These serve to show that very material and gratifying progress was made during the latter year. An advance in the total value of the mineral output from $12,356,555 in $16,332,061 in 1900, being an increase of a little more than 32 per cent., is certainly very satisfactory.

It is yet early, with disturbing elements once again looming up—this time in the shape of higher reduction rates—that threaten to restrict the output of silver-lead ores, to anticipate similar substantial all round progress in lode mining during 1901. This much may, however, be said, that in regard to lode gold and copper, the latter especially, the outlook is very promising for a considerable further increase in the output. There is very little doubt that the production of these metals will be greater in the Kootenay and Boundary districts, and coast mines give promise of adding more largely to the total than in previous years. So far as the Boundary district is concerned it need only be pointed out that whilst its total production of copper-gold ores last year—its first year as a producer—was only about 100,000 tons, a daily output of 1,000 tons is now being steadily maintained and preparations are being made for an increase to about 2,000 tons a day for the latter half of the year. This is a simple statement of fact made in the belief that it is fully warranted, under the following circumstances. It is the declared intention of the Miner-Graves syndicate to increase the output of its mines to 1,200 tons daily, and of the British Columbia Copper Company to produce 600 tons, so that with this output, the B. C. maintaining its production of 100 tons daily and the Morrison fulfilling its contract to supply a similar quantity—leaving altogther out of account half a dozen other properties that will produce smaller quantities of ore—it will be seen that this is by no means an exaggerated anticipation.

Then, too, the conditions are more favorable this year for an enlarged production of gold from placer and hydraulic mining, and certainly for a bigger output of coal and coke from the coal mines of the interior. It is, therefore, not unreasonable, conditionally that present promise be borne out, to anticipate for the current year a total mineral production of somewhere about $20,000,000.

Particular attention is directed to the comparative table which exhibits the large proportion this province contributed in 1899 to the mineral production of the dominion. Probably the showing for 1900 will be still more in favor of British Columbia, but until the figures for the remainder of the dominion for that year are available, this later comparison will not be practicable. So for the present, British Columbia must be content with the importance that attaches to the fact being made known that in 1899, the value of its total mineral production (leaving out "other materials") was $12,150,155, whilst that of the enormously larger area of the dominion lying east of the Rocky Mountains was only $10,073,643.

DON'T ALL THINK ALIKE.

MR. R. A. BROWN, of Volcanic and Sunset notoriety, was lately reported in Boundary and Kootenay district newspapers as having said for publication that it was practically impossible to interest capital in any mining project in British Columbia at the present time. "I talked with over twenty millionaires while in the east," said Mr. Brown, "and every one of them while acknowledging the wonderful mineral possibilities of British Columbia, gave me the same excuse for not investing in mining property here, namely, the uncertainty regarding the Mineral Act, and the unreasonableness of some of our mining laws." Doubtless Mr. Brown was quite sincere in the assertion that those he met gave him these excuses, but, fortunately for the province, all moneyed men in the States are not of that way of thinking. It is known here that more that half a million dollars have been expended by one New York company, on its Mother Lode mine and its smelter at Greenwood, and only last week came the following press despatch dated Montreal, March 7,—"S. H. C. Miner, president of the Miner-Graves syndicate, admitted that the syndicate had been offered $15,000,000 for the Old Ironsides, Knob Hill and Grey Eagle properties, and the Granby smelter by an agent of New York parties. The offer has been refused. The agent is reported, however, to have secured an option on another large Boundary property." It was Mr. Brown's misfortune to meet men who, perhaps, hold extreme views as to the risks that attend investment in British Columbia mining properties, but, "there are others."

ALWAYS TELLS THE TRUTH?

SAID the Phoenix Pioneer in its issue of March 2nd: "The Pioneer has always stood up and told the truth about Phoenix." Surely the strain was too much for that self-righteous journal for in its next issue it stated that the Board of Trade visitors were accompanied "through the long tunnels and stopes of the Knob Hill mine, for a distance of perhaps two or three miles." Then it went one better and said editorially that the visitors "were shown through two or three miles of ore in the Knob Hill mine." Now, an official statement of the number of feet of work done in development of the Knob Hill mine to December 31st last, including 587 feet of sinking and raising, showed a total of 3783 feet; and in the adjoining Grey Eagle, into which its workings extend, 477 feet, altogether 4,260 feet. As there are 10,560 feet in two miles, not to say anything of three miles, will the Pioneer have the hardihood to insist that there was over 150 per cent. more feet of work done in the Knob Hill mine during the first ten weeks of 1901 than during the several previous years over which its development extended, or will it admit that there still exists occasion for the old scriptural exhortation "Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall."

A SHORT time ago exception was taken locally to Mr. F. J. Deane, secretary of the Commission appointed by the Federal Government to enquire into the Chinese question, staying at a hotel which employs Chinese. Vancouver newspapers last week reported Mr. Chris. Foley, of Rossland, as a guest at the Hotel Vancouver, which employs both Japs and Chinese. It will now be in order to take Mr. Foley to task, too, for this offence.

IN reviewing the statistics of the mining industry we cannot refrain from comparing the estimates, made by the provincial mineralogist and previously published with the actual figures which are now given. The production of lode gold only varies by 1.1 per cent.; that of silver by ¾ per cent. and of copper by only one-fifth of one per cent., from the estimates made by Mr. Robertson, a fact which must be regarded as a testimony to the ability and care which he brings to bear on the matters entrusted to him—News-Advertiser.

A GRAND FORKS press despatch recently stated that the revenue collected at the port of Grand Forks for the month of February reached $9,902 This is one of those half-truths that require a little explanation. Grand Forks is, for customs purposes, the port of the Boundary district, and in its returns are included customs collections at the outports of Cascade, Greenwood and Midway and the preventive stations at Sidley and Osoyoos. The February collections at Greenwood, included in the above quoted total of $9,902, were $6,309.08. It will therefore be seen that after making allowance as well for the other four tributary offices, the actual collections at the Grand Forks office made a much more modest showing than the wily correspondent would have it appear.

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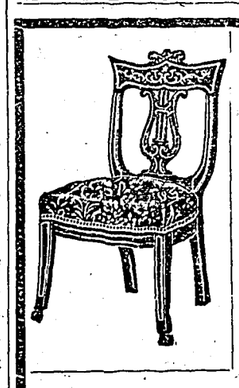

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Pass Coal Company Hold Their Annual Meeting

THE PRESIDENT DISCUSSES

The Proposed Railway to the American Boundary—The Financial Statement.

The annual meeting of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Limited, was held in Toronto, Friday, the 1st of March, 1901.

The following report was submitted to the shareholders:—

The directors have pleasure in submitting to the shareholders of the company their annual report, including statement of assets and liabilities as at 31st December, 1900.

The net profits for the year, after paying all operating expenses and all charges of every kind at the head office and mines, amounted to $141,064.10. This amount has been derived from the various departments of the company's business, viz.: The sale of coal and coke, and from the waterworks, house rentals, general store, etc., etc. As no dividend was paid for the year on the company's capital, the above sum has been carried forward to credit of Profit and Loss, making a total sum at credit of that account (including the amount already there from the earnings of 1899) of $188, 874.52.

The coal produced during 1900 amounted to 220,458 tons. Of this tonnage 114,063 tons were sent to the company's coke ovens at Fernie, and produced 73,496 tons of coke, while the balance of 106,395 was disposed of as merchantable coal.

During the year the company paid out in cash the sum of $874,080.83, of which the pay rolls amounted to $419,037.09, the balance of $455,043.74 having been disbursed for new coke ovens, additions to plant and for development work at Fernie and Michel. One hundred and ten (110) new coke ovens were built in 1900, which makes, with the 202 in operation at the end of 1899, a total of 312 ovens, with a capacity of over 450 tons of coke per day.

The number of men at present in the company's employ is about 800, and the number will, of course, steadily increase as our mines are developed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ELIAS ROGERS, Managing Director. GEO. A. COX, President.

Toronto, Canada, March 1, 1901.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT—DEC. 1901

Assets.

Mines, real estate, plant, development,		$2,266,016 65	
Cash in bank	$37,501 62		
Accounts receivable	67,005 42		
		$104,507 04	
			$2,370,523 69

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid up		$2,000,000 00	
Profit and loss account			
Balance at credit, 31st Dec. 1899	$47,810 42		
Added in 1900	141,064 10		
		$188,874 52	
Bills payable	$121,795 72		
Accounts payable	59,853 45		
		$181,649 17	
			$2,370,523 69

E. R. WOOD, Treasurer.

I have examined the above statement of assets and liabilities with the books and vouchers of the company and find the same correct.

A running audit has been maintained during the year, and I certify that the books are well and truly kept.

R. W. MACPHERSON, Auditor.

Toronto, March 1st, 1901.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

In congratulating you upon the success of last year's operations, it may be worth while to refer to the erroneous ideas that have gone abroad with regard to the management and control of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company. We are, in every respect, a Canadian enterprise, with a large majority of Canadian stockholders, under Canadian control and management, and are giving employment to a great force of labor on Canadian soil. We are developing Canada's natural resources in one of the most important economic minerals, and are building up an immense Canadian industry, which is bringing wealth to the Dominion, and which, we feel assured, will constitute a most important factor in the Canadian industrial development of the future, unless our operations are restricted by a limited market and inadequate railway facilities.

It affords me great pleasure to announce that we are prepared to proceed at once with construction and development work involving an immediate expenditure of $835,000, and we already have this money in the treasury of the company for this purpose. This large sum does not include the railway project, to which I will refer later, but will be devoted exclusively to development work, the building of coke ovens, dwellings, offices and other works in connection with the coal and coke industry of the company. We intend to build at Fernie, Michel, and at another suitable point, 720 coke ovens, which will involve an expenditure of $540,000 under this head alone. We will then have 1,032 ovens, which will increase our capacity for coke production from over 450 tons per day, as at present, to more than 1,500 tons per day. Our expenditure will also include more than a quarter of a million dollars on mine improvements, offices and miners' dwellings. These expenditures and the extensive mining and coke-producing operations that are to follow will create and maintain two new towns in the coal district as large as Fernie, which now owes its existence to the works carried on by this company.

There is a prospective demand, provided we obtain access to the American market, as I shall hereafter mention, for 4,500 tons of coal per day within a year, and in three years we expect to increase our output to about 6,000 tons of coal per day, a large portion of which will be converted into coke in our ovens, and within five years we expect to have a pay roll of fully $10,000 per day, which will be sufficient to maintain three important industrial centers in the coal district.

All business men will at once realize how important such a development will be to the country at large, as mining camps are invariably extensive consumers of supplies. Not only will there be the direct employment for several thousand Canadian workingmen, but a new and most extensive demand will be created for the products of Canadian factories in the east, and the food supplies from the western farms and cattle ranches.

It is only fair to you, however, to state that the present demand of British Columbia for coal and coke would not justify any such expenditures as we propose to make. This is self-evident when I state that the present demand of British Columbia does not exceed 1,000 tons of coal and coke per day, and we cannot expect this demand to increase in the near future, even under most favorable conditions, so as to justify such expenditures.

In order that we may proceed with this development, it will be absolutely necessary to secure access to the American markets by a route that will put us in a position to successfully compete with the coal and coke producers already in the field. If denied access to the American markets, except by round-about routes, if delayed in our operations by legislative obstruction, if prevented in any way from cutting down the cost of production to the narrowest possible margin, our success in the field will be proportionately cramped, and it will be quite impossible to undertake the development now proposed.

Recognizing, therefore, the necessity of obtaining direct access to the adjacent markets of the United States, an application has been made to parliament by five of your directors for a charter to build a railway from the coal fields to the boundary, where it is intended to connect with a spur line from Jennings on the Great Northern railway.

This is simply an effort to secure an entrance, by the best possible route, to an almost unlimited market for coal and coke, where we must meet the keenest competition. And without this market any large development of these British Columbia coal fields will be practically impossible.

The fear has been expressed in some quarters that the establishment of railway connection between the Crow's Nest coal fields and the Great Northern railway system will deprive the Canadian mining and smelting industries of a supply of coal and coke, and that the company may create a shortage in the Canadian supply to benefit American smelting interests. These fears are groundless. From geological reports, it appears that there are over 250,000 acres of coal lands in the Crow's Nest country, containing a supply of coal which is conceded by all authorities to be practically exhaustless, it being estimated that there are in this area 20,000,000,000 tons of coal. This would admit an output of 10,000 tons per day, allowing 300 working days per year for over 6,000 years. This is entirely independent of the immense coal areas in Alberta and in other parts of British Columbia.

We are at present prepared to enter into time contracts with the smelters of British Columbia to supply any quantities of coal or coke they may require; but so far as the local supply is concerned, its safety can be best assured by such development of the Crow's Nest mines as will be made possible by the building of the proposed line.

Successful operation of the mines on a large scale would be impossible if our market were limited to British Columbia and it were subject to the fluctuations we have experienced this last year.

With an immense coal and coking industry in operation, turning out from six to ten thousand tons of coal a day, the British Columbia smelters now in operation could close down or open up without notice, as often as they might feel inclined, and the change would not be felt. The smelters now in operation on the Canadian side only require about 300 tons of coke per day. If we are restricted as to markets, there will be higher initial cost, risk of suspension through accidents, difficulty in securing labor, and in meeting any variation in the demand.

Although there is an immense area of coal in the Crow's Nest country that is of the best quality for coking, we should not harbor the delusion that this district has all the coking coal on the continent. There will be competition from the existing sources of supply — from Cokedale, on Puget Sound, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Utah and Colorado. There are are also immense coal deposits in Montana, Washington and other places, which may prove, when tested, to be of good coking quality.

To enter and hold this market, which means from 5,000 to 6,000 tons of coal per day, the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company must have the best railway facilities available, and that is why it is absolutely necessary to build the proposed spur.

There is hardly any industry so universally beneficial to a country as coal mining and coke making for export trade. The coal and coke are both brought to the last stage of perfection before being shipped out. All labor is expended on them in the country, and there is nothing further to be done with them except to consume them. Not so with logs, not so with lumber, with wheat, with wool, with pulp, and with many other products exported. Every dollar that comes into the country in return for coal or coke exports makes the country just that much richer. The farmer, the rancher, the miller, the merchant and the manufacturer will all profit. There will also be an enormous direct revenue to the British Columbia government from the royalty. That government is now deriving a revenue of about $100.00 a day from our present operations.

In addition to the development of the coal and coke industry, the proposed railway will open up a prospect, and an assured prospect, of smelting development which will prove, from a public standpoint, of the very greatest importance.

The success of the smelting industry depends upon the ability to assemble the various materials essential to profitable smelting at the lowest possible cost, and if the proposed line of railway is built, connecting the Crow's Nest fields with the American railway systems, the balance of advantage will

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Salmon	.15
Herring, fresh, per can	.15
Hering, omatoe sauce, per can	.20
Haddies, per can	.20
Bloaters, per can	.20
Tomatoes, per can	.15
Peas, per can	.15
Corn, per can	.15
Beans, per can	.15
Butter, creamery, per pound	.35
Cream, per can	.15
Cream, 7 cans	1.00
Sugar, 12 pounds for	1.00
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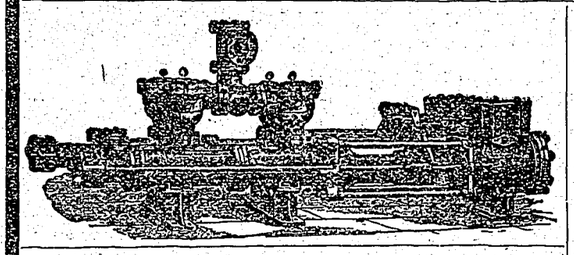

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax Act.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the statutes, that provincial revenue tax, and all taxes levied under the Assessment Act, are now due for the year 1901. All of the above named taxes, collectable within the South Division of East Yale, and part of Rossland riding, are payable at my office, Fairview.

Assessed taxes are collectable at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before the 30th of June, 1901—Three-fifths of one per cent on real property. Two and one-half per cent on assessed value of wild land. One-half of one per cent on personal property. On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars in accordance with the following classifications, upon such excess the rate shall be, namely:

Class A—On one thousand dollars and not exceeding ten thousand dollars, one per cent up to five thousand dollars, and two per cent on the remainder.

Class B—On ten thousand dollars and not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, one and one-half per cent, up to ten thousand dollars, and two and one-half per cent on the remainder.

Class C—On twenty thousand dollars and not exceeding forty thousand dollars, two and one-half per cent up to twenty thousand dollars, and three per cent on the remainder.

Class D—On all others in excess of forty thousand dollars, three per cent up to forty thousand dollars, and three and one-half per cent on the remainder.

If paid on or after the 1st of July, 1901.—Four-fifths of one per cent on real property. Three per cent on the assessed value of wild land. Three-fourths of one per cent on personal property. On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars in accordance with the following classification; upon such excess the rates shall be, namely:

Class A—On one thousand dollars and not exceeding ten thousand dollars, one and half per cent up to five thousand dollars, and two and one-half per cent on the remainder.

Class B—On ten thousand dollars and not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, two per cent up to ten thousand dollars, and three per cent on the remainder.

Class C—On twenty thousand dollars and not exceeding forty thousand dollars, three per cent up to twenty thousand dollars, and three and one-half per cent on the remainder.

Class D—On all others in excess of forty thousand dollars, three and one-half per cent up to forty thousand dollars, and four per cent on the remainder.

Provincial revenue tax $3.00 per capita. Two per cent on the assessed value of ore or mineral bearing substances, payable quarterly, on the last day of the months of March, June, September and December in each year.

Fairview, B.C., February 11, 1901.

C. A. R. LAMBLY, 21-25 Assessor and Collector.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the postoffice in the Town of Anaconda, in the District of Yale in British Columbia, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, the 28th day of February, A. D. 1891, the following property:

All and singular that certain tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Greenwood in British Columbia, and being composed of Lot One, in Block Fifty-five according to the Registered Map or Plan (deposited in the Land Registry office at Kamloops and therein numbered 70) of the Subdivision of Lot 711, in Group One on the Official Map or Plan of the Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

On the property are a house and wood-shed.

Dated this 24th day of January, A. D. 1901.

HALLETT & SHAW, 18-22 Vendor's Solicitors

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Pole Tender.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, March 11, 1901:

For supplying and delivering telephone poles along the wagon roads at stake about 50 yards apart, between Greenwood and Camp McKinney, and between Rock Creek and the International Boundary line, near Bolster, Wash.:

Poles to be delivered by May 1st, 1901:

All poles to be of good, sound and well-shaped cedar or tamarac wood, 25 feet in length and not less than seven inches in diameter at the small end when dressed:

All bark and knots to be neatly trimmed off to four feet from the butt:

Tenders must state the price of cedar and tamarac and about the number of each to be supplied.

H. W. KENT, General Supt. Vancouver, B. C. G. C. HODGE, District Supt. Nelson, B. C.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvement.

NOTICE.

HONALULU mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Copper camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, C. Æ. Shaw as agent for James R. McMackson, Free Miner's Certificate No. B13 56, and William H. McMackson, Free Miners Certificate No. B13593 intend; sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under Section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated the 20th day of November, 1899.

192 C. Æ. SHAW.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvement.

NOTICE.

EMERALD Mineral claim, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Deadwood camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Sydney M. Johnson, Free Miner's Certificate No. B. 8120 for self and as agent for I. H. Hallett, Free Miner's Certificate No. 8003 and Lindsay McCarren Free Miner's Certificate No. B30022 intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under Section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 1st day of January, A. D. 1901.

SIDNEY M. JOHNSON.

MINERAL ACT. 1896.

Certificate of Improvement.

NOTICE.

LAURA mineral claim, situated in the Kettle River mining division of Yale district. Where located: In Long Lake camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, C. Æ. Shaw acting as agent for Marry McArthur, Free Miner's Certificate 7734B, G. R. Naden, Free Miner's Certificate No. 14357A, and the P. A Largery estate, Free Miner's certificate No. 27629B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 12 day of April, 1900.

3m—7. C. Æ. SHAW.

MINERAL ACT. 1899.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"PINHOOK", "WORLDS FAIR FRACTION" and "MISSING LINK NO. 2 FRACTION" mineral claims, situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Isaac H. Hallett as agent for George R. Naden, Free Miner's Certificate No. 14357A, and James S. C. Fraser, Free Miner's Certificate no. B29234, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that actions, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1901.

3m-6 I. H. HALLETT.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

LAKE VIEW mineral claim, situated in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that we, Robert Wood, Free Miner's Certificate No. B29759, and C. L. Thomet, Free Miners Certificate No. B29659, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to to Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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Dated this 4th day of March, A. D., 1901.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Next Sunday will be St. Patrick's day. "Ceade mille fealtheagh."

Coffee and doughnuts only 15 cents at the Horseshoe Cafe.

The first car of ore from the Marguerite was sent down to the Pyritic smelter last Monday.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms, very cheap. See Smith & McRae.

The sample mill at the Standard Pyritic company's smelter has been running for several days.

All kinds of Taxidermist work done by T. B. Winnett, Silver street. tf

H. P. Dickinson arrived from Victoria yesterday to act as local agent for the Giant Powder company.

Dr. Mathison, dentist, over Bank of Commerce. Both 'phones.

A. W. Sayles, of Spokane, representing Fraser & Chalmers, the big machinery firm of Chicago, came in on yesterday's train.

The best meal in the city for the least money at the Horseshoe Cafe.

J. C. Cruse, formerly with the C. P. R. in the Slocan, has been appointed storekeeper and weighmaster at the Standard company's pyritic smelter.

Illustrated postal cards, views of both smelters. Do not miss seeing them. Smith & McRae.

Mr. C. S. Slawson, of Northport, Wash., is in town again on business connected with his interest in the Hunter-Kendrick company.

For the best cup of coffee in the city go to the Horseshoe Cafe, Copper street.

Mrs. Adolph Fisher and Miss Fisher left on Monday afternoon's train for Spokane on a month's to that city.

FOR RENT—Corner store with three rooms, papered, rent about $20. Apply The Times office. tf

G. M. Hillary, for some time past employed in the assay office of the Old Ironsides and Knob Hill mines, has been appointed assayer at the Dominion Copper Co's mines, Phoenix.

For instructions on piano, violin, mandolin, etc., see Prof. Kauffmann, Greenwood Music Store.

The customs duties collected at the Greenwood customs office during February totalled $6,309.08. The local inland revenue collections for the same month were $1,787.56 and for January $1,523.51.

The best pastry in the city is at the Horseshoe Cafe.

Mr. Jas. Atwood, of Midway, has sold to I. H. Hallett and J. P. McLeod, of Greenwood, his one-third interest in the well known Crown Point mineral claim, situate on James Creek, above Rock creek.

A. A. Crowston has a choice car of potatoes, as well as a large quantity of cabbage, carrots, onions and parsnips, also one hundred boxes green apples, oranges and lemons. tf

Mr. Clive Pringle has returned from his visit to Eastern Canada. It is understood that he will go east again next June and that then he will not return alone.

FOR RENT—Comfortably furnished three roomed cottage. Apply Times office.

Miss Iva Jakes, of Midway, last Friday joined the nursing staff of St. Luke's Home, a well known private hospital and nurses' home in Vancouver, Sister Frances being the sister-in-charge.

Nitrous oxide and oxygen for pain less extraction of teeth at Dr. Mathison's.

Judge Bole came in on yesterday afternoon's train. He held Chambers this morning and this afternoon proceeded to Grand Forks, where he will hold county court to-morrow. He intends returning to Greenwood on Saturday afternoon and on Monday and Tuesday next will dispose of as much as possible of the large amount of county court business that has accumulated here during the last six months.

Large collection of sheet music at 5, 10 and 15 cents. Greenwood Music Store.

The big hoist at the Mother Lode is now ready for work and the ore sampling and sorting plant at that mine will also be started this week.

For fine sleighs or cutters call at Winnett's carriage works, Silver street.

The Greenwood Dramatic company will play Finnegan's Alley in the Auditorium next Monday night, under the auspices of the local Roman Catholic church.

Ladies tailor made spring costumes, jackets, etc., at Rendell & Co.

Last Saturday morning a team belonging to the Hunter-Kendrick company bolted from the railway yard, and before coming to a standstill damaged the light wagon to which they were attached to the extent of about $30.

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A SPLENDID SHOW.

Newspaper reports from Nelson and Rossland praise highly the cinematograph pictures showing the funeral procession of the late Queen. There were crowded audiences and at Nelson numbers were unable to get into the hall. Every feature of the most magnificent funeral pageant ever seen in England is reproduced, so that the audience sees, during about an hour, the various units of the great procession. Notabilities and regiments—horse, foot and artillery—pass in succession. Prominent among them is Lord Roberts followed by a gigantic guardsman; later come massed regimental bands, 200 strong, and then the gun carriage drawn by eight cream colored horses and bearing the casket with the royal crown and insignia thereon. Then follow King Edward VII, the Kaiser and about forty other royal personages. Later the naval contingent is shown drawing the gun carriage with its sacred burden, after the horse had become so restive as to require their removal. Stirring war views follow, the whole making a show well worth while seeing.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Hop Yuen and Kong Op, trading in the firm name of Hop Chong, of the City of Greenwood, merchants, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All moneys due to the late firm must be paid to the said Kong Op who will discharge all lawful debts due by the said firm.

(Signed) HOP YUEN,
KONG OP.

Witness, I. H. HALLETT.

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CROW'S NEST COAL CO.

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be decidedly in favor of the Canadian side as the place for establishing a large and profitable smelting industry. The Canadian people have but to improve their opportunity, to stand out of the way and let good fortune in.

In order to illustrate what I have said, permit me to point out how suitable a place Fernie, or some point adjacent thereto, would be for the establishment of a smelting industry. There we have the coke, without any charge for hauling, while to carry it to any smelting point south of the line would involve a hauling charge, as well as an American duty of 60 cents per ton. The limestone required is to be found at Fernie, with no expense except the cost of quarrying.

The lead ores of southern British Columbia are now seeking a market, which is almost impossible for them to find, and those adjacent to the coal fields could, at a trifling cost for transportation, be laid down at Fernie, or some other convenient point. The dry ores necessary to make workable and profitable mixtures and blends are not at present to be obtained in British Columbia, but are to be found through the adjacent mining states along the lines and connections of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways; and the ore cars taking the coal and coke from the mines at Fernie to suyply the railways and established industries in these states, instead of coming back empty, would, at a low cost for transportation, bring back these dry ores to such a smelter. There is no point south of the boundary line where a smelting industry could so easily or so profitably be established.

If a smelting industry for Canadian ores were established south of the line, there would be, as above mentioned, the cost of transportation of the coke to the site of the smelting industry; the duty on this coke entering the United States; the cost of transporting the lead ores from British Columbia to the site of the proposed smelter, and the American duty on the lead ores entering the United States, which, upon the quality of ore found in some of the best mines in British Columbia would probably be about $9 per ton.

Simply on the item of transportation, there would be the serious handicap of the ore cars bringing down the coke and ore from British Columbia to a smelter on the American side being compelled to return, empty, and this would necessarily entail a proportionately higher freight rate.

Not the least important factor in the situation is the fear in the minds of American capitalists interested in the mining industry of the west that an export duty may be put upon ores by the Canadian government, and this would cripple any smelting industry established on the American side dependent upon Canadian ores as its source of supply.

That this is not simply theory, but the mature judgment of practical smelting men, is evidenced by the fact that we have the most positive assurances from a smelting man of large capital and experience that if we obtain the proposed railway connection, he will at once commence the erection of a large smelting plant in British Columbia adjacent to the coal fields; and we have assurances scarcely less definite from others of the establishment of three or four more smelting industries at other suitable points in southern British Columbia, provided the proposed road is built.

The prospect, therefore, for southern British Columbia would appear to be exceedingly bright. Once the charter for the railway is assured, the construction of the coke ovens, the building of the homes for the miners, and the virtual establishment of two new towns in southern British Columbia, will await only the opening of the season. Scarce more time will elapse, from the assurances we now have, before more than one large smelting industry will be put under way, and hundreds of thousands of dollars will be invested in developing this important industry in that country.

With improved transportation facilities, as well as the improved smelting facilities, which would be secured, a smelter could secure freight charges and give rates for treatment that are now impossible.

It is hardly necessary to dwell at length on the resultant benefits to mining and other enterprises in British Columbia. These benefits are self evident.

In every lead mine there are masses of ore that will not pay at the present rate for treatment; in every camp there are propositions and mines just too lean to tempt operators or investors. Every dollar taken off the charge for treatment means thousands of tons more of ore available, and proportionately swells the pay rolls of every camp. Every dollar reduction in smelter charges widens the pay streak of every mine, and brings new mines within the paying class.

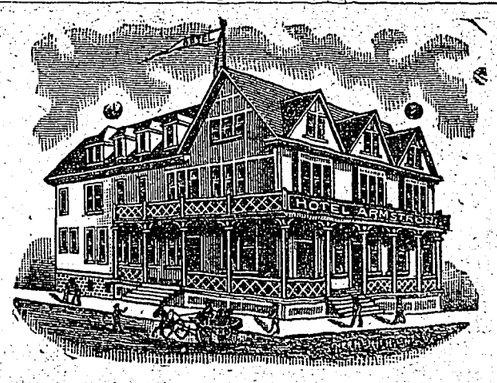
It would be a great misfortune to British Columbia and to the Dominion at large if this opportunity should be lost, through the failure to secure adequate means of transportation. There are rival projects south of the boundary. Immense coal areas in the States of Washington and Montana are in process of development, and if the parties interested in these properties once secure posession and control of the market in these States for coal and coke, I fear the coal and coke of British Columbia will stand a very poor chance of ever taking it from them.

The promoters of this railway ask no cash bonus or land grant of any kind; they simply desire the opportunity of expending their own money to construct a railway which will be of great public benefit.

We now have a prospect of building up a city as large as Butte in the Crow's Nest coal district; and I cannot think it possible that either the parliament of Canada or the legislature of British Columbia will place any barrier in the way of the industrial development of the country, or will adopt a course which may delay that development half a century. I, therefore, look forward with confidence to a charter being granted; and, this being done, the development which I have outlined, will be at once proceeded with; but unless the charter is granted the development cannot be undertaken.

The President moved the adoption of the report, which was seconded by Mr. Jaffray, the first vice-president of the company, and carried.

Mr. Elias Rogers, managing director, gave an interesting address, detailing the past year's operations of the company. The usual formal resolutions were adopted and all the members of the board were re-elected for the ensuing year.



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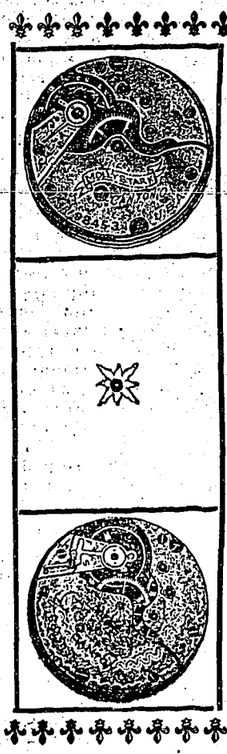

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