

MINING NEWS.

Mr T.O. Just will hold his next scrip sale at his mart, Charles-street Friday next at noon.

GOLD.

Another rich find at the Denison is reported. Some few weeks ago the Messrs Edwards (of Scottsdale) and Ponting, discovered two reefs, and testing them found that there was a large body of stone carrying gold. Specimens have been sent to town and the several results obtained from them are of a very satisfactory character. We understand that the property will be placed on the market during the week.

A call (the third), of one shilling per share, has been made in the Royal Mint Co., payable on Monday, 6th inst. The following calls are also notified:—Planet (the third), threepence per share, payable on 3rd inst; North Tasman (the second), sixpence per share, payable 7th inst; Chance (the third), sixpence per share, payable on 7th inst.

A call, the second, of 6d per share has been made in the North Tasman Co., payable at the office of Mr Owen Meredith on 7th inst.

A call, the third, of one 1s per share has been made in the Royal Mint Co., payable at the office of Mr R. H. Price on Monday next.

From the *S. M. Herald* we learn that the Temora goldfield is producing good results. A Temora telegram dated 25th May gives the following particulars:—Two hundred loads from spare ground in Deutscher's averaged 2oz per load. £1700 worth of gold was picked out whilst breaking wash at Parker's prospecting claim. The gross yield from washing 330 loads was 30lbs weight. At the Hidden Treasure 520 loads averaged 11dwts. Davies and party's last washing from deep ground gave 6dwts per load. A 9dwt speck was got at No. 4 south Tynan's. Two hundred and thirteen loads gave over 12dwts per load. At the Corkscrew claim 100 loads averaged 6 dwts. The little Dora has yielded 5dwts per dish. No. 2 Deutscher's, 14oz, nuggeted in a fortnight. Foster and mates netted 35oz last week. Reef looking well. The escort left with over 2000oz. A deal of gold does not pass through the banks. Griffiths and party raised a large block of stone yesterday from the Rose of England claim, which was completely studded with gold. The diamond drill is now on Hodson's claim, next Hope Reef. Davies and mates, from the deep ground, washed off yesterday, with an average of 6dwts.

LEFROY.

Planet.—The mining manager reports on 28th inst. :—I have been cross-cutting,

on 28th inst. :—I have been cross-cutting, and have traced the leader (on which the East Chum Extended Company have been sinking) for some distance on the Planet Company's ground. I would recommend the Company to sink a small prospecting shaft to a depth of 50ft at once, to test it at that depth.

West Queen's Birthday.—The manager reports on 28th inst., that he had driven the cross-cut 12 feet since last report, making a total from shaft of 34 feet. The country gone through for the last two shifts has been very "heady," and also full of quartz leaders running east and west. On Friday last he took the bearings of the line of reef, and also intercepted the two furthest points worked by the Queen's Birthday Co. By running those points to the west, he found his shaft to stand 44 feet to the south of the lode, which in all probability will be met with by the end of the present week.

NORTH MOUNT CAMERON.

Grand Standard.—Mr J. M'Caveston reports, for the information of the directors, under date 28th May :—A reef has been cut in six places on the Company's ground, and, as far as it has been traced, is running more north and south than any of the reefs at Gladstone. Mr Pearce has commenced to sink a shaft on the centre of the outtings mentioned; it is to the west of the reef, and I have no doubt that they will have the reef in the shaft by the time they are 60ft down. I have been down the shaft as far as it goes (30ft), and found that it was in very good settled slate country, and if the reef keeps its present size and carries the gold down, as Mr Pearce tells me that a part of it does, I have no doubt that the Company has good prospects.

BEACONSFIELD.

West Tasmania.—The mining manager reports, under date the 30th May :—The approach is in 70ft, and the road laid down, tunnel open, and driven two sets, or about 5ft. I will now proceed with two shifts of men. The country is good, and I expect to make rapid progress. The blacksmith's shop is up and all complete.

BLUE TIER.

Welcome.—The mining manager writes on the 28th May :—We have not driven much this week, as the ground will not stand now without timber, and I had to come back in the drive for some distance and timber. We have not got through the pug yet, and I am now prepared to go ahead next week.

Victoria.—The mining manager writes under date 30th May :—The tunnel is in 578ft from the entrance. The ground in the tunnel is the same as when I last wrote, except that there is a deal of pyrites in it at present, and the water still coming out of the face. We have driven 5ft since we got through the hard

still coming out of the face. We have driven 6ft since we got through the hard country on the outside of the tunnel, and about 3ft on the other side, owing to the country running a good deal with the tunnel, but we have got clear of it now, and shall make better progress. The water in the winze is down about 20ft from the level.

GLADSTONE.

Royal Tasman.—Mr Leonard J. Anderson, mining manager, writing under date May 28th, says:—"Since writing my weekly report we have got the reef in the tunnel, six feet north of shaft. It is very rich in gold." In another communication he states that "the stone is dark like what it was near the surface, but the gold is much purer and granulated. The stone is very rich in gold."