

# MINERS DEFEAT O.B.U.

Eighteen Mines in West Now Open  
Ottawa Hears.

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Ottawa, Aug. 19.—That the international union of mine workers has triumphed over the One Big Union, in coal district No. 18, Western Alberta and British Columbia, is indicated from news reaching the Department of Labor here. It is stated that 18 of the mines in the district have resumed operations and that others are expected to do so at once. It is further stated that at a mass meeting presumably held at Fernie, at the instigation of David Irvine of Seattle, the great majority voted for a resolution to break away from the One Big Union and again affiliate themselves with the international.