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THE GEOLOGICAL FORMATION OF BOUNDARY CREEK DISTRICT.

The Boundary Creek mining district covers an area extending north from the international boundary line about fifteen miles and lying about fifteen miles on either side of Boundary creek. No careful geological survey has ever been made of the district, so that the rocks have not as yet been identified with auy particular epoch. Here, unlike Trail Creek district, altered sedimentary and metamorphic rocks occur quite abundantly along with the eruptives. A considerable area of eruptive granite occupies the basin of the creek in the centre and upper part of the district, through which run several small high grade quartz veins. At the south, on the west side of the creek, occur shales and sandstones, extending westward to Rock creek, in which veins of very good coal have been found. Lying on both sides of the creek are belts of quartzites, schists and crystalline limestones, with intrusions of porphyry, granite and basic eruptives of the diorite series. Numerous veins traverse these quartzites and schists—as is the case with many of the well-mineralized veins of White's camp on the south and those of Long lake camp on the north—while associated with the basic eruptives are veins of copper ores and of pyrrhotite and copper pyrites. Several important ore bodies occur, seemingly as contact deposits between crystalline limestone and the eruptive and metamorphic rocks. This seems to be the case with the deposit of copper oxide and glance at the Copper camp and also with the Mother Lode deposit in Deadwood.

Nearly all the country rock of the district carries distinct traces of gold, some of the schists of White's camp carrying as high as $2 per ton, while gold is reported to have been panned from porphyry in Long lake camp in one or two instances. For purposes of description the ores may be divided into auriferous and argentiferous copper ores, with valuable gangues; auriferous pyrrhotite, with a varying percentage of copper; and quartz ores. Ores of the first class occur in Greenwood, Skylark, Deadwood, Copper and Summit camps. In Greenwood the ore is copper pyrites, assaying as high as $100 in gold and a few ounces of silver, the general average being very fair on those most developed—as the Stemwinder, Gold Drop and Snowshoe. In Copper camp the copper occurs in oxide and glance, carrying some gold and silver. In Summit, copper pyrites predominates but there is occasionally a little glance, and in a few undeveloped prospects bornite or peacock copper occurs. The ore carries considerable value in silver and a few dollars in gold. The ore bodies of this class are in every case very large. Of auriferous pyrrhotite ores Wellington camp at present furnishes the best examples (although Pass creek and other camps of recent birth promise well). Here, on the Winnipeg, Golden Crown and some others, assays up to $800 are obtoined, while ore bodies of considerable extent have been found averaging $30 to $50. In this connection it may be noted that pyrrhotite found in the Alice and Lake View quartz veins of Long Lake camp contains tellurium and has a high gold and silver value, the gold and silver possibly existing as tellurides.

Quartz veins occur chiefly in White's, Smith's, Skylark, Providence and Long Lake camps. In the former they occur heavily mineralized up to 12 feet wide, with a good value in gold and silver, and, in the City of Paris, Lexington and some others, six to eight per cent. copper. In Smith's camp the veins are mineralized with galena, zinc blende and iron pyrites and in some instances carry considerable leafy native silver. The veins in Skylark and Providence camps are particularly high grade in silver and in gold and silver, the Skylark being the best known of the former kind. In Long lake camp the veins are from one to six feet wide, mineralized with galena, pyrites, and occasionally pyrrhotite and zinc blende, and are in most cases high grade. Hessite and petzite—telluride of silver, and of gold and silver—occur in small quantities in several of these veins

GREENWOOD TOWNSITE.

Hardly a year ago the site upon which Greenwood City has since sprung up was a wilderness of stunted pine trees and tangled undergrowth. A miserable trail, over which a young and active horse might perhaps travel at the rate of a mile an hour, was cut through the timber and opened the way to the camps beyond. At this spot, where Twin creek comes down from the east, Mr. Robert Wood built a store, and recognising the peculiarly advantageous situation as regards access to the surrounding mining camps, surveyed the land as a townsite and placed the lots on the market. On the 1st of January of this year the Pioneer hotel was opened in a small building—necessarily small, the price of rough lumber in Greenwood at that time being $25 per 1,000 feet. While this building was being erected the proprietor lived in a tent, the thermometer registering 14 degrees below zero. Two months later building commenced in earnest, a saw-mill was established and the demand for lumber was for a time greater than the mill could supply, although running overtime. The Cafe Royal was the first restaurant built, the culinary arrangements being superintended by a talented chef. This gentleman was black in color and, as events proved, in disposition as well, for he shortly after left for parts unknown with a considerable sum of money that was not rightfully his. The Windsor hotel, still one of the most picturesque buildings in town, was put up early in the year, as were also the International hotel and the Fashion livery stables. Before June the town could boast of a first-class general store, grocery store, three hotels, saw-mill, two assay offices, mining broker's office, bakery, meat market, jeweller's, blacksmith shop, photographer, etc., etc. Later on, an eminent capitalist (?) laid out a large sum in the erection of an opera house,—now used as a newspaper office. Recently, the completion of the hospital, the opening of roads leading from the town to the mining camps, and the installation of a school, are among the more notable events. Building has, in fact, been going steadily on during the summer months, and a drug store and a third general store must be added to the list of business houses. Greenwood City is peculiarly happily situated from a commercial point of view, being in the centre of surrounding mining camps. Providing a smelter is erected near the town, ore can be hauled from any mine in the neighborhood, over excellent roads—in every case easy down-grade—to be treated. Judging from the rapid growth made by the town during the past few months, it is safe to predict that within another year Greenwood City will have a population of considerably over a thousand inhabitants.

The growth this year of the towns of Greenwood and Anaconda in one direction and of Grand Forks in another, afford a striking example of the confidence in the future of the district exhibited by residents and investors. In Boundary Creek the usual course of events have been reversed: the towns have preceded instead of following the development of the mines. Whether this is altogether desirable or conducive to business prosperity in the meantime, is open to question; but there can be no doubt that comfortable hotels, well-appointed stores, and other evidences of civilization are likely to create a favorable impression on the mind of a visitor, and thus the enterprise of the townspeople exerts an influence for the general good.

THE HISTORY OF THE COOLGARDIE MINING COMPANY.

THE TIMES last week published excerpts from the prospectus of the Coolgardie Mining Company and commented on several statements therein contained. From information since obtained, although the fact is firmly established that our strictures last week were perfectly justifiable, events have transpired which show the company in a somewhat more favorable light. The history of the Coolgardie is as follows:

In December of last year James L. McCulloch located a claim which he called the Coolgardie, in Copper camp. His discovery stake was placed within a few yards of the working on the Harqua Hala, which was located by Robert R. Burruss on the 3rd of September and recorded three days later. The Harqua Hala is owned by Martin Griffin, George Riter, R. R. Burruss and Mike Morris and $250 worth of work has been done and a cabin built. The McCullock location took in the whole of the Harqua Hala, a fact of which he must have been perfectly well aware. He, however, recorded the Coolgardie claim at Midway, giving an untruthful description of its situation. McCullock then stocked the claim and incorporated the Coolgardie Mining Company at Spokane, inducing such prominent men as Judge Turner, Mr. Williams (secretary of the Le Roi company), and others to lend their names to further the success of the enterprise. It appears that these gentlemen had been on former occasions associated with McCullock in several bona fide ventures and had never had any occasion to doubt his honesty of purpose. Unauthorized, McCullock issued the prospectus referred to and went East to sell stock, being more or less successful.

In June of this year Mr. C. H. Brown at the instance of the company, made a report on the Coolgardie claim. The result of his investigations was sufficient to satisfy the directors that the title was not clear and that McCullock had imposed upon their credulity. McCullock was then obliged to sever his connection with the company, and the Clifton claim was acquired as an asset. It is, therefore, so far satisfactory to know that henceforward the scheme has the appearance of being on a more legitimate basis.

The Clifton claim is a good prospect as prospects go, no more and no less. Very little work has been done beyond mere surface prospecting. There are, however, indications of a ledge running north and south which, judging from where the mineral outcrops, is quite fifty feet across. The capping is similar to what is found on the Jumbo and King Solomon, being red oxide of iron. There is a capital tunnel site on the Clifton, and if the claim proves to be a mine it can be worked very advantageously. Mr. Williams, the secretary of the company, is expected to arrive here next week and his opinion will chiefly determine the form which future development work is to take. The management here is to be put in Mr. Brown's hands. Upon Mr. Williams' arrival work will be at once started and a large sum is to be thus spent in opening up the property.

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MINING NOTES.

The casting for the Skylark whim arrived on Saturday, and the hoist is again in good working order.

C. J. McArthur brought down last week some pretty specimens of quartz carrying free gold from the Denero Grande.

Representatives of an English syndicate now staying in Spokane are negotiating for the purchase of the Golden Crown, in Wellington camp.

The men working on the Mother Lode broke into very fine ore on Monday morning. The depth gained by running the tunnel is something over fifty feet.

It is vouched for on good authority that the Big Copper mine is about to be sold to a large English company whose expert will come in shortly from New York.

The ledge of the Ballarat, in Kimberly camp, is now proved to be seven feet wide. The ground has been stripped for 30 feet and an open cut of 8 feet has been run.

White's camp is coming well to the front, the City of Paris and Lincoln being developed by Mr. Heneage. Both claims are producing some fine ore and bid fair to become great mines.

Prospectors are crowding into Kimberly camp, and the whole country there is practically staked. A party of six men came in on Monday from Rossland and started up Boundary creek.

Application for incorporation has been made by the the Gold Hill Quartz Mining Co., of Fairview. Capital, $750,000, divided into as many shares of $1. The company's headquarters are at Victoria.

Negotiations are on foot for the sale of the Helen claim, which adjoins the Greenwood townsite and which shipped ore a year ago averaging $51 smelter returns. The intending purchasers propose to develope and ship.

Work will probably be commenced on the Morison this week. The company advertised for tenders on a contract to sink a shaft, but all the figures sent in were considered too high, and none were accepted. The company have, it is understood, decided to undertake the work by day labor.

In the rock drilling contest at Spokane on the 9th inst., a team from Butte, Montana, won the first prize, establishing a record by drilling 49⅜ inches in 15 minutes. The Murray team were second with a hole of 45 inches, and Rossland a good third with 44 inches. It is conceded. however, that the rock used did not come up to the standard of hardness, nevertheless the contest was a remarkable exhibition of combined strength and skill.

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CO-OPERATION.

To further the interests of Boundary creek, to hasten the progress of development, to see fulfilled the predictions of every reputable expert who has visited the camp, are aims to which every prospector, every resident in the district would readily, if he knew how, devote time and service. There is nothing to be gained by hiding the fact that the outlook for next year is none too cheerful. Mr. Heinze's railway scheme appears to have fallen flat; and we have no guarantee as yet that the V. V. & E. R. & N. Co. is not equally as great a "fizzle." It is undeniably true that until transportation is provided the district will be practically at a standstill. It is equally true that until it can be demonstrated that the mines of Boundary can supply a railroad with tonnage, the date when transportation will be provided will be deferred. Meanwhile much may be done in a local way to advertise Boundary creek on the outside, and thus interest capital to open up the undoubtedly valuable resources of the district. Individual effort, however well-directed, rarely accomplishes what may be done by co-operative means. The organization of an association or society for the purpose of advancing the interests of the district could not but be attended with important and beneficial results. Among its self-imposed duties such a society might very well, for instance, undertake to send collections of ores to places where interest is likely to be attracted; it might act to protect the public from the machinations of the unscrupulous promoter of "wild-cat" schemes; to provide competent guides to strangers visiting the camp, are but a few examples of the efficient services which might be rendered by a body acting in such a capacity.

There is no way of advertising a mining camp to better advantage than by exhibiting mineral specimens from its vicinity in leading centres of business. Much interest has already been awakened in the large cities of eastern Canada, notably in Toronto and in Montreal, concerning the mineral wealth of British Columbia, and it is, therefore, all the more desirable that the claims of Boundary creek to be considered a desirable field for investment should be brought as prominently as possible to the notice of Eastern moneyed men. Even small collections of ores, however, cannot be sent long distances without expense, and it is exactly expense of this kind where no direct benefit accrues therefrom to himself that the private individual least willingly incurs, hence the advantages of co-operation. To a society with (say) a membership of a hundred expenses occasioned in this way would be comparatively trifling. A collection such as was sent from here to the Fruit Fair at Spokane, each specimen, however, ticketed with a description of the claim whence it was taken, with the assay values, placed on view in the offices respectively of brokers, or in the rooms of public institutions, at Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, and other large cities, would undoubtedly lead to the introduction of capital to Boundary creek.

Commenting on the Boundary Creek mineral exhibit, the Spokane papers agree in ranking it second in point of interest among the collections on view. The specimens from Fort Steele are considered to be entitled to the first place, as being more numerous and varied.

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AN EXPERT'S OPINION.

Rossland Mining Review: Mr. W. A. Crane, the expert on whose judgment the Delaware was bought with most satisfactory results for the buyers, has spent three months of the summer in the Boundary Creek, regarding the possibilities of which, with more development and better transportation facilities, he has unbounded confidence. Mr. Crane's opinion from all he has seen is that the Winnipeg and Golden Crown, situated in the Wellington camp, have by far the finest showings in the district and bid fair to make bonanza mines. The surrounding conditions and the character of the ore are almost identical with those of the Le Roi. It is a very rich chalcopyrite ore in a silicious gangue and carries from $12 to $900 in gold and from 5 to 10 per cent. of copper.

Boundary Creek district has specially favorable characteristics as a mining country. Water and timber are abundant and good roads can be built anywhere very cheaply. The progress of the district is somewhat slow at present because none will open up the mines without railway transportation and none will build a railway until the mines have demonstrated their ability to provide tonnage. Boundary Creek is, therefore, in the same deadlock which kept back Kcotenay so long, but with very good prospects of emerging from it in the near future.

THE VANCOUVER-ROSSLAND RAILROAD.

Mr. Norman McLean, who went to Ottawa on behalf of the promoters of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Navigation and Railway Company, having returned, the members of the syndicate organised to build the road, held a meeting to discuss the situation. From the reports which have already appeared, it will be remembered that Dr. Milne, of Victoria, opposed the charter for the road being granted by Parliament, on the ground that it would interfere with the charter of the Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley Railway scheme. Although it appears that the Railway Committee, as a whole, was in favor of the new enterprise, yet the limited session made it impossible to put the Bill through all its stages in the two houses and it was consequently withdrawn.

The syndicate at its meeting decided, however, to give notice that application would be made at the next session of Parliament and there seems to be little doubt that the charter will then be granted. Meanwhile the surveyors will be kept in the field until their work is completed, and the specifications, estimates and bills of quantities will all be prepared so that the scheme can be laid before the parties with whom negotiations are in progress for providing the necessary capital to build the line.—News-Advertiser.

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Mr. C. Æ. Shaw and Mr. J. H. Brownlee, engineers for the Vancouver—Rossland railroad, passed through Greenwood on their way west to Penticton from Rossland on Thursday. In conversation they both concurred in the feasibility of the road, its entire length from the coast to its destination offering a very easy route for a railway. Their opinion of this district as regards mineral is very favorable in comparison with other camps and they most enthusiastically predict a great future for Boundary Creek particularly. Both being well qualified to give an opinion upon what is transpiring and will eventually take place, it is of great interest to this neighborhood. That a smelter is to be built at Vancouver is an assured fact, and further their company intend pushing the road through to completion. Upon their arrival in Vancouver they expect to be instructed to immediately carry out the actual location of the road and to continue during the winter months, thereby being ready to commence construction early in the spring. That the company's intentions are genuine is undoubted, and with such practical men as Shaw and Brownlee in the field is sufficient to guarantee its purport and completion. They fully intend to lay before the board in Vancouver the desirability and importance of making rapid connection with this section of the country, on the grounds of the great tonnage in the shape of ore that could be immediately shipped when transportation is provided, and thereby supplying the proposed smelter on Burrard Inlet to its full capacity with material for treatment. With such valuable information as the engineers are now in a position to place before the Board, matters should be precipitated and the enterprise hastened proportionately. It is at least certain that if the scheme matures Vancouver will be immensely benefited, and as the most fitting site for reduction works take the place she is entitled to by natural situation as a centre of the mining indnstry of the province.

The Old Ironsides Company recently purchased the Knob Hill, one of the best claims, judging from surface showings, in the camp. Meanwhile, the Company will push work on the Old Ironsides, and upon Mr. White's return from Spokane a contract to continue the present 50-foot shaft down for another 50 feet will be let. The Company will also build a wagon road to the properties. This work will be hurried forward as rapidly as possible that a whim which is now on the way may be taken up and put in position without delay. A shaft-house, boarding house and bunk house are to be erected.

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THE VICTORIA MINERAL CLAIM.

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The old Victoria mineral claim is situated on Rock creek, about 3½ miles east of the now famous Cariboo mine at Camp McKinney. The Victoria was the first mineral claim located in the Osoyoos district, being recorded in 1884. The original owners were the late Judge Haynes, C. B. Bush and F. W. Goenike, the latter gentleman being the discoverer of the property. An incline shaft about 100 feet was sunk and a rich body of ore tapped, test samples from which assayed very high, the writer getting a return from the Selby Smelting Works of $48 in gold and $150 in silver from a picked piece of ore. The difficulties of transportation in those days practically precluded the working of the mine, and since 1887 no work has been done, the old workings have filled up with water and the shaft caved. New ground will have to be broken to re-open the mine.

The property has recently passed into the hands of Victoria capitalists, and under the superintendence of Mr. C. B. Bush, one of the original owners, 20 men are busily engaged building houses, making roads, etc., preparatory to the development work to follow. Already a good sized store and dwelling-house, faced by four miners' log cabins, with a blacksmith shop near by, give the upper end of the old Victoria claim the appearance of an embryo town. A good waggon road has been made to connect the claim with the government trunk road and it would profit the district superintendent to take careful measurements of this road with a view of applying them to the so-called trunk road. Mr. Bush is showing good judgment in pushing his building work, taking advantage of the fine weather which cannot be expected to last a great while longer, and he hopes to have everything snug and comfortable for his men by the time snow flies, when he will be able to give his attention wholly to the development of the mine. Now that the property is being taken hold of by a strong company there is little doubt but that it will prove the veritable bonanza it has long had the reputation of being, and together with the adjoining claims —the Old England, Homestake, Snowden, Ophir, Queen, California, etc.— in the near future form a group of dividend paying mines. It should be a happy augury, the Victoria mineral claim developed by Victoria capital.

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THE RECORDS FOR THE WEEK.

OCTOBER 9.

Woodstock, Kimberley camp, D. C. McArthur
Empress, Copper Camp, C. R. Garland.
Brandon, fractional, Kimberley camp, T. A. Garland.
Regina, Long Lake camp. T. A. Garland.

OCTOBER 10.

Imperial, Seattle camp, Robert Clark.
Golden Queen, Deadwood camp, F. W. Power and A. Greig.
Golconda, adjoining the Tierra del Rico and Copper King, Frank Roborg.
Alabama, Copper camp, C. Brown.
Tally-ho, Wellington camp, Jno. G. Ohlert.
Alma, Skylark camp, Jno. G. Ohlert.

OCTOBER 12.

Waneta, on North Fork, two miles below Hunter's cabin, F. R. Launty and Chas. Grant.
Silver Basin, three miles back on East Fork of North Fork, F. R. Launty.
Rattler, adjoining Antoine, F. R. Launty.
Don, at junction of East and North Forks, Chas. Grant.
Buckskin, Greenwood camp, D. S. McKenzie.
Evergreen, fractional, Greenwood camp, D. S. McKenzie.
Paymaster, on West Fork, a mile n.w. of Bubear's pre-emption on Beaver creek, J. C. Haas.

OCTOBER 13.

Times, Skylark camp, Henry Lamb.
No. 11, 1½ miles south of Boundary Falls and 700 feet west of wagon road, S. W. Strong.
No. 12, near No. 11, J. B. Hannahan.
Glittering Star, Kimberly camp, Monroe D. Hall and S. J. Jensen.
Greenhorn, Kimberly camp, Monroe D. Hall and S. J. Jensen.
Uldback, Kimberly camp, S. J. Jensen.
Cynthina, Kimberly camp, M. D. Hall.
Waverley, Kimberly camp, R. S. Collin and Jno. A. Crawford.

OCTOBER 14.

New St. Maurice, Central camp, Edmund Lefevre.
Herbert, Copper camp, W. S. Fletcher.
Piccadilly, fractional, Deadwood camp, W. S. Fletcher.
Ella, Copper camp, W. S. Fletcher.

OCTOBER 15.

Montana, Fourth July creek, M. D. McLeod.
Blue Tuesday, Pass creek, adjoining Blue Monday, Stephen F. Hepworth.
May Queen, west side North Fork, 1½ miles from Leo Neff's pre-emption, R. D. Jones.
Conservatoire, north side Pass creek, 500 feet n.w. of Union, Wm. F. Kennedy.
Morning Glory, Pass creek, adjoining Vulture on s,w., Frank Dalton.
Shotgun, Skylark camp, Wm. Rowe, George Beardsley, Rd. Thomas.

Conveyances.

OCTOBER 9.

Hamilton, ¼ interest, M. T. Robison to D. C. McArthur.
Hamilton, ½ interest, M. T. Robison to Mary Garland.

OCTOBER 10.

Duplicate, ½ interest, W. B. Rickards to Wm. Shaw.
Clifton, ½ interest, C. H. Brown to L. F. Williams.
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Centre Star, ½ interest, W. J. Schmuck to Neil McCallum, Chas. Hay and Eliza McCallum
Thursday, ⅓ interest, H. P. Toronto to Jos. Gelinas.
Diamond Hitch, ¾ interest, and Tiger, ⅜ interest, C. O. Washborn to K. H. Hamill.
Josie, ½ interest, E. Davis to J. W. Young.
Elmir, ½ interest, J. Henderson to I. J. Evans.

OCTOBER 12.

Yorkshire Lass, Svengali, and Trilby, ⅓ interest in each, C. Harrington to A. Jackson.

OCTOBER 13.

Golden Reef, ⅛ interest, A. H. Revesbeck to S. C. Chesum.
Tiger, ⅜ interest, Diamond Hitch, ¾ interest, R. H. Hamill to G. W. Walters.
Uldback, ½ interest, S. J. Jensen to M. D. Hall.
Cynthina, ½ interest, M. D. Hall to S. J. Jensen.

OCTOBER 14.

Columbia, ½ interest, R. H. Farren to W. R. Murray.

OCTOBER 15.

Single Standard, ½ interest, C. K. Simpson to C. E. Huff.
The Last, A. E. Lenander to the Eastern Star Gold Mining Company.
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Certificates of Work.

OCTOBER 8.

Pasadena ; J. W. Sweeney and B. F. Wing.
El Paso ; J. M. O'Toole and Thos. Hird.
Tunnel ; L. M. McCarren.
Paragon ; J. M. O'Toole and Thos. Hird.
Snowshoe ; R. Denzler, T. McDonnel and W. W. Gibbs.

OCTOBER 9.

Louisa ; Jno. McIntosh.
Maple Leaf ; Jno. McIntosh.
Pass Creek ; H. McEwan and Jno. McIntosh.
Vancouver ; H. McEwan.

OCTOBER 10.

Duplicate ; W. B. Rickards.
Ontario ; W. Shaw.
Iron Chief ; J. M. Garette and J. C. Lundy.
Golden Eagle ; J. M. Garette and J. C. Lundy
Broken Hill ; J. Holm, R. E. Lee and J. S. McLean.
Wild Rose ; A. R. Fingland and E. J. Kendall.

OCTOBER 13.

Minnie Harris ; D. W. Hicks.
Union ; Julius Lanyon.
Vancouver ; F. S. Barnard.

OCTOBER 14.

D W; D. H. Holbrook.

OCTOBER 15.

Rob Roy and Star of the West; A. W. Smith.

MINING NOTES.

It is understood that Mr. Garland has purchased all interest in the Ballarat in Kimberly camp.

Mr. Keffer left for Marcus this week on business connected with the working of the Boundary Mines Company's properties.

Mr. Wiseman, of Grand Forks, is making a bid for the Lucky Dog, in Providence camp, with the intention of stocking it as a company.

Mr. A. J. Anderson went up on Thursday to do assessment work on the Oak Leaf, in Wellington camp. An interest in this claim was recently bought by Mr. F. McMann.

Count Eberhart Schweinitz, left for Rossland last week. He, however, intends returning to Boundary shortly to complete the negotiations for the purchase of mining property in which he has become interested.

Word was received this week from the secretary of the Everett & Spokane Mining Company, of Spokane, to the effect that six or eight men will be put to work on the Rambler claim, on Pass creek, and that development work will be continued all winter.

Dr. Bell-Irving, of Vancover, arrived in Greenwood last Sunday, and visited several of the camps under the guidance of Mr. Holbrook. The doctor is already interested in mining property at Rossland, and intends now to make investments in Boundary creek prospects.

Mr. J. C. Haas, writing to a friend in Greenwood from Spokane, where he is looking after the mineral exhibit at the Fruit Fair, says that he is actually hoarse from answering questions about Boundary Creek and that the exhibit of ore is not equalled by that of any other camp.

The Cosmopolitan, Smith's camp, has been incorporated as a stock company for $1,000,000. The trustees are : H. L. Davis, J. Elmer West, F. C. Bailey, C. H. Brown, and R. N. McLean. The Cosmopolitan is practically an undeveloped prospect, one assessment only having been done. A promising ledge of copper-gold ore, about six feet wide, has been uncovered.

Mr. Farrell. of Farrell & Midgeon the well known firm of copper smelters and owners of the largest reduction works on the continent, situated at Ansonia, Bridgeport, Connecticut, has been a visitor for the last week in the camp, looking over the several claims owned by the firm in Boundary. Mr. Farrell is very satisfied with the result of the development work which has been caried on under the superindence of Mr. W. T. Smith.

Both the No. 7 and the Mother Lode are turning out well, though not more so than was expected. The ore struck this week between 40 and 50 feet from the mouth of the tunnel on the Mother Lode is coming in strong, but as yet would not stand shipment. The indications, however, are promising. On the No. 7 the drift has now been run in over 40 feet, and better ore was taken out this week than at any time since work was started. The Company is perfectly satisfiied with the result shown by the development of the properties.

Prospecting is being done on the Primrose, a fractional claim owned by Messrs. McMynn and Schofield, adjoining the Mother Lode in Deadwood camp. Some good float has been found and at the bottom of an 8-foot prospect hole evidences of the close proximity of an ore body are strong.

DISTRICT NEWS.

Mr. Moulton Barrett left on Thursday for England.

Billy Porter leaves next Wednesday for the North-West where he intends to pass the winter.

Water is being carried to Col. Weir's house through wooden piping from the creek at Anaconda.

A Sunday school has been organized in Greenwood by Rev. Mr. Irwen, with Miss Thornber as superintendent.

Mrs. Hardy, mother of the proprietor of the Palais Hotel, has been staying in Anaconda on a visit to her son for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Huff and Mrs. Shonquest returned on Monday from a journey on horseback to the Big Bend country, a distance of over three hundred and fifty miles.

A fruit and vegetable store has been opened in Greenwood by Mr. Butler, of Okanogan, Washington. Some remarkably fine grapes, peaches and apples are offered for sale.

Application for the incorporation of the Anaconda Townsite Company has been filed by Ewing Keightley, Frederick Keffer and Lewis Hind. The Company is stocked for $10,000 in $1 shares.

C. Burns on the charge of having been guilty of disorderly conduct was brought before Mr. G. F. Hodgson, J. P., on Thursday. The charge being sustained, the accused was fined $20 with costs.

Mr. D. A. Cameron, C.P.R. general freight agent at Vancouver, will shortly visit this district and endeavor to remedy the long-standing grievances under which lower country merchants have been handicapped—in the way of freight charges and handling and accommodation at Penticton.

A committee of ladies of Greenwood and Anaconda will meet on Tuesday to arrange for holding a social evening at an early date. As this will be the first entertainment of the kind ever held in Greenwood, and the object—to raise funds to procure chairs for the hall—one of which most of us have realized the need of from hard experience lately, a crowded house should result.

Mr. A. Drucker, M. P. for Northampton, England, and Mr. Fraser, of Calgary, were staying this week at the Windsor Hotel. Mr. Drucker is very wealthy, and is a large shareholder in, and a director of three mining companies operating in British Columbia. He was greatly taken with the promising appearances of the properties he was able during his limited stay to visit here, and he contemplates sending out an expert, either immediately upon his return to England or early next spring, to report on the district. Mr. Drucker himself may probably return next year in time for the shooting season.

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