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## GROLOGICAL SURVEY REPORT

The geological survey report of R. W. Brock has been anxiously watched for by all mining men interested in the Lardeau, and we are pleased to note that a decidedly favorable report is forthcoming. It is very instructive reading, and we purpose, for the next few weeks, giving a summary of the report to our readers that they may better understand the geology and geography of the Lardeau, and thus becognizant of our re

pointed out in our last issue! the Lardeau mineral belt extends from Menhinick creek to Cascade creek (43 miles), and has an average width of 4 miles. Ferguson is sit-uate almost centre of the zone, and is the hub of the Lardeau. Mr. Brock points out that the rocks at the head of Menhinick, Gainer, Cariboo and Murray creeks are derived from basic eruptives, and that the green and grey schists are in all probability altered eruptive rocks. In all the mineral zones a preen. yellow weathering rock occurs, frequently schistose and occasionally developing serpentine. It carries much lime, and is usually called dolomite, though distinctly eruptive and technically a diabase schist. Coarse grained porphyritic granodiorite occurs up Fish river to the north. The oldest rocks correspond to the Slocan series of West Koot-The sedimentary series is much cut up by granitic intrusive rocks and highly metamorphosed. The green schists are important on the Lardeau river, and below Camborne. The band of these schists extends southeasterly, crossing Beatrice mountain, the Nettie L. and Silver Cup, crossing the Lar-deau river at Tendertoot, and extending to Poplar.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE DISTRICT.

The Lardeau country has been recognized as a mineral district for time. Claims were located near Comaplix on the Northeast Arm as far back as 1888, and the Lardeau itself was prospected and staked ten years ago. From that time on, prospecting has continued and the development and opening up of the district have gone slowly BUT THE DISTRICT HAS NOT RECEIVED AS CAREFUL ATTENTION FROM EITHER PROSPECTORS OR MIN ING MEN AS ITS MINERAL INDICATIONS Would WARRANT. Several causes have attributed to this. The rugged nature of the country, isolation and consequent distance from smelters have made it impossible to handle anything but the richest ores; prospectors decided that it was a silverlead district only, and searched for nothing else; the depression in the silver-lead markets had a strong retarding influence on the young un developed district; many claim owners in view of the high assays obtainable and regardless of the great cost of mining and ransport-

prices that were prohibitive in an undeveloped district where so many natural difficulties had to be overcome. However, the district is now easily accessible and, in many parts, well opened up with roads and trails which greatly facilitate prospecting. A number of claims are now opened up, and provided with the means for handling ore, and in some cases freating it on the spot. With the successful operation of these and the recent discoveries of rich gold ores on Poplar creek the past summer, it is to be anticipated that the district will soon receive more careful attention from both prospectors and mining men.

MINING BELTS. Mineral occurs throughout th length of the Lardeau district, prin-cipally along three belts, a south-western zone on the south-west side of the valley and toward the granite contact, a central zone stretching from the north-west of Camborne to south-east of Poplar, its south-eastern limit not yet determined, and the lime-dyke zone stretching eastward from the Fish rive across the head of Lexington and Pool creeks and along and near the Leeden Duncan Divide, its northwestern and south-eastern limit not vet determined. Some mineraliza tion occurs outside these zones, but these constitute the main lines of mineralization. The ores occur in the sedimentary rocks, viz., slates, phylites and limestone, and in the rusty-weathering diabase schists, but no important mineralization was observed in the green schists or irruptive rocks, except in a few in-dividual cases. The mineral-bearing zones are characterized and may be recognized by dykes of the yellow-weathering diabase (the larger more coarsely crystalline dykes do not produce this yellow coating so readily) which divide the sedimen tary rocks into bands of varying The vein occurs along, near, and in the dykes. The veins have two principal directions, approximately parallel to the strike of the rocks, and hearly at right angles to it. They are usually almost ver-tical, but vary in the direction of their dip. They are of a composite fissure type. Their direction is largely determined by that of fissuring, but besides fissure filling there has been considerable replace-ment of the country rock. In places, to some extent the bedding planes of the rocks have also beer utilized for the deposition of ore. The veins have been formed by solutions aqueous mineralizing which have apparently brought up their load of mineral matter from The character of the ore is below. not directly dependent upon the nature of the country rock. horses and inclusions of country rock are often numerous in the leads. The relationship of the dykes to the deposits seems to have been largely physical - determining the direction and circulation of the orebearing solutions, though perhaps

the iron and carbonates of the dykes may have been reached chemically

ing the ore, held their claims at with the ore-bearing solutions. The Rossland Miners' Union Goldfinch Stamp Mill at Veins may have a connection with the granite intrusion, as some of the quartz veins have characters tesembling those of the acid series of pegmatite dykes. The magma from which these pegmatites were formed became more acidic and aqueous as distance from the parent granite was gained, and the gangue of the veins is often rich in feldsnar and sericite as well as in quartz. Accor ding to mineral contents, the veins can be roughly divided into two groups, the silver-lead veins, rich in metallic sulphides, and the gold veins poorer in these sulphides. Except in this one respect the veins are very similar. The silver-lead veins carry gold values and are sometimes rich in gold. The relationship to the two classes of veins is not clear: they may be of the same age, and may have been formed by the same processes. On the Criterion, a galena vein is younger than one quartz vein, but

nay be older than a second; there is some ground for the opinion that they are closely related and they may have been formed during the same general period of mineraliza-The vein-stone is quartz with some calcite, siderite, teldspar, and a little sericite. The metallic con-tents are galena, blende, tetrahedrite, copper and iron pyrites, arsenapyrite, argentite, native silver and gold. The veins are found on the highest summits and in the deepest valleys. The largest number of locations have been made at the higher elevations, probably on account of the better exposures. On the lower slopes and in the valleys the difficulty of prospecting is greatly increased by wash and vegetation. Mining in such locations, however, can be carried on at a lower cost. The values are not evenly distributed, but are localized in chutes. They are often concentrated round carbonaceous rock inclusions and along carbon-

aceous wall-rock and sometimes in Some sulphides, particularly zinc blende, are often a good indication of values. Chutes are generally located at the intersection of veins. Other indicators of values will no doubt be found when further development has been done A particular effort should be made to find, if possible, a key for recognizing pay quartz by the naked eye where the values are in fine gold. The indications are THAT VALUES WILL CONTINUE IN DEPTH; they are unchanged to the deepest level reached in the Silver Cup; the richest mineral, tetrahedrite, is one of the first formed, and blind leads, which cannot have been affected by surface enrichment, carry ore as well as outcropping leads; and the horizontal veins have the same

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### Lose the Day.

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In addition to its local interest, the verdict is of far-reaching importance verticts of far-rearning importance because of its probable influence upon the conduct of strikes throughout Canada in the future. The decision stands as a precedent throughout the Dominion, the point in issue not having previously been threshed out in adian courts.

The jury found that the Rossland Miners' Union No. 38, Western Federation of Miners, Rossland branch, Ru pert Bulmer, W. S. McDonald, Frank Woodside, W. G. Preston; the Carpen-ters and Joiners' union, Peter Mcters and Joiners' union, Peter Mc-Donald, John McLaren, T. M. Beamish and James Wilkes, maliciously con-spired together to molest and injure the plaintiffs and other mine owners of

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Mixers belchin' boilin' sanis
Swellin' someone's pile
Heat and dust and KCY,
Hot mud splashin' in your eye,
Twenty pans rotatin':
Spin, you whirlin' devils, spin;
Can't hear nothin' for the din,
'Malgamatin'!

Now the elevator's stuck,
Twisted buckets jammed;
Never saw such purple luck,
May the job be d——d!
For this famin' dust is chokin',
Might as well in hell be stokin',
"Bash those edges straight in !!
"Pass, oh pass the hammer here!"
'Tain't all counter lunch and beer
'Malgamatin'!

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Hammer-head went plump!
Close up three pound weight of sledge
Hear the mulier bump!
Santch the clutches out of gear!
Blazes! won't the foreman rear!
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Can't be give you bloke of
Bet two bits there's somethin' broke,
'Maigamatin'!

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MARGAMBERT !

Lyin' thick beneath the dies,
Cloggin' up the pan,
Don't it tempt a follow's eyes,
Man is only develop in this,
Once or two they'd never missCo to blazes, Satan !

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A. F. Rosenberger, who is in charge of the property, intends to thoroughly exploit and develop it, and prove that the Goldfinch is a property worthy of attention. Considerably more work has been done this summer on claims in the vicinity of the Goldfinch than during any previous season, and all of them have shown up exceedingly well. These developments will no doubt spur the Goldfinch people to greater efforts, and it is quite possible that within a short time, other properties in that section will be the scenes of active mining, and the thud of fall-ing stamps will replace the echo made by the clash of hammer and drill as the persistent prospector progresses hopefully with his annua! assessment.-Camborne Miner.

### Little Essays of Life.

It has just leaked out that Clark, the millionaire western mine-owner, has been married three years to his ward. is an element of local interest about Senator Clark, since he has large mining interests in British Columbia. Clark was known as one of the most daring mining operators in the world. He was shrewd enough to make milons in lighting 'such men as Marcus Daly, James Flood and Tabor. He was not proof, however, against the wiles of a girl 35 years his junior. Miss LaChappelle, his young wife, is a French girl. They have been married three years. In accumulating bravery, but he was not courageous enough to tell his daughters of his second marriage. A woman will con-tract a second marriage and be proud of it, but for some reason men seem a bit shy. Above all other considera-tions a man seems to hate to announce tions a man seems to his first wife's children. It is not singular then that the old millionaire showed the lion in amassing a great fortune, but showed the rabbit when it came to a second marriage.—Calgary Herald.

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Lardeau Eagle, Ferguson, B.C.

#### Local and General.

Bill-Davie is resting.

Ed. Bell has rejoined the camp.

Archie Gilles is on his pins again.

Cutler Porter was in town Monday.

Jas. Lade filled in two days with us this week.

E. Roche was down from the Nettie L. on Monday.

Ed. Williams has been in hospital for a few days. Theo. Baribeau, Silver Cup, was in

town on Monday.

Ike Robinson, from Poplar, was in town last tail end. George Howard left for Phoenix on

the stage this morning. Alex Cummins has another funnel-

orchestra in his emporium Godfrey Birtsch, Nelson, spent couple of days with us this week.

Mayor Marsball went a-fishing Tues ay. He got nit and a sore thorax.

Miles Custer and Alex Laing shanked to the Nettie L. and back on Sunday.

Pat Devine, high cockalorum at the Nettie L., was in town on Wednesday. Will. V. Domarus, of Little Falis Minn., visited the miner's mecca or

Friday.

J.E. Barr, Johannesburg, Pochestrom and Trout Lake City, is registering at

Grace Williams, New Denver, graced the town with her presence for a tew hours on Friday.

O. J. Reid, Ed. Ward and Arthur Gunn pulled out on Wednesday to pros pect on the Duncan.

John Sutherland, Revelstoke, has gone up to the Triune fraction to re-sume assessment duties.

Will Waller and Lew Thompson Monday for a few hours.

Walter Edwards is now presiding over the pantry at the Triune, vice Oscar, king of Sweden—resigned!

A. J. Gordon took a gang of men up to Gainer Creek on Monday for the purpose of doing assesment work. Alex. Fraser, Silver Cup, joined the

boys in town for a few hours on Wed-nesday, and it cost him a ten-spot. Piefaced Clarence hiked to the King's

highway on Monday. At present he is suffering from abnormal appetite and loss of money.

A. J. G. Swinney, general superin-tendent of the Silver Cup Mines, Ltd., leaves town to-morrow for a eastern business trip.

Harvey Ross and Charlie Whited rejoined civilization for a few hours on Saturday. The boys from the Triune returned same night.

George Howard has been out drum ming for the Eagle this week. He carried power of attorney, our sympathy, and a Colt's 45.

r Paul Kruger died in Switzerland on the 13th inst. Permission has been granted to convey his remains to the Transvaal for interment.

Mrs. Kathyrn Leigh, Denver, Col. accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. C. Neumeyer, Burton, B.C., paid a flying visit to Ferguson on Saturday.

Joe Sullivan paid a visit to the Oregon group on Monday. He reports that Joe Brady has encountered a fine lead of rich clean ore. He is engaged stripping the lead.

The Ralmoral Hotel is blushing be hind a radiant coat of celestial blue and oriental green. Victoria Avenue looks the better for the embellishment, and artist Nesbitt knows his business.

General Booth, the salvo apostle, ha been offered a Knighthood by the King Dowie will undoubtedly come in for a baronetcy, and then the Eagle man will expect at least an earldom

The fencing around the Miners' Hospital is now complete. It's up to someone to thank all those who volunteered to undertake the charitable May they never need to go be youd the tence.

T. W. Graham and E. Hillman were busy on Monday laying in a heavy stock of provisions prior to their jaun to the Elsmere Group, where work of a development nature will be continued. They have a good property, and our best wishes.

Alex. Dodds, superintendent at the Triune mine, paid a business trip to town on Monday. Everything will soon be in readiness for shipping ore, but development work of a nature that will admit of a winter campaign is the order of the day.

Doukhobors are out searching for trouble again. A large party of these religious fanatics are on the march, and have reached Swan River. It is to be hoped they will be marched back before the mentally afflicted concourse become too troublesome.

A little fellow who occasionally drops into the Eagle office to watch the printer, found some free gold while prospecting in the Eagle escritoire one day this week. In reaching for it, he accidentally upset the gold-dust all over his curly thinker, which gave him the appearance of a gilded statuette. When he got home his mother licked him for rolling down the mountains.

Messrs. Nesbitt, Gordon, Burns, and Lewis last week completed work or the extension to the trail west of Rapid There is now a fairly good trail extending from the wagon road to about a mile south of the Morning claim. Two miles farther would open up the country as far as the Alhambra Group, recently located, and the government should give some assistance to the prosectors on Rapid and Rusty creeks

Weather Report .- " Can you tell me what sort of weather we may expect it what sort of weather we may expect in the Lardeau for the next month?" wrote a subscriber to the editor, and ye editor replyde: "It's my belief that the weather next month will be very much like your subscription." The enquirer thought for three hours before he tumbled to the word "un-settled." Another subscriber writes settled." Another subscriber writes Dear Editor—I owe you 2 dollars, don't for goodness sake stop sending the paper. Enclosed find ten'2 cent stamps and a brass check for 12½ on Cummins. Remorse bites my conscience very hard; when remorse bites again I'll send some more.—Yours, &c.

The world is very small after all. Last Saturday the editor-printer-devil-financier rubbed shoulders with an old friend from the little island off the coast of France—which holds a village called London. Walter Edwards. called London. Walter Edwards. hunter and trapper, traveller, explorer and chef—used the same doorstep and and cnst—used the same coorsep and found shelter under the same roof as the writer while he was strug-ling for an existence in the "smoke." Walter has stories to tell of disturbed slumbers by the midnight squawk of the Eaglets, who are now big enough to offer the old man their left-off pants and knock the L out Walter.

We had a certain amount of satisfaction in relating a story in a previous issue of a parson and a printer. The printer could'int pay his debts, as all his subscriber were deadheads, and, on the aside, all members of the para The parson prayed for congregation. the printer, but the parson didn't know his congregation were on the hummer and now he's up against it himself. In and now he's up against it himself. In taking permanent leave of his congre-gation, the parson said: "Brothers and sisters, I have come to say good-bye. I don't think God loves this church, because none of you ever die. I don't think you love one another be cause I never marry any of you. I know you don't love the printer. I don't think you love me, because you don't think you love me, because you haven'n paid my salary; your donations are mouldy fruit and worm; apples, and by their fruit ye shall know them. Brothers, I am going away to a better place. I have been called to be a chaplain in a penitentiary. Where I go ye cannot come, but I go to pr pare a place for you, and may the have mercy on your souls. Good-bye

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Keep your eye on Ferguson

The Nettie L. tram is now doing its y. Yesterday morning, after splic-the cable and spacing the cars, a l trip was made. Everything was trial trip was made. ound O.K.

Can anyone doubt that advertising pays. The advertiser who uses gump-tion with printer's ink is getting there tion with printer's ink is getting seere all the time. For example: "Take a drink with the Editor of the Lardeau Eagle!" This invitation, printed in gold-blocked letters, is the first thing to attract the eye on cutering an hotel in Ferguson. Those cards are doing their duty. Enquirers catch on, my subscription list grows, and thirsts are A drummer in town last wee was evidently tickled with the dodge was evidently tickled with the dodge, for he has sent along a three-inch ad-, which appears on this page, and to which we draw the gentle reader's attention. There are no flies on Thorpe

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