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ERUPTIVE ROCKS. CONTINUED.

At a number of points, dykes and masses of green rocks occur concerning whose eruptive origin there can be no doubt. In the present summary they will be referred to simply as greenstones. At the head of Menhinick creek the greenstone is a heavy mottled gabbro with long green pyroxene crystals, plagioclase and a dark brown mineral with good cleavage. On the ridge between Gainer creek and Cariboo creek, dykes of a similar rock occur which fork and send tongues out into the slates, altered near the contact; although in general the dykes conform in direction to the dip and strike of the formation. The greenstone at the head of Murray brook is more dioritic in appearance, consisting of hornblende, biotite, plagioclase and some pyrite.

In almost all, if not all of the mineralized zones, a green, yellow-weathering rock occurs. Frequently it is schistose, somewhat resembling the chlorite schists, but differing in color in the occasional development of serpentine, and in its characteristic weather crust. Sometimes it remains more or less massive and, if large, shows a marked porphyritic texture in the centre of the band, while the borders remain fine-grained. While conforming closely to the dip and strike of the enclosing rocks, it does not always follow them. From its weathering and high content in lime it is usually called a dolomite, but there is no question that it is an eruptive rock, occurring in the form of sheets and dykes. Its texture alone, where unaltered by mashing, would be sufficient to prove this, were no other evidence obtainable. Microscopic examination points to its having been a diabase, but it now consists of a mixture of quartz, sericite, serpentine and carbonates.

The granite which extends along the south-western edge of the area examined is rather a fine-grained, light-colored, acid granite, consisting of quartz, white to slightly reddish orthoclase, white plagioclase, sometimes altered to epidote, and a small quantity of a colored constituent, which is sometimes biotite and sometimes hornblende. It is full of little cavities formed by contraction on cooling (miarolitic structure). Fine-grained aplite dykes and coarse quartzose pegmatites are abundant in many localities near the granite mass. Coarse-grained porphyritic granodiorite (tonalite, the Nelson granite of the West Kootenay sheet) occurs up Fish river to the north, and numerous glacial erratics of it are scattered over the Lardeau district.

The distribution of the rocks can be referred to briefly here. At Revelstoke the rock consists of schists, gneisses, impure crystalline limestones, pegmatites, granites, etc.

That is, the sedimentary series is much cut up by granitic intrusive rocks, and is highly metamorphosed. The same holds true on the Columbia river and upper part of Upper Arrow lake. Masses of granite and their dykes, many of them between beds of the stratified rock, are numerous. A large mass of granite occurs at the Saw-mill point, extending southward to near Halcyon. The main body of granite occurs between Arrow lake and Trout lake, forming the greater part of the Lardeau-Arrow lake divide. It extends south-eastward over the Trout lake slope forming the heads of the tributary brooks, and about Rock creek comes within a mile or so of the lake. From hence its contact is more southerly, so that at Poplar creek it is found about 10 miles up the brook from the Lardeau valley. Further south it appears to attain even larger dimensions. The Trout Lake valley, the North-east Arm and the country between the Fish river and the Columbia, are largely made up of the dark slates and phyllites with some limestone bands and a little of the greenstone and green schists. The strike of the beds is about 280 degrees, so that these rocks extend as long bands about north-west and south-east across the district. Between the north-east arm and Camborne an important band of the green schists crosses the Trout lake-Ferguson wagon road and the south-west face of Silver Cup mountain. They are also important on the Lardeau river. At Camborne and for a little distance north is a band of slates and phyllites, with dykes of the diabase schist. This band extends south easterly across the country, crossing Beatrice mountain at the head of Mohawk Creek, over Nettie L. mountain, and over the north-east slope and summit of silver Cup mountain. It crosses the Lardeau river about Tenderfoot creek, and continues through Poplar creek. Northeast of this band the green schists are again developed, giving place a little farther north-east to the lime-dyke series, which consists of a mixture of slates, phyllites, schists, and some greenstone dykes. Some dykes of diabase schist and important limestone bands also occur. This series, easily traceable on account of the way in which the heavy band of limestone withstands weathering, can easily be followed across the whole length of the district in a direction of about 285 deg. This formation is met with a short distance up Gainer creek, at the head of the North Fork of Lardeau creek, and the heads of Pool and Lexington creeks.

WHERE TO PROSPECT.

Although all the ground at Poplar creek itself is staked, there is still a great deal of promising territory to be prospected for gold. The same belt is mostly open for prospecting north-west of Poplar creek to Silver Cup mountain. On Silver Cup mountain and between it and Camborne there is still some free ground. Anywhere along this belt gold may be found. Free gold was dis-

covered last autumn on the Winslow, north-west of the head of Seven Mile creek. While it is not certain that the whole length of this belt is auriferous, it is worth examination. The belt south-east of Poplar creek is little known, but may prove auriferous. The south-west belt between the valley and the granite contact is mostly open for prospecting. Some promising silver-lead ore containing gold values, has already been found in this belt. The lime-dyke belt may also be prospected for gold. Numerous quartz veins similar to those in the gold camps occur in it, under similar conditions, and it is altogether probable that some of them are gold-bearing. The Ophir-Lade group is said to continue rich free gold ore.

Quartz veins and some galena veins occur between Fish river, the Columbia and Revelstoke, but little is known of this district.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES.

The Lardeau district can be entered from the Upper Arrow lake or from Kootenay lake, the steamer connecting with the Arrowhead branch of the C.P.R., and the Arrow lake steamers run to Comaplex and Beaton at the head of Northeast Arm. From these points wagon roads, with stage-lines, run to Camborne, the centre of the Fish river camp. From Beaton a wagon road also extends to Trout Lake city at the head of Trout lake, and from thence a wagon road runs up Lardeau creek to Ferguson and Ten-Mile. Stage lines operate between Beaton, Trout Lake and Ferguson. A steamer connects Trout Lake city with Gerrard at the foot of the lake. From the latter, a branch line of the C.P.R. connects Lardo, at the head of Kootenay lake, whence steamers run daily to Kaslo and Nelson. From these main lines of travel trails run up the principle creeks.

ATTRACTIONS FOR TOURISTS.

The grandeur of the scenery, the ease of access, the opportunity for mountain climbing, hunting and fishing, and of becoming acquainted with the characters of a western mining camp, should attract tourists and other visitors to the Lardeau. First-class hotels and transportation facilities already exist.

The Guinea Mines.

Ontario shareholders in the Guinea Mines have been looking after their interests. Mr. Isaac Pickering, of Forest, Ont., was selected to visit the Lardeau and report on the condition of affairs. After a careful examination of the ground and the companies' property he reported to the Tropic that he was more than pleased with the showings, and, if anything, they exceeded the representations made by the company's agents. The work done consists of two tunnels, the upper in 120 feet showing clean ore from 12 to 18 inches in width for a distance of 85 feet. In the lower tunnel, which is nearly 400 feet, the ore has been exposed at different points. It is claimed that the ore averages \$100 to the ton. On the Old Gold there is a very rich surface showing. A wall of solid ore, which averages 18 inches in thickness and about 18 feet wide lifts itself out of the formation, and stands like an old time headstone.

Up and Down Our Mountains.

The Eagle man paid a surprise visit to several claims within riding distance on Monday last. The Union Jack, owned by J. C. Kirkpatrick was visited first. The property is situate near 7-Mile creek, and is with 200 yards of the South Fork wagon road. There are two cabins, an abundance of good timber, and a splendid supply of water at the mouth of the mine. There is a prodigious dump of concentrating ore ready for a mill when a purchaser takes it up, but at present all attention is being devoted to following the lead known as the Silver Cup main vein. At this point 400 feet of hard rock has been bored. The main lead was struck some weeks ago, but in the upraise the water beat them out. A cross-cut has been made, and a great amount of concentrating ore and some large stringers have been encountered. The men who have done the tunneling, Will Waller and Lew Thompson, deserve all kinds of luck.

The Rambler claim was next visited. This property is also on the South Fork, and the tunnel which J. Livingston is driving is within 50 feet of the wagon road. Since our last visit to this property, a ton of high-grade concentrating ore has been dumped. The whole of the surface is very rich in mineral and carbonates, and some nice 5 to 8 inch stringers are seen. The Nettie L. vein runs through this point. A 20 ft. waterfall at the mouth of the tunnel is a natural obstacle to an attack on the hanging wall, but an attempt is being made to reach the clean ore by following the drift. At 17 ft. it is calculated the clean ore will be reached, and this point was the basis of operation when our visit was made. About four feet of this has been completed, and the dump of concentrating ore is being augmented at every shot. The latest assays from an average sample of carbonate ore lifted by our representative are 58 ozs. in silver and \$10 in gold. About 600 pounds of clean ore is also sacked, and an average sample assayed 82 ozs. silver and \$1.20 gold. This property is unquestionably a prize for some promoter or capitalist, and we trust the persistent hammering of Honest Jim will soon be rewarded. We venture to remark that if several investors visited the proposition some spirited bidding would result, but so faithful is our "luck" clinging at the present time that we doubt if we could sell a gold brick for 20 cents.

The Elsmere group was also visited by our representative this week. This group, which consists of the Nickel Plate, I.X.L., Elsmere, Silver Slipper and Truro, is situated about 6 miles from Ferguson on the North Fork, and a good pack trail crosses the Elsmere. Galena

runs through the Silver Slipper. Our visit was ill-timed, as blasting was proceeding briskly. Ed. Hillman and Tom Graham have a splendid property. There is enough ore there on sight to satisfy anyone who is seeking a mine. Development work is the order of the day. The position is a most favored one for a mine—a plentiful supply of water and an abundance of the right class of timber. Enough work has been done on the Elsmere and I.X.L. to have them "Crown granted." We brought away with us two samples off the dump, the average assay of an unlimited supply reading 100 oz. silver and 60 per cent lead, while a selected specimen assayed \$4 gold and 14 per cent copper. It goes without saying that a fortune is awaiting the lucky purchaser.

The Cromwell and I.X.L. are situate on the Silver Cup mountain, about seven miles from Ferguson. On the Cromwell a lead of an average width of 4 feet has been exposed for a distance of 1,500 feet. Assay values of recent date show us \$80 in gold, and 70 ozs. silver per ton. A tunnel of 200 ft. has been driven. Dr. Milloy with a gang of men for the past few weeks has been surveying for Crown grant. This property is a paying proposition from the start. On our solitary ride back to town we had time for reflecting on the lack of enterprise at present displayed by capitalists. A trip for a few hours among our hills with one who has nothing to sell but who has a great pride in our mineral wealth, should prove very instructive and fruitful to the investor.

The Black Prince, situated at the head of Gainer creek, and acquired late last fall by Tony Becker and associates is turning out a valuable property. A ton a day of high-grade silver-lead ore is being sacked for shipment to Nelson. A tunnel of about 60 feet has been driven.

Triune Development.

The development of the Triune property has for the past two months proceeded rapidly. A gang of men have completed a corduroy wagon road to the mine. B. C. Riblet have made a survey for the double-ropes tramway they are building at the mine. This survey places the tramline all on the east side of Triune creek, and is about 8,000 feet long, with an elevation of 3,000 feet. The management have this week augmented their forces, 14 men being employed at the mine.

Three distinct lines of procedure are now being observed—shipping, extending No. 1 tunnel, and boring a third tunnel. A ton of high grade ore a day is being shipped to the Trail smelter. Extension has been begun on No. 1 tunnel nearest the top of the mountain. The new development, tunnel No. 3 is about 100 feet below No. 2, and a start at this point was made this week. It is expected the extension of No. 1 will open up new shoots of the high-grade ore for which the upper tunnel has been noted for the past four years, the ore being the rich soft carbonates assaying from \$150 to \$200 per ton. The No. 3 tunnel is expected to reach at good advantage the lower workings, and a shoot of ore which projects to the surface of the mountain. As all of these operations at the Triune are carried on 8,000 feet above sea level, much ice and frost is encountered in Midsummer. The snowbanks have remained to the present time on the Triune slopes, which is an unusual occurrence, the snow usually disappearing early in June.

The management have also for some time been clearing a right of way for the Riblet tram, which will be completed before snow comes in September.

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A marked feature of the mining operations at the Triune this season seems to be to employ two-thirds of the large force of men on distinctive development work, thereby preparing the mine for disgorging large shipments of ore when the new tram is completed.

A communication from H. A. Brown, Revelstoke, has been received, but it arrived too late for this issue.

Lardeau Forest Fires.

Forest fires have broken out in the Lardeau this week. The largest of these extend on both sides of the valley of the Lardeau river from the Second Crossing to Bowsworth. In the bottoms along the river may be found some of the finest cedar in the province. The fire has been burning for the past six days, and last Saturday threatened to destroy the hotel and Hawthorne's store at Gold Hill. The people at that place had to procure the services of the prospectors and the section hands in order to save their buildings. The place was threatened for over three hours, and it took some energetic effort to stay the flames. Another large fire is raging between Rapid Creek and Poplar, and is reported to be spreading.

NOTICE.

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"In consideration of one hundred dollars now paid under the said Act, and subject to the provisions thereof, I, W. S. Gore, Deputy Commissioner acting for the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, do hereby license and work for coal and petroleum (but no other metal or mineral) upon, in and under all that piece or parcel of mineral land situate in and forming part of Block 4263, East Kootenay District, and described as follows:—
and not exceeding in the whole six hundred and forty statute acres.
"Owing to the number of applicants for licenses to prospect for coal and petroleum, and the peculiar circumstances surrounding the application for and issuance of these licenses, the well-known proviso in the said Act, which empowers the Government of British Columbia to determine the equitable rights of the numerous applicants, is hereby waived, and the Government of British Columbia do hereby give notice that the determination of their respective rights and priorities in such licenses is hereby accepted subject to such prior rights of other persons as may exist by law, and the date of this license is not to be taken or held as in any sense determining such priority, and that it is not to be taken into the proper performance of all conditions precedent as between adverse claimants; and further, on the understanding that the Government shall not be held responsible for, or in connection with, any conflict which may arise with other claimants of the same ground, and that under no circumstances will license fees be refunded.
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Victoria, B. C."
R. E. GREEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 6th June, 1904. 169

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.
NOTICE.
Triune, Silver Chief, Enterprise, Kamloops and Kamloops Fractional mineral claims, situate in the Trout Lake Mining District of West Kootenay District.
Where located:—On Triune Mountain.
TAKEN NOTICE that I, George S. McCarter, acting as agent for Andrew Ferguson, Free Miners' Certificate No. 8856, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Records for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.
I further take notice that action, under section 57, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement. Dated this 18th day of June, A. D. 1904.
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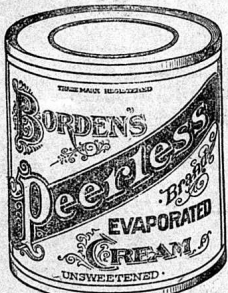
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Joe Brady spent three days in town this week.

Oscar Nelson is working on the Bonanza.

John H. Wilson, Silvertown, is a visitor to town.

Miss Johnson, Five-Mile, is a patient at the hospital.

Chas. Nanderstate, Bellingham, Wash., is visiting town.

Dan, McPhail left for Camborne on Tuesday. Excelsior!

Keep your lamps on the Lake. A cigar scrap is on the tapis.

Reisterer's traveller was in town Wednesday scooping up all the idle cash.

Miles Carroll went up to the Duncan Slope yesterday to do some assessment work.

A. L. Houston is doing work of a development nature on the Mohican on Garner Creek.

Hugh Ross is renewing acquaintances after a protracted spell of assessment work.

Chas. H. Little accompanied the "bird" on its news rustling peregrinations abroad one occasion this week.

Miss Edwards arrived home on Wednesday, after visiting Calgary and other points.

Joe Morette has finished assessment work, and is now on a prospecting tour up the North Fork.

A black eye is a sure sign of better days—also that someone was looking for trouble and found it.

Hugh Macdonald is progressing under the care of Dr. Newcombe, and he can now use his limbs.

We would rather be a bug and live on the back of an oily Chinese than be mean enough to rob a printer.

If Trout Lake footballers think they have a show against Ferguson and Five-Mile—the day and hour are requested.

Tony Becker has a grand property in the Black Prince. Freighters Vipond is kept rustling shipping the ore to the Lake.

Private S. J. Perry, Sixth Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles of Vancouver, won the King's prize at Bisley last Saturday.

Benny and Polly, the four-footed friends of two local Lotharios are wondering when their visits to the Lake will cease.

Gordy McLellan asks us not to mention he has been in town for several days this week, and he herewith respect his wishes.

Miss Horne, accompanied by Dad Black, of the Hotel Ferguson, were escorted to the Surprise group by David Morgan yesterday.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. A. C. Cummins, Mrs. J. C. Kirkpatrick and Miss Emsley, Vancouver, are plencing on the Great Northern mountain.

We are in receipt of a souvenir of the opening of the New Westminster Bridge. It is an elegant production of the printer's craft, and nearly up to Eagle print.

Will Davey, H. Patrick, and Miles Custer joined Jim Grant and Paddy Murphy at the Winslow on Wednesday. The property is reported to be increasing in value every day.

It is curious to notice the pure unadulterated cheek of some persons who are anxious to get a half column ad. in the Eagle for nothing. We are in receipt of a sheet of music, "It Was Summer-time in Dixie Land," and the publishers in presenting us with a copy also forward a half column reading notice on the "never." The cover is all we have attempted so far. Fancy a billious-looking moon shedding a yellow-jaundiced light on a field of shrimps and waving ostrich plumes. Fancy a man in a 5 dollar suit, crease included, sitting on a damp seat making love to a girl in an Eaton's \$1.50 fandangle who is seated on the same seat and two yards of atmosphere between them. They may make love that way in Dixie, but you don't catch the Ferguson Romeos chancing sore throats from damp seats.

Jack Lundy paid a flyer to town on Wednesday.

O. J. Reid, E. J. Ward and Arthur Gunn returned from the Duncan river Wednesday.

The Eagle was piloted through the Saw Mill at Trout Lake last Saturday by Mr. Steiss, the courteous superintendent. They certainly have a fine plant.

Billy Kest whilst timbering at the Oyster Criterion last Monday had a mishap. He slipped and cut his wrist severely on some jagged quartz, severing several tendons. He is an outpatient of the hospital here.

Tom Baldwin is taking an enforced rest. Whilst at work with Tony Becker at the Black Prince on Tuesday morning a piece of falling rock struck his forehead. Several stitches were necessary on reaching the hospital, but he was not detained.

A man who was too bright for Ferguson, and too dull for anywhere else, whilst residing in town had the misfortune to smash the glass bulb of an electric light. The genius set to work and tightly tied several knots in the wire, to prevent the electricity from escaping. Fact!

It is our endeavour not to offend anyone in town. We have tried hard to coax you into paying that back sub. If you appreciate the Eagle, and feel it a duty to back it up, or if you don't appreciate it and support it on principle, settle this week, as no one will get a paper next issue who is in arrears.

Mr. H. Battey, accompanied by Mrs. Battey arrived from Minneapolis on Saturday night. This is Mrs. Battey's first visit to the town, and we trust her sojourn here will be fraught with many pleasant remembrances. President Battey informs us that he will ship 20 tons of ore to the Trail smelter to-morrow (Saturday), and another car about August 10th at present rate of output.

A written notice calling for tenders for tunnelling is posted outside a hotel in town. It rather astonishes us that such means should be resorted to. If we interpret the feeling of the man on the street rightly, he would rather see it in the columns of the local paper. We trust the parties are not laboring under the delusion that the Eagle is dead. We're alive oh!

Andy Ferguson was a welcome visitor on Saturday night. Andy has lately given himself airs, and now pushes a moustache around. His visit extended to yesterday. On Tuesday he paid a visit to the Tribune, and appeared greatly pleased with all he saw. Andy located this property, and did the first development work upon it.

And it came to pass that a certain man having the price of a bottle, didst purchase 501 headaches and truly went his way exceeding glad; but during his meanderings in search of friends to attend the banquet, fell among thieves, who having gophered him, left him half dead. But lo, a good samaritan approached, who, observing the vile destroyer of domestic peace protruding from his sky-rocket, did convert the contents of the retort to his own hold. After awaking to mundanity, the certain man waxed exceedingly eloquent.

We got up too early one morning this week, but there was another who had risen too—too late. The stage was "on time," and a cloud of dust covered its retreat below the town. The early bird was prepared for expletives, and as we got right down to business with a keen ear and a sharp pencil, we tried to keep pace with the sleepy one who missed the stage. Among the picturesque trimmings of his description of the incident were:—Seventeen lurid adjectives, two prayers for the destruction of his eyesight, three prayers for the destruction of the stage-driver's eyesight, and thirty-four other bright remarks. The writer attributes the outburst to "a meritorious but unlearned endeavour to be picturesque."

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