

MINES AND MINING. Good Mines Being Developed in the Colville Reservation.

PAY ORE FROM GRASS ROOTS

Residence of the Spokane & Northern The Head of Redoubt Works in Seattle.

L. G. Howe, who resides at 115 Bell street, has returned to the city after an absence of about four weeks in the Colville reservation.

He went there for the purpose of looking over the country and its mineral resources, feeling confident that it possessed more fully as promising as the country over the boundary line. He said yesterday:

"I was satisfied in my own mind that if a man wanted to make money the place where it was where it was being made, and that was in the mines. We all have to dig our money out of the ground—there is no money in any business anywhere in the life of trade, and when we dig for the mines for wealth some of us are going to get it—especially when the mineral is so abundant as it is in the mining districts that are now opening up in the section of country from which I have just returned. I went there anticipating surprises. I return more than surprised because the stories told of the magnitude of the mines and their wealth have not been exaggerated. Seeing is believing. I have seen and am convinced.

"With a guide familiar with the country I started out with a broncho loaded with blankets and grub for a week. We went on the Columbia river, going thence to the boundary line. Being well equipped we camped out in the mountains. I spent two days on the Berton and Fidelity lode, which is traceable for miles, and along its surface almost everywhere one could look good samples with his boots. It required no expert miner to find ore along these immense lodes, which are only about six miles from Roseland in an almost direct line. The ore, too, is of the same character, so that there is no mistaking it. The Berton and Fidelity lodes have been made to sink a shaft fifty feet on the lode, five men being engaged at present in driving it. This prospect is about 100 feet deep, and is known as the Mary, Ida, War Eagle, B. O. A., extension, Ruby, Gem, No. 1, Iron Horse, High Ore, Bonanza and Second.

"The extension of the Spokane & Northern, on which work is now being prosecuted, will pass within a few yards of the Berton and Fidelity groups. The contract calls for the completion of this road in sixty days, but in ninety days trains will be passing over it, carrying passengers and freight. This will be a great factor in opening up the mines and country, and will at once afford an outlet to the great mineral wealth of the Colville reservation. And right here I may state that one of the mistakes of Seattle is in not having reduction works for the handling of this class of ore. Such works would swell the volume of trade wonderfully, and would aid in making Seattle one of the mining centers that are now springing up in the West.

"The lode of the Birton crops out from six to seventy feet in width and the ore assays the same as the Fidelity, about 31 gold to the ton. The property is stocked for \$100,000, of which \$30,000 unassessable stock has been set aside for working capital.

"The Fidelity group is composed of six claims, incorporated for the same amount as the Birton, all the mining capital being in the treasury, so that work is now being pushed with great vigor. Ore is accumulating rapidly in the dump, and by the time the railroad is completed to this property there will be large shipments ready.

"On the Roseland lode, about one mile from Roseland, is the Young American mine, which is turning out high-grade silver ore that goes from \$50 to \$150 per ton. The mine has been run in on the vein at several points from twenty-five to 20 feet in length, in ore nearly all the way.

"The Bonanza is another silver proposition that is now shipping about twenty tons of ore per day. This ore goes to Tacoma.

"The Little Tom, lying midway between the Young American and Bonanza, is another good property, with ore that gives assays of 10 per cent in silver. It is situated on a decided quarter section of land, off the Indian reservation, owned by A. Anderson. The lode is about 100 feet wide from the surface to the vein, supposed to be a continuation of the rich silver lode of the Young American. Pay ore can be obtained in large quantities from the grass roots, and there is every convenience for working it."

THE TRAIL SMELTER.

New Improvements Rushed to Completion—Tons of Ore a Day. Since securing the large contract from the four big mines at Roseland, the smelter people have given out the information that they had a large plant that has been under way for the past few weeks to receive the new machinery that was ordered some time ago and is expected on every boat, as soon as it can be transferred across the break in the Spokane & Northern railway. The blast furnace, one of the most important pieces of machinery, is being able to handle 250 tons daily, and together with other new appliances will increase the capacity of the smelter to 600 tons a day. At present it is running full capacity, the War Eagle ore coming in by the trail road.

Smelter stands upon an elevated plateau, the railroad to the ore bins being in full sight of the town and steamer wharves. The ore bins are on a level with a train load of ore come in, and as it rounded the curve steaming slowly up to the dump, it was pointed out to a party of business men by the smelter superintendent. Their astonishment was great, but their opinions of the country were not so favorable. The smelter has been shut in its busy little office in some New England town, and from whom an opinion on the country can be had. The smelter is planned around the deck of the Nakusp predicting all manner of great things in the future, pointing out the development to show that the most sanguine were astonished at the enthusiasm of the party. They are headed for Roseland to inspect and possibly invest in mining property.

MONEY CREEK MINES.

Packing Ore on Horses to the Railway. Good Smelter Returns. While the saying out and construction of the wagon road is creating a great deal of interest in the Miller River mining district, the operations on Money Creek are progressing rapidly. The development work being done on the Pomeroy group of mines is being prosecuted with vigor, and the claims are showing up well. The largest force of men and mules employed at the Apex, Milwaukee group, situated on Apex creek, a tributary of Money creek, is now at work on the trail road, six miles from the Great Northern railway. The group was located in 1882 by the party who still own and control it, and was the first in the district to be opened up and operated on a paying basis. From the first the capital stock of the owners has consisted simply of muscle and a determination to succeed.

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SQUAW CREEK MINES.

The Highland Light Owners Let a Contract—A Bright Outlook. J. W. Guye, of Methow, has been spending a few days in the city. For two or three years past Mr. Guye has been prospecting for himself and the partners in the Squaw Creek district, on the north shore of the river. He has located a number of promising claims and is interested with Dr. J. C. Crichton of this city, in the well-known Nip and Tuck group of claims. Mr. Guye says there has never before been so much genuine activity in the camp as exists there this season. Every claim that has good mineral showings is being closely watched in its workings, and many claims have been sold, and purchasers are now arranging to develop them. Good miners in the camp are scarce, and ready hands are being sought. The Highland Light shaft to the depth of 150 feet by the middle of October next, and begins work at once on his return to camp this week.

Much improvement has been made in the roads this season, and the Hidden Treasure and Highland Light owners have built a very good wagon road to their shafts. Mr. Guye is a practical miner and contractor, and has personal knowledge of the other mineral districts in Washington, and predicts that the Squaw Creek district will yet be the best shipping camp in the state, and that as soon as its mines are down deeper in its development work, it will rival Trail creek in gold production.

A NEW SMELTING PROCESS.

Fifty of Them Already Wanted in Western Mining Camps. Subscriptions for a limited number of shares of stock of the Hydro Smelting and Refining Company, just organized under the laws of the state of Washington, with a capital stock of 10,000 shares at \$100 each, for the purpose of reducing iron and all precious minerals by a new patent process, and at a very limited cost of reduction, are now being received. The above company was formed for the purpose of demonstrating by their new process of making iron direct from the ore, and smelting all precious minerals, no matter how rebellious the ore may be, without roasting or fluxing, for less than a dollar per ton. They have at the present time orders for over fifty smelting and refining furnaces for different parts of the West, for immediate construction. The patents have arranged with the Lake View Rolling Mills Company, out nine miles from Tacoma, to erect his plant on their premises in order to show capitalists, miners and mine owners and the public generally the merit of this wonderful invention. Only 500 shares of the company's stock will be sold at the present, and in order to erect this plant without further delay the first 200 shares will be sold at \$5 per share, and the second 200 at \$10 per share. Make application early, as the above prices will not be maintained. This is the most wonderful invention of the age. For further information apply to W. W. Radcliffe, basement International Life Building, Yesler avenue and Front street.

Local Mining Stocks as Reported by the Seattle Mining Exchange.

Chas. W. Frazer, 25; Columbia, 25; Carl-hoo, 25; Como, 4; Evening Star, 18; Grand Prize, 5; Iron Mask, 90; Jumbo, 10; Josta, 61; Little Darling, 5; Lily May, 12; Monte Carlo, 25; Monument, 25; O. K., 25; Poor man, 12; Palo Alto, 9; Phoenix, 9; St. Elmo, 15; Silverine, 12; Virginia, 30; War Eagle, 170; White Bear, 15; Great West, 35.

SILVER, PAPER AND GOLD.

A Portland Man's Great Scheme for a Currency. There are more ways of dodging the free silver issue than one, and Louis E. Bunker, a prominent wholesale merchant of Portland, has evolved a plan which he thinks would be a happy solution of the financial problem now to all parties. He would have the government retire all greenbacks of lower denomination than \$5, leaving nothing but silver for change, and as a consequence increasing its value.

"All would be only too glad to take silver then," he said last night, "for it would have the same purchasing power as less than \$5. If a man bought \$9 worth of goods he would have to make up \$4 of the amount in silver. The merchant who made sales for \$1 and \$2 and \$3 with a \$5 gold piece or greenback would have to have the change in silver. This would soon put the silver market in a better position than this plan outlined before me heard anyone advocate it. It seems to me that, while simple, would most effectively solve the present difficulty."

Ballard Social News.

On Sunday the Woodmen of the World, their wives, daughters and friends, enjoyed a day's outing. In the morning they started for Port Madison, but the boat became fast on the bar, and the party disembarked at Magnolia bluffs, where they spent part of the day in an enjoyable manner, waiting until the tide flowed and successfully made to Port Madison and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church spent a delightful afternoon Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. John T. Scott, at Crawford street. During the afternoon delicious refreshments were served. Those present

ON LEVEL PRAIRIES.

The Seattle Cross-Country Bikers in the Dakotas.

1,500 MILES OF ROUGH RIDING. A Pleasant Trip Through the Bad Lands—Photographing a Snake—At Bismarck.

The Washington wheelman, Prof. Babcock, of this city, and Prof. Turner, of Port Townsend, have reached Bismarck, N. D., on their ride to Boston. Prof. Babcock is particularly interesting story of his experiences in Montana, and through the Bad Lands of North Dakota.

The letter dated at Bismarck, July 15, follows: Wheeling through Montana is pleasant in many respects, but we are not at all sorry to be well over in North Dakota. Eastern Montana is now associated in our minds with sand, prickly pears, cow trails and sage brush. None of them are particularly dear to us, and when we struck the smooth roads over the rolling surface of Dakota we expressed satisfaction. The alkali water is our chief objection to this state.

From Livingston we ran out late one afternoon about twelve miles on our way to Billings to be able to make it possible to make Billings the next day. There was one consideration, aside from that of time, which caused us to desire to reach Billings, a wonderful view of the country we were in, rather than empty miles, and I had helped to flatten Mr. Turner's, so that our available cash would barely take us a few days. There was a chance we were in waiting. Riding through a strange part of the country with a punctured tire is an unenviable experience, for a rubber patch where the tire is punctured circumstances account for the longest day's ride we have yet made, 112 miles, but we were not to be deterred. We were on the day's ride and as a result we took a day of rest. The day was intensely hot, in fact the mercury stands very high in the estimation of the country, and the stone valley during the summer months, and this particular day it registered over 100 degrees on two or three more or less reliable thermometers and had the car.

We did some very pleasant coasting during the day, and at one time Mr. Turner had an experience which he hopes not to repeat. We were coming down a very long, crooked hill, Turner a few rods ahead. At the bottom the road takes a sharp turn, and I found myself in a moment with my wheel under control, I saw the front part of my partner's machine sticking out between two large rocks, and his head and shoulders were protruding from behind the larger of the boulders. He had the surprised look of a person suddenly awakened from sleep, and after ascertaining that neither he nor the machine were injured we both had a hearty laugh at the movements which he had executed.

Our long hard riding is rapidly over and our machines will probably not be put to any more tests, but we are beginning to feel an affection for our noisome steeds. We had been riding in company of over 1,500 miles of rough riding. From Billings we followed the south coast of the river, being obliged to wind in and out among the hills for many miles. At a little section house we stopped for the night, and slept not at all finding it better than many of the roads, and the mosquitoes came from the river in swarms and literally drove us out of doors, where we made amuse of green sage brush and avoided the mosquitoes. Where we stopped for supper the people used water from melted ice for washing as well as drinking. The ranchers along the lower Yellowstone valley are not so easy to haul ice in the winter, when there is but little ice to do, than to secure good water during the hot summer months.

That night about five we stopped at a little cabin and were told by two English boys who owned the place that we could stay if we would make it by their bachelor quarters. The offer was accepted and they even forced upon us their coats while they made beds for themselves on the floor. The mosquitoes were not to be feared, but we were in condition to more fully appreciate their generosity; the mosquitoes made a fuss on the outside of the room, but we were not to be deterred. The breakfast was fine and we shall remember those boys a long time for their hospitality and entertainment, but because they were pet gentlemen. They had each served three years in the U. S. regular army, but they were not to be deterred by a moment and "full of strange oaths," and we did not hear an ungentlemanly expression from either.

The next night we had another section house experience. Just east of Miles city darkness overtook us, and at the nearest section house we were obliged to stop. Mosquitoes while negotiating a latrine and breakfast. We found a room with a screen to the window and went to bed, but soon they were making a noise as if they were not the only pest. Certain simple crawling over our feet frames caused us to strike a light to investigate. Filth, sticks and all were scattered about, and we met two. The first encounter was an unpleasant one for me. It was before we took to the railroad, and in many places the wheel tracks were cut very deeply into the ground. The result was a tumble now and then, and on one such occasion, after picking myself up a moment or two from my fall, I wiped my face and concluded to get a lemon from the pack—snapped and then Turner went at the snake's mouth box we went on ready to snap at their mouths.

This was to be our hard day's work, but we had been told that we could follow the wagon road twenty miles farther, and at the end of that distance we were obliged to take to the track for fifteen miles through a most desolate country. Filth, sticks and all were scattered about, and we met two. The first encounter was an unpleasant one for me. It was before we took to the railroad, and in many places the wheel tracks were cut very deeply into the ground. The result was a tumble now and then, and on one such occasion, after picking myself up a moment or two from my fall, I wiped my face and concluded to get a lemon from the pack—snapped and then Turner went at the snake's mouth box we went on ready to snap at their mouths.

Now that summer is here, there is no reason for any longer postponing that Eastern trip. Everything is in your favor. Rates are low—weather is pleasant—our service is better than ever. Maps, time tables and full information about the "best" way to reach Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago on application to the nearest Rock Island agent, or to Charles H. Peck, our Pacific Sound Agent, corner Yesler avenue and Front street.

Free Transportation.

General Western Passenger Agent R. C. Stevens of the Great Northern has taken much interest in the proposed Washington exhibit at the approaching Minnesota fair, and has arranged for the General Passenger Agent P. J. Whitney at St. Paul, yesterday received a telegram from that official stating that the road would be willing to grant free transportation in both directions to all agricultural, mineral and forest products from Washington for the fair, with the understanding that there are to be no car loads of lumber or other heavy commodities.

The Argentine Fund.

Subscriptions to the Argentine fund still continue to come in, and yesterday the total was 71 cents, following is the statement to date: Previously reported \$125.00 Helen Vilas \$25.00 Charles Grove Fair \$10.00 Edith Marling \$10.00 Total \$170.00

Y. M. C. A. Men's Rally.

The regular 4 o'clock rally of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at its rooms, 1011 First avenue, tomorrow at 4 o'clock. Rev. Clark Davis, the first general secretary of the association, will address the meeting. C. C. Swift, of Kalama, Mich., the newly employed secretary, is extended to all the men of the city to meet at the headquarters of the association and get acquainted with Mr. Swift.

Homebred Entries Canceled.

The following homebred entries have been canceled by orders from the general land office, affirming previous decisions, and are held open for entry by any qualified applicant: John Vinoy, for the south half of the northeast quarter of section 23, township 23 north, range 6 east; Luther S. Scott, for the southeast quarter of section 23, township 23 north, range 6 east; H. H. Peck, for the south half of the southeast quarter and the south half of

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