

THE CAMP OF PROMISE

Phoenix and its Solid Foundation of Mining Interests.

Great Ore Bodies that Only Need Efficient Working.

Phoenix, June 17.—(Special.)—That is the camp of great expectations, of big ore bodies, of high altitude, and, unless the unexpected happens, is certain of a future of great prominence.

SELF-FLUXING ORE. A well-known metallurgical chemist in speaking of the ore of the camp said to your correspondent: "If the most expert chemist sat down and made up a formula of gangue and minerals with the special view to preparing a composition which would smelt easily he could not have put anything together that would do this more readily than the ore of this camp.

LARGE FORCES NECESSARY. With such large ore bodies and the necessity for extracting a large tonnage in order to produce respectable dividends it will be necessary to employ large numbers of miners and men.

PROSPECTIVE INCREASE. The Dominion Copper company, which is operating the Brooklyn, Stenwinder, etc., intend to add about 200 men as soon as the company erects a smelter, which it is claimed, will be done some time this year.

OVER \$30,000 WORTH. Of lots in this new addition were disposed of at from \$800 to \$1,000 each within a few days after the sale opened.

Phoenix is a well-built city, although there is quite an area between upper and lower town that has not yet been constructed on to any great extent.

pioneer days. There is activity in building and in business, and the streets are crowded with people seeking work, investments or business openings.

THE PRINCIPAL PROPERTIES are the Knob Hill, Old Ironsides and Victoria. They are in the lead because the most work has been done upon them.

THE SNOWSHOE GROUP of four claims, located about an eighth of a mile from the city limits of Phoenix, is a valuable property.

ONE OF THE IMPORTANT groups of the camp is owned by the Dominion Copper company. The group is made up of the Brooklyn, Stenwinder, Idaho, and Rawhide.

THE BROOKLYN has been developed by a shaft which has reached a depth of 350 feet, where a crosscut has been started and is now in for 40 feet.

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systematic and miner-like manner. There are a number of other promising properties in the camp which have not yet been developed to any great extent.

FORMER ROSSLAND RESIDENTS among its enterprising citizens, and so the visitor from Rossland feels at home as soon as he arrives here.

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FISHERMEN AND CANNERS UNABLE TO REACH A SETTLEMENT.

A JAPANESE AWARDED DAMAGES FOR WRONGFUL EXCLUSION.

Vancouver, June 17.—(Special.)—The fishermen and the cannery held another final conference this afternoon on the subject of rates for the season.

The Japanese Okita was this afternoon awarded a hundred dollars damages and costs in his suit against Immigration Inspector Peter McAllister.

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CROW'S NEST SOUTHERN. Agreement Signed by the Company and the Government.

Victoria, June 19.—The Crow's Nest Southern Railway company have signed an agreement with the provincial government to build under the terms of the act passed at the last session of the legislature the section of railway in British Columbia of the line which is to connect the Crow's Nest coal mines with the Great Northern railway at Jennings, Montana.

GRAND FORKS CELEBRATION.

Some Changes Made—Searchers After Oil Fields.

Grand Forks, June 15.—(Special.)—During the week ended today the Grand Forks smelter treated 4,375 tons of ore.

The board of trade met tonight for the purpose of making arrangements for entertaining the members of the Spokane chamber of commerce on the occasion of their annual excursion here during the two-days celebration on July 1st and 2nd.

PRINCETON DISTRICT

DEVELOPMENT OF CLAIMS PROCEEDING IN THE NICOLA COUNTRY.

PRINCETON PREPARING FOR A CELEBRATION OF DOMINION DAY.

Princeton, June 17.—(Special.)—Ten-Mile creek in the Nicola district promises to be one of the most lively camps this season.

The Nicola claim, under bond to the Lowry Syndicate for \$10,000, is also undergoing development. A contract has been let to continue the sinking of the shaft, now down a depth of 33 feet.

Canada's Natal day will be celebrated here July 1st and 2nd in genuine old-fashioned style, with cowboys, prospectors, Klottchmen's and other horse races.

Walter Cook, ex-trooper of the Strathcona Horse, a brother of Mrs. George Aldous of the Hotel Tulameen, has returned home looking none the worse for his experiences and hardships in the South African campaign.

MINE COMPLICATIONS.

Dispute Over a Piece of Ground on German Mountain.

Kaslo, June 19.—The Valparaiso Mining company, operating on German mountain, has by some one's carelessness become entangled in a dispute with the Imperial Mines, limited, over the ownership of a very valuable piece of ground.

The Valparaiso company bought the Franklin claim, but neglected to attend to the assessment work for the current year.

FEW SHARES SOLD

THE LOCAL STOCK MARKET SHOWS LITTLE SIGN OF ACTIVITY.

MOST STOCKS FIRM, WITH SMALL CHANGES IN QUOTATIONS.

The dulness that pervaded the local share market during the past week is well indicated by the total of the transactions. These amounted to 77,375 in all, or just about 50,000 less than the previous week's business.

Table showing stock market activity with columns for Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and total sales.

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including American Boy, Athlete, B. & C. Gold Fields, Big Three, Black Tail, etc.

THURSDAY'S SALES.

Rambler-Cariboo, 1000 at 30 1-2c; Black Tail, 1000 at 30c; American Boy, 2000 at 30c; War Eagle, 1000 at 21 1-2c; Centre Star, 2000 at 40 1-2c; 1000 at 41c; Total, 7000. Call—Homestake, 400 at 15 1-2c and 1 1-2c down.

FRIDAY'S SALES.

Homestake, 1125, 1000, 13 1-4c; 1000, 13 3-4c; Centre Star, 500, 40 1-2c; 500, 300, 41c; Iron Mask, 150, 20c; Rambler-Cariboo, 1000, 30c; 1000, 500, 30 1-2c; Giant, 1000, 3c; 1000, 31-4c. Total 12,125.

SATURDAY'S SALES.

Homestake, 2000, 13 1-4c; 5000, 13 3-4c; Centre Star, 1000, 40 1-2c; Black Tail, 2000, 1000, 30c; Rambler-Cariboo, 1000, 30 1-2c; 2000, 30c. Total 15,000.

MONDAY'S SALES.

Winnipeg, 2500 at 2c, 2500 at 2 1-2c; Centre Star, 1000 at 40 1-2c; Rambler-Cariboo, 1000 at 30 1-2c, 1000 at 30 1-2c; Homestake, 1000 at 14c; Morning Glory, 5000 at 3 1-2c; Giant, 2000 at 2 7-8c, 2000 at 3 1-4c. Total, 18,000.

TUESDAY'S SALES.

Centre Star, 500, 30c; Homestake, 1000, 13 3-4c; Giant, 2000, 3c; American Boy, 2000 8c; Princess Maund, 2000, 13 3-4c; Winnipeg, 1750, 2c. Total, 10,250.

WEDNESDAY'S SALES.

Winnipeg, 1000, 1000, 2 1-4c; 2000, 2 1-2c; Rambler-Cariboo, 1000, 31c; 1000, 30 3-4c; omitted yesterday, 500, 31c; Giant, 3000, 3c; Homestake, 2500, 13 1-2c; American Boy, 2000, 7 3-4c; Black Tail, 1000, 8 3-4c. Total 15,000.

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