## **REPORT OF H. E. COVER**

a well and favorably known Mining Expert, formerly of Colorado and Arizona, but now a resident of Rossland, B.C., on

THE SILVER BELL GROUP OF MINES.

## LOCATION.

This group consists of three claims situated on the west slope of Deer Park Mountain, about two and one-quarter miles south of the town of Rossland, in the Trail Creek District, of the West Kootenay Division. B. C., and about eight miles from the smelter at Trail, about one-half mile west of the Red Mountain R.R.

## DESCRIPTION.

These claims are known as the "Lone Jack," "Nancy Lee" and "Silver Bell Fraction." They are all located under the Act of 1803.

By reference to the accompanying map it will be seen that the "Nancy Lee" adjoins the "Lone Jack" on the west, and the "Silver Bell" Fraction adjoins the "Lone Jack" on the north and east. The claims are all adjoining and make a compact group, comprising about ninety acres.

## FORMATION.

The formation is a syenite and diorite, with porphyry dykes cutting it from north to south, the general characteristics being the same as Red Mountain in the vicinity of the large mines of the District, excepting that the iron capping is not as heavy here as on the latter mountain.