OLOGICAL SURVEY WORK IN INTERIOR

Brock Returns to Grand orks After Visit to the Franklin Camp.

PARING A TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP

ares Outlook For Large Mineral Development Very Satisfactory.

nd Forks, Aug. 21.-(Special.)-V. Brock of the geological survey st returned to this city after a to Franklin camp up the North of the Kettle river. Mr. Brock and Boundary countries having much vatuable work here during ast few years, and being engaged at the important task of getting ials for a comprehensive geological opographical map of the Rossland At a guess one would put his t about 38. One has to say a for, though Li Hung Chang's faquery was put to the visitor, he negly refused to respond on the age on. With a well knit figure, tall, rith a quiet but pleasant manner, srook is a favorite wherever he A man who inspires confidence in and has confidence in himself, tactly the type fitted for the work important department with which much valuable work here during

d as to the outcropping of mag-con which occurs, in yearlons por-t the camp, notably on the Glou-group and on the McKinley. Mr. thought it, likely that they would depth. "Of course," he said, and to tell from what little one as to the way they lie. They

ummary report very much ear-year, perhaps before winter, possible that any notes of this kind can be issued in the form which the press is re-om time to time from the geo-

sor Brock is emphatic as to the delaying development in these ps by prohibitory prices asked

rospector.

e a warm side for the prospecsaid, "knowing well that he
ioneer. But in Franklin and
amps the conditions are such
rge amount of time and money
ed to really show whether a
sts or not, and my own feelit if a prospector wants a great
for his claim he should be pregive favorable terms, terms
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e up what it contains. Of
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he wants cash then he should it to 'fake a 'smaller figure. I has to be run and the prosust share that risk if a coundevelop at all." ock has been engaged now for mers at the work in Rossland close it this fall. A detailed hical map of the camp will be W. H. Boyd of the survey. Dr. ill mark the surface distribute rocks, and Mr. Brock himtudying the lodes and underseology. There are some fifty underground workings in the sology. There are some fifty underground workings in the some idea of the difficulty of is obtained when one realizes y building, every dump, every c., will be indicated. The topoc., will be indicated. The topo-features will be shown by con-with 20 foot intervals. The he developed area will be on oot scale. It is the most thor-orked out thing of the kind ever by the geological survey and etion will be awaited with ex-

nterest. stremely difficult in one way" Brock, "for the whole camp rlaid with drift that the geo-oblems are particularly, com-Take it all around, however, e shall have a clear and fair-thensive presentation of both al and special features."

TRANDED MANCHURIA.

u. Aug. 23.—The stranded fanchuria is lying easy in a th sea. She unquestionably aved if the present weather until preparations are computed for the computer off. Owing to favoritions another effort to tow leep water will probably be orrow. The revenue cutter is now standing by the steamer, with lines on board, attempting to tow her off.

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Paris, if need be. I shall leave no stone unturned."

M. Etienne still pensively regarded the chest.

"If you leave no key unturned, it will be more to the purpose."

"You appear yet to nurse the belief that I have the packet. But as a matter of fact, monsieur, I have not."

I studied his grave face, and could not for the life of me make out whether he were lying. M. Etienne you whether he were lying. M. Etienne will be fired, drawers from cabaret. I paused to scan the throng, jostled by one and another, before I descried my master and my knave. M. Etienne, the prompter at the rendezvous, had, like a philosopher, ordered dinner, but he had deserted it now and stood with Peyrot, their backs to the company, their elbows on the deep window-ledge, their heads close together. I came up suddenly to Peyrot's side, making him jump.

"Oh it's you my little government."

