

MINES AND MINING

Progress at Camp Fairview—The Tin Horn Showing Up Remarkably Well.

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Slocan City, Aug. 11.—Dr. W. McGregor, trustee for the Lemon creek townsite, says that, within a month there will be a good trail up Lemon creek from Slocan river to the new townsite. Mr. Bascam has decided on a site for the saw mill, and before very long the hum of the mill will break the silence of Lemon creek.

Mr. McGregor has been looking over the Black Prince group, with a view of bonding it for a Chicago syndicate. It will be remembered a short time ago J. D. Wallace visited Slocan City, and during his stay much of his time was spent with Mr. McGregor discussing various propositions. Mr. Wallace represented the syndicate. An expert from Chicago will be sent here to make a thorough investigation of the Black Prince group shortly. If the bond goes through there is no fear of the syndicate being disappointed with their property.

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There has been a great deal of talk lately about the Cameronian. It is situated on the second north fork of Lemon creek, about a mile and a half up. It is owned by an incorporated company. The shares sold recently at 15 cents. This is the best price yet for the property. It will be good news to the holders of stock to know that the Cameronian has 100 tons of pay ore on the dump. The trail up Lemon creek will be the means of the Cameron