

WON TWO STRAIGHT

Sunday's Game Went to the Home Team by a Score of 16 to 3.

VISITORS WERE RATTLED

In the Fifth and Sixth Innings Rossland Fled Up Fourteen Runs—First Three and Last Two Were Errors on Both Sides.

Sunday afternoon 600 spectators crowded the grand stand and bleachers at the Black Bear athletic grounds to witness McCallum's leaguers defeat Borchers' tyrlers by a score of 16 to 3.

It was Rossland's turn to win, and they did, by playing National league ball throughout, and hitting Borchers unmercifully in the fifth and sixth innings. Baker who pitched for the home team proved a puzzle to the Kaslo boys, who tried hard to redeem themselves for Saturday's defeat, but the hoodoo was on them this trip.

Al Gibson, Spokane's old reliable first baseman, proved a tower of strength to the home team and played his old time game. Marshall and Arneson were again the favorites and played pretty ball, doing yeoman work at the bat and each scoring three runs. The out-field had their eyes open and covered their territory well, but few balls went to them.

For the Kaslo's Rankin, Davey and Drenner showed up well. "Tribby" seemed to cover the whole field, and made six beautiful catches in the centre field. Pitcher Borchers lacked speed, and was replaced in the box by Green in the seventh, who prevented the home team from swelling their score very materially.

The Official Score.

Table with columns: Team, AB, R, H, SH, PO, A, E. Rows for Rossland and Kaslo.

Table with columns: Player, AB, R, H, SH, PO, A, E. Rows for various players like Arneson, Caverly, Marshall, etc.

Both teams played good ball, as the following official score will show: Rossland AB R H SH PO A E...

The delay in starting the game was owing to the fact that Kaslo protested against Smith for umpire and wanted to wait for Ballinger of the Trails to arrive, but not being notified in time he found it impossible to act. Kaslo then had the choice for umpire and requested D. A. Binnard to act, Manager McCallum agreeing to the selection.

Umpire Binnard had a difficult and thankless duty to perform, and had to make two questionable decisions to make both of which were decided in the home team's favor. This caused the Kaslos to register a kick at the time, and a little bitter feeling was shown, which was afterwards set right.

Kaslo Boys' Records.

The official score for Saturday's game was incorrect in a few details and does some injustice to the Kaslo players. The column of base hits has been corrected as follows: Davey, 2; Rankin, 0; Green, 4; Clarke, 2; Borchers, 2; Drenner, 4; Coffman, 2; Bidwell, 0; Nash, 0. This makes a total of 16 against 11 as first reported.

SPOKANE DEFEATED.

Kaslo Gave the Washington Team Its First Beating Last Tuesday. SPOKANE, Wash., June 8.—[Special.]—The Spokane team went down to their first defeat today at the hands of the Kaslo team, the visitors winning after the most interesting game of the season by a score of 16 to 3.

Kaslo bunched their hits in the first three innings, gaining a good safe lead. In the eighth inning Spokane began to gauge Coffman's delivery, and before it was over five hits had been made, netting seven runs. Manager Borchers' play for time in this inning to give Coffman a rest, saved the game for the visitors, as he was about knocked out of the box, while Spokane had bases full with only two men out. A strike out retired the side, and this was the last time the locals scored. Spokane was credited with seven errors, all of them costly. Kaslo had five. Coffman and Davie were in points for Kaslo, and Bush and Connors for Spokane.

The score by innings was as follows: Spokane..... 0 1 3 0 0 1 7 0-15 Kaslo..... 3 1 5 0 3 1 2 0-3

KASLO WON AGAIN.

Excepting One Inning Yesterday's Game Was About Errorless. SPOKANE, Wash., June 9.—[Special.]—Kaslo again defeated the Spokane team today in one of the best games ever played at the local park, and that is saying a great deal. For six innings the game was a pitchers' battle, and was played without an error on either side with only a total of six hits made.

At that time the score was three to nothing in favor of Spokane. In the seventh Coffman came to bat and made a double bagger. Three infield errors in rapid succession followed by a three base hit by Green and a two bagger by Borchers realized a total of five runs for the visitors and won them the game. After the third innings the Spokane players were retired in one, two, three order for four innings, and only two men reached first in the remaining two innings. Borchers pitched in his oldtime form,

and was supported without an error. Only five scattering hits were made off his delivery. Murdock also pitched winning ball for Spokane, and but for the errors in the seventh, one of which he made himself, the game would have resulted in a shutout for Kaslo. He was found for several hits, three of which were made in the fatal seventh. A crowd of fully 600 people shouted themselves hoarse over the game.

Table with columns: Team, Played, Won, Lost, Per Cent. Rows for Spokane, Kaslo, Rossland.

Telephone Line to Spokane. The telephone line between Spokane and Rossland opened at 1:30 yesterday afternoon, when through connection between the two cities was made. Conversation was carried on over the wire last evening. The line will be open for the use of the public Monday next.

MINES NEAR GREENWOOD

Valuable Blind Lead Found on the Golden Crown.

Progress of Work on the Best Known Properties—No. 7 Estimated to Have \$850,000 in Sight.

ANACONDA, June 3.—[Special.]—Gradually the Boundary creek camps are settling down to the season's work. Conspicuous among the companies doing good work are the Brandon and Golden Crown Mining company, of Rossland; the Prospecting Syndicate of British Columbia, of Vancouver, and the Boundary Mines company, of New York. The Brandon and Golden Crown company is meeting with success on its Golden Crown claim in Wellington camp. With four known leads to prospect for, when it commenced operations last month its future appeared promising enough. But now it seems brighter, for a valuable blind lead has been discovered, a surface crosscut disclosing the presence of a big body of good grade ore.

The tunnel now being run to cut the four other leads is fast approaching the 400-foot mark. It is still in country rock, but the first of the leads will soon be met with. The property is much in favor in the district, and it is confidently anticipated that it will come up to the most sanguine expectations.

Leslie Hill's Company.

The Prospecting Syndicate of British Columbia is developing the Jewel and Denoro Grande claims in Long Lake camp, but in the temporary absence of the manager, Mr. Leslie Hill, C. E., authentic information as to results is not just now obtainable. It is understood, though, that the drifts at the 120-foot level are yielding pay ore in satisfactory quantities.

The same company is prospecting the Crown Point group, on James' creek, about seven miles below the junction of Rock creek with the main Kettle river. Assessment work has been completed on No. 2 and No. 3 claims, and a 50-foot shaft is being sunk in a big body of ore occurring on the Crown Point claim. This shaft is now down about 25 feet, and it is reported that the ore, already returning high values nearer the surface, is improving with depth.

No. 7 and Mother Lode. The gratifying intelligence was received a day or two ago that ore had been met with in the upper workings of the No. 7 in Central camp. This mine and the Mother Lode in Deadwood camp are properties which have been steadily and effectively worked by the Boundary Mines company, of New York, right along since last summer, excepting that latterly there has been a temporary suspension on the Mother Lode pending a decision as to future operations.

The No. 7 was bonded by Col. John Weir, of New York, in May, 1896, and it was afterwards transferred to the above-mentioned company, which is organized for the purpose of mining in this province. The company has spent \$3,000 in development work on the No. 7, and the bond and attendant expenses called for \$13,800, the final instalment (4,000) of which will shortly become payable, and will without doubt, be paid. The main shaft on the No. 7 is 339 feet deep, and at that depth about 450 feet of drifting and crosscutting has been done, with the result that the ore body has been proved to average about 2 feet 3 inches in width at the lowest level yet opened. On the surface the ledge has been stripped at intervals for 700 feet.

A conservative estimate, carefully made and based upon an average of a great many assays and of the width of the lode as disclosed by extensive drifting at the 139-foot level, places the value of the ore contained within the 700 feet already substantially developed at \$850,000. This week's discovery may lead to a material increase being made in this estimate, which now embraces only the 700 feet, a break in the ore chute having occurred at that distance along the ledge. Should the new find, which was made in a crosscut from the bottom of a 40 foot shaft, prove the presence of similar ore to that known to occur below the break, the value of the mine will be greatly enhanced. Developments are now being awaited with much interest.

Operations were resumed at the Mother Lode last week, two 10-hour shifts having been put on to sink a winze from the floor of the main tunnel in the big body of ore that exists there.

The Golconda Group. Last month J. C. Haas, M. E., who owns a group of three claims situate in the Smith's camp, commenced work on the Golconda, after which claim the group is named. The ledge was first stripped for a distance of more than 300 feet. A shaft was then sunk, all in ledge matter, with some good ore down to about 25 feet. Thereafter for 20 feet no values were met with, but now pay ore is coming in again, and water is becoming troublesome.

At about 200 feet north of this shaft an open cut across the ledge gave ore which assayed up to \$35.13 in gold here, and at 10 feet in depth the pay ore which is arsenical and copper pyrites had widened to three feet. The water came in so strong from the vein at that depth that no heading could be made with only a windlass and bucket for

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Calumet and Hecla's Dividends.

Boston, Mass., June 9.—The directors of the Calumet and Hecla Mining company have declared an extra dividend of \$5 per share and made the same payable, July 7, to the stockholders on record June 11. The last previous dividend was \$5 and was paid April 23. The total payments thus far this calendar year have been \$30 per share as against \$25 for the corresponding period last year. The two declarations call for \$1,000,000 and bring the company's aggregate dividend disbursements up to \$49,850,000.

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