

RAPID PROGRESS.

Enterprise of the Richfield Mining Company
Growing in Importance.

All those interested in the success of the Richfield Mining Company Limited, have received with much gratification the information that recent expert reports on the nature of the Richfield ore have again demonstrated the fact that its gold contents can be extracted by the simplest and best known methods of mining and milling. As a consequence the stock has been strengthened and it is expected that at an early date an increased price will be demanded for what remains to be marketed for operating purposes.

The Richfield Company has been careful to proceed with its plans in a manner that ensured economy while the work of establishing the extent of its deposits and proving the value of its ore was in progress. Among the measures adopted to prove that the ore was of superior quality was the one of obtaining the opinion of men experienced in handling similar deposits and their product in Ontario, where mines yielding arsenical ore have been in successful operation for several years. The Richfield ore was immediately pronounced to be richer than that obtained in the great mining district of Hastings County, Ontario, an engineer who had operated in that section for a long time declaring that the Richfield Company must possess some deposits of abnormally high grade. An amalgamation test, made for the purpose of showing that the larger part of the gold could be saved in this manner before putting the ore through the cyanide process, has just been completed at Madoc, Ontario, and was so successful that it showed that a larger percentage of gold could be taken from the Richfield ore than is obtained in Ontario. At the mines in Hastings County the average amount of gold obtained by amalgamation is sixty per cent. The expert by whom the Richfield ore was tested reports that sixty-five per cent. or more of the gold should be obtained by this method and that most of the remainder could be saved by the cyanide process. Engineers had already reported that the entire product of the Richfield mines could be successfully treated by the cyanide process, but the fact that it can also be handled to advantage by amalgamation and concentration helps to simplify the Richfield proposition and ensures economical methods of milling.

In a letter just addressed by the Managing Director to the shareholders of the Richfield Company, he says:

We believe there is no Gold Property in America which can show deposits of greater magnitude than those possessed by the Richfield Company, the value of whose ore consists not only of the gold contents, but is vastly increased by the high percentage of arsenic it carries, and also by the copper and silver.

Numerous samples of Richfield ore have from time to time been submitted to engineers and other experts, to determine not only its richness in mineral contents, but also the best methods by which the values could be extracted. What may be regarded as the most valuable testimony on the subject is that obtainable from experts engaged in handling similar ores in Hastings County, Ontario, where arsenical deposits have been mined and their contents successfully treated for several years past.

Mr. C. D. Hardy, expert chemist, of the Belmont Gold Mining Company, Ontario, has just completed an amalgamation test of Richfield ore. The sample tested by him yielded an assay one ounce and twenty-one grains of gold to the ton—a value in round figures of about twenty dollars to the ton.

Reporting on the results of the test Mr. Hardy says: "I got an extraction by amalgamation of 53.10 per cent. and think that in actual practice you should get at least 65 per cent., and most of the remainder by cyaniding. I cannot suggest anything better than your scheme of amalgamation, concentration and bromo-cyanide, except that you try cyanide without the bromide at first. The ore is very good, as you may see by the assay. I would not be surprised if you got an extraction of 75 per cent. by amalgamation, that is of course after a little experimenting."

Mr. W. H. Smith, lately engaged as an expert engineer at Madoc, Ontario, and now identified with the management of the silver Cup and Great Western Mines at Ferguson, British Columbia, says:

"I will vouch that Mr. Hardy's statements are correct. Mr. Hardy has had a large experience in the treatment of arsenical ore. You may take his statement as being perfectly correct and his estimates as being on the low side. His report shows that you can get a nice proportion of gold in the preliminary treatment and also that your ore is a very high grade."

In previous letters Mr. Smith, the engineer referred to above, stated: "If your average run of mine is anything like the sample sent, you have a first-class ore and higher in arsenic than the Hastings, and I see no difficulty in the treatment."

"The last samples received were far ahead of the first, and as the latter were richer than Hastings' best ore you have some abnormally high grade deposits."

The foregoing trustworthy statements, coming as they do from practical men, possessing the exact knowledge that is serviceable to the

Richfield Company, are of the highest value. Not only do they contain additional and forceful proof of the simplicity of the methods by which our ore values can be saved but they demonstrate once more, what had already been demonstrated by many engineers, that the Richfield ore is exceedingly rich.

In view of the splendid prospects of the Richfield Company there must be an early advance on the present price of twenty cents for the stock. The shares are being sold by W. R. Dunn & Co., Bank of Montreal Building, Halifax.

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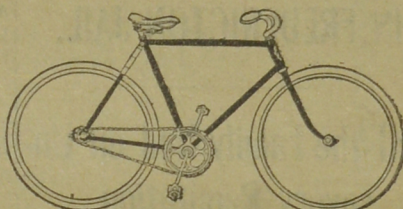
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