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Item 1

PROSPECT AT COLD SPRINGS

Property of the late R. C. Johnston

LOCATION Property is located nine miles north of East Gate, which is 57 miles east of Fallon. Property is in SE Churchill County in Sect. 21, T18N, R. 37 E.

PROPERTY Number of claims is unknown to me as no one was at the mine when I visited it.

HISTORY This property was first worked about 1860 and has been worked intermittently since.

PRODUCTION Small shipment of ore cobbled from pieces of float have been made, Value and tonnage of which is unknown.

DEVELOPMENT Pits and shallow shafts have been dug along a silicified zone at the top of the hill but apparently did not open up any ore.

Three adit tunnels were driven into the hill from the west slope, two of which should have cut the silicified zone if it continued downward but neither did cut it.

Three shafts have been sunk at the base of the hill on the west side, two of which are inaccessible and show no ore on the dumps. The third shaft is near the portal of the south tunnel and is about 60 feet deep, all in aluvium.

GEOLOGY The hill on which these claims are located is made up of andesite with a wide silicified zone bearing N.W. along the west side near the top.

CONCLUSIONS I could find no ore exposed that would warrant even sampling, so no samples were taken.

TIME SPENT ON PROPERTY Sept. 11, 1935.

Submitted, Oct. 17, 1935.

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