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The gas was drawn off from the receiver for use in carbonating a fresh lot of solution. When the calcination was completed, the soda was delivered to a grinding mill, where it was ground and packed for shipment. The finished product was extremely pure anhydrous carbonate.

EAGLEVILLE DISTRICT

Eagleville, also known as the Hot Spring district, is in northeastern Mineral County 11 miles, by road, east of Rawhide. A number of gold-silver deposits in this area have been worked intermittently since the eighties, but only small amounts of shipping ore have been produced. Principal production, from the viewpoint of tonnage, has been barite from the Highland group of claims.

Highland Group

The Highland group of seven unpatented claims is owned by A. Blundell, of Sparks, Nev., and associates. In 1929 and 1930 this property was leased to the American Development Co. of San Francisco, which shipped 9,000 tons of barite to Oakland, Calif. The barite was mined on a royalty basis of \$1 per ton.

Small shipments of gold-silver ore have been mined from veins at the south end of the Highland group.

Development includes three shafts and two tunnels. The deepest shaft is 200 feet. Total workings comprise about 3,500 feet.

The barite occurs in a fissure vein ranging in width from 6 inches to 8 feet. The vein is traceable on the surface for 2,700 feet. The barite is reported to average 96 percent barium sulphate. With favorable market conditions this property can produce a considerable tonnage of barite.

The haul to Fallon, the nearest shipping point, is 50 miles; 32 miles is over macadam highway and 18 miles over fair desert road.

Other Claims

The Rovada Mining Co., owned by Robert Ringling, comprises a group of 12 claims 4 miles south of Rawhide Hot Springs. In 1936 a lessee made four small shipments of gold ore from this property.

At Camp Sunnyside 12 miles northeast of Rawhide Hot Springs is a group of 11 claims owned by Tom Kenyon. Occasional shipments of gold and silver ore have been made from the property by Kenyon.

Mrs. M. R. Wedell of Rawhide Hot Springs owns six scattered claims in this area. Five of the claims have been located for gold and silver and one for molybdenum. All of these claims are in the prospect stage.