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Item 4

Mine Name: South Gold Mining Company

MILS Sequence No.: 3202300292

Location: Sec. 20, T 1 N, R 50 E

County: Nye

Commodity: Silver

Production: About \$5,000, part from placers, has been reported.

U.S.B.M. records indicate that 17 ounces gold and 66 ounces silver were mined from underground working between 1935 and 1942.

Mining District: Eden (Eden Creek, Gold Belt)

<u>Geology</u>: Gold occurs, with little or no silver, in veins and shear zones in rhyolite. Overburden is reported to carry gold values. Assays ranged between \$3 and \$5 per ton (\$35 per ounce gold).

<u>Development</u>: Workings include a 1,000-foot adit caved at the portal, a 500-foot adit, and a 300-foot adit. A 35 ton-per-day mill was built about 1938.

<u>Period of Activity</u>: The property was worked between 1930 and World War II.

References: (1, p. 37) (4, pp. 53-54)

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