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THE **BLUSTER CONSOLIDATED MINES CO.**

JARBIDGE, NEVADA. June, 1st 1913

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J. S. Austin,

Pres., Tonopah Mining Co.,

Fourth St., National Bank,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:-

I noticed a few days ago in an eastern Newspaper that your company, the Tonopah Mining Co., were looking for mining property and having lived in Tonopah for sometime, or rather did live there a few years ago thought I would write you to see if I could interest you in the camp of Jarbridge. I am also acquainted with your Consulting Engineer Mr. J. E. Spurr and was going to write him but did not know his address.

I believe that Jarbridge is one of the coming camps of this State and there are some properties here partially developed that are showing up in good shape and I believe can be got hold very reasonable or at least a controlling interest.

The one in particular that I am writing you about is the Bluster Consolidated Mines Co., ground. They have done considerable work on the property-something like three thousand feet of tunneling and drifting, etc., The property has been pretty thoroughly sampled and the ore averages around fifteen dollars per ton. The values go about four fifth in gold and one fifth silver. The owners claim that there is about fifty thousand ~~in~~ tons of probable ore. The lower tunnel cuts the vein at around three hundred feet in depth and there has been about four hundred feet of drifting done on that level and the ore shows up good on this level. There has been a Winze sunk from this level to a depth of approximately one hundred feet and the bottom of the winze is all in ore that averages better than twenty-



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five dollars per ton. The ore extends clear to the surface as has been proven by a raise and a shaft. The Company owns about two thousand feet on the strike of the vein. The ground is not patented. There is considerable wood in the district- I mean ~~min~~ for mining purposes as well as fuel. There is also sufficient water here to furnish power for mining and milling purposes and the Bluster Company owns the oldest water right in the district from which they can get plenty of power for all purposes. The mountains are quiet high also very steep and a tramway ~~min~~ would have to be built to transport the ore from the mine to a mill.

I believe that this property, or rather a controlling interest can be purchased very reasonable and on reasonable terms. They will give at least thirty days after a man gets here within which to make an examination of the property.

If you, or your Company would care to do anything with this property and will let me know I will do the best I can at this end until such time as you can get an Engineer in here.

If you want any references as to me I would refer you to Cal Brougher of Berkley, Cal., Billy Douglass or Jas. McQUILLAN OF Tonopah or Gov. T. L. & Oddie of Carson City, Nev.,

Trusting that you will consider this property, I remain

Yours very truly,

Geo Winkler

THE TONOPAH MINING COMPANY OF NEVADA

572 BULLITT BUILDING, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY

TONOPAH, NEVADA.

August 17, 1912.

Mr. Donald F. McCarthy,

Jarbidge, Nevada.

Dear Sir:

I have yours of August 14th. The plat which you mention in both your letters has not yet arrived. On receiving it, I will look it over, together with our correspondence and will advise you further. I am leaving Tonopah to-morrow morning and correspondence should be addressed to my Philadelphia office.

Yours very truly,

ORIGINAL SIGNED
J. E. SPURN

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Vice-President.