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Silver Bow - Nye County,

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This property is located at Silver Bow, in the Kawich range about 50 miles southeast from Tonopah. This district was visited by me in March 1914 and a report sent in at that time. A brief examination of the Clifford prospect was made and one sample taken. This sample was taken from the shaft at a depth of 20' across six feet of the best looking quartz and assayed \$0.95 in silver. One or two bunches of good silver sulphide ore were observed on the tunnel level but were not sampled.

Recently this property was brought to the company's attention by Steve Clark of Tonopah who submitted for assay eight samples said to have been taken at three-foot intervals on the tunnel level. These samples assayed from \$25.77 to \$86.61 per ton, except the shaft sample which gave a return of \$2.45 per ton. The average value for all of the samples submitted was \$41.82 per ton.

On the present examination twelve cut samples (25# to 50# each) were taken. Their location and the results obtained are shown on the accompanying map. The average value for the tunnel level using all of the samples is \$4.79 per ton. Omitting the two high samples the average becomes about \$2 per ton. It is evident that Mr. Clark confined his energies to the rich bunches when sampling.

The outcrop sampled by Clark with a result of \$12.89 per ton is located about as shown on the accompanying map. Two samples chipped from various parts of the cropping by me assayed \$3.15 and \$7.65 - and average of about \$5.40 per ton. This cropping is about twenty feet wide and trends toward the Clifford but can be traced for only about fifty feet along the surface. There is a shaft to a depth of about twenty feet and a little drifting or crosscutting. This work is not readily accessible on account of caving and some water in the workings. A general sample of the dump assayed \$1.00 per ton.

The outcrop mentioned on the preceding page is a silicified, rhyolite breccia, carrying fragments of white quartz with silver sulphide around the edges of the fragments and occasionally within the quartz. It is quite similar in appearance to that at the Clifford.

Conclusions

The owner asks \$75000 to \$100,000 cash for the property. Under these terms it is not worth further consideration.