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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON

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item 2

Name and Owner.
H.N. Blair, Tonopah, Nev.

Location and Holdings.
Camp of Ray. Nye Co., Nev. Ruby Silver, Silver King No 1, Silver King No. 2 and Silver King No. 3 claims. Held by location.

Accessibility and Transportation.
10.5 miles north of Tonopah by a fair wagon road. On the same slope of the mountains as Millers, Nev.

Geology.
Formation entirely limestone. Stratification tilted.

Veins or Ore Bodies.
Vein in the Silver King No 1 and No 2 occurs with a N 45°W fault that dips 52 degrees to the northeast. Vein occurrence generally small. Vein filling quartz with very little iron or other minerals present. The dump at the deep shaft on the Silver King No 1 shows signs of the sulphide horizon having been reached.

Samples and Assays.
Three assays were taken to test the value of the vein material with the result that no ore of commercial grade was developed in these old workings.

Development.
The Silver King No 1 is a relocation of the old Judge Ray property and covers a 600ft incline shaft. This shaft follows the fault plane and at intervals has long drifts on the vein. The shaft was inspected to the third level. The Silver King No 2 covers the old Mogul property formerly operated by J.V. Priest. 400ft vertical shaft not accessible.

Present Equipment.
None.

Metallurgy.

Wood, Water and Power.
No wood. No water. Nearest power Tonopah.

Price and Terms.
Not discussed. Would be nominal.

Possibilities.
Can not see any.

Miscellaneous.

Conclusions.
Not recommended.

Date. 10/21/20. Report for T. M. Co.

By

W. H. Blackburn

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"Blair Property
Old Mogul"

10.5 miles north of Tonopah. 2.5 miles north of Frazer's Wells. Fair road, better can easily be built.

Reiby Silver claim has old vertical shaft about 150 ft deep in good condition with several shallower holes following a N-S. vein dipping to west. Lime formation with heavy faulting.

Silver King No 3 joins Reiby Silver on N.E. side & runs to N.W. No important work on this claim.

Silver King No 2 takes in Mogul deep shaft operated by J. V. Priest in early days. Shaft said to be 400 ft.

Silver King No 1 takes in incline shaft said to be 600 ft deep & done Judge Ray in early days. The fault vein in limestone is strongest on this claim. Strike S 45° E pitch 52° to N.E. Several shallow inclines beside the main incline show the vein material persistent.

The fault apparently extends through Silver King Nos 1 & 2. It is very strong & maintains its dip & strike with out much variation. No volcanic (igneous) rock noted, either in place or by float.

Fault cuts across bedding. Formation much oxidized. Though material from Ray incline shows sulphides coming in.

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H.N. Blair Property

Old Ray

#1

An. tr

Ag 0.68

1 1/2 ft - oxidized material both sides of fault. Quartz + quartz sand 50 ft below surface + 100 north of main incline. Opening seems to be a raise from lower level.

#2

An tr

Ag 0.90

2 1/2 ft. - Old material on north end of slope over wing 3rd level.

#3

An. tr

Ag 0.28

3 ft old material, 30 ft north of shaft 1st level.