

# THE SILENT FRIEND

## "The Best Undeveloped Piece of Ground in Rawhide"

So says J. Carlton Bray, the eminent mining engineer, who stands at the head of his profession in Nevada. This opinion is endorsed by every mining man familiar with the district.

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Mine owner and capitalist.

Rawhide, Nev., March 24, '08.  
To the Pacific States Trust Co.,  
Rawhide, Nev.

Gentlemen:  
In compliance with your request of March 20, 1908, I have examined your property, the Silent Friend, Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 lode claims. This, as you know, was not my first introduction to the property, having been on the ground many times since July, 1907.

These claims contain, all told, about 75 acres and are in compact group, about 3000 feet in length by 1200 feet in width. They are now being surveyed for patent, which will definitely determine their area. They lie in the heart of the Rawhide District, about 1500 feet south of the Royal Tiger, Bushwaeker, Wonder King and Jack Pots, and adjoining in the Rawhide Hills, Sheep Trail, Salmon and other noted properties.

The topography of the group is an unbroken side hill, sloping to the southeast at an angle of about 35 degrees. This hill is probably the richest in camp, holding as it does the extremely rich Royal Tiger, Jack Pot, Bushwaeker and Sheep Trail veins, all of which are being energetically developed.

The geology of the Silent Friend group is strikingly similar to that of the proven properties, not only of this district but of the best camps in the State. The country rock is a fine grained white, or cream colored rhyolite, greatly altered and fissured. This alteration is directly due to a dacite dike, which runs the full length of the claim, 3000 feet. This dike, which is about 40 feet wide, can be traced for over a mile running due north and south and dipping to the west. It is so greatly altered and silicified that the original character of the rock is hard to determine. Silicification becomes more complete as the hanging wall is approached, and it is here the important ore bodies occur. Along this West contact (or hanging wall of the dike) there are three well defined veins, all carrying values, the upper or west vein, which is about four feet in width, being the richest.

The similarity of the Silent Friend to the other well-known mines

should be noted here. The formation is identical with that of the famous Mohawk of Goldfield, as is also the occurrence of the ore, the Silent Friend ore, however, carrying a larger proportion of silver. The Montgomery-Shoshone, of Bullfrog, is similar in ore and occurrence; as is al-

for their enormous production. The veins of the Silent Friend are undeniably of the kind and they possess possibilities of large ore bodies not to be expected in the ordinary fissure vein. It must be remembered that ores of this class are formed by the replacement of the rock by the

the assays return was \$41.60 gold, and silver 61.2 making a total of \$75.20 per ton. Enclosed is a table showing the range of values along the vein during my examination.

These assays, while astounding to the average man at first sight, represent the values of the high grade ore only, and are selected from over 30 assays I took when in quest of high values. However, there are two outcropping shoots, which show these high values and they lie over 1000 feet apart. They both show a width of over two feet, and while the ore may not be continuous for this distance, the existence of other shoots is conclusively proven both by the "float" and the placer gold in the washes below the ledge.

The open cut on the west side of the Silent Friend No. 3 has opened the upper vein to good advantage, and I advise pushing the work at this point.

Your plan of leasing alternate blocks is, in my opinion, the best method of development in the immediate future. Your lessees will undoubtedly follow the ore, and their work will show, beyond a doubt, the best method of development work to be permanently pursued, and the royalties accruing will provide funds for this purpose.

In conclusion I feel perfectly safe in saying that YOU HAVE THE BEST UNDEVELOPED PIECE OF GROUND IN THE RAWHIDE DISTRICT. The showings on the Silent Friend group are far better than any other property here has had on the surface, not excepting the Royal Tiger or the Grutt or Balloon Hill properties, and many other claims whose present ore bodies were found only after the most persistent search both above and underground and whose important "finds" were, in a measure, accidental. You have a well defined dike to follow, with well marked ore shoots actually outcropping on the surface.

I believe you will make of the Silent Friend a mine whose production alone will soon attract widespread attention.

Yours respectfully,  
J. CARLTON BRAY,  
Consulting Engineer.

No.	Claim	Gold		Silver		Tot'l Val. Per ton
		Oz. per ton	Value	Oz. per ton	Value	
No. 1.	Silent Fr. No. 2, 20 ft. wide.	.41	8.20	4.2	2.31	10.51
No. 2.	S. F. No. 2, 3 feet	2.08	41.60	61.2	33.66	75.26
No. 3.	S. F. No. 3, 1 foot	1.70	34.00	160.0	88.00	122.00
No. 4.	S. F. No. 3, Picked	10.10	202.00	260.4	528.22	730.20
No. 5.	S. F. No. 3, Picked	19.62	392.40	1903.1	1046.70	1439.10
No. 6.	S. F. No. 3, 4 feet	.26	5.20	19.2	10.56	15.75
No. 7.	S. F. No. 3, Lower Vein	.57	11.40	5.6	3.08	14.48
No. 8.	S. F. No. 3, Lower Vein	1.68	33.60	8.7	4.78	38.38
No. 9.	S. F. No. 3, Taic.	.65	1.00	2.4	1.32	2.32
No. 10.	S. F. No. 3, Rhyolite.	.75	15.00	9.7	5.33	20.33
No. 11.	S. F. No. 3, Cross Vein	2.20	44.00	21.3	11.71	55.71
Average . . . . .		3.58	71.67	286.9	157.79	229.46

so the great Nevada Hills mine of Fairview. The veins of all these mines are of the tertiary period, and have been classed as porphyritic, or porphyry veins by the more noted geologists. Tertiary veins are known to be the most productive in the world, as witness the Comstock lode, the veins of Cripple Creek, Tonopah, Bodie, Pioche, Goldfield, Fairview and many other camps noted

mineralized waters, and hence are not confined to any narrow fissures or channels.

To illustrate this point the actual assay values of the croppings may be taken. On the Silent Friend No. 2 at the south cropping, I took a sample across 20 feet of the dike or the hanging wall side. The returns gave \$5.00 gold and silver, 4 oz. per ton. Also across three feet of quartz

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CAPITAL \$100,000

Rawhide, Nev.  
P. O. Box 26.

J. H. Cradlebaugh,  
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The 88th anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be celebrated in Eugene on April 25, 1908, in the following manner:  
At 7:30 P. M. and Rebekahs at 8:30 P. M. hall to form for parade at 10 A. M. sharp.  
Address by J. M. Williams at 11 A. M. at opera house.  
Basket dinner at 12 m.  
Afternoon session at 2 p. m.

Selection by orchestra.  
Remarks by Past President Ella K. Frazer.  
Vocal solo, Adele McPherson.  
Recitation, Maud Bryan.  
Violin solo, Charlie Croner, accompanied by Eino Hendrichson.  
Solo reading by Mrs. Pook.  
Summary of standing of orders in district, Mrs. Fletcher.  
Solo, Lloyd Stone and Eino Hendrichson.  
Recitation, Eva Walker.  
Solo, Hazel Hoff.  
Dell, Harry Gibson.  
Cry of the public is cordially invited.

PRINCE DE SAGEN  
ALREADY MARRIED  
TO ANNA GOULD

Paris, April 18.—The C' de Paris, which professes to chronicle the doings of the fashionable set at Paris, reports that the marriage of Miss Anna Gould, daughter of the late Count Paul de Camille, and Prince de Sagen, has already taken place, and that the ceremony occurred at a little town on the western border of France, and that when New York Miss Gould informed her family that her wedding was an accom-

plished fact and that "this is why her family so quickly assented."  
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United States Land Office, Roseburg, Or., March 16, '08.  
Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon, on September 6, 1907, applied for the S.W. 1/4 S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 19, Tp. 18 S., R. 6 W., of W. M., and filed in this office a list of school indemnity selections in which it selected said land; and that said list is open to the public for inspection. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selection for any lawful reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office on or before the 8th day of May, 1908.

I hereby designate the Eugene Guard, published at Eugene, Oregon, as the newspaper in which the above notice is to be published.  
BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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