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FRIDAY MINE

Virtue District

Baker Co

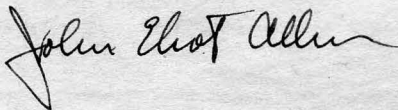
Owners: Birchfield and Peterson, Tacoma, Washington.

Operator: C. W. Hall, Portland, Oregon.

Development: Shaft 225 feet deep on the 90-foot level drifted west 200 feet and east 65 feet. On the 200-foot level drifted west 50 feet and old stope and drift caved on the east. The vein strikes N. 55° W. and dips 55° S. The new operators plan to extend shaft down 60 feet. There is 20 feet of water in the shaft at present which they expect to furnish water for the mill.

CONFIDENTIAL: The equipment being put on this property at the present time consists of antiquated, rebuilt machinery that must be at least 30 years old. I think they will have a tremendous amount of trouble with it if they ever get it going at all.

John Eliot Allen.



Friday Mine

Gold

DEPARTMENTAL RECORDS ON FILE IN

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RECORDS

NAME

OLD NAMES

PRINCIPAL ORE

MINOR MINERALS

10 mi. E Baker

PUBLISHED REFERENCES

T R S

Lindgren 01:725  
Gilluly 37:100  
Ore. Metal Mines Handbook 14A pg-106

Baker ..... COUNTY

Virtue ..... AREA

about 3500 ..... ELEVATION

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

ROAD OR HIGHWAY

10 mi. Baker ..... DISTANCE TO SHIPPING POINT

PRESENT LEGAL OWNER (S) .....

Address .....

OPERATOR .....

Name of claims Area Pat. Unpat.

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1 claim x

EQUIPMENT ON PROPERTY

Friday Baker

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REPORTS

Friday Mining

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Assorted Press Reports, including Oregon Mining Review article

included Double Day Mining Co. Start Production at Friday Feb 1940

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SHIPMENT AND ASSAY RECORDS

MAPS

Virtue Dist

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Mr. Fellows has received an offer from the Tacoma Smelter a very attractive price for quartz with high silica content and low-grade gold content.

He plans to open the old Friday Mine for this purpose.

Crew is now sampling and opening up the old mine.

12 m. E. of Baku - will start soon. (6/9/38) (Jed)

Not visited

FRIDAY MINE SOLD ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 13th.

Here is a place for superstition to work. A deal turning control of the Friday Mine was closed on Friday, the 13th, this month.

C. W. Hall, 4328 S. E. Ash St., Portland, Oregon, took over the Friday Mine on that date from W. C. Fellows, S. P. Anderson and associates of Baker, Oregon.

The Friday is a patented property about 11 miles east of Baker, and was purchased last summer by Anderson and Fellows and associates. The mine was re-opened down to the 100-foot level and 100 tons of ore shipped to the smelter at Tacoma.

Mr. Hall has taken over the property and states that he will start work there at once. He will have charge of the engineering which will consist of exploration and development, this to be cleaning out the shaft below the 100 level and sinking. More equipment and new buildings will be required at the property.

Associated with Mr. Hall in the enterprise are C. E. Birchfield, G. E. Peterson and O. E. Gloystein, all of Tacoma.

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