MOON ANCHOR MINES COMPANY (Gold-Silver)

Cable Cove Area

Local name: Moon Anchor.

"This company is developing a vein of the Cable Cove type, just north of the watershed which separates Silver Creek from Bull Creek, a tributary of the north fork of the John Day River. This property of 3 claims was not visited, but press reports late in August, 1916, state that the crosscut which has been driven a few hundred feet to cut the ledge at considerable depth has finally reached the vein and drifting upon it has developed a shoot of ore 120 feet long and 1 to 2 feet wide of supposedly high-grade ore". Inactive in 1938.

Reference: Parks and Swartley 16:154 (quoted).