

MAID OF THE MIST MINE (gold)

Upper Applegate area

Owner: Dick Hoffman, Applegate, Oregon.

Location: S $\frac{1}{2}$ sec. 4, T. 39 S., R. 4 W.

History: Parks & Swartley (16) give the following description:

"The Maid of the Mist Mine, reached by wagon road 5 miles south of Applegate, up Thompson Creek, is in the south half of sec. 4, T. 39 S., R. 4 W., on a branch of Thompson Creek. The country rock is greenstone, in which there are several auriferous quartz veins, the most important striking east and dipping about 55° S. It is opened by a shaft 200 feet deep and about 500 feet of other workings, now full of water. It has not been in operation for several years. According to Kay:

"The values are irregularly distributed through the quartz, which is fairly free from sulphides. Of the latter, arsenopyrite appears to be more prevalent than pyrite. Calcite is subordinate."

Reference: Parks & Swartley, 16:148 (quoted)