

STATE DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY AND MINERAL INDUSTRIES

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Grants Pass, Oregon

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MG-497  
Au, Pt

REQUEST FOR SAMPLE INFORMATION

The State law governing analysis of samples by the State assay laboratory is given on the back of this blank. Please supply the information requested herein as fully as possible and submit this blank filled out along with the sample.

Your name in full David J. White (DOGAMI)

Post office address P. O. Box 417 Grants Pass, Oregon

Are you a citizen of Oregon Yes Date on which sample is sent Nov. 19, 1952

Name (or names) of owners of the property Ed. R. Hanslip, Jr.

Are you hiring labor? No

Name of claim sample obtained from Ray Consolidated (Old Ray Placer)

Are you milling or shipping ore? No

Location of property or source of sample (If legal description is not known, give location with reference to known geographical point.)

County Josephine Mining district Illinois River

Township 38 S Range 8 W Section 19 Quarter section \_\_\_\_\_

How far from passable road and name of road 300 yards Illinois River Road

Channel (length) Grab Assay for Description

Sample no. 1 2 1/2 feet Au, Pt

Sample no. 2 \_\_\_\_\_

(Samples for assay should be at least 1 pound in weight.)

(Signed) David J. White

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Description 2 1/2 feet channel sample from old test pit on gravel bench on

N. side of Illinois River just below mouth of Josephine Creek.

Sample number	GOLD		SILVER		PLATINUM			
	oz./T.	Value	oz./T.	Value	Pt			
F-13712 MG-497	0.04	\$1.40	- - -	- - -	Nil	- - -	- - -	- - -

Report issued \_\_\_\_\_ Card filed \_\_\_\_\_ Report mailed 12-8-52 Called for \_\_\_\_\_

Results sent to: Edward R. Hanslip, Jr., 285 Woodside Dr., Redwood City Calif.

# State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries

702 Woodlark Building  
Portland, Oregon

OLD RAY MINE (Placer)  
(Ray Consolidated Placer)  
(Oregon Placers, Inc.)

Josephine Co.  
Illinois River Area

Owner: Edward R. Hanslip, Jr., ~~235 Woodside Drive, Redwood City,~~  
~~California, or 730 Noyes Street, Evanston, Illinois.~~ <sup>2940 Hampton Parkway Evanston, Illinois (4/18/5)</sup>  
<sup>1440 Sheridan Rd. Wilmette, Illinois 2-17-64</sup> Hanslip reported

November 17, 1952 that he bought the property from the heirs of R. V. Dixon (formerly vice-president of Mascot Copper Co.), who purchased the property in 1937.

Location and Area: Secs. 19, 28, 29, and 30, T. 38 S., R. 8 W. Hanslip says he has 5 unpatented claims in sec. 19; 7 unpatented claims in secs. 28 and 29; and 160 acres of patented claims in original Ray Consolidated placer. Original claims covered  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles along Illinois beginning near the mouth of Josephine Creek.

History: Diller (1914:122) mentions a small opening of the Ray Mine on a prominent gravel bench on the right bank of the Illinois River one-third of a mile below the mouth of Josephine Creek. A report by A. A. Lewis in Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries Bulletin 14-C, Vol. II, Section 1 (1942:139) states that the owner and operator of the Old Ray Mine in 1940 was Oregon Placers, Inc. (a Nevada Corporation), Selma, Oregon; contains a list of officers of this organization and a list of equipment is given; and also states that the equipment was moved to Rocky Gulch placer, Galice area, July 23, 1940.

E. R. Hanslip present owner plans to either have test pits dug or drill the gravel bench to determine values and reserves.

Old Ray Mine (Placer) (continued)

Geology: According to Diller (1914:122) the opening of the Ray mine was on a gravel plain 200 yards in width with gravel 10 to 18 feet in thickness, and he states:

"A short distance beyond the Ray Mine a shoulder of serpentine juts toward the river and forms an embankment beyond which accumulated the large body of gravel so extensively worked in the Anderson and Wilson mine, which extends along the river for nearly half a mile."

Wells, Hotz and Cater (1949) have mapped gravels along <sup>Josephine Crk. & along</sup> the Illinois River beyond the mouth of Josephine Creek as Pleistocene bench gravels. The gravel along Josephine Creek is well cemented and rests on weathered serpentine and peridotite.

A 2½ foot channel sample taken from an old test pit on the property a few hundred yards northwest of the old bridge crossing the Illinois River near the mouth of Josephine Creek assayed .04 ounces of gold per ton. This sample was obtained during a brief visit to the property on November 17, 1952 with E. R. Hanslip. As it consisted mainly of silt and sand with some pebbles representing only the upper decomposed portion of the gravel and ~~was~~ contained only a small volume of material, it was not considered a good type of sample for testing placer ground.

Informant: E. R. Hanslip

Report by: D. J. W. 1-7-53.

References: Diller 1914:122.  
Oregon Dept. Geology and Mineral Industries Bull. 14-C, Vol. II, sec. 1, p. 139.  
Wells, Hotz, and Cater --- 1949