

Mountain View Mine

NAME	OLD NAMES	Cold - Silver PRINCIPAL ORE	MINOR MINERALS
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4 mi. N of Bourne

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PUBLISHED REFERENCES

Baker

COUNTY

Cracker Creek

AREA

7500

ELEVATION

ROAD OR HIGHWAY

4 mi. N of Bourne

DISTANCE TO SHIPPING POINT

Swartley 14:159
 Parks & Swartley 16:158
 Lorain 38:19,23
 Pardee & Hewett 14:93
 Hewett 31:14
 Ore. Metal Mines Handbook 14A pg 37

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

PRESENT LEGAL OWNER (S) ... J. Johnson

Address

J. Newcomer

OPERATOR

Name of claims	Area	Pat.	Unpat.
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15 1/2 acres

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Name of claims	Area	Pat.	Unpat.
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EQUIPMENT ON PROPERTY

CRACKER Ck

MOUNTAIN VIEW MINE

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OTHER PROPERTIES IN THE DISTRICT

Paralleling the North Pole-Columbia lode in the Cracker Creek district are several other veins of a similar type, although of much less magnitude. Some of them are quite extensively developed and ore sometimes of high grade has been found in them. The Climax, Cyclone and Summit groups are nearby on the footwall side of the lode. The Cracker-Oregon and Sampson groups are the best known nearby properties on the hanging wall side. During the period of greatest activity in promotion, the greater portion of this district was under location.

About 2½ miles north of Bourne is the *Mountain View* mine, which produced between \$60,000 and \$75,000 for a 4-year period ending in 1907, when their mill was burned. This fissure vein is located upon the highly metamorphosed border of the intrusion, and cuts both granodiorite and altered argillite. This mine has had little done upon it for some time, and because it was reported inaccessible was not visited.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW MINE

BOURNE

DISTRICT: Is 10-1/2 miles from shipping point, Sumpter, on the Sumpter Valley Railway. Located 38 years ago and consists of a group of 5 claims, recorded in Baker county. Located in a high mountain area; the country rock is granite and slate; vein strata bearing northeast and southwest; width 5 feet, length 4500 feet. Minerals are gold and silver, assays at \$45. Has a past production of \$100,000. Water is scarce; power is available from the Eastern Oregon Light & Power Company, nearby; timber on claims. Mine is now idle. Equipped with mining tools for hand work. Developed with 700 feet of tunnels, shaft 150 feet deep. Was operated 35 years ago. R. P. Anderson, Baker, Oregon, is the owner (Prescott----6/1/37).

MOUNTAIN VIEW: Bourne District, Cracker Creek Area.

Development: 2 tunnels.

Relationships: Vein in argillite. Quartz (?).

Milling & Production: Not recorded. Production estimated at \$90,000. (Hibbs, 3/14)