

Bunker Hill and Sullivan Mining and Concentrating Company.

MINES AND WORKS AT WARDNER, IDAHO.

F. W. BRADLEY, MANAGER.

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WEEKLY LETTER APRIL 7th, 1899:

F. W. Bradley, Esq., President,
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Crocker Building, San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed find the usual reports for the week ending April 7th.

At the mine everything is moving satisfactorily, and the stopes, taken altogether, look very well. The tonnage for the week was somewhat less than for the two preceding weeks, but this was due to lack of room to dump more, and not inability to get it out. We have had trouble during the week on account of trash coming down in the flume, which has choked the water wheels, causing frequent stoppages, and a total loss of 1-1/2 days time.

In the way of development work there are two or three encouraging things to report. In the Tyler West Drift we had 2-1/2 feet of clean ore at one time during the week, from which we saved 5 or 6 tons averaging 53% lead and 14 oz. silver. There is still some ore of this character in the face, but it is not so wide. In the Cedar East Drift we have about 2 feet of good ore on the foot wall, and about 2 feet of lean stuff on top of that. In the Hyde Drift West from the Pine CrossCut there has been a good slip to follow, and there are now several stringers of ore coming in. The East Reed shows an occasional speck of galena, but nothing of importance so far. The Nevada Cross Cut shows very little ore.

The Kellogg Tunnel advanced 35 feet, making the total

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4321 feet. The ground is a little better than it was, but still requires that lagging be driven.

Yours truly,

Fred. Burbidge