

VEINS Nos. 7 AND 8

Are situated on the main land about one mile up the River, and South of it a mile and a half. They are in a range of Greenstone Trap Rocks extending in a Southwestern direction from the mouth of the River as far as the eye can reach.

These Veins are composed of Calcareous Spar, each one foot wide, with perpendicular wall-rock, and present a very good appearance.

Mr. Gratiot forwarded to you about four weeks ago, a box of Specimens taken from the different Veins. They are surface indications.

There are probably other valuable Veins on the Location which have not yet been discovered, as the woods are full of underbrush, and the rocks covered with soil and moss, so that it is very hard to find them only where the rocks outcrop in the sides of the hill and expose them to view.

In order to test these Veins I think it will be necessary to sink shafts on them, as they are geologically situated from forty to sixty feet above the rocks on the Locations where Ores are now found.

Should I find any new indications on analysing the Specimens from this Location after my return east, you may hear from me again.

Respectfully your obedient servant,

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