

San Diego Sept 14/67

Geo. Haycock Esq  
Dear Sir

I hear thro<sup>o</sup>  
Dr Hoffman that you  
are residing in Cincinnati  
and I thought I would  
drop you a few lines  
about the Encinitos  
mining claim.

The Co. are still working  
it occasionally.

Mannare & Schiller bought  
out Sloane about a year  
ago paying \$500<sup>00</sup> so they  
now own  $\frac{3}{5}$  of the claim.  
Some 3 or 4 months ago we  
commenced a tunnel  
at the spot where you & I

first thought of doing on  
the East side of the ravine.

We have run in about 60  
feet & find a vein over  
7 feet wide with scattering  
lumps of excellent ore, rich  
ore, but unfortunately very  
little of it, very much scattered.  
We are now sinking a shaft  
at the inner end of the tunnel  
expect to go 70 to 100 feet.

We found good ore in the  
old shaft (that you started)  
but the vein was very narrow  
& we think now was only a  
feeder. Marnoff & Rose  
have great hopes of the mine  
yet, but I can't say that I  
have. There is now certainly  
a large & well defined vein  
good walls &c, but very little  
ore, not enough to pay for  $\frac{1}{4}$  of  
the work of getting it out.

Your name is still on  
the books, but as you owe  
not far from \$200<sup>00</sup> for  
assessments - I have not the  
secretary's books & can't say exactly  
- you will probably be sold out  
unless you pay up. I don't  
think your share would  
bring as much as Sloanes  
now, though it might, & it  
would if they should strike  
something good in the shaft  
though only the Company  
would know of it & they of  
course would buy the share  
in.

If you wish to sell, send  
me a full power of attorney  
and I will do the best I  
can for you, charging you  
of course commissions for  
the sale.

If you wish to hold on

send the dinero to pay  
up your assessments. Not less  
than \$200<sup>00</sup>.

This County has gone "secesh"  
heavy. Capt Grant was a candidate  
for Co. Clerk & is badly beaten.

I presume Dr Hoffman has  
written you all the news so I close

Yours &c

C. W. Moore

Geo. Hays  
Genl & return