

Thursday  
Aug 17 - 72

Mr. Wm F. Emerson; -

Forest Hill Calif.

Dear Mr. Bill E.; -

Your letter of Aug. 14 - 72  
rec'd., good to hear from  
you, a resident of Baker Ranch.  
Will visit you the next time  
I am on the S. H. Divide.

Your map was correctly  
drawn except for the HIDDEN  
TREASURE MINE location.

I have relocated it. The mine was  
worked for approx. 40 years, was  
a tunnel driven thru the lava  
flow (andesite) for a distance of  
approx 1500' and tapped the "Great  
White Channel" - an ancient  
Quartz rock (gold bearing) river.  
My Grandfather, Michael H. Power  
located it, he died in 1881. Then  
my father - Harold T. Power

Took over the operation.  
 Sunny South was quite a camp,  
 about 150 to 175 men worked at  
 the mine, maybe 50 families lived  
 in nice houses - Boys grew up  
 and went to school, then when  
 16 or 17 yrs. old started working there.  
 Many came from Michigan - Bluff  
 and J. H.

My father also operated the  
 Mayflower Mine - near Forest Hill,  
 for a time - putting it on a  
 paying basis - He also supervised  
 the H.T. Mine <sup>at Sunny South</sup> during that period.

He put in a hydro electric plant  
 in Eldorado Canyon and electric feed  
 the H.T. Mine at Bullion - in 1895-96,  
 will give you additional inf.  
 when we meet. With Best

Regards -

Henry D. Power

X Clunker Hawk Ridge →

Bullion mine Road

ditch  
to our  
+  
to Swift shore mine

ROAD TO S.S.

Bullion mine

Trail to  
Town site

TOWN OF  
SUNNY SOUTH



BREESE & WHEELER DITCH

x Fruit trees  
x x

Small  
bench

1872 - 1915 OR 20

FIRES HAVE  
DESTROYED ALL.

Steep  
Creek

TAUNING FAUNE  
TO EX DORADO  
CANYON

Ditch

Ditch

Ditch to  
Bullion