

625 N. Main
N. 10' Lot 4 (now 4A) Block A, Warren & Kingsbury Addition
and portions of Woolman & Acquisition lode claims
(now Woolman Acquisition)

Title Work

1892 May 1

Deed Book 6, p. 636, Bargain & Sale Deed,
Montana Copper Company, limited corporation dissolved 1888 May 30
to
Leonard Lewisohn
Lots 2-10, Block A, Warren & Kingsbury Addition

1896 September 23

Deed Book 18, p. 454, Bargain & Sale Deed
Leonard Lewisohn and wife Rosalie
to
Thomas Bryant
Lots 4 & 5, Block A, Warren & Kingsbury Addition

1904 July 25

Deed Book 59, p. 404, Bargain Sale Deed, for \$6,000
Thomas Bryant and his wife Ellen P. Bryant
to
Mrs. Danial Agoa
N. 10' Lot 4, Block A, Warren & Kingsbury Addition and portions of Woolman & Acquisition lode
claims

1911 November 27

Deed Book 101, p. 529
Mrs. Danial Agoa (Annie Agoa), a widow
To
The Roman Catholic Bishop of Helena
N. 10' Lot 4, Block A, Warren & Kingsbury Addition and portions of Woolman & Acquisition lode
claims

City Directory

1896

Thomas Bryant, foreman, r. 18 W. Woolman

1898

Thomas Bryant, alderman 2nd Ward, foreman Original Mine, r. 625 N. Main
Joseph Bryant, shift boss Original Mine
William C. Bryant, architect, r. 720 Utah
Daniel Agoa, miner, r. 9 E Woolman

1899

Thomas Bryant, mining superintendent W.A. Clark, alderman 2nd ward, no address for residence

1900-1901-1902-1903

Thomas Bryant, mining superintendent W.A. Clark, r. 625 N. Main

1904

Thomas Bryant, mining superintendent W.A. Clark, r. Original Mine
John J. Agoa, miner west Steward, rms. 625 N. Main

1905

Annie Agoa, widow of Daniel, boarding house 625 N. Main

1909

Anna Agoa, widow of Daniel, r. 625 N. Main, and boarders John J. Agoa Katherine Agoa

Montana Inspector of Mines, Annual Reports

1892

No mention of Thomas Bryant

1893

Thomas Bryant, foreman Original Mine

1894

Thomas Bryant, foreman, Steward Mine


1897

Thomas Bryant, foreman Steward & Original Mines

1898

Thomas Bryant, Clark mines superintendent

MONTANA HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY

Legal Description: <u>Block A / Lot N10' of 4 / Warren & Kingsbury</u> Address: <u>625 N. Main</u> Ownership: Name: <u>Sarsfield O'Sullivan</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private address: <u>109 Second St. E., Whitehall, MT 59701</u> <input type="checkbox"/> public	Site # _____  Roll # <u>BS7</u> Frame # <u>26</u>
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Location map or building plan with arrow north.	Historic Name: _____ Common Name: _____ Date of Construction: <u>betw. 1891-1900</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> estimated <input type="checkbox"/> documented Architect: <u>N.A.</u> Builder: <u>N.A.</u> Original Owner: <u>early owner (see back)</u> Original Use: <u>residence</u> Present Use: <u>church rectory</u> <p>RESEARCH SOURCES: Note all records consulted to determine dates of construction, original owners, builders, uses, etc.</p> Abstract of Title: _____ Plat Records: <u>X</u> Tax Records: <u>X</u> Building Permits: <u>N.A.</u> Sewer/Water Permits: <u>W.P. - 5/1/30</u> City Directories: <u>1900</u> Sanborn Maps: <u>1888, 1890, 1891, 1900</u> Newspapers: _____ Other: <u>1900 census</u>
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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: Describe present appearance of structure/site, then contrast and compare that with it's original appearance, noting additions, alterations, and changes in materials. Discuss significant architectural features.

This two-story rectangular Victorian residence with an asphalt-shingle hip roof with shed roof off the rear and a pyramidal roof on a rectangular turret has a random-coursed rubble stone foundation and is of frame construction with brick veneer siding. Windows are double hung one over one and fixed with transom with stained glass in the transom of the front projecting bay. There are two exterior chimneys, one metal and one brick.

This Victorian house has a two-level turret projecting from the porch roof that is covered with imbricated shingles. The turret has a fixed window with stained glass transom and opposing double hung windows on the top level. The wrap-around front porch has a hip roof supported by plain posts and rail with lap siding along the base and top of the porch. This Victorian house also has a decorative wood paneled door. The three-bay garage is constructed of cinder block and has an asphalt-shingle gable roof.

HISTORICAL INFORMATION: Describe the persons, important events, and/or historical patterns associated with the structure/site and surrounding area.

In 1900 Thomas and Helena Bryant owned this house. Thomas, who worked in Butte as a mine superintendant, was born in England in 1862 and immigrated to the States in 1878. The family took in some roomers and had a servant.

Footnote Sources:

1900 census

INTEGRITY: Assess the degree to which the structure/site, and surrounding area accurately convey the historical associations of the property.

This Victorian vernacular house maintains historical integrity of design, materials, workmanship, location, setting, feeling and association.

HISTORICAL and/or ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE: Justify how the persons, important events, or historical patterns associated with structure/site lend the property significance and/or describe the ways in which the structure embodies the distinctive characteristics of a particular period, building type, or style.

This house is a ^{7/2000} Contributing element of the Butte Historic District as a Victorian vernacular house with its porch details, turret and leaded and stained glass.

FORM PREPARED BY:

Name: Brian Shovers

Address: Butte Historical Society

Date: Summer 1984

GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:

Acreage: _____

USGS Quad: _____

UTM's: _____

JOSEPH BRYANT IS DEAD

WELL-KNOWN MINING MAN SUC-
CUMBS TO TROUBLE OF LUNGS.

HIS ILLNESS IS VERY BRIEF

Several of his children are with
him when the end comes—Until
recently foreman of Original
mine—Once an alderman.

Joseph Bryant, until very recently fore-
man of the Original mine, one of the Clark
properties, died yesterday afternoon about
4 o'clock at his room in the Maule block,
on West Park street, after a brief ill-
ness. Dr. J. G. Lobb, his attending physi-
cian, gave the cause of death as hemor-
rhage of the right lung. The body was
turned over to the Richards undertaking
firm, and will be taken from the rooms
of that concern to-day to the family resi-
dence, 655 South Jackson street, where
the funeral will take place.

Joe Bryant, as he was familiarly known,
was a native of England, but had been
in Butte so long that he was regarded as
an old-timer. He was a brother of Thomas
Bryant, for several times alderman from
the Second ward, and was himself once
a member of the city council from the
Eighth ward. It was as a mining man,
however, that he was best known. He
was an expert at that business, and his
services to his employer were recognized
by the promotions that were given him.

Something like a year ago Joseph Bry-
ant became involved in an unfortunate
misunderstanding with his family and his
wife brought suit for divorce. The mat-
ter has been in the courts ever since.
When it was realized that his end was
near, however, he sent for his kin, and
his brother Tom, a son and two daughters
got there before the end came.

Mr. Bryant had always been regarded
as a particularly strong man physically,
though not a large man. About a month
ago he sustained an injury to the body
which incapacitated him for duty, and
he quit his position soon after. Later he
went to Seattle, returning a week ago.
His idea in going there was to look around
for a new location.

On Wednesday last Mr. Bryant was
taken so ill that he had to go to his room
and call in a doctor. A trained nurse was
called in also, and he had the best of
attention. At the time he was negotiating
with the proprietor of one of the best-
known saloons in Butte to purchase the
place. He wanted to close the deal, but
his condition was such that he was not
allowed to attend to any business. Yes-
terday his condition became so bad that
it was thought best to summon his rela-
tives, which was done. All of them had
not arrived when the end came.

Besides a wife, Mr. Bryant left nine chil-
dren, including one married daughter, his
brother, Thomas Bryant and two sisters,
Mrs. William Bailey and Mrs. Philip
Burke. He was a member of the Elks.

WEDDINGS.

Thomas Bryant, superintendent of the Clark mining properties, was married last evening to Miss A. M. Kenney. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. P. Morrison of the Mountain View Methodist Episcopal church in the presence of a few friends at the home of the bridegroom at the Original mine. Following the ceremony was a reception, after which refreshments were served, and a very pleasant evening enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. R. Bryant, mother of the bridegroom; Mrs. E. J. Priske, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Ford, B. E. Calkins, George Wortman, George Suttiffe, Lou Frank, Walter Allen, J. Branscomb and W. T. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant will be at home to their friends after February 1 at their home at the Original mine office.

son and Silver.

A 9-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, ALSO 2-
room house in rear and barn. Apply
625 N. Main st.

SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 22, 1910.

THE BUTTE MINER

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THE PASSING OF THE CABIN



Sam Bryant's "Cabin" at the Original Mine, often the gathering place of good fellows.

It is always fair weather. When good fellows get together, the cabin is the place to go. It is the place where the good fellows get together, and it is the place where the good fellows get together. It is the place where the good fellows get together, and it is the place where the good fellows get together. It is the place where the good fellows get together, and it is the place where the good fellows get together.

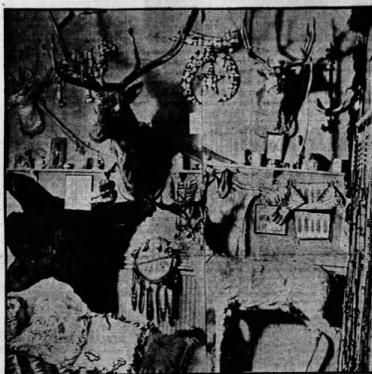
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An informal dance affair at the "Cabin."



The Music Room.



A corner in Mr. Bryant's den.

The story of the cabin's existence dates back to about eight years ago. This is the story of the cabin's existence, and it is the story of the cabin's existence. It is the story of the cabin's existence, and it is the story of the cabin's existence. It is the story of the cabin's existence, and it is the story of the cabin's existence.



Senator Clark's "Dip."

In the old cabin, as in the new after the reconstruction, a small room was reserved for the Senator's "dip". It was Senator Clark's "dip", and it was Senator Clark's "dip". It was Senator Clark's "dip", and it was Senator Clark's "dip". It was Senator Clark's "dip", and it was Senator Clark's "dip".



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The Living room.

The living room is a well-furnished room, and it is the place where the good fellows get together. It is the place where the good fellows get together, and it is the place where the good fellows get together. It is the place where the good fellows get together, and it is the place where the good fellows get together.

TOM BRYANT, OLD BUTTE RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

**Former Superintendent of
Original Mine Succumbs at
His Home in California.**

Word has been received in Butte of the death of Thomas Bryant, old-time Butte mine superintendent, which occurred at Venice, Cal., on Nov. 7. Mr. Bryant was buried in Hollywood. The surviving relatives are his wife, Mrs. Anna M. Bryant, and some 12 nephews and nieces, children of his brother,

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TOM BRYANT IS TAKEN BY DEATH

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Joseph Bryant, also an old-time Butte miner, who died in this city several years ago.

Tom Bryant was born in Michigan. He and his brother, Joseph, learned the occupation of a miner in the Michigan copper mines after which they went to Leadville, Col., arriving in Butte in 1886.

Mr. Bryant was appointed superintendent of the Original mine under the Clark management. He was also consulting engineer of the Raines copper mine in Meaderville. He was popular with the Butte public and served several terms as alderman. He built the house at the Original mine which was known as "The Cabin" and during his stay in Butte it was the scene of many gay gatherings at which men prominent in the affairs of the state and of the West attended.

Mr. Bryant left Butte about 15 years ago and located in Sheridan, Wyo., where he purchased a hotel. He soon tired of this line of business and removed to California, where, with a partner he took over the tramway that operates between Venice and Ocean Park, an enterprise which he operated for 13 years.

Tom Bryant, in the 90's, was one of the best known and popular mining superintendents of the Butte district. No man showed a greater concern for the welfare of those in his employ.