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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES FILE DATA

PRIMARY NAME: ASH CREEK CLAIMS

ALTERNATE NAMES:

PINAL COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 375

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 5 S RANGE 16 E SECTION 1 QUARTER NW
LATITUDE: N 33DEG 02MIN 00SEC LONGITUDE: W 110DEG 40MIN 22SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: CHRISTMAS - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: EXP PROSPECT

COMMODITY:
GYPSUM

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

ADMMR MONITOR GROUP FILE - SKETCH
ADMMR ASH CREEK CLAIMS FILE
ELEVATORSKI, E.A., AZ. INDUSTRIAL MINERALS
1980, P. 54
CLAIMS EXTEND INTO SEC. 11

ASH CREEK CLAIMS

REFERENCES

PINAL COUNTY
SADDLE MTN. DIST.
T5S R16E Sec. 1

Pinal County MILS Index #375

Monitor Group (file) Pinal County - Sketch

AZ Industrial Minerals 1980, p. 54

Christmas, AZ 7.5' Topo (included in file)



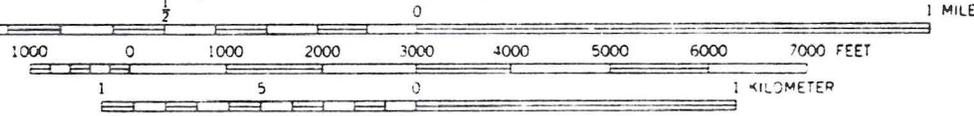
Ash Creek Claims
T5S R10E Sec. 1

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T5S*



528 4 MI. TO ARIZ. 77 (SADDLE MTN.) 3849 1 NW 530 531 40' 532 350 000 FE

SCALE 1:24 000



CONTOUR INTERVAL 40 FEET
 DOTTED LINES CROSSING RIVERS REPRESENT 20-FOOT CONTOURS
 DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL



QUADRANGLE LOCATION

Christmas, Az 7.5'

ASH CREEK

It is reported that some very good gold, copper and silver ore has been encountered on claims being operated by J. H. Pool on Ash Creek Pinal county. The ore taken out during development operations will be shipped to the Hayden smelter for treatment. A 25-horsepower hoist and concentrating plant is contemplated for the Ash Creek Gold Mining company's ground. It is the intention of this company to tunnel their ground to obtain depth under the outcrops. More than one lead is expected to be cut by this mode of development. This work is expected to commence within the next 30 days. After the installation of the hoisting plant it is proposed to sink a main working shaft to a depth of 500 feet.

On the same creek on the Lucky Boy claims, it is also stated that high-grade gold ore is being taken out.

So far this locality has received but little attention, but probably the late discoveries will attract further investigation.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

STATE OF ARIZONA

FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Ash Creek Claims

Date January 21, 1960

Pinal County

District Saddle Mtn. Dist. (Ash Creek adjacent
to Hope Metals on the south)

Engineer Lewis A. Smith

Subject: Interview with Joe Bidtich, owner, of Winkelman (General delivery)

Location: T. 5 S., R. 16 E., S. 1-2 (approx.)

Claims: 3 unpatented claims

Work: Work done in pits and short tunnel.

Geology: 8' mineralized zone next to diabase sill, interbedded with limestone which is believed by Bidtich, to be ~~Mescal~~ Limestone. The 8' zone is strongly mineralized by pyrite which is cupriferous. The property has not been tested as yet.