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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: BUNNY GROUP

ALTERNATE NAMES:

GRAHAM COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 279

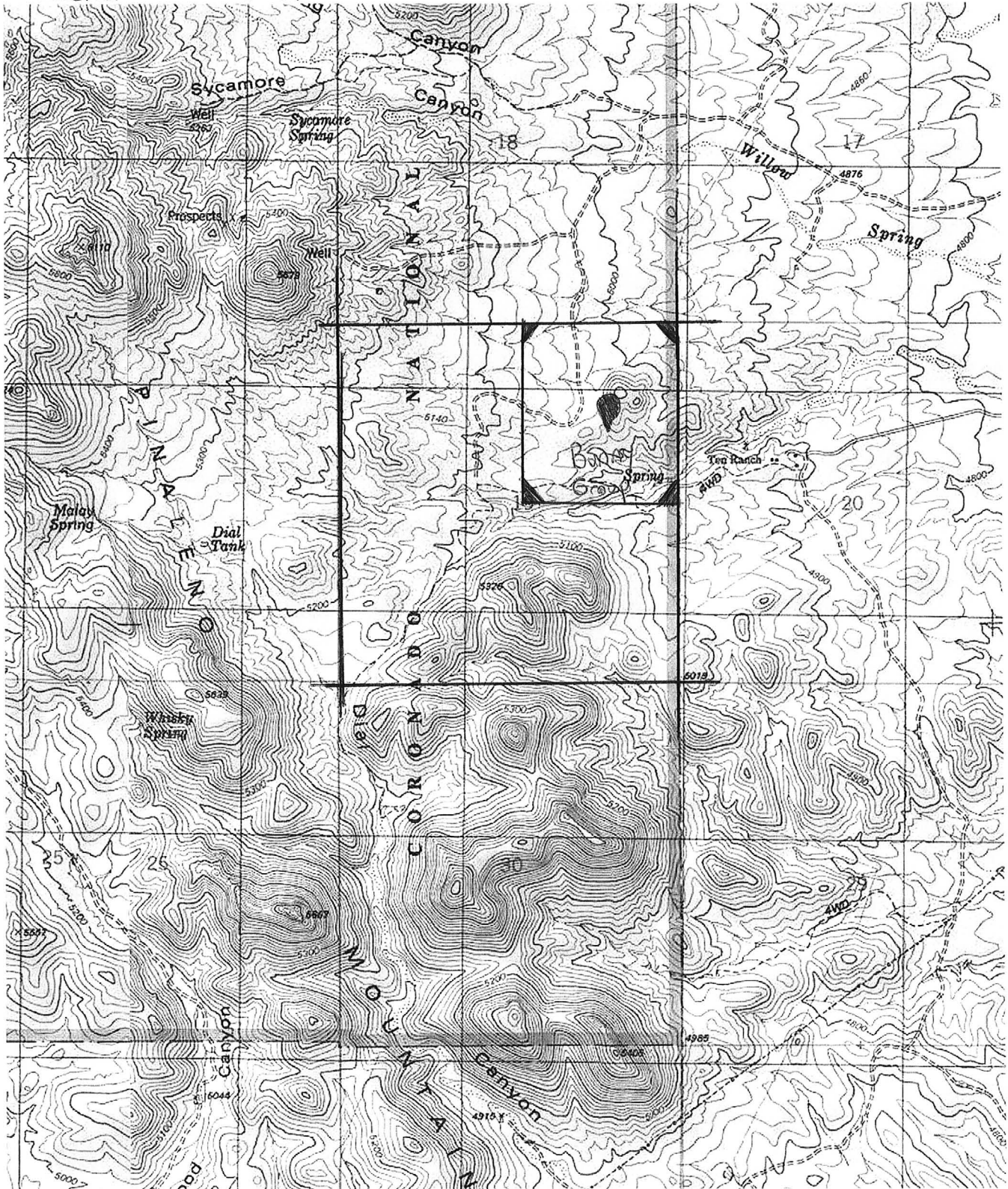
LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 11 S RANGE 26 E SECTION 19 QUARTER NE
LATITUDE: N 32DEG 27MIN 58SEC LONGITUDE: W 109DEG 43MIN 37SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: LUZENA - 15 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER

COMMODITY:
MANGANESE
GOLD
SILVER

BIBLIOGRAPHY:
ADMMR BUNNY GROUP FILE
UNCERTAIN OF TRUE LOCATION

Luzena - 15 min



N32 27' 58" W109 43' 37"

Bunny Group

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
MINERAL BUILDING, FAIRGROUNDS
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

~~December 10, 1957~~

February 7, 1958

To the Owner or Operator of the Arizona Mining Property named below:

BUNNY GROUP
(Property)

MANGANESE
(ore)

We have an old listing of the above property which we would like to have brought up to date.

Please fill out the enclosed Mine Owner's Report form with as complete detail as possible and attach copies of reports, maps, assay returns, shipment returns or other data which you have not sent us before and which might interest a prospective buyer in looking at the property.

FRANK P. KNIGHT,
Director.

Enc: Mine Owner's Report

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maiden

Mr. Carroll S. Neese
917 14th Street
Phoenix, Arizona



Douglas Typographical Union No. 544

CHARTERED NOVEMBER 18, 1916

Douglas, Arizona

May 13, 1942

Mr. Charles F. Willis, Sec.,
Arizona Small Mine Operators' Assn.,
520-528 Title & Trust Bldg.,
Phoenix, Ariz.

Dear Mr. Willis:

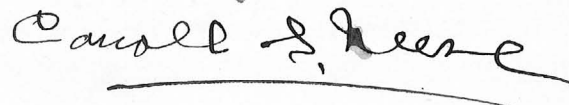
Inclosed you will find a report on our holdings. It is to take the place of the one you have on file in your office. I promised said report to Mr. Coupal some time ago, but something aways turned up to delay me.

We had some inquiries on our property through your office last fall but at that time we had a deal going, so just ignored the letters. But due to the men being drafted for the war the parties have had to give up their undertaking, so we are again in the market for some one who means business to take it over.

Mighty glad to read in the paper about the Mineral Resource bill getting by the governor. Maybe now we can have a state engineer look our property over. None has been there up to date. Mr. Carpenter was to have gone over the ground, but he informed me later that he was unable to do so. I believe a lot of thanks is due you for the successful passage of the Mineral bill. So right here I want to extend to you my sincere appreciations for your efforts in behalf of Arizona's Small Mine Operators.

With best of regards to you, I am,

Yours truly,



Carroll S. Neese
917 14th St.,
Douglas, Ariz.

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413 Home Builders Bldg.

May 15, 1942

Mr. Carroll S. Neese
917 14th Street
Douglas, Arizona

Dear Mr. Neese:

I have your letter of the 13th enclosing your Mine Owner's Report on your manganese property. We are pleased to destroy the former report that you sent and put in this later statement.

You mention on it that an inspection has been made by a government engineer and the report is held as confidential by the same. Do you mean that the government engineer did not give you a report on the property? If that is so, then you did not get something that is coming to you. The reports made by the U. S. Bureau of Mines are available to the owner who can do whatever he pleases with them. They are only confidential insofar as the Bureau of Mines is concerned and if you have a copy of such a report, it would be extremely valuable to attach to your statement. There is very little in your statement which would induce a person seeking a manganese property to look into it further, but if you have more reports available it would help a great deal.

The Department of Mineral Resources is getting into action again and the field engineers start out on their work next week. George A. Ballam will be field engineer for your district, but your mine is at Bowie which comes into the district of Fred Perkins, who has headquarters at Globe.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Yours very truly,

Chairman, Board of Governors
Department of Mineral Resources

CFW:LP

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
MINE OWNER'S REPORT

Date April 27, 1942

1. Mine Bunny Group
2. Location 11 Miles northwest of Bowie, Ariz.
3. Mining District & County Tevis Dis.-Graham Co.
4. Former name
5. Owner^s E. F. Vickers, Sr.
Carroll S. Neese
6. Address (Owner) 1367 13th St.
917 14th St.
7. Operator
8. Address (Operator)
9. President, Owinging Co.
- 9A. President, Operating Co.
10. Gen. Mgr.
14. Principal Minerals Manganese
11. Mine Supt.
15. Production Rate
12. Mill Supt.
16. Mill: Type & Cap.
13. Men Employed
17. Power: Amt. & Type
18. Operations: Present
19. Operations: Planned Development
20. Number Claims, Title, etc. Four Claims
21. Description: Topography & Geography Rolling hills--Easy accessible
22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition 4 assessment holes--One main shaft about 65 feet

(over)

23. Geology & Mineralization Main Line--Igneous

24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

24A. Dimensions and Value of Ore body Manganese better than 30%--Extremely low on other detrimental minerals, such as Silica, Phosphorous, etc.
Ore from foot to hanging wall.

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow-Sheet

26. Road Conditions, Route Fair year-around to main workings--2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles mine road, balance state highway.

27. Water Supply Ample can be developed easily.

28. Brief History Some prospecting during first World war. Some ore reported sold at that time.

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed Inspection made by government engineer--report held as confidential by same.

30. Remarks Claims are situated on state land, subject to all regulations as specified in House Bill 19, 15th Legislature.
Believe property could be put in production with small outlay of capital.

31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. Will Lease or Sell

32. Signature E. F. Viernusky - Carroll Sheese

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date November 16, 1939

Mine Bunny Group

District Tevis, Graham Co.

Location 14 mi. NW from Bowie
10 " R.R. siding Ariz. Eastern

Former name

Owner E. F. Vickers, C. S. Neise.

Address (1367-13 St.) Douglas
(917-14 St.)

Operator

Address

President No Corp.

Gen. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals Manganese

Men Employed

Production Rate Not established

Mill: Type & Cap.

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present Idle

Operations Planned . Depend on financing

Number Claims, Title, etc. Four unpat'd lode claims public domain. Bunny No. 1, Marsha,
Ann No. 1, Bunny No. 2

Description: Topog. & Geog. Hilly, rocky, cut by dry washes.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition One shaft 33 ft. 1 about 18 ft. several 8 ft. or more.
All in ore.

Geology & Mineralization

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings About 10 tons in dump. Average vein width at
Note: outcrop 40 feet.
1 sample Assays 38% mn to 58% mn.
Au 0.145 oz.
Ag 13.0 "
Mn 38%
Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet None

Road Conditions, Route Three miles off Safford highway. Truck can drive onto property

Water Supply Shallow water district, but not developed.

Brief History In 1918 about 100 tons manganese sold to government at \$3090.
Before delivery, Armistice was signed and ore was turned back at a small price.
The ore was shoveled back into shaft when new one started. Easily obtainable

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