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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES FILE DATA

PRIMARY NAME: DEL PASCO CLAIM GROUP

ALTERNATE NAMES:
JOHNSON TUNNEL

YAVAPAI COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 801B

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 10 N RANGE 1 W SECTION 3 QUARTER SE
LATITUDE: N 34DEG 14MIN 06SEC LONGITUDE: W 112DEG 20MIN 43SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: CROWN KING - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER

COMMODITY:

GOLD
SILVER
LEAD
COPPER

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

USGS CROWN KING QUAD
ADMMR DEL PASCO FILE
LINDGREN, W. ORE DEPTS OF JEROME & BRADSHAW
MTS QUADS USGS BULL 782 1926 P 167
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BULL 137 1967 P 57
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YAVAPAI MAGAZINE JUNE 1918 P 5 AND 12 SHARLOT
HALL MUSEUM PRESCOTT, AZ

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U.S.B.M. I.C. 6905 p. 41
U.S.G.S. Bull. 782 p. 167, 3,47,164
A.B.M. Bull. 137 p. 57

SEE: IC 6905 p. 41

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

~~December 10, 1957~~

February 11, 1958

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

<u>Del Pasco</u>	<u>Gold Lead Zinc</u>
(Property)	(ore)

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

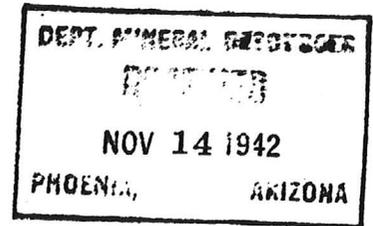
Please fill out the enclosed Mine Owner's Report form with as complete detail as possible and attach copies of reports, maps, assay returns, shipment returns or other data which you have not sent us before and which might interest a prospective buyer in looking at the property.

FRANK P. KNIGHT,
Director.

Enc: Mine Owner's Report

Washington, D.C.
Nov. 12, 1942

SUBJECT: Mine Loans,
Class B,
Lawrence Dezee,
Del Paso.



A field examination has been ordered on this loan.

Bill Broadgate

Del Pasco

Washington, D.C.
Oct. 26, 1942

Handwritten initials

SUBJECT: Mine Loans
Class B
Lawrence Dezee

DEPT. MINERAL RESOURCES
RECEIVED
OCT 28 1942
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

The RFC informs me that this application was received about ten days ago.

I note from the memo of Oct. 15th that Dezee asks that I "usher it through the various departments".

I think that there are numerous applications ahead, including some Arizona ones.

Please inform me if there is some reason why I should try and have this placed ahead of the others, and if so, let me have the supporting reason and I will do so.

Handwritten mark: 1 2 c

Such reasons as apply to Victory Manganese where a contract is waiting and the mine about to cave in, or in cases where immediate large production is imminent on the expenditure of the loan help me a good deal in getting special dispensations.

Bill Broadgate

October 13, 1942

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Bill Broadgate

FROM: Earl F. Hastings

Lawrence Dezee has made application for a \$20,000 Development Loan on his Del Pasco property and asks that you usher it through the various departments. This was mailed on October 10th.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXX

518 Title & Trust Bldg.

March 27, 1942

u
Mr. Lawrence DeZee
Crown King, Arizona

Dear Mr. DeZee:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of Mine Owner's Report and a copy of Field Engineer's Report filed with this department covering the DEL PASCO MINE in Yavapai County.

Assuring you of my desire to be helpful, and with best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal

JSC:LP
Enc.

4 March 1942

Mr. Laurence Dezee,
Crown King, Arizona.

My dear Mr. Dezee:

Replying to your letter of February 26, I should suggest that you write to -

Mr. C. M. Martin,
1821 East Jackson Street,
Phoenix, Arizona

for information regarding a priority rating.

I find that we do not have a mine owner's report covering the "Dei Pasco Group, and I am enclosing herewith a blank form, which I should suggest that you fill out in detail and return to this office so that information may be available concerning your property.

With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal

JSC-jrf
encl.

July 27, 1942

Mr. Lawrence DeZee
Crown King, Arizona

Dear Mr. DeZee:

Many thanks for your letter of July 20 and I have noted that the Del'Pasco property is now for sale and that you would consider a price of \$10,000 cash or \$30,000 on a long term contract with a substantial down payment.

I will be pleased to refer this to any inquiries but know that the general attitude of the people who are in the market for mines is against making any substantial down payment. There are conditions under which a small payment may be obtained, but in a general way the trend now is for investors in mining property to insist that the payments come out of production.

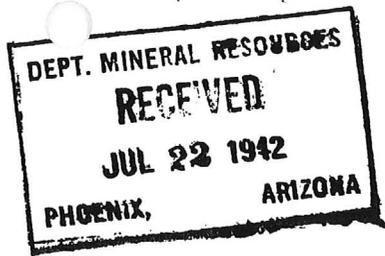
I will keep your letter in mind and if we have any inquiries on this particular type of property, will refer them to you.

With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal, Director

JSC:LP



July 20, '42
Crown King,
Arizona.

Department of Mineral Resources:

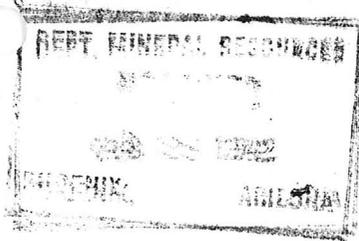
In submitting a mine owners report on the Wel Pasis group of mining claims, I stated at the time that the mine was not for sale. I wish to change that and list it as for sale.

Due to the present showings and excellent carload shipment returns I believe the property to be worth \$15,000. cash or \$30,000. on a long term contract with a substantial down payment.

If you have any inquiries on this property I would be glad to hear from them as soon as possible.

Respectfully

Lawrence R. Jee
Owner



Feb. 26, '42

Crown King,
Arizona

Department of Mineral Resources:

I own and operate the El Paso group of mining claims in the Crown King District, and wish to apply for a serial number.

Please send me information as to whom I must write to or see for a priority rating as an active gold and lead producer.

Respectfully

Lawrence Degee
Crown King,
Arizona.

mailed
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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date June 7, 1939

Mine Del Pasco

Location Crown King

Owner Hezler & Campbell

Address Same

Operating Co. Del Pasco Mining Corp

Address Crown King, Ariz

Capital \$ 200,000

Pres. Wm. H. Synan

Genl. Mgr. V.P. Bud Roe

Mine Supt. Secy. T.F. Merrill

Mill Supt. Treas. John H. Dreiss

Principal Metals Gold

Men Employed 4

Production Rate Developing

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type Portable

Compressed Hoist

Signed Care G. Bartz
(Over)

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Present Operations: *Installing equipment*

Mine: *Galena*

Location: *Galena*

Owner: *Galena*

New Work Planned: *Drive new tunnel level*

Operating Co.: *expect to ship*

Misc. Notes: *Capital \$ 500,000*

Narrow High grade vein - Galena

Mine Super: *J. F. McMill*

Mine Super: *John H. H. H.*

Principal Metals: *Galena*

Men Employed: *2*

Production Rate: *2000 lbs*

Mill Type & Capacity: *2000 lbs*

Power Amt & Type: *2000 lbs*

Compressor: *2000 lbs*

Other: *2000 lbs*

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date Aug 1, 39

Mine Del Pasco

Location Crown King

Owner

Address

Operating Co. Del Pasco Mng Corp

Address Crown King

Pres.

Genl. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals

Men Employed

Production Rate

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed Barth

(Over)

DEPARTMENT OF MINES
Present Operations

Chloriding good ore
thru new 85'
shaft on Del Pasco
LEAD

New Work Planned

visiting directors
making plans for
expansion.

Misc. Notes

Pres.
Genl. Mgr.
Mine Supt.
Mill Supt.
Practical Metals
Men Employed
Production Rate
Mill Type & Capacity
Power Amt. & Type
Stamps
Screens

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date

8/6

Mine

DEL PASCO

Location

CROWN KING -

Owner

DEL PASCO MINING CORP.

Address

CROWN KING.

Operating Co.

T. G. COOK - LEASING

Address

SHIPPING ONE CAR

Pres.

4 MONTH - \$30 TO \$35

Genl. Mgr.

GOLD ORE -

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals

Men Employed

Production Rate

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed

JSC.

(Over)

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date

5/10/40

Mine

DEL PASCO

Location

CROWN KING - YAVAPAI

Owner

DEL PASCO MINING CORP.

Address

W. H. SYMAN - PRES.

JOHN DITEISS - V. "

Operating Co.

TED MERRILL - SEC. - TREAS.

Address

CROWN KING - ARIZ.

Pres.

3 MEN LEASING

Genl. Mgr.

HAVE SHIPPED 6

Mine Supt.

CARS IN LAST YEARS TIME

Mill Supt.

- DEVELOPING -

Principal Metals

Men Employed

Production Rate

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed

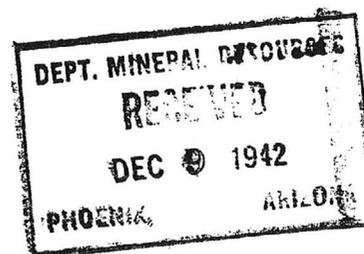
JSC.

(Over)

Crown King, Arizona. Dec. 8th, 1942.

MEMO.

GENERAL.



TO: J.S. Coupal

From: A. C. Nebeker

Mr Larwence DeZee, owner of Del Paso Mine.
Crown King, Arizona.

Reports he made application for a Development Loan, and two weeks after the application was sent in an examination was made. Mr DeZee applied for \$10,000 and it was suggested by the Engineer he accept \$7,500, this pleased Mr DeZee and he feels that all is O.K.

Mr. Vic Carlson, and Mr C. H. Manly who are working the old Ore Belle, or Pilgrim Mine, working 200 feet in the tunnel, have opened a new find of ore in a three foot vein, which they report carries 4.6 % copper, 14 ozs, silver and .70 Ozs gold, in some places the pay streak will go 2 Ozs gold along with the copper and silver.

They have now one car ready for shipping.
The address of these men is Crown King, Ariz.

Mr Dug. Coner is expected back from the East in a couple of days. He wired two days ago that work start on the Mayflower, and this work has been started.

A. C. Nebeker

DEL PASCO

YAVAPAI COUNTY

RRB WR 1/10/86: Dean Zill, 7410 E. Sutton, Scottsdale, Arizona reports that he and others are attempting to reopen the Del Pasco Mine, Yavapai County.

RRB WR 3/6/87: Dean Gill reports that he has tails running \$100 to the tone at the Del Pasco Mine (file) Yavapai County and he is looking for best way to extract it. I suggested a bottle leach test first and if necessary have Mountain States Research work up a flow sheet.

DEL PASCO MINE

YAVAPAI COUNTY

4/15/65

Mr. F. M. Gillett visited the office on Nov. 19, 1965 and said he has a lease on this property. Mr. F. M. Gillett's address is 28 W. Mission Lane, Phoenix, Ariz. (1p)

Rod Smith, Phoenix, came in for information on the Del Pasco mine near Crown King saying he and his uncle were going to open it soon. It is an old time Au producer but is presently caved at the portal of the X-C adit. GW WR 5/31/73

Rod Smith, Phoenix, locator of the old Del Pasco Au property near Crown King called to learn where he could sell newly mined Au. He was given Joe Willcoxson's phone number and told he could sell it to whom ever would buy it. GW WR 3-14-74

Mr. Haggerty (Big Ruth file) has recently restaked the old Del Pasco Au-Ag mine north of Crown King from which he brought some high grade specimen rock. GW WR 10/22/75

Had an appointment for 5:30 AM with Sm. Haggerty to examine the Del Pasco mine about 2 miles NW of Crown King; waited until 8:00 but Haggerty failed to show. GW WR 10/28/75

Bill Haggerty phoned for an office appointment for tomorrow to discuss the disposition of the Del Pasco mine which he recently staked. GW WR 12/2/75

Mr. William Haggerty, Phoenix, came in to discuss terms of a lease or purchase of his Del Pasco prospect with Mr. Buzzi. It was suggested that because he had a very small investment in the property the terms should be rather lenient. GW WR 12/3/75

RRB WR 9/12/80: Brad Smith, 1657 N. Barkley, Mesa, Arizona 85203, phone 834-0411, reports that he has filed claims on the Del Pasco Mine, Yavapai County, in May of this year. He says that he checked with the BLM and there were no valid claims on the property at that time. He intends to ship small lots to Colorado for testing while developing the property. Apparently he has an operation in Colorado in production.

KAP WR 10/24/80: Mountain States Engineers reported they have dropped their interest in the Del Pasco Mine, Pine Grove District, Yavapai County.

RRB WR 5/22/81 - Abram M. Peters of Del Pasco Mines, 815 N. 52nd St., Space 121, Phx. Az. 85008, 275-9303 was in to discuss sluise box recovery.

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES

VERBAL INFORMATION SUMMARY

1. Information from: John Geyer

Company:

Address: P.O. Box 198

Cave Creek, AZ 85331

2. Phone: 488-4222

3. Mine: DEL PASCO CLAIM GROUP

4. ADMMR Mine File: Same

5. County: Yavapai

6. Summary of information received, comments, etc.:

Mr. Geyer reports he and some acquaintances have acquired this property by staking new unpatented mining claims. They are currently conducting a dump sampling program to see the material warrants and is amenable to heap leaching to recover precious metal values.

Date: September 26, 1988

Nyal J. Niemuth, Mining Engineer

May 27, 1957

DEL PASCO GROUP

YAVAPAI COUNTY

This property idle.

MARK GEMMILL

DESCRIBED IN

A. B. M. BULL. #137, p. 57 (8-15-34)

U. S. G. S. BULL. #782, pp. 167-68



United States Department of the Interior

OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS
INTERIOR BOARD OF LAND APPEALS
4015 WILSON BOULEVARD
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22203

J. BRADLEY SMITH

IBLA 83-390

Decided June 15, 1983

Appeal from decision of Arizona State Office, Bureau of Land Management, declaring unpatented mining claims abandoned and void. A MC 109801 through A MC 109803.

Affirmed.

1. Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976: Recordation of Affidavit of Assessment Work or Notice of Intention to Hold Claim—Mining Claims: Abandonment

Under sec. 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. § 1744 (1976), the owner of mining claims located after Oct. 21, 1976, must file a notice of intention to hold or evidence of performance of assessment work on the claims prior to Dec. 31 of each year following the calendar year in which the claims were located. Pursuant to 43 CFR 3833.0-5(m), a proof of labor or notice of intention to hold will be deemed as timely filed if it is mailed in an envelope bearing a clearly dated postmark affixed by the United States Postal Service prior to Dec. 31, the period prescribed by law, and is delivered to the proper BLM office by Jan. 19 immediately following.

APPEARANCES: J. Bradley Smith, pro se.

OPINION BY ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE HENRIQUES

J. Bradley Smith ^{1/} appeals the Arizona State Office, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), decision of January 28, 1983, which declared the unpatented Del Pasco, Del Pasco East, and Del Pasco West lode mining claims, A MC 109801

^{1/} The claims are owned by J. Bradley Smith, Cecil L. Coker, and Loren Fullmer.

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through A MC 109803, abandoned and void because no proof of labor or notice of intention to hold the claims was filed with BLM prior to December 31, 1982, as required by section 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. § 1744 (1976).

The claims were located July 18, 1980. Proof of labor for 1981 was filed with BLM October 16, 1981.

Appellant alleges he mailed the 1982 proof of labor on December 27, 1982, in a Postal Service collection box located near the corner of Stapley and Main Streets, in Mesa, Arizona.

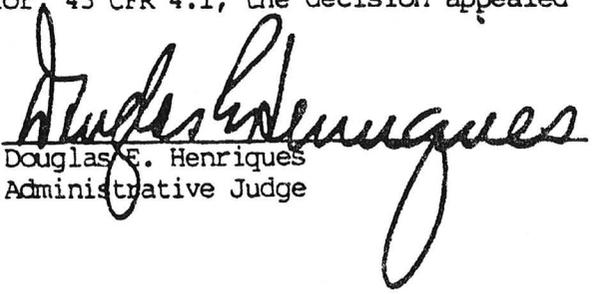
The envelope containing the proof of labor bears the postmark: "Phoenix, AZ 850 31 Dec. 1982," and was received by BLM January 3, 1983.

The Postmaster, Phoenix, Arizona, has advised the Board that the collection box near the corner of Stapley and Main Streets in Mesa receives a very large volume of mail so it would not be possible to miss collection on any business day. The box is collected shortly after 5 p.m., 7 days a week, and the mail is then sent to Phoenix at 6:45 p.m., for postmarking.

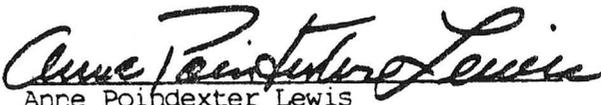
[1] Although the regulations have been amended to permit the "timely filing" of proofs of labor mailed in envelopes bearing a clearly dated postmark affixed by the United States Postal Service before midnight December 30 and received in the proper BLM office by January 19, where the postmark affixed to appellant's envelope shows December 31, 1982, he cannot be given the benefit of the amended regulation. Accordingly, when the proof of labor was not received by BLM by December 30, 1982, and the envelope received January 3, 1983, bore a postmark of December 31, 1982, BLM had no choice under the statute but to declare the claims abandoned and void.

In view of the statement by the Postmaster in Phoenix, it is not possible to afford any weight to the allegations of appellant that he deposited the envelope containing the proofs of labor in the Postal Service collection box on December 27.

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to the Board of Land Appeals by the Secretary of the Interior, 43 CFR 4.1, the decision appealed from is affirmed.


Douglas E. Henriques
Administrative Judge

We concur:


Anne Poindexter Lewis
Administrative Judge


Gail M. Frazier
Administrative Judge

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AMERICAN SMELTING AND REFINING COMPANY

P. O. BOX 1111

EL PASO, TEXAS

EL PASO SMELTING WORKS
ANDREW LIEBERT, ACCOUNTING MANAGER

December 11, 1962

Mr. Harry De Zee
Del Pasco Mine
Crown King, Arizona

DEAR Sir:

In answer to your letter of December 5, 1962, I am detailing below the tonnage and analyses of lead ores shipped from the Del Pasco Mine during the years of 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1946:

<u>Period</u>	<u>Tons</u>	<u>ozt.</u> <u>Au</u>	<u>ozt.</u> <u>Ag</u>	<u>%</u> <u>Pb</u>	<u>%</u> <u>Cu</u>	<u>\$102</u>	<u>A1203</u>
October, 1941	59	.93	2.6	8.5	.26	66.7	2.1
December, 1941	39	.665	2.5	9.2	.35	63.0	2.5
April, 1942	79	.83	3.7	13.8	.30	59.8	3.0
August, 1942	58	.56	2.3	8.6	.38	62.8	3.2
September, 1942	36	.33	1.9	7.2	.29	59.0	3.1
October, 1942	21	.78	2.7	10.85	.445	58.6	2.7
November, 1942	30	.505	2.5	7.9	.35	66.6	2.0
July, 1943	46	.30	1.3	5.1	.25	64.6	2.6
September, 1946	30	.23	1.7	5.8	.30	66.0	.4

Very truly yours,

A. Liebert
A. LIEBERT

CFC:plc
ccRFW

MEMORANDUM:

To: John H. Jett, Director
From: Glen Walker, Field Engineer
Subject: Del Pasco Mine Visit
Date: October 14, 1977

Accompanied Messrs. Judy and Duncan to the Del Pasco mine about 4 miles north of Crown King (unsurveyed). This is one of the oldest locations in the area but remains unpatented.

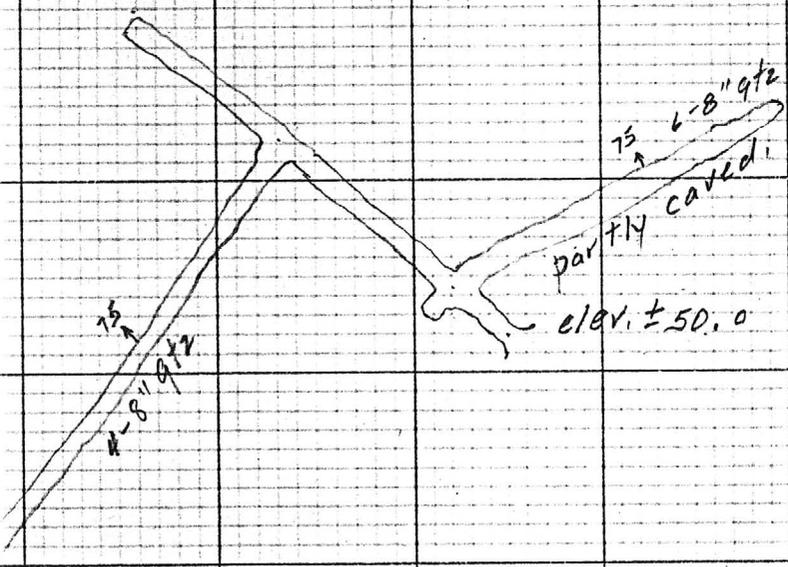
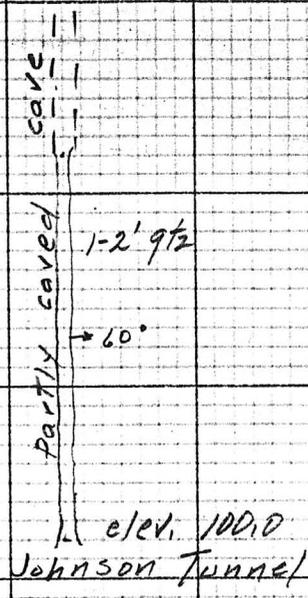
Messrs. Judy and Duncan located the property 2 years ago, but did no work on it. The purpose of this reconnaissance was to make suggestions for certain work; however, during the examination it was discovered that a Mr. Gessman had staked the claims in July 1977. They were undecided about contesting.

The area is underlain by greenstone which is intruded by a fine grained granite or a rhyolite porphyry. Northerly trending shears that contain considerable gouge as well as varying thicknesses of mineralized quartz make-up the ore deposits. In the Johnson Tunnel (see sketch) the shear zone is 3 ft. - 5 ft. wide with from 1 ft. to 2 ft. of quartz on the footwall, the zone is dipping about 60° east and is very gougy. In the lower cross-cut two separate but roughly parallel shears contain much smaller amounts of quartz and no stopping has been done on either. The file states there is a 65' x 35' x 2 to 3 ft. stope at 350 ft. from the portal of the Johnson Tunnel. Presently only about 100 ft. of the Johnson Tunnel is precariously accessible. About 150 ft. south of the lower crosscut is a vertical shaft partially caved at the collar, however, water appears to stand within about 40 ft. of the surface.

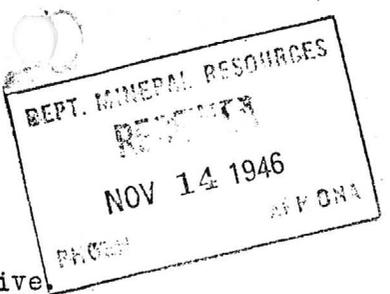
The file indicates that for the years 1941, 42, 43 and 1946 the mine produced 378 tons having an average content of 0.5989 oz. gold/ton, 2.417 oz. silver/ton and 8.75 % lead. At present market prices this ore would have a gross value of approximately \$154.00 per ton.

Mr. Judy took grab samples from the two dumps and cut two samples from underground exposures.

GW/ap



Sketch of Portion
 Del Pasco Mine
 10/12/77 1" = 50'
 gw.



NAME ~~OF COMPANY~~ HARRY DeZee
NAME OF MINE De la PASCO

(1) Production - January 1st to June 30, 1946, inclusive.

Producers shipping ore direct to smelters or to custom mills use Column No. 1; producers operating their own mill use Column No. 2.

COLUMN NO. 1				COLUMN NO. 2			
Tons	% Cu	% Pb	% Zn	Tons	% Cu	% Pb	% Zn
Crude Ore				Copper Conc.			
				Lead Conc.			
				Zinc Conc.			

Handwritten: 7 1/2 --- --- --- 24 } ---

(2) Average Price Received for Metals in Above Production

This to be the total of the ceiling price plus premiums.

Copper *16* ¢/lb. Conn. Valley as base
 Lead *11* ¢/lb. N.Y. as base
 Zinc *9 1/2* ¢ 9.50 ¢/lb. East St. Louis as base

(3) What do you estimate your production would have been, January 1st to June 30, 1946, if the metal price had been: Car Load

Cu *14 3/8* ¢/lb. Conn. Valley; Lead *8.25* ¢/lb. N.Y.; Zinc *8.25* ¢/lb East St. Louis (with no premiums)

COLUMN NO. 1		COLUMN NO. 2	
Crude Ore	<i>30 to 35</i> Tons	Copper Conc.	Tons
		Lead Conc.	Tons
		Zinc Conc.	Tons

(4) What do you estimate your production would have been, January 1st to June 30, 1946, if the metal prices had been:

Cu *16* ¢/lb. Conn. Valley; Lead *11* ¢/lb. N.Y.; Zinc *9.50* ¢/lb. East St. Louis (with no premiums)

COLUMN NO. 1		COLUMN NO. 2	
Crude Ore	<i>50 to 60</i> Tons	Copper Conc.	Tons
		Lead Conc.	Tons
		Zinc Conc.	Tons

(5) If a metal Conservation Price Plan, similar to the present Premium Price Plan, were made permanent for at least five years,

- (a) What would your yearly production of ore ~~or concentrates~~ be: *1800 tons.*
- (b) Would such a plan cause you to expand your exploration-development program? If so, how much? *3 times more*
- (c) What effect would such a plan have in increasing your ore reserves? *great*
- (d) In view of low tariffs, how would such a plan promote a healthy mining industry? *More mines promoted means more metal produced. The more the better.*

NAME OF MINE: DEL PASCO
OWNER:

COUNTY: Yavapai
DISTRICT:
METALS: Au, Pb, Zn

OPERATOR AND ADDRESS

MINF STATUS

Date:		Date:	
10/45	Harry DeZee, Crown King	10/45	Developing
		9/46	Shipping

DEL PASCO

Au, Pb

Yavapai

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Lawrence DeZee, Crown King

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine DEL PASCO
District CROWN KING

Date SEPT 30th, 1942
Engineer A.C. NEBEKER

Subject: PRODUCTION POSSIBILITIES
DeZee

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Winnell Mine.
Super Army

Mr. Carroll - Metallurgist - Eff. Pass - ✓
 Mr. Reed Welch " Ore Buyer Box 5705-1150 N 24th Ave
 Tucson 602-792-3010

Lead oxide ore No Pay on Copper under 1.3

Date Shipped	Tons	Gold	Silver	Lead	Net Per Ton	Net	Copper No Pay -
Oct 1941	59	.59	2.6	8.5	\$28.39	1675.01	.26
Oct 1941	39	.665	2.5	9.2	20.51	799.89	.35
April 1942	59	.83	3.7	13.8	33.00	1977.00	.3
Aug 1942	58	.56	2.3	8.4	18.80	1090.40	.38
Sept 1942	36	.33	1.9	7.2	9.40	338.40	.29
Oct 1942	21	.74	2.7	10.85	27.29	583.59	.445
Nov 1942	30	.505	2.5	7.9	16.88	506.40	.35
July 1943	46	.30	1.3	5.1	7.04	323.84	.25
Sept 1946	30	.23	1.7	5.8	8.70	261.00	.03

Net Prices Really Mill Cost, Freight - Payment to Federal Gov.
 Prices Gold 35.00 Today's Price 35.00
 Silver .900 1.28.880
 Lead .6.5 .16

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Del Pasco

September 30, 1942

Crown King

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Del Pasco

Date September 30, 1942

District Crown King

Engineer A. C. Nebeker

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BRADSHAW GOLD AND SILVER MINES

Among the numerous claims and mines of the Bradshaw Mountains the Crowned King holds a prominent place. It is opened by tunnel and shaft. The ore is pyritic and is worked in a 10-stamp mill nearby. As much as possible is collected on the plates and the concentrates collected by eight Frue vanners are shipped to smelting works. Wood and water are abundant.

The Luke mine is about 2 miles south of the Crowned King mine. Seven men are employed, and it produces about a carload of ore a month. The last shipment carried about 600 ounces of silver to the ton of ore. The ore is packed to a wagon road upon burros and thence is hauled by wagons to the railroad at Phoenix. There are three veins—the Lorena, Congar, and Eclipse. The shaft on the Lorena is 300 feet deep with three levels.

The Rapid Transit mine is located less than a mile south of the Luke. It is opened by tunnels. The ores have been worked partly at the Oro Bella mill, and partly at the Old Tiger mill. Several shipments of bullion have been reported. The last two bars were valued at \$1,800.

The Oro Bella, Oro Bonito and Grey Eagle mines are upon well-formed gold-bearing quartz ledges and are equipped with a mill, but for some reason these properties have been allowed to lie unworked for years. All these veins produced rich gold ore at and near the surface. The oxidized ores were all rich in free gold, and the bright, clean sulphides which come in below give good results by assay. It would appear that these ores could be successfully concentrated, and that the concentrates could be successfully treated on the spot by chlorination, or by the cyanide process.

The New Jersey is reported among other promising veins. The Tiger mine, a large and rich lode of silver ore, celebrated in the earlier days of mining in the Territory was worked to a depth of about 350 feet and has since stood idle. It was well equipped with powerful machinery and with a mill which still stands, but the village which formerly grew up about the mine and mill has fallen into ruins and has mostly disappeared.

The famous Peck mine is also in the Bradshaw district. It was a large producer of silver, and is credited with an amount equal to \$1,000,000 in value when an ounce was worth \$1. It is reported that this mine is to be reopened.

✓ The Del Pasco is another property of historic record, upon which a tunnel is now being run to tap the veins at a greater depth.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

STATE OF ARIZONA

FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Date: October 14, 1939

Mine: Del Pasco Group Engineer: Carl G. Barth, Jr.

District: Pine Grove Location: Near Crown King

Owner: Dezee and Campbell Address: Crown King, Arizona

Operator: Del Pasco Mining Corp. Address: Crown King, Arizona

President: Wm. H. Synan Gen. Mgr.: Wm. H. Synan

Mine Supt.: Wm. H. Synan Mill Supt.: Wm. H. Synan

Principal Metals: Gold, silver Men Employed: 4

Production Rate Mill - Type & Cap.

Power - Amt. & Type: Portable Compressor and gas hoist.

Operations - Present: Stoping from new prospect. Shaft 85 feet deep. Have shipped several. Lots of high grade ore.

Operations Planned: Opening old workings in search of ore.

Number Claims, Title, etc: 5 unpatented.

Description - Topog. & Geog.: Rugged southern slopes of Tower Mountain, overlooking Crown King.

Mine Workings - Amt. & Condition: Amount unknown and mostly inaccessible.

Geology & Mineralization: In diorite intruded by rhyolite porphyry strike N-NE;
Dip 70° W. Quartz vein, with Galena, Pyrite, Sphalerite.

Ore - Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings: Unknown.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet:

Road Conditions, Route: 5 miles by road - Crown King Tower Mt. Road.
Steep dirt road. Part of Senator Highway.

Water Supply:

Brief History: Mentioned 1874; several hundred feet worked in early days. In
1922 Jackson vein worked by Reef and Carner. Reported
production \$200,000.

Special Problems, Reports Filed:

Remarks

If property for sale - Price, terms and address to negotiate.

Signed: Carl G. Barth, Jr.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Date *Oct. 14, 1939*

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Former name *—*

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Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

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Use additional sheets if necessary. Separate sheets on each problem.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Date Oct. 14, 1939

Mine DEL PASCO GROUP

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District Pine Grove

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SURVEY OF OPERATING MINES

May 28th 1942.

By A. C. Nebeker

DEL PASO MINE

Del Paso Mine
Lawrence DeZee, Owner

P.O. Crown King Arizona

The Del Paso Mine is located 4 miles North of Crown King by road, Yavapai Co, Arizona.

7 Mining claims held by doing assessment work, but survey has been done for patent.

The elevation of the mine is 7400 feet.

The property is developed by a shallow shaft and two tunnels with drifts both north and south, 400 ft of drifting has been done.

The vein is 2ft to 4 ft thick with a dip of 75 degrees to the north, the strike is N.E. 30 degrees.

The formation is Porphyry and Granitic.

Metals mined, Lead- Gold- Silver.

Value assay from, Lead 12% to 16%, Gold .8 Oz to 1.00 Oz, Silver 2 to 4 Ozs.

Shipped two car loads in 1941 which netted \$2000.00 Shipped to El Paso

1942, shipment so far 4 cars net value not disclosed

The present work is being done with 3 men working by hand. There is a compressor and gasoline engine on the property, but not used.

When the Crown King Mill is ready to receive ore, the owner aims to double up work and have the ore milled there.

A spring of water is on the property which will furnish plenty for regular mining purposes.

Owner is not worried about funds, for he says that when he needs money he will make a shipment.

He would be willing to sell, and would consider term with any interested party. There is no Salvage.

The road is a one way road and pretty stiff grade.

A. C. Nebeker



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

Date: March 7, 1942

- 1. Mine: Del Pasco
- 2. Location: Pine Grove Dist., Yavapai County, Ariz., in Bradshaw Mts., five miles north of Crown King near the Old Senator Road.
- 3. Mining District & County: Pine Grove Dist., Yavapai Co., Arizona
- 4. Former name: Del Pasco
- 5. Owner: Lawrence DeZee
- 6. Address (Owner) Crown King, Arizona
- 7. Operator: Lawrence DeZee
- 8. Address (Operator) " " "
- 9. President, Owing Co.
- 9A. President, Operating Co.
- 10. Gen. Mgr.
- 14. Principal Minerals: Gold and lead
- 11. Mine Supt.
- 15. Production Rate: 35 tons per month.
- 12. Mill Supt.
- 16. Mill - Type & Cap. No mill
- 13. Men Employed: Two
- 17. Power - Amt. & Type: No power. Power line 1 mile away.
- 18. Operations - present: Drifting on the Jackson Strata vein with hand steel and stoping. Drift now in 400 feet.
- 19. Operations: Planned: Drift 500 or 600 feet further on above vein. Backs are 150 to 200 feet at present.
- 20. Number Claims, Title, etc.: Seven unpatented claims, all properly recorded. Patent survey has been made but not completed.
- 21. Description - Topography & Geography: Elevation 6500 ft. to 7500 ft. Steep rugged terrain covered with a good stand of pine timber.
- 22. Mine Workings - Amt. & Condition: 400 feet of drifting with considerable stoping. Shaft 60 feet deep at mouth of old Del Pasco tunnel. This tunnel is caved. About six hundred tons of ore has been shipped from this property, mostly from the Jackson Strata vein, in the past four years. The values included a considerable quantity of lead, which seems to be coming in in greater quantities. Much of the ore shipped went to the El Paso smelter on account of its lead content.

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23. Geology & Mineralization: The contact is porphyry and schist. The porphyry dyke along which the Jackson Strata runs is traceable for several miles across the country. The dip is about 80 degrees. The ore has been oxides so far but is going into the sulphides lately.
24. Ore - positive & probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings: Only ore running \$30.00 or better can be shipped, and several thousand tons running from \$10.00 to \$25.00 are left in the stopes and on the dumps.
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25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow-Sheet: No mill on property. Have arranged to ship our lower grades to a custom mill at Crown King which will be ready to operate in 60 days.
26. Road Conditions, Route: The road is usually in good condition and with a small amount of work can be made excellent. Grade is good. Winter snows usually stop hauling while they last but that can be obviated with a few days work when the snow is fresh fallen.
27. Water Supply: There is plenty of water for domestic purposes from a spring at the camp. Water is developed at depth in the mine.
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29. Special Problems, Reports Filed:
30. Remarks: This property is one that will pay its way if given a chance, and I plan on paying for its development from returns from the mine. Owing to the fact that the ore has always been shipped to a smelter, the lead content was often lost, but by concentrating it the lead values can all be saved and that will be done through having the advantage of a custom mill close to the property.
31. If property for sale - Price, terms and address to negotiate:

~~Not for sale.~~

Signed: Lawrence DeZee

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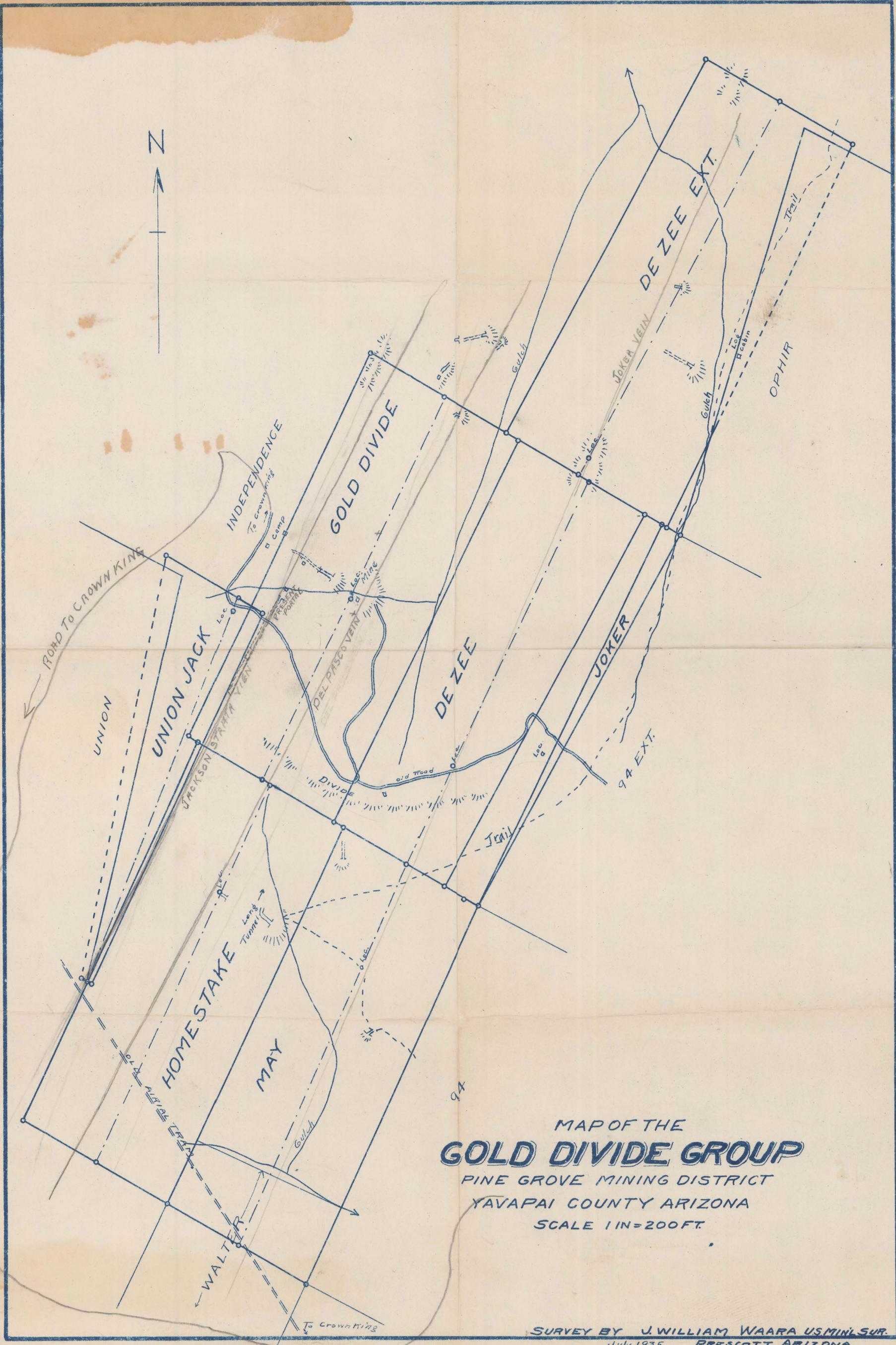
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32. Signature

Laurence DeZee

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.



MAP OF THE
GOLD DIVIDE GROUP

PINE GROVE MINING DISTRICT
 YAVAPAI COUNTY ARIZONA
 SCALE 1 IN = 200 FT.

SURVEY BY J. WILLIAM WAARA USMINLSUR.
 July 1935 PRESCOTT ARIZONA