

CONTACT INFORMATION

Mining Records Curator Arizona Geological Survey 1520 West Adams St. Phoenix, AZ 85007 602-771-1601 http://www.azgs.az.gov inquiries@azgs.az.gov

The following file is part of the

Arizona Department of Mines and Mineral Resources Mining Collection

ACCESS STATEMENT

These digitized collections are accessible for purposes of education and research. We have indicated what we know about copyright and rights of privacy, publicity, or trademark. Due to the nature of archival collections, we are not always able to identify this information. We are eager to hear from any rights owners, so that we may obtain accurate information. Upon request, we will remove material from public view while we address a rights issue.

CONSTRAINTS STATEMENT

The Arizona Geological Survey does not claim to control all rights for all materials in its collection. These rights include, but are not limited to: copyright, privacy rights, and cultural protection rights. The User hereby assumes all responsibility for obtaining any rights to use the material in excess of "fair use."

The Survey makes no intellectual property claims to the products created by individual authors in the manuscript collections, except when the author deeded those rights to the Survey or when those authors were employed by the State of Arizona and created intellectual products as a function of their official duties. The Survey does maintain property rights to the physical and digital representations of the works.

QUALITY STATEMENT

The Arizona Geological Survey is not responsible for the accuracy of the records, information, or opinions that may be contained in the files. The Survey collects, catalogs, and archives data on mineral properties regardless of its views of the veracity or accuracy of those data.

PRINTED: 11-14-2006

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: JOE BEN, BEN JOE & LUCKY STRIKE

ALTERNATE NAMES:

YAVAPAI COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 1073B

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 13 N RANGE 1 W SECTION 36 QUARTER S2 LATITUDE: N 34DEG 27MIN 45SEC LONGITUDE: W 112DEG 19MIN 04SEC

TOPO MAP NAME: POLAND JUNCTION - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: EXP PROSPECT

COMMODITY:

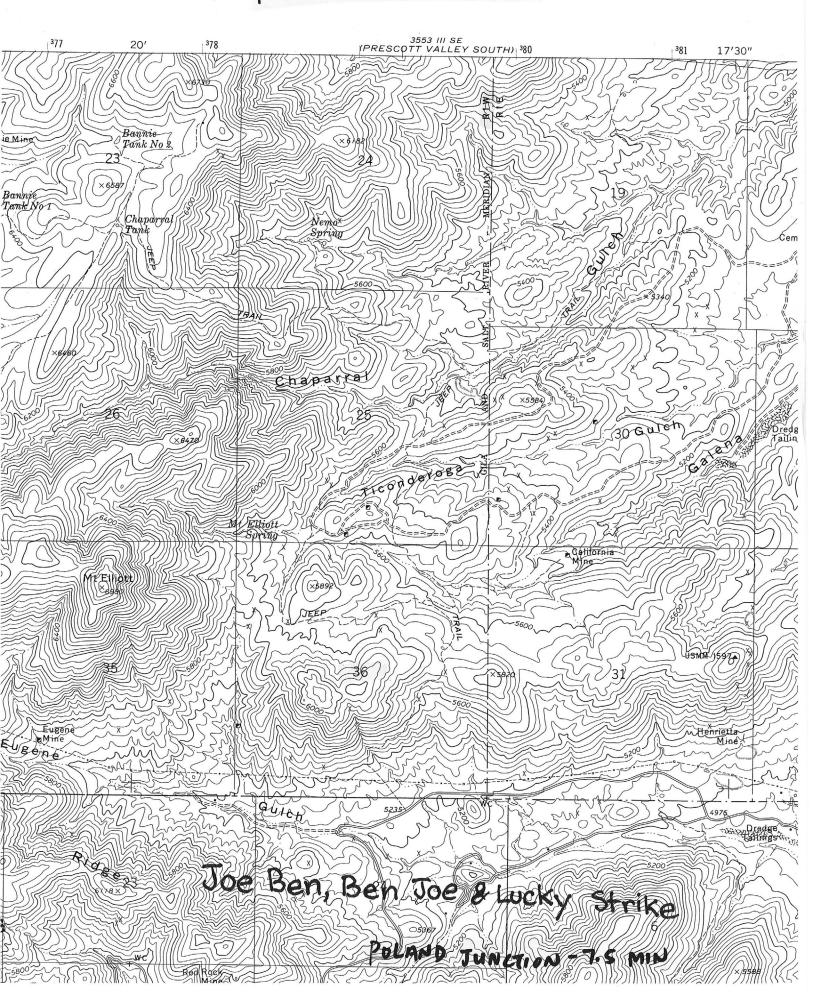
GOLD SILVER

GOLD PLACER

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

USGS POLAND JUNCTION QUAD ADMMR JOE BEN, BEN JOE, AND LUCKY STRIKE FILE

POLAND JUNCTION 7. M



MJ-7

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA OWNERS MINE REPORT

1940 Date

Mine - Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

Mining Dist. & County - Big Bug Dist. Yavapai Co.

Former Name

Owners - J. H. York and Ben Heath

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals - Gold, Some silver.

inter which make a color of the state of the

AND ALLEY A CONTROL AND A CONTROL OF A

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Location - 7 miles west of Humboldt. Take old McCabe road out from Humboldt, follow to the Leland Mine, then it is 1 mile south of the Leland.

Address - Camp Verde, Arizona Humboldt, Arizona

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt

Men Employed - One

Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations: Present - On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft. The other three just assessment work. Ben Heath is living there and doi g some development work.

Operations Planned

is reached a more than the state of the contraction Number Claims, Title, etc. 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and Joe Ben Extension. 5 placer claims.

Description: Topography & Geography - The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliott and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash,

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition - 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings -

Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. - On the claim where we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. ledge, and it crops up all across the adjoining claim. There is lots of it and will be easy mined. 2 claims assay \$10.63 (average) One claim, which is only an assessment hole runs \$13.90. It has a 40 ft. ledge. The placer runs \$1.50 per yard.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route - There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within $\frac{1}{2}$ mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Leland.

Water Supply - Just enough well water for camp use.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed - The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.

Remarks - We have done all the assessment work and have no record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lot of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate - \$5,000. \$5,000 cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt.

Men Employed - One

Mill: Type & Cap.

Location - 7 miles west of Humboldt.

of the Leland.

Address - Camp Verde, Arizona

Take old McCabe road out from

Humboldt, follow to the Leland

Mine, then it is 1 mile south

Humboldt, Arizona

Mine - Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

Mining Dist. & County - Big Bug Dist. Yavapai Co.

Former Name

Owners - J. H. York and Ben Heath

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals - Gold. Some silver.

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present - On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft.

The other three just assessment work.

Ben Heath is living there and doi g some development work.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. - 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and Joe Ben Extension.

5 placer claims.

Description: Topography & Geography - The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliott and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition - 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings -

Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. - On the claim where we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. ledge, and it crops up all across the adjoining claim. There is lots of it and will be easy mined. 2 claims assay \$10.63 (average) One claim, which is only an assessment hole runs \$13.90. It has a 40 ft. ledge. The placer runs \$1.50 per yard.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route - There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within $\frac{1}{2}$ mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Leland.

Water Supply - Just enough well water for camp use.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed - The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.

Remarks - We have done all the assessment work and have no record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lot of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate - \$5,000. \$5,000 cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

MJ-7

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date 1940

Mine - Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

Mining Dist. & County - Big Bug Dist.
Yavapai Co.

Former Name

Owners - J. H. York and Ben Heath

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals - Gold. Some silver.

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Location - 7 miles west of Humboldt.

Take old McCabe road out from
Humboldt, follow to the Leland
Mine, then it is 1 mile south
of the Leland.

Address - Camp Verde, Arizona Humboldt, Arizona

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt.

Men Employed - One

Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations: Present - On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft.

The other three just assessment work.

Ben Heath is living there and doi g some development work.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. - 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and
Joe Ben Extension.

5 placer claims.

Tescription: Topography & Geography - The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliott and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition - 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings -

Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. - On the claim where we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. ledge, and it crops up all across the adjoining claim. There is lots of it and will be easy mined. 2 claims assay \$10.63 (average) One claim, which is only an assessment hole runs \$13.90. It has a 40 ft. ledge. The placer runs \$1.50 per yard.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route - There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within ½ mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Leland.

Water Supply - Just enough well water for camp use.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed - The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.

Remarks - We have done all the assessment work and have no record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lot of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate - \$5,000. \$5,000 cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

MJ-7

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date 1940

Mine - Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

Mining Dist. & County - Big Bug Dist. Yavapai Co.

Former Name

Owners - J. H. York and Ben Heath

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals - Gold. Some silver.

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present - On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft.

The other three just assessment work.

Ben Heath is living there and doi g some development work.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. - 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and Joe Ben Extension.

5 placer claims.

Description: Topography & Geography - The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliott and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition - 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

Location - 7 miles west of Humboldt.

Take old McCabe road out from
Humboldt, follow to the Leland
Mine, then it is 1 mile south
of the Leland.

Address - Camp Verde, Arizona Humboldt, Arizona

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt.

Men Employed - One

Mill: Type & Cap.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings -

Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. - On the claim where we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. ledge, and it crops up all across the adjoining claim. There is lots of it and will be easy mined. 2 claims assay \$10.63 (average) One claim, which is only an assessment hole runs \$13.90. It has a 40 ft. ledge. The placer runs \$1.50 per yard.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route - There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within $\frac{1}{2}$ mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Leland.

Water Supply - Just enough well water for camp use.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed - The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.

Remarks - We have done all the assessment work and have no record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lot of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate - \$5,000. \$5,000 cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

MJ-7

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date / 9 4 0

Mine - Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

Mining Dist. & County - Big Bug Dist. Yavapai Co.

Former Name

Owners - J. H. York and Ben Heath

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals - Gold. Some silver.

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present - On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft.

The other three just assessment work,

Ben Heath is living there and doi g some development work.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. - 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and Joe Ben Extension.

5 placer claims.

Description: Topography & Geography - The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliott and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition - 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

Location - 7 miles west of Humboldt. Take old McCabe road out from Humboldt, follow to the Leland Mine, then it is I mile south

of the Leland:

Address - Camp Verde, Arizona Humboldt, Arizona

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt.

Men Employed - One

Mill: Type & Cap.

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings -

Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. - On the claim where we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. ledge, and it crops up all across the adjoining claim. There is lots of it and will be easy mined. 2 claims assay \$10.63 (average) One claim, which is only an assessment hole runs \$13.90. It has a 40 ft. ledge. The placer runs \$1.50 per yard.

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route - There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within $\frac{1}{2}$ mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Leland.

Water Supply - Just enough well water for camp use.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed - The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.

Remarks - We have done all the assessment work and have no record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lot of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate - \$5,000. \$5,000 cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA

OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date 1940

1. Mine Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike

2. Mining District & County Big Bug Mining District.
Yavapai County

3. Former name

5. OwnerJ. H. York and Ben Heath

7. Operator

9. President

11. Mine Supt.

4. Location 7 miles west of Humboldt, Ariz. Take old McCabe road out from Humboldt, follow to the Leland Mine, then it is 1 mile south of the Leland.

6. Address (Owner) (York) Camp Verde, Ariz. (Heath) Humboldt, Ariz.

8. Address (Operator)

10. Gen. Mgr.

12. Mill Supt.

13. Principal Metals Gold: 2 claims assay \$10.63 (avg.)4. Men Employed One man L claim \$13.90. Some silver. The placer

15. Production Rests runs \$1.50 per yd.

16. Mill: Type & Cap.

17. Power: Amt. & Type

18. Operations: Present On one claim we have a 30 ft. shaft.

The other three just assessment work.

Ben Heath is living there and doing some development work.

19. Operations Planned

20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 4 lode claims, Joe Ben, Ben Joe, Lucky Strike and Joe Ben extension.

5 placer claims.

21. Description: Topography & Geography

The elevation is about 5000 ft. It is rugged about 1 mile east of Mt. Elliot and 1 mile north of Eugene Wash.

22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition 1 shaft 30 ft. deep.

23. Geology & Mineralization Quartz, redge between t	he granite and schist fissure vein, oxides
TRUPAN BAIM S	N.SHW()
n4.51	
24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings	i Mine inc two, bun Jos, Luning Stolla
ri, juhludini (po dada asilin V jenjetel je ji dririr Losan jenji jenji kodana draba jila jeka jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenjeti jenje	A Marine Status & Corres Signal County Status Sauces
24-A Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. On the claim where ledge, and it of there is lots of	here we have the shaft there is a 3 ft. crops up all across the adjoining claim. If it and will be easy mined. Then the s.90 is just the assessment hole. It has

- 25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet
- 26. Road Conditions, Route

 There is an old road to the placer claims that can be traveled the year around, and a road within 1/2 mile of the lode claims. It is rough in places. Going out west from Humboldt you take the first right hand road, go right by the Iron King mine. If in doubt get directed there to the Leland mine, then we are about 1 mile on south from the Ieland.

ingelpad and Pijgget 63.019 gama sutsin S islog widdingandi 12.

- 27. Water Supply Just enough well water for camp use.
- 28. Brief History
- 29. Special Problems, Reports Filed The reason we have not worked the placer is it is dry and cannot develop the lode claims for lack of funds.
- 30. Remarks We have done all the assessment work and have on record, that is all we have done. There will be about 1/2 mile of road to build not very bad, some grading, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$10 ore they could start right to shipping for there is a lat of it in sight and it runs an average of \$10.63 per ton. It was assayed at Mayer, Arizona.
- 31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. \$5000.

Five thousand cash will take it all, both placer and lode.

32.	Signed	J. H. York	
	_	Camp Verde,	Arizona.

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

DEPT. MINERAL RESOURCES
RECEIVED
DURCES SEP 21 1940 AM VEOLOGO 85
PHOENIX, ARMONA

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES SEP 21 1940 STATE OF ARIZONA MINE OWNER'S REPORT PHOENIX,

1. Mine Jol Ben, Ben Jol. 2. Mine Juicky Sticke.	2. Location Timiles what of thembolish out wit Jake Ald McCable rood out the Seland from Humbolat, follow to the Seland
3. Mining District & County Bir But mining dirth	wit Take old Met follow to the Telland
3. Mining District & County Big Bug mining district 4. Former name 4. Former name	Jake Ald McClabe rook of fellow to the Jeland from Humbolet follow to the Jeland from Mind. Then its one mily south of the fellow to the Seland
1. All walks to blooth	And one is all the beautiful to
5. Owner J. H. york El Ben Heath	6. Address (Owner) & A Hemboldt Are
7. Operator	8. Address (Operator) Ben Heath Humboldt Arigo
9. President, Owning Co.	9A. President, Operating Co.
10. Gen. Mgr.	14. Principal Minerals Mold: 2 Claims asset to 5
11. Mine Supt.	15. Production Rate Some silver. The places
12. Mill Supt.	16. Mill: Type & Cap.
13. Men Employed ome man	17. Power: Amt. & Type
18. Operations: Present on and claim we have 30 ft.	ork.
Ben Heath is living there and doing some development work,	27. Water Supply
19. Operations: Planned	
	28 Brief History
20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 4 lode claims. Jel Ben extension, 5 placer cl	Joe. Ben Ben Joe Lucky strike and anis, bold tropos smolder & labour 18
21. Description; Topography & Geography the elevat about mile east of Mut. Ellist work. 22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition	I smill modil of centine
22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition Most	of our

ESPT. MINERAL RESOURCES . . 23. Geology & Mineralization quarty lease between the trancle and Shist-MINE OWNER'S RECEDED YOU 24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings 24A. Dimensions and Value of Ore body an the claim when we have the wholf they There is lots of it and will be early mined. Then the are that rents 13,90 is furt the assemut whole it has a 40 nich ledge in mobile of 25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow-Sheet 4. Principal Minerals 11. Mine Supt. 26. Road Conditions, Route There is an old road to the felacer Clarines; that can be troveled the glas around, and a road with resmill of the loke dawn, its pritty rough in places going out west from Humboldt you take the first sight hand road, go right by the France Just enough well mine, if an doubt get directed there to the worth water for compare, I feland mine, then we are about I miles an South water for compare, of the leland. 28. Brief History 29. Special Problems, Reports Filed The maron we have two ked the place is its dry, and can't develop the lode claims for tack of funds, 30. Remarks We have don't the assessment work and have an record. that all we have done. There will about in mile of road to build not very bod, some gradeing, mostly cutting brush, and if one can ship \$1000 one they could start-right- to shipping, for there is late of it in sight- and it- runs an average of \$15.63 pr. ton it was assured 31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. \$5000. fire thousand cash will take it all both places and look 32. Signature J. H. Gork 33. Use additional sheets if necessary. Carry whe light

May 27, 1957

JOE BEN, BEN JOE, LUCKY STRIKE

YAVAPAI COUNTY

No information on this property.

MARK GEMMILL

JOE BEN, BEN JOE, LUCKY STRIKE

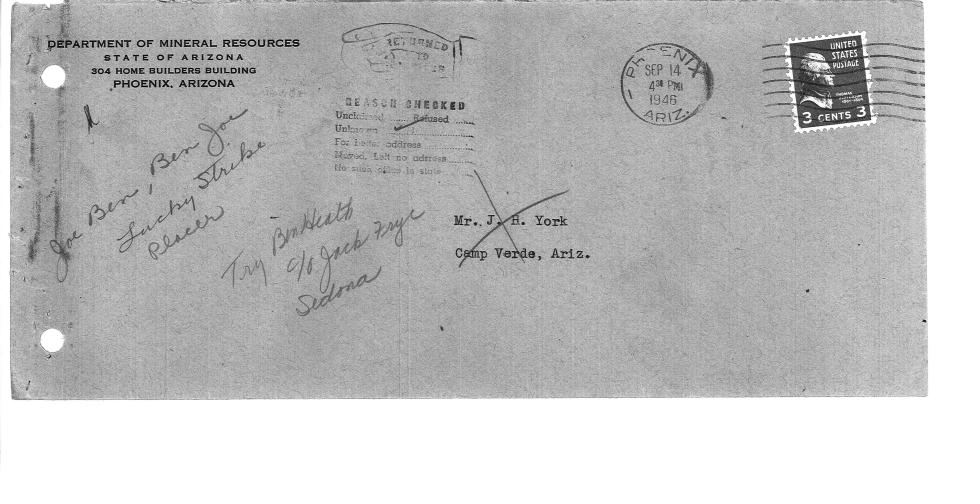
Au, Ag

Yavapai

13 - 4

T 13 N, R 1 W

J. H. York, Camp Verde & Ben Heath, Humboldt unclaimed 9-14-46



DETT. M' 1" PETOURCES Dept. of Mineral Resources: Phoenix aris. A. S. Coupal; Dear sis: I have a little more information on my mine owenes Report. That might Hof some help. The party that Jamis one of may Clairs is suking a shaft with going to ship a car load of his one, he is down 12 ft, and it is running

from \$26.00 to 40.00 in gold for ton. and we have decided that we would give a leare for 60 0190 days with aption to sell- and will gie a little better I did of the location Monabout and miles south west of the ald Jessig and union, and 2 miles west of mecade. J. N. york Camp verde arijona Mr. J. H. York, Camp Verde, Arizona.

Dear Mr. York:

Referring to your letter addressed to Mis-26, I beg to advise that this communication has been forwarded to the party making the inquiry.

I find that we have no record of a report having been filed on your property, and I am, therefore, enclosing herewith a blank mine owners report, which I should suggest that you fill out in detail and return to this office, so that information may be available concerning your mine, in case we have additional calls for properties such as your.

Assuring you of my desire to be helpful,

I am

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal, Director.

JSC-aam

Encls.

Mr. J. H. York Camp Verde, Arizona.

My dear Mr. York:

I thank you for your letter of recent date in which you give me additional information on the JOE BEN, BEN JOE, LUCKY STRIKE MINE in the Big Bug ining District, Yavapai County.

Your letter has been filed with mine owners report covering this property.

With best wishes, I am

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal Director

JSC-jrf