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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES FILE DATA

PRIMARY NAME: JOKER 1 TO 3

ALTERNATE NAMES:

GERTRUDE CLAIM  
FLORENCE CLAIM  
SPRING PROPERTY  
POINDEXTER

GILA COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 117

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 1 S RANGE 16 E SECTION 30 QUARTER C  
LATITUDE: N 33DEG 19MIN 07SEC LONGITUDE: W 110DEG 44MIN 58SEC  
TOPO MAP NAME: CUTTER - 15 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER

COMMODITY:

GOLD  
SILVER

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

USGS CUTTER QUAD  
ADMR JOKER 1-3 FILE  
CLAIMS HAVE EXTENDED INTO SEC 25 & 36  
T1S-R15E

STATE OF ARIZONA, } I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed and recorded  
 County of \_\_\_\_\_ } ss. \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ M.  
 In Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, at the request of \_\_\_\_\_

Fee No.:

*Joker File*

When recorded mail to: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness my hand and official seal.

County Recorder

Fee: \$

By \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Recorder

## NOTICE OF MINING CLAIM LOCATION

1. ☐ Location ☐ Amendment ☐ Relocation  
 2. ☐ Placer ☒ Lode ☐ Millsite ☐ Tunnelsite

3. The name and address of the Locator is

Ollie L Johnson and Linda L Otto

Name

Box 8124

Address

Van Nuys

California

91409

City

State

Zip

4. The name of the claim is Joker # 9  
 5. The date of the location is \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. The claim is 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide. The distance from the Location monument to each end of the claim is 1500 feet in a North East direction and 600 feet in a South West direction.  
 7. The general course of the claim is from the North to the South.  
 8. The location of the claim is in Section 30, Township 1 S, Range 16  
 G&SRB&M, Globe Mining District, Gila County, Arizona.  
 9. If amending or relocating, the previous claim name was \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ recorded in Docket \_\_\_\_\_, Book \_\_\_\_\_,  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Mining District, \_\_\_\_\_ County, Arizona.  
 10. The location of the claim with reference to a natural object or permanent monument is \_\_\_\_\_  
One mile off Rt. 77 ( Winkleman Rd ) West on dirt road, East of  
Forest Service Water Tank,

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

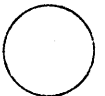
# MAP OF MINING CLAIM LOCATION

1. The name of the claim is Joker # 9
2. The S. E. corner of the claim is 600 feet in a N.W. direction to a survey monument or permanent natural object described as Forest Service Water Tank
3. The type of location monument is Rock W. 2 (4x4) Wood Stakes W. Claim Papers.  
The type of corner and end monuments are Rock W. 4x4 Wood Stakes.
4. The bearing and distance between the corners of the claim are beginning at the N.E. corner of the claim, 600 feet in a N.W. direction to the N.E. corner, then 1500 feet in a S.W. direction to the N.E. corner, then 600 feet in a S.E. direction to the N.W. corner, then 1500 feet in a N.E. direction to the point of beginning.

## MAP

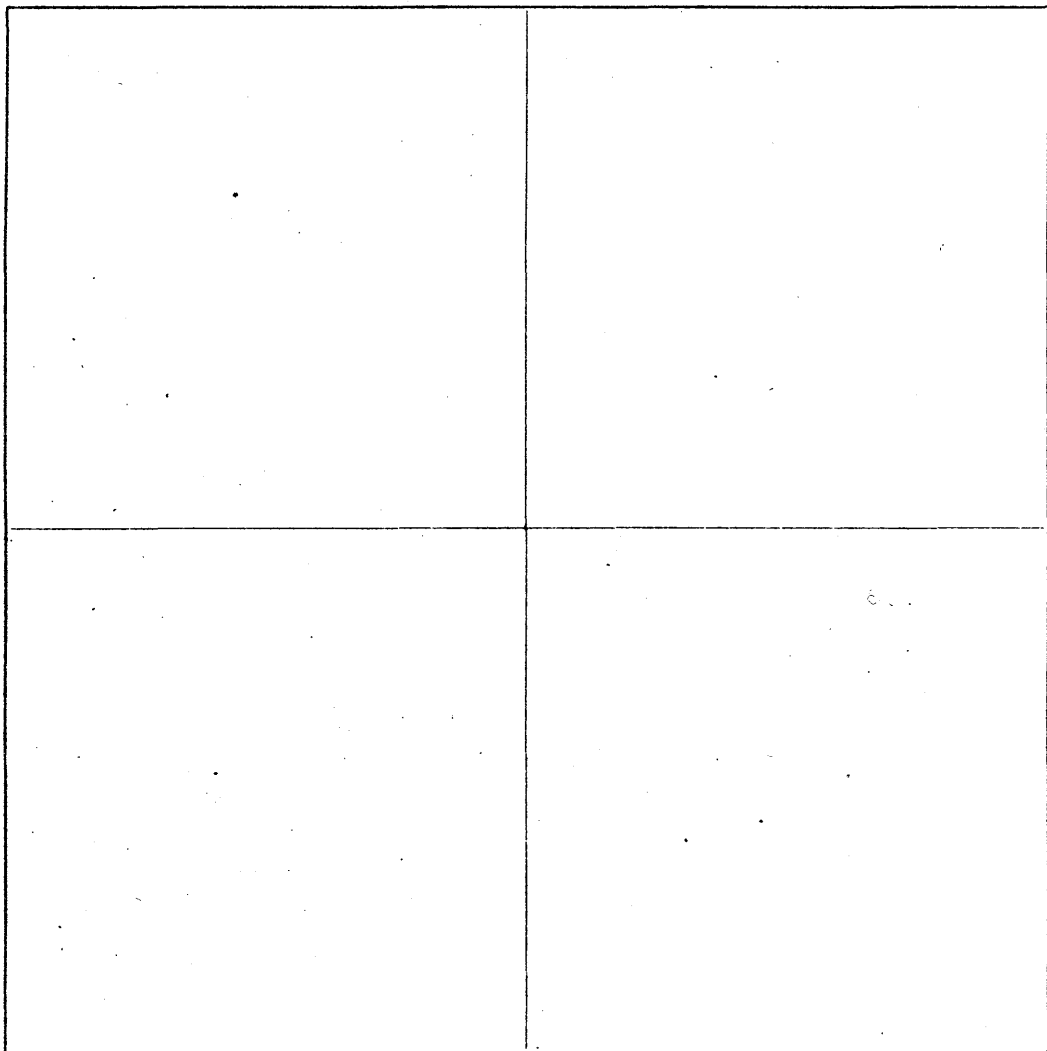
One inch = One thousand feet

North Arrow



ONE MILE

ONE MILE



640 ACRES

Section 30 Range 16 E. Township 1 S, G&SRB&M

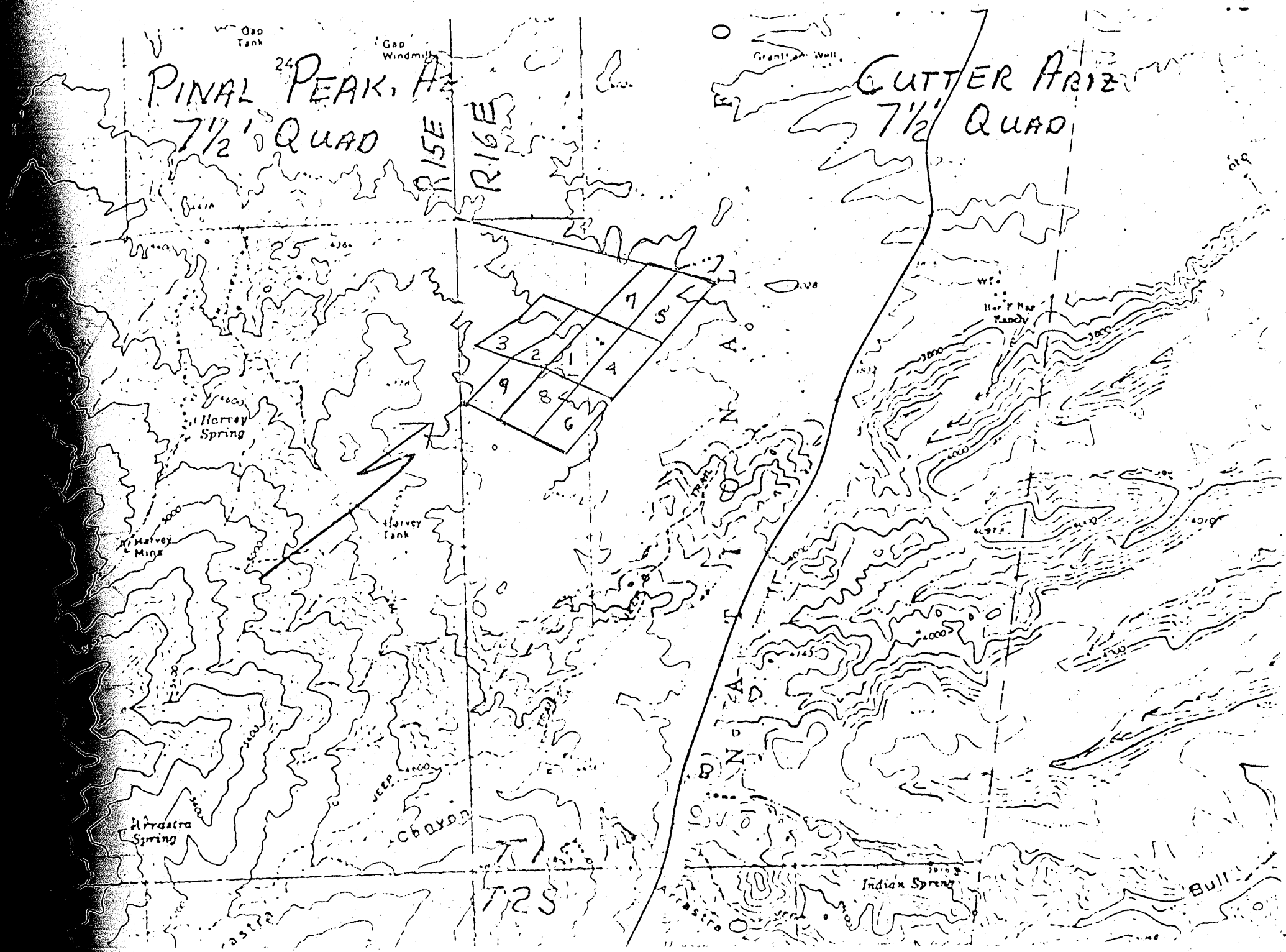
Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_



PINAL PEAK, AZ  
7 1/2 QUAD

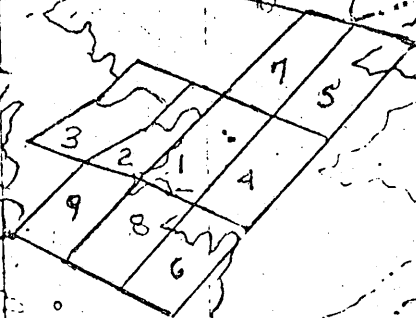
CUTTER ARIZ  
7 1/2 QUAD



PINAL PEAK, AZ  
7 1/2' QUAD

CUTTER ARIZ  
7 1/2' QUAD

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JOKER #1-#3

Gila County  
Pinal Mountain (Pioneer)

Sec. 25, T1S, R15E  
Sec. 30, T1S, R16E

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RRB WR 7/11/80: Ollie Johnson, P.O. Box 8124, Van Nuys, California 91409, phone (213) 761-0454, and Steve LeMaster (her son), 3702 N. Delaware, Indianapolis, Indiana 86204, were in to report that they are filing on an old mine in Sec. 25, T1S, R15E, and Sec. 30, T1S, R16E, Pinal Mountain (Pioneer) District, Gila County. They have an assay report of 5 oz Ag and .49 oz Au. The old workings have been fi-  
led in by Forest Service.

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KAP WR 8/1/80: Mrs. Ollie Johnson, P.O. Box 8124, Van Nuys, California 91409, phone (213) 761-0454, reported that she along with her son, Steve E. LeMasters, 3702 N. Delaware, Indianapolis, Indiana, 86204 (see RRB WR 7-11-80) have located three lode claims -- Joker #1-#3. According to the location papers Mrs Johnson exhibited, the claims are located in Section 25, T1S, R15E, and Section 30, T1S, R16E, Pinal Mountain (Pioneer) District, Gila County. However, when the claims were plotted for her on Pinal Peak 7½ Min. Quad. as per her location notice, she explained that it is not really where she wants the claims. She thought they were locating some old prospects in the general vicinity and has asked for our help in determining the proper location and advising her on further activity on the prospect. Assay reports made out to Lee Johnson, which reports on analysis of two samples from the prospect, was provided for inclusion into a file. The assay results show indication of potential economic quantities of gold and silver. Future samples should also be analyzed for lead content. The prospect will be visited on our next trip into the Globe area.

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KAP WR 11/28/80: Traveled to Globe and met Mrs. Ollie Johnson and continued on to the Joker Claims, Globe District, Gila County. Mrs. Johnson and her sons located three lode claims (Joker #1 thru #3) on the old Gertrude, Florence, and Spring Mines. (A separate report will be written.) *Map only*

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KAP WR 5/8/81 - Brooks W. Copeland reported no recent work has been done. He reported that the property contains free gold in quartz and was worked by old timers.

*Cutter Quad*

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RRB WR 1/29/82: Linda Otto, 544 N. 50th Way, Phoenix, AZ 85008 - phone 276-0226 and Steve LeMasters, 2018 45th Street, Phoenix, AZ 85008 - phone 276-8084, daughter and son of Ollie Johnson, owner of the Joker #1-#3, Gila County were in to check the file. They report assays from some outfit in California of from 4 to 10 oz. of gold per ton. They are now taking in a D-9 Cat to "expose the veins."

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RRB WR 5/21/82: Linda Otto was in and reports that they are filing more claims around the Joker claims, Pioneer District, Gila County.

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KAP WR 7/6/84: Rick and Sue Hodgson came in to discuss the possibility of developing the Joker property - Joker #1-#3 (file) Gila County. They were under the impression that they would be in production within two weeks based on what they had been told by the owners. They were admittedly unfamiliar with mining. The necessity of finding some ore (other than surface float) and the economic facts of life were explained to them. Later in the week they were back with the property's owners to discuss the same topics. Additionally, it appears the data in the Poindexter Group file for Gila County should be combined into the Joker #1-#3 (file) and the Poindexter file eliminated (except as a reference card in the mine file)

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KAP WR 10/10/86: Ollie Johnson, (new phone - 963-9243) was in with a man she claimed was going to lease the Joker 1,2,3 (file) in Gila County from her and operate it. She said he has the equipment and knowledge necessary. He exhibited a bead of gold reportedly recovered from concentrate he produced from specimens collected at the property.

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KAP WR 12/18/87: Mrs. Ollie Johnson, 15606 S. Gilbert Road, Space 56, Chandler, AZ 85225 reported that the owner of the Vanicek Claims which cover most of Mrs. Johnson's Joker Claims (file) Gila County claims that she held the ground first. The owner of the Vanicek Claims is Elizabeth H. Lopez, 921 E. Palm Tree Drive, Tucson, Arizona 85721. Mrs. Johnson states that there was no indication of anyone else's current claims on the ground or in the records when she located her Joker Claims. I was on the ground at the time her claims were mapped (see file) and saw no evidence of other claims being kept up. Further, the Vanicek claims have apparently been amended so as to move their location to those of the Joker's.

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# LEASE OF MINING CLAIMS

STATE OF ARIZONA

Ollie Johnson that resides at I5606 So. Gilbert Rd.Sp.56, Chandler, Arizona 85225 is leasing to independent contractors, Wilbert Wax I8435 So. Val Vista, Gilbert, Arizona 85234 and Jimmey E. McKinney 20 W. Park Ave. Apt.#2, Gilbert, Arizona 85234, the following unpatented mining claims situated in Globe ming district, Gila County, Arizona, the names, books, pages of recording of the location notices in the recorder office of said county and BLM serial numbers of which are as follows:

## RECORDED

<u>CLAIM NAME</u>	<u>BOOK</u>	<u>PAGE</u>	<u>AMC. NO.</u>
Joker I thru 3	522	I2I- I27	AMCIII254--III256
Joker 4	527	284	AMCI25897
Joker 5	557	0I9	AMCI5859I
Joker 6 thru 9	557	923- 93I	AMCI58587--I58590

That the notices of location of said claims are posted within the following section 30, township IS, range I6E, G SRM, Arizona.

The terms of the lease are as follows: Wilbert Wax will have final say on all decisions in regard to operating the mine. There will be a separate agreement between Wilbert Wax and Jimmy E. McKinney. They will have one year to prove and develop said claims. They will expend reasonable effort in doing work on the listed above claims. After one year, if they do not continue work on claims, they will notify Ollie Johnson in writing of intent to quit. They agree to supply Leasor with all assay papers and details of work done up to time of quitting.

Any ore sold from said claims during lease or future date, Leasees will pay 5% of proceeds to Ollie Johnson or heirs . They will give access to papers pertaining to assays and sell of ore. The 5% of the net profit verified.

The lease will stay in force and binding, without interference, as long as mine is producing with accurate royalties, and reasonable effort is being used. Concerned parties will notify in writing if discontent arises.

The work done on claims will be filed for assessment work by Ollie Johnson with County and BLM.

Wilbert Wax and Jimmey McKinney agrees to comply with all Federal, State, or any regulation imposed on mining in the state of Arizona on Forest Service land.

The Leasees will be legally responsible for all debts to investors or in regards to anything pertaining to proving or operating mine.

One year proving and delopment time begins with the signing of this lease. The 5% royalty will be paid the first of each consecative month after mine becomes operational. The 5% is of net profit before investors are paid.

This lease is binding on all heirs of Ollie Johnson. The mine is to operate uninterrupted in the event of Ollie Johnson's demise.

DATED This 10 day of 8, 1986 Ollie Johnson  
James E. McKinnis  
Wilbert W. W.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 8 day of Oct., 1986.

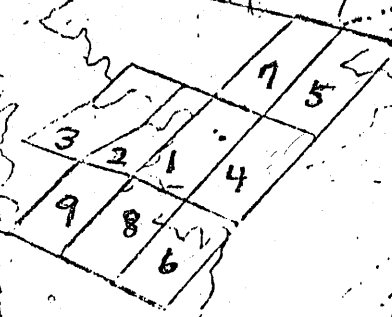
My Commission Expires:

3-10-87

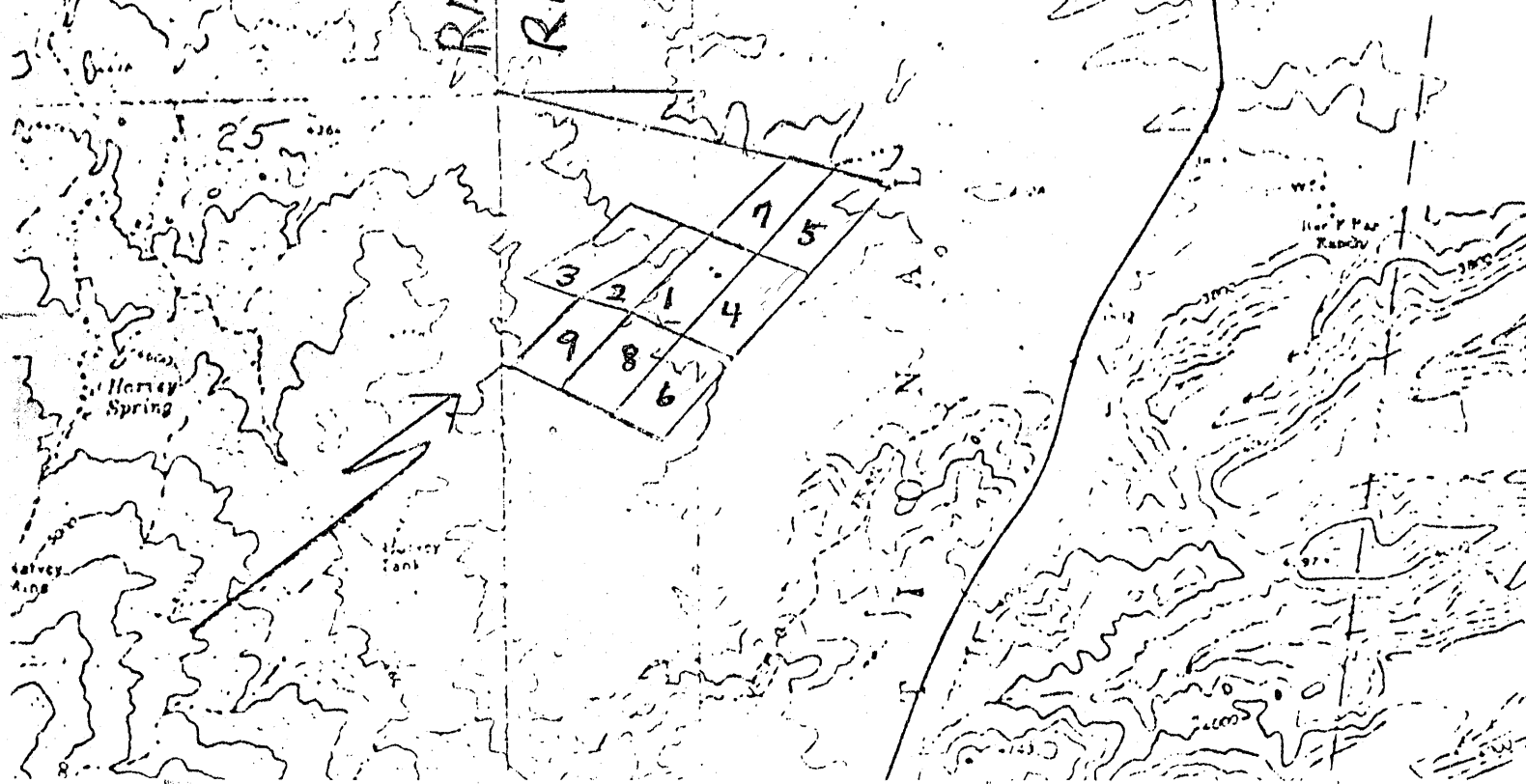
Barbara R. Ruckey  
Notary Public

Gap Tank  
PINAL PEAK, ARIZ  
7 1/2' QUAD

RISE  
RISE



CUTTER ARIZ  
7 1/2' QUAD





*Confidential Material - Please return when ~~the~~ furnished with review - Thank you*

# NORTH AMERICAN ASSAY COMPANY

1022 West 23rd Street  
Tempe, Arizona 85282  
(602) 894-0919

Job Number MA-1061  
Page 1 Of 1  
Date September 27, 1983

## ANALYTICAL REPORT

*Robert G. Crook*

Client I.D.	Lab #	Fire Assay	
		Au (Oz/ton)	Ag (Oz/ton)
Dump Sample	1	12.650	7.4

GLOBE DISTRICT TONTON N.F. JUN 28 1984			
ROUTE TO:	Action	Info	Prints
RGR			
REC & LANDS 1			
2			
RANGE & WL 1			
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MINERALS			
FIRE 1			
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BUS ADM 1			
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FILE			

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Client Name: Ollie Johnson  
Address: 2222 E. McDowell  
Phoenix, AZ 85006  
Telephone: 267-8084

Samples Submitted By: Linda Otto  
Date Received: September 21, 1983

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date 6/10/39

Mine Poindexter Group

District Globe Mining Dist

Location 10 miles south of Globe on  
Globe-Winkelman Highway

Former name Burkland Claims

Owner ✓ W. W. Poindexter

Address Box 1207, Globe, Ariz.

Operator "

Address

President

Gen. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals Gold, ✓ silver and copper ✓

Men Employed

Production Rate None at present

Mill: Type & Cap.

Power: Amt. & Type Hoist

Operations: Present No

Operations Planned None

Number Claims, Title, etc. 17 in 1 group

Description: Topog. & Geog. Foothills of large mountain of Pinal Mt.

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition 1 shaft 150 ft. with 4 drifts  
Several open cuts and 1 tunnels - 5 shafts 20 feet to 50 feet deep.

(over)

Geology & Mineralization Schist and low grade gold

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings None

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet Hoist - smelter returns \$6.00 to \$10.00 per ton

Road Conditions, Route Good

Water Supply

*Domestic*

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed None

Remarks

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

Yes, for sale - price \$25,000 - terms to suit

Signed..... W. W. Poindexter

Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date

6-10-39

Mine

Pondexter group

District

Clabn mining dist

Former name

Bunkland claim

Owner

W. N. Pondexter

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals

gold silver, copper

Production Rate

none at present

Power: Amt. & Type

hydro

Operations: Present

no

Location

10 miles south  
of Clabn on Clabn  
Highway

Address

Box 1207 Clabn

Address

Gen. Mgr.

Mill Supt.

Men Employed

3

Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations Planned

none

Number Claims, Title, etc.

17 in 1 group

Description: Topog. & Geog.

foot hills of large mountain of Pinalmt

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

1 shaft 150 feet with drift  
several open cuts and tunnels & shafts  
20 feet to 50 feet deep



Geology & Mineralization

shist and

Low grade gold values  
small

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

none

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Hoist

smelter returns 600 to 1000 per ton

Road Conditions, Route

good

Water Supply

Domestic

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed

none

Remarks

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

yes for sale Price  
250000.00 terms to suit

Signed

W. W. Partridge

Use additional sheets if necessary.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

MP-15

Date 6/10/39

1. Mine Poindexter Group
2. Mining District & County Globe Mining Dist.
3. Former name Burkland Claims
4. Location 10 miles south of Globe on  
Globe-Winkelman Highway
5. Owner W. W. Poindexter
6. Address (Owner) Box 1207, Globe, Ariz.
7. Operator
8. Address (Operator)
9. President
10. Gen. Mgr.
11. Mine Supt.
12. Mill Supt.
13. Principal Metals Gold, silver and copper
14. Men Employed
15. Production Rate None at present
16. Mill: Type & Cap.
17. Power: Amt. & Type Hoist
18. Operations: Present No
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(over)

23. Geology & Mineralization Schist and low grade gold.

24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings None

24-A Vein Width, Length, Value, etc.

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet Hoist- Smelter returns \$6.00 to \$10.00 per ton.

26. Road Conditions, Route Good.

27. Water Supply Domestic

28. Brief History

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed None.

30. Remarks

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

Yes, for sale - price \$25,000 - terms to suit.

32. Signed.....W. W. Poindexter.....

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

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RECEIVED  
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FUGER, ARIZONA  
1980

Date **December 3, 1980**

## ASSAY CERTIFICATE

GILA COUNTY

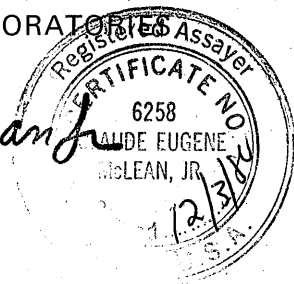
PINAL MTNS & GLOBE DISTRICT

cc: Mr. Ken A. Phillips  
Mineral Building  
Fairgrounds  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

ARIZONA TESTING LABORATORY

Claude E McLean

Claude E. McLean, Jr.





# MINERALS ENGINEERING CO.

ENGINEERS *Meco* ASSAYERS

1099 SUBWAY TERMINAL BLDG.  
417 SOUTH HILL STREET  
LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 90013  
TELEPHONE 213- 628-6793

THIS CERTIFIES THAT THE SAMPLES DESCRIBED BELOW SUBMITTED BY

Lee Johnson

DATE July 2, 1980

CHARGES \$ Paid

ASSAY AS FOLLOWS:

LABORATORY NO.	OWNER'S MARK ON SAMPLE	GOLD AT \$ _____ PER OZ.		SILVER AT \$ _____ PER OZ.		TOTAL VALUE PER TON	PERCENTAGE OF
		OZ. PER TON	VALUE PER TON	OZ. PER TON	VALUE PER TON		
467 56	big	0.04	\$	5.4	\$	\$	
467 57	small	0.46	"	2.2			

MINERALS ENGINEERING CO.

BY

*Norman Whitmore*

*Claims wrongly located  
see Pinal Peak Quad*

SPECTROGRAPH—THE TOTAL WILL NOT EQUAL 100% AS GASES DO NOT SHOW, SUCH AS QUARTZ IS 28 PARTS SILICON AND 32 PARTS OXYGEN. TOTAL IS USUALLY ABOUT 48%.

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LOCATION OF TOWER #1, 2, & 3 LOBE CLAIMS

CUTTER FIRE  
7 1/2' QUAD

PINAL PEAK, AZ  
7 1/2' QUAD

RISE  
RISE  
RISE

