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#### ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: LONE VALLEY MINE GROUP

**ALTERNATE NAMES:** 

**SERASIO GROUP** 

PIMA COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 226

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 17 S RANGE 12 E SECTION 25 QUARTER SE LATITUDE: N 31DEG 55MIN 09SEC LONGITUDE: W 111DEG 03MIN 45SEC

TOPO MAP NAME: TWIN BUTTES - 15 MIN

**CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER** 

COMMODITY:

COPPER OXIDE

**SILVER** 

**TUNGSTEN** 

STONE MARBLE

CALCIUM MARBLE

#### **BIBLIOGRAPHY:**

AZBM BULL. 189, P. 135, 1974

ADMMR LONE VALLEY MINE GROUP FILE

ADMMR COPPER PRINCE GROUP FILE

ADMMR ROLLED MAP FILE: PIMA MINING DISTRICT,

1917, T.N. STEVENS

GEO FILE- MIERITZ, RICHARD, 1970 (CURLEY LS)

RI 5650 p. 93

Poma County

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14 × 11 × 9 C

PECIMEN C-1

Cabinet

Section

Shelf

Presented by

Frank W. Stephens men now i

Collected by

Frank W. Stephens Museum

Date received

April, 1940

Class (principal mineral) Copper

Other minerals Silver, iron

Gangue Silica

Depth at which specimen taken 35 feet

Approximate mineral content (in terms of average per ton)

Quantity

Value \$

Copper  $12\frac{1}{2}15\%$ Silver 6-7 oz. Name of mine or claim El Cobre Verde

Group Serasic

District Twin Buttes 162

County

Location (distance and direction by highway from what town)

Mine active or inactive Inactive

If inactive, when operated Fall of 1939. Spring, 1940

Owner Mike Serasic

Operator

Notes: Copper as silicate and carbonate; silver as chloride or bromide; iron as hematite. Very little work has been done on this property.

### DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RL JURCES STATE OF ARIZONA

## FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Serasio Mine Dec. 28, 1956

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District Twin Buttes Mining Dist., Pima Co.

Engineer Axel L. Johnson PHOTONIX, ARIZONA

Subject: Field Engineers Report. Information from Mike Serasio & Personal Visit.

About 3 1/2 miles SSW of the San Xavier Mine.

19 unpatented claims, with application pending for the patenting Number of Claims dee'd 2-15-61 of 6 of the claims.

Mike Serasio, Route # 4, Box 491, Tucson, Ariz.

Southwest Mining Industries, 1416 S. Sixth Ave., Tucson, Ariz. Lessees Lease with option to buy

Copper ore in the form of carbonates. Principal Minerals

Number of Men Employed 2 on diamond drilling.

No production. Exploration work only. Production Rate

Owner, Mr. Serasio, reports that xattered sorted ore for shipment has run 6.29 % copper and 4 oz. of silver.

Ore in Sight None.

Mined ore in the past has been shipped Milling and Marketing Facilities None. directly to a smelter.

Present Mine Workings Four vertical shafts --- 100,110,110, and 50 ft. deep respectively. Also several open cuts on the property.

Past History Mine was first worked in 1912 by the present owner, Mr. Serasio. 16 carloads of ore were shipped from 1912 to 1918. One additional carload of oge was shipped in 1943.

S. W. Mining Industries are now diamond drilling on the property. Present Operations First drill hole is now being drilled, which is down to a depth of 477 ft. BX core is used. The drilling is done by a Mr. J. J. Cloeter from Montana. It was reported that Mr. Cloeter is drilling for a 21% interest in the property.



# DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL REJURCES STATE OF ARIZONA FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Serasio Mine

Date

June 17, 1955

District

Twin Buttes Mining Dist., Pima Co.

Engineer

Axel L. Johnson

Subject:

Field Engineer's Report - information from Mike Serasio (personal visit)

Location. About 3-1/2 miles southwest of San Xavier Mine.

No. of Claims -- 19. Mr. Serasio has an application for patent on six of the claims at present.

Owner. Mike Serasio, Route 4, Box 491, Tucson, Ariz.

Operator. As above. Not in operation at present.

Principal Minerals. Copper ores in the form of carbonates.

No. of Men Employed. None at present. Have employed 3 men until the past week, when operations were suspended until next September first.

Production Rate. No production at present. One carload of ore is stockpiled, and ready to be shipped.

Ore Values. Sorted ore in stockpile to be shipped assayed 6.29% copper and 4 oz. silver.

Ore in Sight. None.

Milling and Marketing Facilities. No mill on property. Mined ore will be shipped directly to the smelter.

Present Mine Workings. Four vertical shafts, 100, 110, 110 and 50 ft. deep respectively. Also several open cuts on the property.

Past History. Mine was worked first in 1912 by the present owner. Sixteen carloads of ore were shipped from 1912 to 1918. One carload was shipped in 1943.

Proposed Plans. Plan to resume operations about September first. Proceeds from the carload to be shipped will be used for explorationand development.