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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: MOUNTAIN VIEW

ALTERNATE NAMES:

MOUNTAIN VIEW CINNABAR  
MORNING GLORY QUICK  
M&N SILVER  
FORT VIEW SILVER  
HILL TOP SILVER & GOLD

PINAL COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 49B

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 1 S RANGE 9 E SECTION 1 QUARTER SE  
LATITUDE: N 33DEG 22MIN 00SEC LONGITUDE: W 111DEG 22MIN 37SEC  
TOPO MAP NAME: SUPERSTITION MTS SW - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER

COMMODITY:

MERCURY  
MANGANESE  
MOLYBDENUM

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

ADMMR MOUNTAIN VIEW MINE FILE  
USBM IC 8252, MERCURY POTENTIAL OF THE US  
1965, P 71, 72, TABLE 16  
AZBM MAP OF KNOWN METALLIC MINERAL OCCURENCES  
LOCATION GIVEN IS CALCULATED USING INFO IN  
OWNRS REPT. & USGS QUAD REF. ABOVE, IC 8252  
AND AZBM MAP REF. ABOVE LOCATE THIS PROP.  
IN SEC. 31-T1N-R10E

MOUNTAIN VIEW MINE  
( Nations Mercury Property)

Pinal

Sec 31 IN 10 E according to IC 8252 p. 73  
(table 16)

The Nations Mercury Property, also known as Mountain View Cinnabar, is 9 miles east of Apache Junction in Pinal County.

in sec. 1  
13, 10 E

The ore is generally low grade mercury occurs as very fine globules in a schist formation. This property has not been worked extensively. A small production has been reported.

to  
Pinal Cinnabar  
(in file)

Taken from IC 3252 p 71 (1965)

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

June 13, 1958

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

Mountain View Mine (Pinal County) cinnabar, manganese and molybdenum  
(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*

FRANK P. KNIGHT,  
Director.

Enc: Mine Owner's Report

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
State of Arizona  
Mineral Building, Fairgrounds  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA



REASON CHECKED  
Unclaimed..... Refused.....  
Unknown.....  
Insufficient address.....  
Moved, Left no address.....  
No such office in state.....  
Do not remail in this envelope  
POSTAGE DUE

~~Mr. Chas. Nations  
P.O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona~~

*open by mistake*

*new label*

3 September 1940

Dr. Chas. A . Nations,  
Box 418,  
Mesa, Arizona.

My dear Mr. Nations:

In the absence of Mr. J. S. Coupal, I am taking the liberty of acknowledging receipt of your letter of August 20.

I shall be glad to call this matter to Mr. Coupal's attention at the first opportunity. In the meantime, I should suggest that you write to Dr. Thomas Chapman, Arizona Bureau of Mines, University of Arizona, Tucson, regarding the genealogy of it.

The corrections on the copy of mine owners report sent to you will be made within a short time, and a new copy will be sent to you for your files.

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

Yours very truly,

Jess R. Fickas  
Secretary to Mr. Coupal

jrf

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We have had some  
very good Greek letters  
men looking over the  
Greek in the district  
& they seem to think  
or rather they state  
surely. Of our own  
statistics, in the district  
that, it will develop  
how few one of the  
largest in the state  
or Mexico,

Understand that  
the amount of  
claims which form  
one the S. W. has just  
leaked for \$1000 and a  
10 per cent royalty, there  
has been <sup>any</sup> claims taken  
up in the last few  
weeks.

Mr. Voss  
Cincinnati  
Press Agency  
Mr. Campbell  
Pleasant King  
Dear Mr. Campbell

Some number of  
some favor of  
I have had a chance  
to attend any of the  
meeting, I am in the  
same every where  
Understand that as a  
part of a number  
will try and see  
what

Understand that  
I have had a chance  
to attend any of the  
meeting, I am in the  
same every where  
Understand that as a  
part of a number  
will try and see  
what

4/11/11

Have some good ideas  
ground to lead and also  
some lead.

It would be long  
more until the old  
story will change too,  
I feel sure - No?

What would be the  
chances, if any? To get  
Mr. Butler to have a  
party to come to this  
part of the district and  
take some of it?

Trying to hear from you  
about going to  
Mr. Charles Williams  
Box 418 Myra, Ariz.

3/11

I have had chance  
to have to make out -  
for so far I have  
agreed at present for -  
for instance, I have

a large amount which  
regards, at least, a 2 to 300  
to 400 daily capacity.

My own ground is such  
that it requires, should,  
dry-lands and such  
equipment, to make  
head-way. The better  
can do this, so the  
do have any good or  
myself any good in other

Can make too good  
a laborer here, for like  
of the quick (which means  
thousands of years) to parties  
and present capital to operate with



Original

~~No~~ to

Mr. Shaw

Amesbury Mass

Dec 25/32

Mr. W. G. Phillips

Pharmy, Longwood

Re: Mr. Bradham's

Your kind favor of 12/15/32

is hereby acknowledged

and

meeting that in

the near future you will

find at Amesbury to

call on me, at the main

Office, New Bedford

Very truly yours

Wm. H. Shaw

Original

~~Note~~

Mr. Shaw

Cambridge, Mass.

Dec 25/32

Mr. W. G. Phillips

Provincetown, Massachusetts

Re: Mr. Bradburn's

Your kind favor of 12/15/32

in regard to your interesting

report,

trust that in

the near future you will

find out somewhat to

your liking, at the same

time, I am sure.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Brewster

Wm. Brewster

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES ✓

News Items

Date 7/10/37

Mine MOUNT VIEW MINE

Location SUPERSTITION AREA

Owner 13 MILES FROM APACHE

Address TET. ON DONS ROAD.

OWNER  
Operating Co. C.A. NATIONS

Address BOX 406 MESA

Pres.

Genl. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals CINNABAR

Men Employed 2

Production Rate DEVELOPING

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed V. S. COUPAL

(Over)

Specimen 7-8-40

Nations, Chas. A.  
~~P. O. Box 412~~ P. O. Box 131  
Mesa, Arizona

12-25-39

See MM-24 - Re Owners Mine Report - MT. VIEW, Maricopa Co.  
See N file - Re market for low grade tungsten 9-14-43 (from JSC)

MM-24

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec. 25, 1939

Mine Mt - View

District Superior & Miami

Former name

Owner Chas. A. Nations

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals Cinnabar & Manganese

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft 32 ft. drift 44 ft.

Location Superstition Mts.

Address P.O.Box 406

Address Mesa, Arizona

Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations

Mill Supt.

Men Employed None at present

Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 cinnabar, 2 manganese - total silver & gold - 32 -

Description: Topog. & Geog. I am in the Superior and Miami District

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done  
from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to run from  
1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury

Geology & Mineralization Mercury, silver, gold-manganese & radium

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings 60 to 80 tons

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route 45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction  
8 miles east on Highway 65 - 4.7 miles on Dons Road to Mt. View Cinnabar mine.  
Roads good.

Water Supply Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks Water and good roads can be obtained at very little cost.

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. Prefer a partner who understands  
Quicksilver ores with some means to equip for operation.

Signed.....Dr. Chas. A. Nations.....

Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec 25/39

Mine Mt. View

District Superior + Miami

Former name +

Owner Chasa Nations

Operator +

President +

Mine Supt. +

Principal Metals Annabon + Manganese

Production Rate +

Power: Amt. & Type +

Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft 32 FT Drift 44 FT

Location Superstition Mts

Address P O Box 1406

Address Mesa Arizona

Gen. Mgr. for Chasa Nations

Mill Supt. +

Men Employed none at present

Mill: Type & Cap. +

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 Annabon. 2 Manganese total silver & gold - 32-

Description: Topog. & Geog. Same in the Superior and Miami District

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition Shave from \$15000 to \$20000 done from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to have from 1/2 to 1 per cent in Mercury

Geology & Mineralization

Mercury, Silver, Gold - Manganese  
+ Radium

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

60 to 80 tons

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

X

Road Conditions, Route

4.5 miles South East from Phoenix, Arizona  
from Apache Junction 8 miles East on Highway 60 - H. 7/10  
miles on Darts Road to Mt. View connector. Road Good

Water Supply

Plentiful from 25 ft to 40 ft

Brief History

Water and Good Roads can be obtained  
at very little cost.

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks

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

Prepared by Partner, who  
understands. Includes some means to  
to equip for operation.

Signed

Dr. Charles Peterson

Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

*Mountain*  
*Cinnabar Mine*

Date Dec. 25, 1939

- 1. Mine ~~Mt-View~~
- 2. Mining District & County Superior and Miami Dist.
- 3. Former name
- 4. Location Superstition Mts.
- 5. Owner Chas. A . Nations
- 6. Address (Owner) P.O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona.
- 7. Operator
- 8. Address (Operator)
- 9. President
- 10. Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations
- 11. Mine Supt.
- 12. Mill Supt.
- 13. Principal Metals Cinnabar, manganese and molybdenum
- 14. Men Employed 2 at present
- 15. Production Rate
- 16. Mill: Type & Cap.
- 17. Power: Amt. & Type
- 18. Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft 40 feet. Drift 44 ft.

19. Operations Planned To continue work on Morning Glory Quick - mine and on M & N - Silver mine.

20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 cinnabar, 2 manganese - total silver and gold  
Molybdenum 4 - 1

21. Description: Topography & Geography

I am in the Superior and Miami District.	
Morning Glory Quick - mine work done	\$618.00
Fort View Silver Quick - mine work done	372.00
M & N Silver - mine work done	416.00
Hill Top Silver and Gold - work done	357.00

22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to run from 1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury. Have done over \$500 of work on this property since statement.



23. Geology & Mineralization Mercury, silver, gold-manganese, radium and molybdenum.

24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings 200 tons or more

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

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

26. Road Conditions, Route 45 miles southwest from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction  
8 miles east on highway 60 - 4.7 miles on Dons road to  
Mt. View Cinnabar mine. Roads good.

27. Water Supply Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.

28. Brief History Ore is good from top - In some places ore is exposed on top of earth.

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed

30. Remarks Water and good roads can be obtained at a very little cost.  
Roads are in good condition

31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. Will lease on royalty basis  
very liberal terms all or part of  
quicksilver claims.

32. Signed..... Dr. Chas. A. Nations.....

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec. 25, 1939

Mine Mt - View

District Superior & Miami

Location Superstition Mts.

Former name

Owner Chas. A. Nations

Address P.O. Box ~~400~~ 414

Operator

Address Mesa, Arizona

President

Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals Cinnabar & Manganese

Men Employed ~~20~~ 25 at present

Production Rate

Mill: Type & Cap.

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft ~~22~~ ft. drift 44 ft.

Operations Planned

*To continue work on improving Glory  
quartz mine and ore Mt 21 - Silver, Manganese*

Number Claims, Title, etc.

5 cinnabar, 2 manganese - total silver & gold - 35

Description: Topog. & Geog.

I am in the Superior and Miami District

<i>Mesa</i>	<i>Glory</i>	<i>Quartz</i>	<i>Mine</i>	<i>Work done</i>	<i>\$6,180</i>
<i>Far View</i>	<i>Silver</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5372</i>
<i>Mt 21</i>	<i>Silver</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5414</i>
<i>Hill Top</i>	<i>Silver</i>	<i>+ Gold</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5367</i>

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to run from 1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury

*Have done - over \$5000 of work on this property, such statement*

(over)

Geology & Mineralization Mercury, silver, gold-manganese & radium

*molybdenum*

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings 60 to 80 tons

*200 tons or more*

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route 45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction  
8 miles east on Highway 65 - 4.7 miles on Dons Road to Mt. View Cinnabar mine.  
Roads good.

*60*

Water Supply Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.

Brief History

*found good ore top. In some places  
ore is expected on top of earth.*

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks Water and good roads can be obtained at very little cost.

*Roads are in good condition*

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

*refer a partner who understands*

*Quicksilver ores with some means to equip for operation.*

*Will make over on the basis  
very liberal terms all or apart of  
quicksilver claims*

Dr. Chas. A. Nations

Signed.....

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

Date Dec. 25, 1939

- 1. Mine Mt. View *Superstition Mts.*
- 2. Location Superstition Mts.
- 3. Mining District & County Superior and Miami Dist.
- 4. Former name
- 5. Owner Chas. A. Nations
- 6. Address (Owner) P. O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona
- 7. Operator
- 8. Address (Operator)
- 9. President, Owning Co.
- 9A. President, Operating Co.
- 10. Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations
- 14. Principal Minerals Cinnabar, manganese, and molybdenum
- 11. Mine Supt.
- 15. Production Rate
- 12. Mill Supt.
- 16. Mill: Type & Cap.
- 13. Men Employed 2, at present
- 17. Power: Amt. & Type
- 18. Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft 40 ft. Drift 44 ft.

19. Operations: Planned To continue work on Morning Glory Quick mine, and on M & N-Silver mine.

20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 cinnabar, 2 manganese-total silver and gold Molybdenum 4--1

21. Description: Topography & Geography

I am in the Superior & Miami Dist.	
Morning Glory Quick-mine work done	\$618.00
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Hill Top Silver & Gold--work done	357.00

22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump-ore is supposed to run from 1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury. Have done over \$500 of work on this property since statement.

23. Geology & Mineralization

Mercury, silver, gold-manganese, radium and molybdenum.

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

200 tons or more

24A. Dimensions and Value of Ore body

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow-Sheet

26. Road Conditions, Route

45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction 8 miles east on highway 60--4.7 miles on Dons road to Mt. View Cinnabar mine. Roads good.

27. Water Supply

Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.

28. Brief History

Ore is good from top--in some places ore is exposed on top of earth.

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed

30. Remarks

Water and good roads can be obtained at a very little cost. Roads are in good condition.

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

Will lease on royalty basis very liberal terms all r part of quicksilver claims.

32. Signature (Signed) Dr. Chas. A. Nations

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

Date Dec. 25, 1939

*Cinnabar Mines*

- 1. Mine Mt. View
- 2. Location Superstition Mts.
- 3. Mining District & County Superior and Miami Dist.
- 4. Former name
- 5. Owner Chas. A. Nations
- 6. Address (Owner) P. O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona
- 7. Operator
- 8. Address (Operator)
- 9. President, Owinging Co.
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- 15. Production Rate
- 12. Mill Supt.
- 16. Mill: Type & Cap.
- 13. Men Employed 2, at present
- 17. Power: Amt. & Type
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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
MINE OWNER'S REPORT

Mercury, silver, gold-manganese, radium and molybdenum.

23. Geology & Mineralization

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

200 tons or more

24A. Dimensions and Value of Ore body

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow-Sheet

26. Road Conditions, Route

45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction  
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View Cinnabar mine. Roads good.

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32. Signature.....(Signed).....Dr. Chas. A. Nations

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STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec. 25, 1939

Mine Mt - View

District Superior & Miami

Location Superstition Mts.

Former name

Owner Chas. A. Nations

Address P.O. Box ~~450~~ <sup>H18</sup>

Operator

Address Mesa, Arizona

President

Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals Cinnabar + Manganese +

Men Employed <sup>2</sup> ~~None~~ at present

*molybdenum*

Production Rate

Mill: Type & Cap.

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft <sup>40</sup> ~~32~~ ft. drift 44 ft.

Operations Planned

*To continue work on morning glory quick-mine and on Mt N - Silver mine*

Number Claims, Title, etc.

5 cinnabar, 2 manganese - total silver & gold - ~~32~~

*molybdenum 4-1*

Description: Topog. & Geog.

I am in the Superior and Miami District

<i>morning glory</i>	<i>work done</i>	<i>\$6180</i>
<i>fair view</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>\$372</i>
<i>Mt N</i>	<i>Silver</i>	<i>\$414</i>
<i>hill top</i>	<i>Silver + Gold</i>	<i>\$367</i>

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done from 80 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to run from 1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury

*Have done - over \$500 of work on this property, since statement*

(over)



Geology & Mineralization **Mercury, silver, gold-manganese & radium**

*molybdenum*

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

60 to 80 tons

*200 tons or more*

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route **45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction**  
**8 miles east on Highway 55 - 4.7 miles on Dons Road to Mt. View Cinnabar mine.**  
Roads good.

*60*

Water Supply **Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.**

Brief History

*Ore is good from top. In some places  
one is expected of top of earth*

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks **Water and good roads can be obtained at very little cost.**

*Roads are in good condition*

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quicksilver claims*

**Dr. Chas. A. Nations**

Signed.....

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STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec. 25, 1939

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6. Address (Owner) P.O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona.
7. Operator
8. Address (Operator)
9. President
10. Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations
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24-A Vein Width, Length, Value, etc.

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

26. Road Conditions, Route **45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction  
8 miles east on highway 60 - 4.7 miles on Dons road to  
Mt. View Cinnabar mine. Roads good.**

27. Water Supply **Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.**

28. Brief History **Ore is good from top - In some places ore is exposed on top of earth.**

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed

30. Remarks **Water and good roads can be obtained at a very little cost.  
Roads are in good condition**

31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. **Will lease on royalty basis  
very liberal terms all or part of  
quicksilver claims.**

32. Signed.....**Dr. Chas. A. Nations**.....

33. Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec 25/39

Mine Mt-View  
District Superior + Miami

Location Superstition Mts

Former name +  
Owner Chasa Nations

Address PO Box 406

Operator +

Address Mesa Arizona

President +

Gen. Mgr. Chasa Nations

Mine Supt. +

Mill Supt. +

Principal Metals Cinnabar + Manganese

Men Employed none at present

Production Rate +

Mill: Type & Cap. +

Power: Amt. & Type +

Operations: Present 12x10 shaft 32 FT Drift 44 FT

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 Cinnabar. 2 Manganese total silver +  
gold - 32-

Description: Topog. & Geog. Same in the Superior and Miami  
District

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition Shave from \$15000 to \$20000 done  
from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is  
supposed to run from 1/2 to 1-Per Cent in mercury

Geology & Mineralization

Mercury, Silver, Gold - Manganese  
+ Radium

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings

60 to 80 tons

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

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Road Conditions, Route

45 miles South East from Phoenix, Ariz.  
from Apache Junction 8 miles East on Highway 60 - 4.7/10  
miles on Dons Road to Mt View Cinnabar Mine. Roads Good

Water Supply

Plentiful from 25 ft to 40 ft

Brief History

Water and Good Roads can be obtained  
at very little cost.

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks

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

Prefer, a Partner, who  
understands, quicksilver ores, with some means to  
to equip - for operation.

Signed

W. Chas. Nations

Use additional sheets if necessary.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date Dec. 25, 1939

Mine Mt - View

District Superior & Miami

Former name

Owner Chas. A. Nations

Operator

President

Mine Supt.

Principal Metals Cinnabar & Manganese

Production Rate

Power: Amt. & Type

Operations: Present 12 x 10 shaft 32 ft. drift 44 ft.

Location Superstition Mts.

Address P.O.Box 406

Address Mesa, Arizona

Gen. Mgr. Dr. Chas. A. Nations

Mill Supt.

Men Employed None at present

Mill: Type & Cap.

Operations Planned

Number Claims, Title, etc. 5 cinnabar, 2 manganese - total silver & gold - 32 -

Description: Topog. & Geog. I am in the Superior and Miami District

Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition I have from \$1500 to \$20,000 done  
from 60 to 80 tons of ore on dump - ore is supposed to run from  
1/2 to 1 per cent in mercury

(over)

Geology & Mineralization **Mercury, silver, gold-manganese & radium**

Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings **60 to 80 tons**

Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet

Road Conditions, Route **45 miles southeast from Phoenix, Ariz., from Apache Junction**  
**8 miles east on Highway 65 - 4.7 miles on Dons Road to Mt. View Cinnabar mine.**  
Roads good.

Water Supply **Plentiful from 25 ft. to 40 ft.**

Brief History

Special Problems, Reports Filed

Remarks **Water and good roads can be obtained at very little cost.**

If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. **Prefer a partner who understands Quicksilver ores with some means to equip for operation.**

Signed.....**Dr. Chas. A. Nations**.....

Use additional sheets if necessary.

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES

News Items

Date 7/10/39

Mine MOUNT VIEW MINE

Location SUPERSTITION AREA

Owner 13 MILES FROM APACHE

Address JCT. ON DONS ROAD.

OWNER  
Operating Co. C.A. NATIONS

Address BOX 406 MESA

Pres.

Genl. Mgr.

Mine Supt.

Mill Supt.

Principal Metals CINNIBAR

Men Employed 2

Production Rate DEVELOPING

Mill, Type & Capacity

Power, Amt. & Type

Signed T. B. COUPAL.

(Over)

Unclaimed 7-8-40

Nations, Chas. A.

~~P. O. Box 419~~ P. O. Box 131  
Mesa, Arizona

12-25-39

See MM-24 - Re Owners Mine Report - MT. VIEW, Maricopa Co.  
See N file - Re market for low grade tungsten 9-14-43 (from JSC)



Mt View  
Cannabar Mines  
Mesa Arizona  
Mr J Stoupal Aug 20/40  
Phoenix Ariz.

Dear Mr Coupal for  
some unknown reason  
your favor of recent date  
has escaped my notice

My wife has been  
very ill for some time  
glad to state she is  
better at present.

I havent had a chance  
to attend any of the  
meeting. I am in the  
races every where.

I understand that is a  
part of a miners luck.  
Will try and do better  
soon

3/11

We have had some very good Quick Silver men looking over the quick in this district & they seem to think or rather they state such. If we ever get started, in this district that, it will develop too be one of the largest in the states or Mexico.

I understand that the Arnold Group of claims which join me on the S. H. has just leased for \$10,000 and a 10 per cent royalty, there has been <sup>many</sup> claims taken up in the last few weeks.

3/11

I have had chances  
to lease to small out-  
fits, so far I havent  
figured it would pay.  
For instance, I have  
a large acreage - which  
requires, at least, a 2 to 300  
ton daily capacity.  
my ore & ground is such  
that it requires, shovels,  
drag- lines and such  
equipment, to make real  
head-way - the little fellow  
cant do this, so he couldnt  
do him self any good, or  
my self any good either.

I am ready to give  
a liberal lease, for life  
of the quick (which means from  
1000s of years) to parties having  
sufficient capital to operate with

7/10/11  
I have some good Silver  
ground to lease and also  
some Gold.

It won't be long  
now, until the old  
story will change too.  
I told you - so?

What would be the  
chance, if any? to get  
Mr. Butler to have a  
party to come to this  
part of the district and  
take genealogy of it?

Hoping to hear from you  
Very Greatfully  
A. Chas. Nations  
Box 418 Mesa, Ariz.

~~Compal~~

~~Note~~

Mt View  
Cinnabon Mine  
Dec 25/39

Mr W J Graham  
Phoenix, Arizona,

Dear Mr Graham:-  
Your kind favor of 12/15/39  
is hand, I am inclosing  
report.

Trusting that in  
the near future you will  
find it convenient to  
call on me, at the mine  
I am, Very Respectfully  
Chas Jations

Mt View Mine

3 September 1940

Dr. Chas. A . Nations,  
Box 418,  
Mesa, Arizona.

My dear Dr. Nations:

In the absence of Mr. J. S. Coupal, I am taking the liberty of acknowledging receipt of your letter of August 20.

I shall be glad to call this matter to Mr. Coupal's attention at the first opportunity. In the meantime, I should suggest that you write to Dr. Thomas Chapman, Arizona Bureau of Mines, University of Arizona, Tucson, regarding the genealogy of it.

The corrections on the copy of mine owners report sent to you will be made within a short time, and a new copy will be sent to you for your files.

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

Yours very truly,

Jess R. Fickas  
Secretary to Mr. Coupal

jrf

*This is work he need*

MOUNTAIN VIEW MINE  
( Nations Mercury Property)

Pinal

Sec. 31 IN. 10 E according to IC 8252 p. 73  
(table 16)

The Nations Mercury Property, also known as Mountain View Cinnabar, is 9 miles  
east of Apache Junction in Pinal County.

may be  
in sec. 1

18, 10 E

The ore is generally low grade mercury occurs as very fine globules in a schist  
formation. This property has not been worked extensively. A small production  
has been reported.

according to

to  
mine claims Dept.  
(in file)

Taken from IC 8252 p 71 (1965)

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

June 13, 1958

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

Mountain View Mine (Pinal County) cinnabar, manganese and molybdenum  
(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*

FRANK P. KNIGHT,  
Director.

Enc: Mine Owner's Report



DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
State of Arizona  
Mineral Building, Fairgrounds  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA



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~~Mr. Chas. Nations  
P.O. Box 418  
Mesa, Arizona~~

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