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## ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: SHAMROCK MINE

**ALTERNATE NAMES:** 

PIMA COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 288

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 21 S RANGE 10 E SECTION 32 QUARTER C LATITUDE: N 31DEG 33MIN 25SEC LONGITUDE: W 111DEG 20MIN 30SEC

TOPO MAP NAME: ARIVACA - 15 MIN

**CURRENT STATUS: PAST PRODUCER** 

## COMMODITY:

LEAD SILVER ZINC URANIUM

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ABG&MT Report

# DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES STATE OF ARIZONA

## FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Shamrock Mine Mine

Date Feb. 2,1954

District Arivaca District, Pima County

Engineer Axel L. Johnson

Field Engineers Report Subject:

1 1/2 miles NW of Arivaca. Location

Sec. 20-- T 21 S --- R 10 E

2 unpatented claims. ----located Aug. 15, 1953 Number of Claims

doing business as M., B., & M. Mining Co. Owners Chas E. Bent, Arivaca, Ariz. 1 C. V. Myers, Sr., Arivaca, Ariz. ' Courtney V. Myers, Arivaca, Ariz.'

Operstors Same as Above.

Principal Minerals Silver and Lead.

Number of Men Employed

Production Rate No definite production, as operators are doing exploration and development work, in order to develop ore reserves, and get ready for future production.

Gentle rolling hills. Topography

Has a quartz vein from 2 to 3 ft. wide, dipping about 30 degrees NE, containing particles of galena, with relatively high silver values. Footwall and hanging wall is shale.

Operators have made no statement as to ore values found in the vein. Operators reported one carload of ore was shipped to the Hayden smelter of the A.S.& R., and one of the operators intimated that the grade of the ore was really too low for shipping. Operators have an ore pile of a few tons of ore, which appears to be a hittle too low a grade for direct shipment to the smelter.

Ore in Sight and Probable Not determined as yet.

Milling and Marketing Facilities Operators are talking about constructing a mill to millthe ore. It is doubtful, however, if enough ore can be developed on the property to warrant the installation of a mill. It is furthermore very doubtful if such an operation would be profitable in view of the narrow width of the vein, unless the vein widens out with depth.

Present Mine Workings 1 Open Cut ---- 40 ft. long. ---- 2 to 12 ft. deep ----in ore 1 Trench ----- 30 ft. long. --- 2 to 10 ft. deep ---partly ore 1 Vertical shaft ---- 30 ft. deep --- in the footwall.

Past History Claims located on Aug. 15, 1953. None.

Present Operations Operators are now engaged in sinking a vertical shaft in the footwall. Shaft cut across the wein at a depth of about 6 ft, and is now entirely in rock in the Operators intend to cross cut into the vein at a depth of 50 ft. footwall.