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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: SULPHUR SPRINGS MINE

ALTERNATE NAMES:

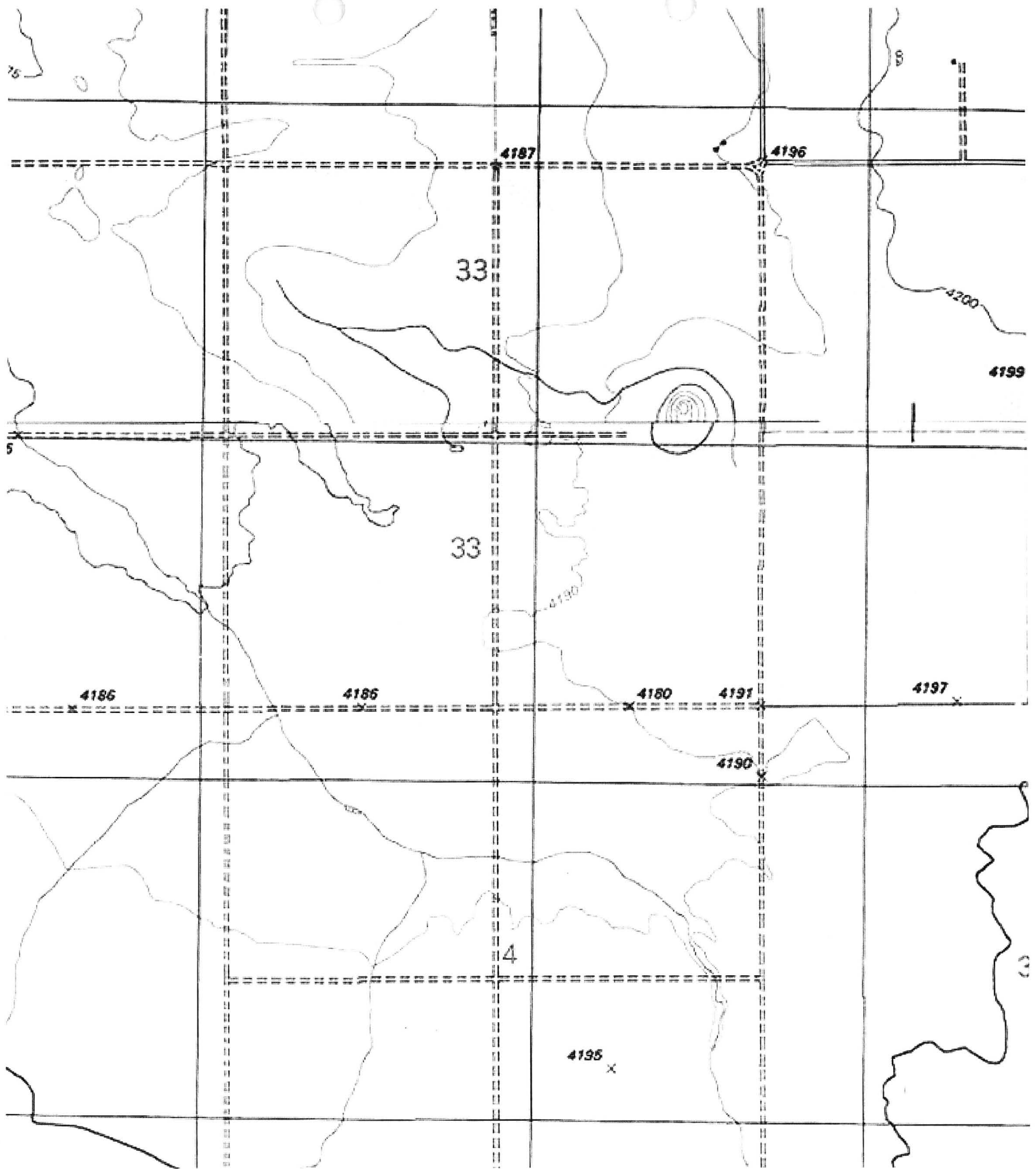
COCHISE COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 946

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 16 S RANGE 25 E SECTION 33 QUARTER E2
LATITUDE: N 31DEG 59MIN 59SEC LONGITUDE: W 109DEG 48MIN 17SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: PEARCE - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: RAW PROSPECT

COMMODITY:
DIATOMITE

BIBLIOGRAPHY:
ADMMR SUPHUR SPRINGS MINE FILE

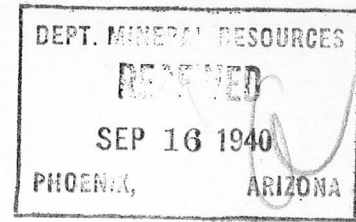


JOHN RIGGS RANCHES

FINE HEREFORDS SINCE 1890

DOS GABEZOS, ARIZONA

Sept. 14th 1940.



Department of mineral resources,
Capitol Building, Phoenix Arizona.

Mr. J. S. Coupal, Director:

Thanks for your letter of August 28th, and my apologies for not having answered before this time.

I am mailing you herewith the report on my diamotaticious earth property as you requested. This product is several feet below the surface of the ground and will take more developement to determine its extent and thickness.

Under separate cover I am mailing you all of the sample I have here, which is not as large as I would like. Also in the package I am enclosing another sampe for your inspection as I do not know what it is, it has the appearance of quartz but is entirely to soft.

Thanks for your cooperation in this matter.

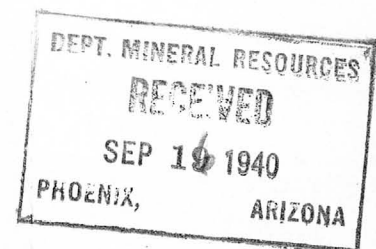
Very truly yours,

John C. Riggs.

P.S.

I am adding a third specimen from a property I own that might have considerable value, it appears to be a lead carbonate of unknown value to me.

J. C. R.



DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES
STATE OF ARIZONA
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Sulphur Springs Mine

Date Feb. 15, 1956

District Pearce District, Cochise Co.

Engineer Axel L. Johnson

Subject: Present Status.

Location E 1/2 of Sec. 33, T 16 S, R 25 E. About 7 miles N. of Pearce.

Number of Claims 320 acres homestead patent, as described above.

Owner Paul Riggs, Pearce, Arizona.

Operator Not in operation.

Principal Minerals Diatomaceous earth.

Remarks Paul Riggs, Pearce, Ariz. is now reported to be the owner of the property.

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OWNERS MINE REPORT

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7. Operator None
8. Address (Operator)
9. President
10. Gen. Mgr.
11. Mine Supt.
12. Mill Supt.
13. Principal Metals Diatomaceous earth
14. Men Employed
15. Production Rate
16. Mill: Type & Cap.
17. Power: Amt. & Type
18. Operations: Present None.

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19. Operations Planned None

20. Number Claims, Title, etc. 320 acres held by homestead patent.

21. Description: Topography & Geography Fairly smooth sloping to the west.

22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition

23. Geology & Mineralization The surface of the ground is alkali.
The ground appears to be mostly volcanic ash
24. Ore: Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings Not determined at this time
- 24-A Vein Width, Length, Value, etc. unknown
25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet
26. Road Conditions, Route Good, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from county road.
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28. Brief History It has no history, it is a current find.
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31. If property for sale: Price, terms and address to negotiate. I do not care to sell the lands they produce valuable grasses. As to whether I would lease the property would depend upon the terms offered.
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| 9. President, Owing Co. | ----- | 15. Production Rate | ----- |
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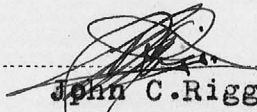
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