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PRIMARY NAME: SWISS GIRL GROUP

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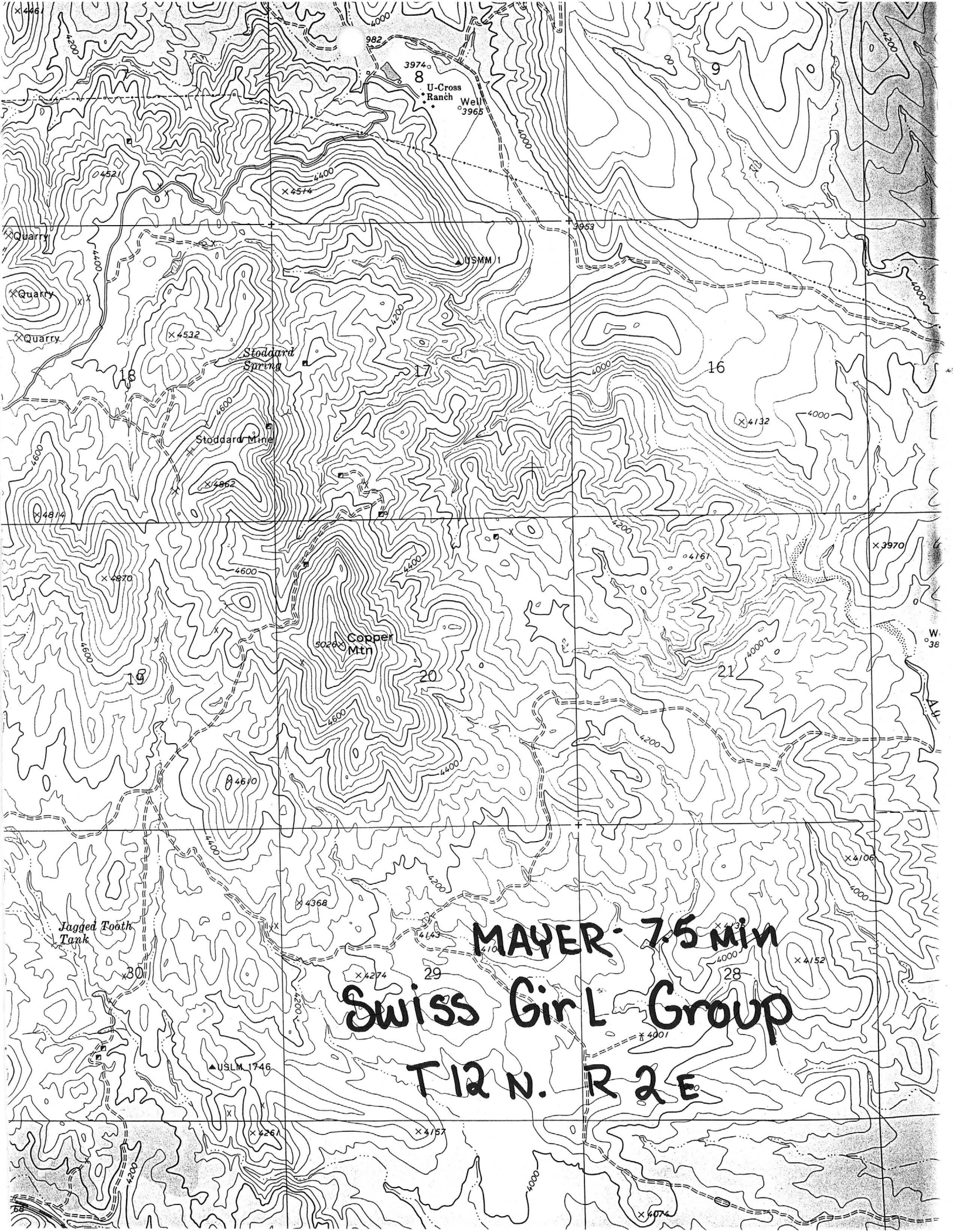
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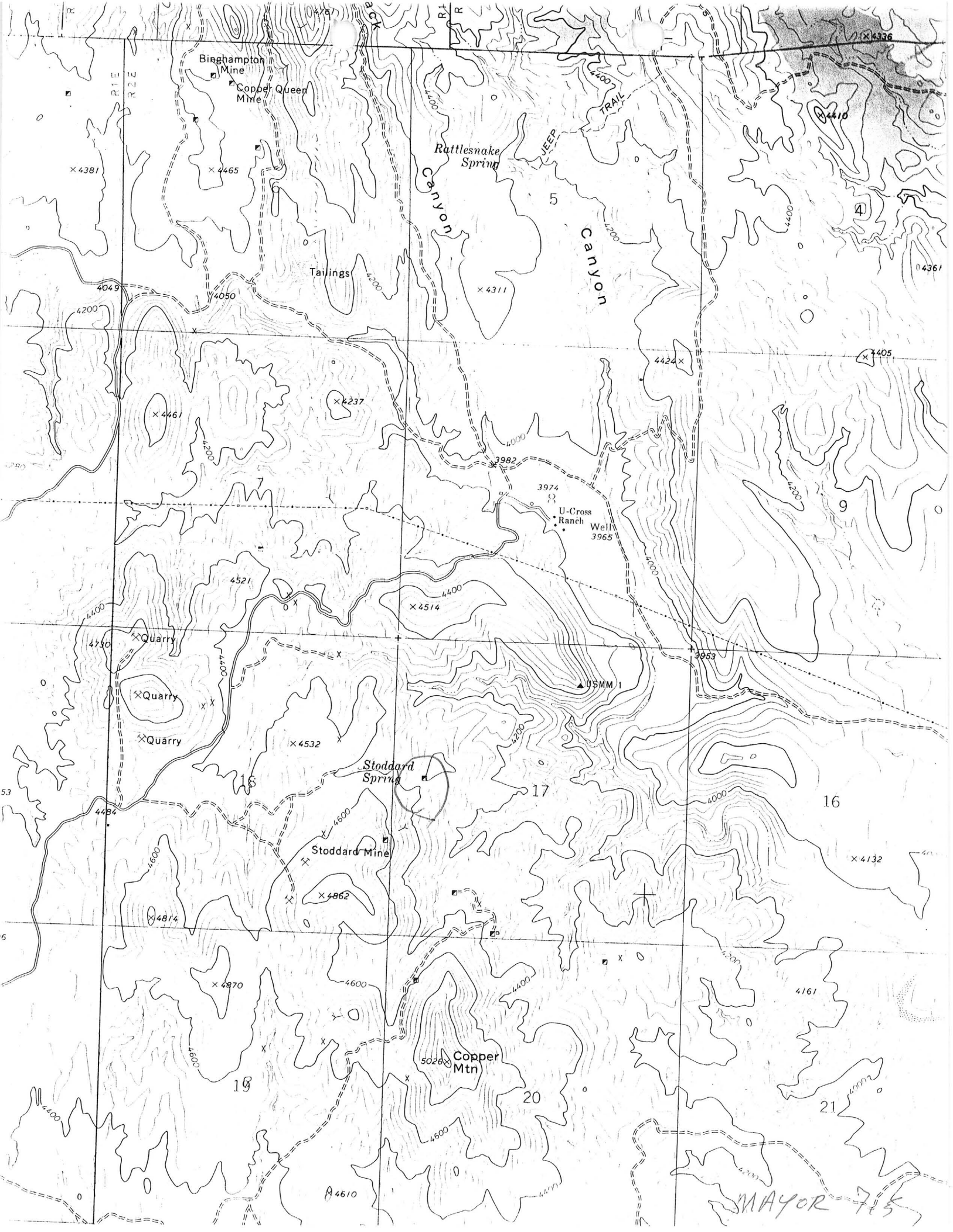
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COPPER MOUNTAIN 439 PAT.	COPPER MOUNTAIN 440 PAT.

STONEWALL PAT. 4601
MISSING LINK PAT. 4601
LONE STAR PAT. 4601

IDAHO 8032 PAT.
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COPPER KETTLE 2307 PAT.	COPPER OUTLET 2307 PAT.
COPPER BOTTOM 2307 PAT.	CUPRITE NO. 5 2307 PAT.

THE COMBINE  
PAT. 2307

SWISS GIRL

CUPRITE NO. 6 2307 PAT.
YALLER KID 2307 PAT.
POST OFFICE 2307 PAT.

USAM.  
No. 1

TOMMY TOT PAT. 2310
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JUMBO 2281 PAT.	BROKEN HILL 2281 PAT.
IRON DYKE 2281 PAT.	MOUNT MORAN 2281 PAT.
NEW YORK 2281 PAT.	RANBLER 2281 PAT.
CHICAGO 1921 PAT.	ANGELES 2281 PAT.

PERRY, PIERRE - MARICOPA COUNTY  
P. O. Box 251, TONOPAH DIST.  
Buckeye, Ariz. (~~7-16-45-Box-182, Mayer~~) Mail ret. (~~7-15-58~~)  
(8-15-58)

BELMONT-McNEIL MINE (file)

ECONOMY MINING CO., P. O. Box 251, Buckeye, Ariz.

R. & A. MINE - See RAMSEY MINE (file) LEAD-SILVER-Yuma Co.  
YELLOW KID (file) Cu-Au - Yavapai (1944)  
MINOR MINE (file) Cu-Au-Ag - "



JOY, BEN E.  
Prescott

see BLACK MAGIC GROUP - USBM I.C. #8078, p. 42

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JOY, B. E. & Mrs. et al (Ben) 8-1-39 YAVAPAI COUNTY  
Prescott, Arizona (Mary) EUREKA DIST.  
Box 1323

MARY D. MINE (file) <sup>B</sup>

YELLOW KID (file) <sup>B</sup> Cu-Au - Yavapai

TREADWELL CLAIM (RFC file) <sup>B</sup> Cu-Au - Yavapai

> COULD YELLOW KID BE SAME AS  
TREADWELL CLAIM? NIS-KH-04

HANSON, GEO. L.  
Box 2  
Mayer, Arizona

11-44

YAVAPAI COUNTY  
COPPER MOUNTAIN DIST.

BINGHAMTON MINE (file) <sup>B</sup>

YELLOW KID (file) <sup>B</sup> Cu-Au- Navapai Co.

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MANDARIE, J.  
Box 161, Mayer, Ariz. ✓

1/45

YAVAPAI COUNTY  
TURKEY CREEK DIST. *MC*

YELLOW KID (file) Cu-Au ✓

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HOFFMAN, LEWIS W.

12-31-43

YAVAPAI COUNTY  
TURKEY CREEK DIST.

YELLOW KID MINE (file)<sup>B</sup> Cu-Au

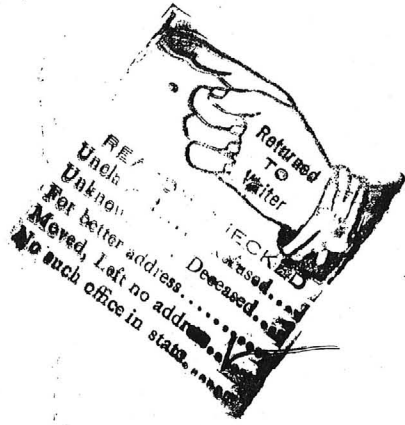
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~~Mr. Pierre Perry~~

~~Box 182~~

~~Mayer, Arizona~~

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

August 15, 1958

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

<u>Yellow Kid (Yavapai County)</u>	<u>copper, gold</u>
(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

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NAME OF MINE: YALLER KID  
OWNER: Pierre Perry, Box 182, Mayer

COUNTY: Yavapai  
DISTRICT: Cu, Au  
METALS: C

OPERATOR AND ADDRESS		MINE STATUS	
Date:		Date:	
1/45	J. Mandarie, Box 161, Mayer	1/45	Shipping to Clarkdale smelter

NAME OF MINE: YELLOW KID  
OWNER:

COUNTY: Yavapai County  
DISTRICT: 1 < -  
METALS: Cu

OPERATOR AND ADDRESS		MINE STATUS	
Date:		Date:	
4/45	Ben E. Joy, Box 1323, Prescott	4/45	Shipped carload of cu ore averaging 7%
10/46	George L. Hanson, Box 2, Mayer	10/46	Shipping
		1/47	Idle

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April 12, 1947

Mr. George H. Bott  
Pearce, Arizona

Dear Mr. Bott:

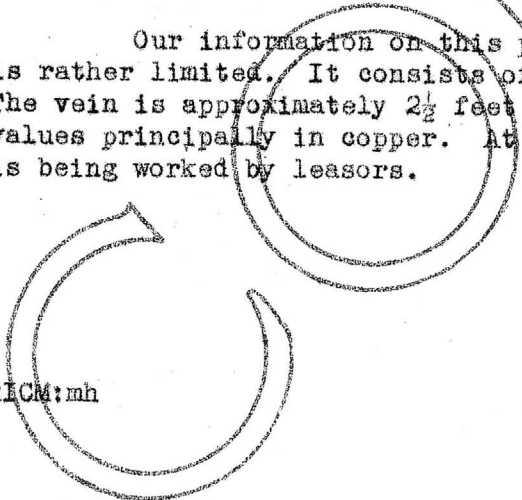
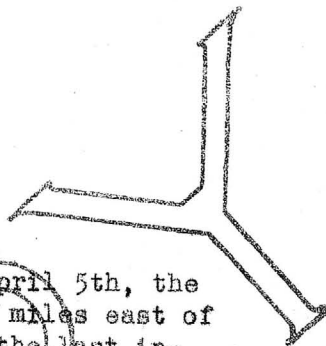
In reply to your letter of April 5th, the Yellow Kid Mine is located about five miles east of Mayer and, according to our records, the last information we have regarding it is a gas application dated August 2, 1945, showing Pierre Perry, Box 1457, Prescott, as the owner and operator.

Our information on this particular property is rather limited. It consists of one lode claim. The vein is approximately 2½ feet in width and carries values principally in copper. At the present time it is being worked by leasors.

Yours very truly,

Roger I. C. Manning  
Field Engineer

RICM:mh

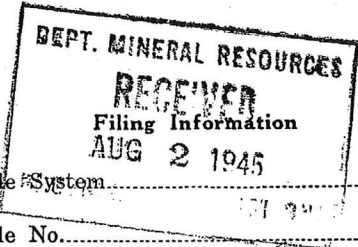


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**DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES**

**REPORT TO OPA ON  
ACTIVE MINING PROJECT**



Date July 16 - 45  
 Name of Mine Yellow Kid - Miner  
 Owner or Operator Pearse Perry  
 Address Box 1457 Prescott  
 Mine Location 5 mi East Mayer

File # System \_\_\_\_\_  
 File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 This chart to be used for gallons of gasoline required per month.

**PRESENT OPERATIONS:** (check X)

Production ; Development ; Financing \_\_\_\_\_; Sale of mine \_\_\_\_\_;  
 Experimental (sampling) \_\_\_\_\_; Owner's occasional trip \_\_\_\_\_;  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**PRODUCTION: Past and Future.**

Tons

Approx. tons last 3 months \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approx. present rate per 3 months \_\_\_\_\_  
 Anticipated rate next 3 months \_\_\_\_\_  
 If in distant future check (X) here \_\_\_\_\_

*Been producing off and on for past 2 years*

**EQUIPMENT OPERATED:**

Type	Quantity or Horse Power	Miles or Hours Per Month	Gallons Required Per Month
Personal Cars	_____	_____	_____
Light or Service Trucks	_____	_____	_____
Ore Hauling Trucks	_____	_____	_____
Compressors	_____	_____	_____
Other Mine or Mill Eqpt.	_____	_____	<u>3000</u>

*Quanta*

**PRODUCT PRODUCED OR CONTEMPLATED:** Name metals or minerals.

Copper

**REMARKS:**

*Approved*

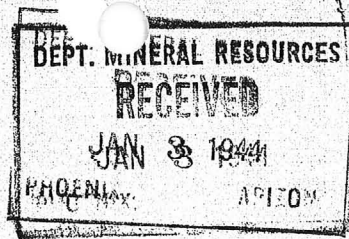
**ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES**

By [Signature]

*Eng'g*

*1 claim*

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December 31, 1943

MEMORANDUM

To: J. S. Coupal

From: B. W. Brown

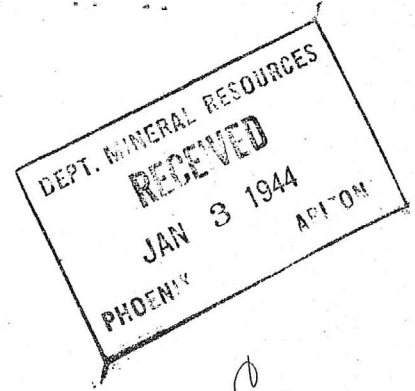
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I am looking forward to meeting Mr. Hoffman.

*Bill*

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*Yellow Red*

January 4, 1944

Mr. W. Y. Murdock  
Office of Defense Transportation  
328 Security Building  
Phoenix, Arizona

Re: Lewis W. Hoffman  
Gasoline

Dear Mr. Murdock:

I am enclosing a copy of a memorandum just received from our field engineer, B. W. Brown, concerning your request for information on Lewis W. Hoffman.

As Mr. Brown states, Mr. Hoffman is seeking mining property and is considered a serious mine operator. He may be interested in gold more than in some of the critical minerals, but in the course of seeking property, he will undoubtedly examine other than gold properties. His application may be marginal, but I think it could be approved and I am turning this over to you.

Very truly yours,

J. S. Coupal  
Director

JSC:JES  
ENC.



December 30, 1943

Mr. Lewis W. Hoffman  
P. O. Box 1303  
Prescott, Arizona

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

We have been requested by the Office of Defense Transportation for information regarding your operations on the Yellow Kid Mine 12 miles east of Mayer. I believe this inquiry is made regarding an application for gasoline for your operation.

I am sending a copy of this letter to B. W. Brown, our field engineer in Prescott, P. O. Box 1431, 122 Grove Street, and hope that you can arrange to see Mr. Brown and give him such information regarding your operations as is necessary so that we may be able to certify to your needs.

I am sending a copy of this letter to Mr. Brown so that he may contact you also.

Yours very truly,

J. S. Coupal, Director

JSC:LP

CC: B. W. Brown

*Call Murdock, C. D. T.  
328 Security Bldg.*

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine Swiss Girl Group.

Date Aug 7th, 1948.

District Agua Fria Yavapai Co

Engineer A. C. Nebeker

Subject: Check on shaft location.

The Swiss Girl group of claims, consisting of 13 patented claims has been bought from the County by Mr Arthur R. Brashear of Humboldt, Ariz. He has begun operations to develop and has started a new shaft a short distance from one of the old shafts near the north end of the property. The work starts on a 5 foot vein of copper ore, copper in a quartz gangue fissure having granite walls.

There has been a good road made to most all parts of the property, and Brashear has moved in a portable compressor, drills and other tools.

Brashear is leasing parts of the ground that he is not going to work himself. Two parties have already sampled a 100 foot shaft and got assays of 7% copper and 70 oz silver over 5 feet and are now signing up for a lease from one to twenty years.

Other conditions on this property are the same as I found in December 1942, when I went over it with a Mr Williams, and I made a report for the files.

*A. C. Nebeker*

DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
OWNERS MINE REPORT

Date  
Dec. 24th, 1942.

1. Mine Swiss Girl
2. Mining District & County Agua Fria
3. Former name
4. Location Prescott, Ariz.
5. Owner Yavapai County
6. Address (Owner) Prescott, Ariz.
7. Operator None
8. Address (Operator)
9. President
10. Gen. Mgr.
11. Mine Supt.
12. Mill Supt.
13. Principal Metals Copper, gold and silver
14. Men Employed
15. Production Rate
16. Mill: Type & Cap.
17. Power: Amt. & Type
18. Operations: Present  
Mr John Williams is trying to acquire this property and become the operator.
19. Operations Planned
20. Number Claims, Title, etc.  
six or eight claims, all patented and taken over by the County for unpaid taxes.
21. Description: Topography & Geography  
This property is located 5 miles East of Humboldt on Copper Mountain. The country is not too rough, there is one deep ravine and the rest is more or less rolling. The sides of the mountain is covered with oak brush. Other properties south of the Swiss Girl are the Stoddard and Miner both of which are shipping.
22. Mine Workings: Amt. & Condition  
The mine workings on this property consists of four shafts from 100 to 400 or more feet deep and all are caved and would need a great deal of repair. There is also a tunnel which intersects with one of the shafts at a depth of about 150 feet. The fifth shaft which is about 100 feet deep and on a vein can be inspected bygoing down on a rope.

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

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

25. Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow: Shaft the road goes east, crossing the Aqua Fria River just below town and then follow a gulch up as far as you about 1/2 mile, then get out and walk the rest of the way.

26. Road Conditions, Route

None at the property, but maybe can be had by development on the river.

27. Water Supply

This property has been idle for a great number of years. It is claimed that several shipments were made to the old Humboldt Smelter and it appears that there was a small town at the mine. There has been considerable money spent in the workings.

28. Brief History

29. Special Problems, Reports Filed

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30. Remarks

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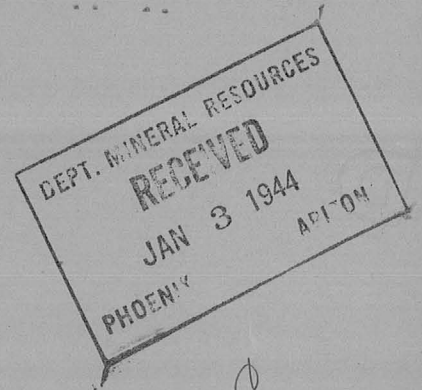
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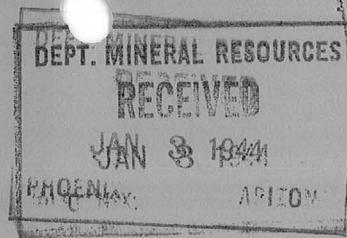
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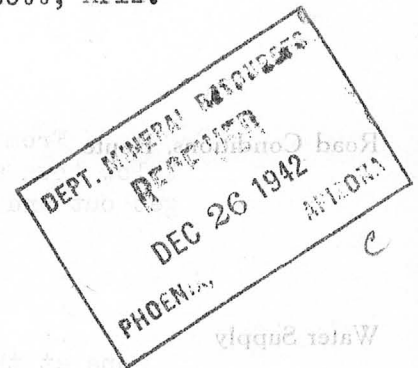
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**Mine, Mill Equipment & Flow Sheet**

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Subject: Check on shaft location.

The Swiss Girl group of claims, consisting of 13 patented claims has been bought from the County by Mr Arthur R. Brashear of Humboldt, Ariz. He has begun operations to develop and has started a new shaft a short distance from one of the old shafts near the north end of the property. The work starts on a 5 foot vein of copper ore, copper in a quartz gangue fissure having granite walls.

There has been a good road made to most all parts of the property, and Brashear has moved in a portable compressor, drills and other tools.

Brashear is leasing parts of the ground that he is not going to work himself. Two parties have already sampled a 100 foot shaft and got assays of 7% copper and 70 oz silver over 5 feet and are now signing up for a lease from one to twenty years.

Other conditions on this property are the same as I found in December 1942, when I went over it with a Mr Williams, and I made a report for the files.



DEPARTMENT OF MINERAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF ARIZONA  
FIELD ENGINEERS REPORT

Mine SWISS GIRL

Date December 24, 1942

District Agua Fria

Engineer A. C. Nebeker

Subject:

Owner: Yavapai County, Prescott, Arizona

Principal Metals: Copper, gold and silver.

Operations - Present: Mr. John Williams is trying to acquire this property and become the operator.

Number Claims, Title, etc.: <sup>13</sup> Six or eight claims, all patented, and taken over by the County for unpaid taxes.

Description - Topog. & Geog.: This property is located 5 miles east of Humboldt on Copper Mountain. The country is not too rough. There is one deep ravine and the rest is more or less rolling. The sides of the mountain are covered with Oak brush. Other properties south of the Swiss Girl are the Stoddard and Miner, both of which are shipping.

Mine Workings - Amt. & Condition: The mine workings on this property consist of four shafts from 100 to 400 or more feet deep and all are caved and would need a great deal of repair. There is also a tunnel which intersects with one of the shafts at a depth of about 150 feet. The fifth shaft which is about 100 feet deep and on a vein can be inspected by going down on a rope.

Geology & Mineralization: The geology consists mostly of granite, but there is some schists and both are cut by porphyry dikes. The mineralization favors the contact of the schist. There is one large break with a strike N 30 degrees W and dip 65 N.E. which goes through the property and two shafts on this break show some copper.

Ore - Positive & Probable, Ore Dumps, Tailings: Each shaft on this property was started on a showing of copper ore in a quartz gangue and how far it continued down, one cannot see. There is no blocked out ore and on the different dumps one could probably pick up about 100 tons of ore which might carry 5 to 7%

Road Conditions, Route: From Humboldt the road goes east, crossing the Aqua Fria River just below town and then follow a gulch up as far as you can about 1/2 mile, then get out and walk the rest of the way.

Water Supply: None at the property, but maybe can be had by development on the river.

Brief History: This property has been idle for a great number of years. It is claimed that several shipments were made to the old Humboldt Smelter and it appears that there was a small town at the mine. There has been considerable money spent in the workings.

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/s/ A. C. Nebeker



May 27, 1957

YELLOW KID

YAVAPAI COUNTY

No information on this property.

MARK GEMMILL

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