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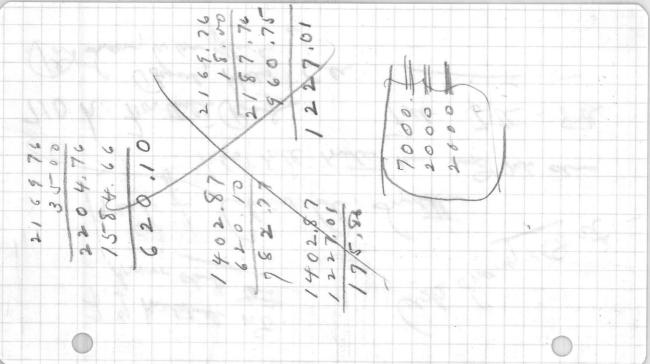
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HUMBOLDT, ARIZONA

COPY

October Twenty-fourth 1919

Mr. A. B. Pesch. c/o Tillie Starbuck Mines Co.. Prescott, Arizona.

Dear Sir:

We have completed a series of muffle tests on the Tillie Starbuck ore and with somewhat more favorable results than I had expected when I talked to you some while ago and suggested that you send us the sample. The muffle tests indicate that the ore is amenable to treatment by the chloridizing volatilization process with an extraction of about 80% of the gold and 90% of the silver content.

The sample with which we worked analyzed as follows:

Silver 12.85 c.p.t. Copper trace Insoluble 67.5% Iron 4.8%
Lime 10.0%
Sulfur 2.1%
Zinc 2.0%
Lead trace

You will understand that the above tests were merely muffle tests in our laboratory furnace, and in speaking of extraction obtained it is meant that 80% of the gold and 90% of the silver was volatilized, but further than this we were not prepared to carry the work on muffle tests. That is, the fume was not collected

nor reduced to bullion, but these last two stages should

present no difficulties.

In the course of a couple of months after we have gotten out of the way a large amount of work we now have before us in connection with our small kiln, we will be glad to discuss with you the matter of a larger scale test if you are interested.

Yours very truly,

FOR THE WESTERN METALLURGICAL CO.

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HUMBOLDT, ARIZONA

CONSOLIDATED ARIZONA ŚMELTING COMPANY

TESTS ON TILLIE-STARBUCK ORE

Tests #58, 59, 60.

Head Assay

	<u>Au</u> 0.17	AB 12.85	Cu tr	Insol 67.5	-			n 7.0 -	Pl.
Test	Wt Ore	Wt Salt	Time	Temp	Wt.Cale.	Assay	Cale.	Extra	action Ag
58	50.0	5.0	2.3H	800	46.6	0.04	1.31	78.1	90.5
59	50.0	10.0	2.3	800	47.2	0.08	5.82	55.6	57.2
60	50.0	15.0	3.5	800	45.1	0.03	2.72	84.1	80.9

NOTE: Temperatures are estimated. It will be noted that with increasing salt in the charge the extraction is less than with the smallest amount of salt. This is possibly due to the fact that fuming had not ceased when the charges were withdrawn.

Humboldt/10/22/19 EH

Re: Tillie Starbuck Mine

March 30, 1931

(Extract from letter to A. B. Peach, Vulture Mining Company from G. M. Colvocoresses)

I have your letter of March 26th and thank you very much indeed for the information contained. I am distinctly interested in the TILLIE STARBUCK and would like to obtain additional information whenever you are in position to send me the data which you say is now in Prescott.

I understand that you estimated between 70,000 and 100,000 tons of ore, the average width of the vein being in excess of 61. Your reference to the values is not quite clear since you say that these were 2/5 gold and 3/5 silver and averaged about \$7.00 a ton. when silver was 70% an ounce. On this basis the present average would only be about \$4.50 a ton which seems rather too low grade to make the property attractive unless the higher grade ore to which you refer would represent a substantial tonnage. The sulphide ore is what really interests me most since I judge that furter development at depth might be expected to prove up a considerable quantity of this material which ought to be suitable for concentration, and, if the gold values were sufficiently high, could be handled with a reasonable margin of profit. Your opinion on this particular matter would be much valued and, whenever you can let me have further data, I would like to receive same, and might arrange to visit the property sometime in the near future since I am still looking after the Storm Cloud Mine and up in that vicinity every month or two.

(Signed) G. M. Colvocoresses

(Extract from letter to G. M. Colvocoresses from A. B. Peach) hick 26, 1931

Yavapai county received and I have delayed answering thinking from day to day that I would be in Prescott where I could mail you what data I have on that property. Up to the time two of the lower tunnels caved near their portals I figured that there was between seventy thousand and one hundred thousand tons of ore faithly in sight. With

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widths ranging from two to seventeen feet. With a safe average of six. The values being about two fifths gold and three fifths silver averaging about seven dollars a ton with silver at seventy cents an ounce, with some very attractive widths of \$10.00, gold ore on the upper level now of course the value due to the low price of silver would be much reduced. Where ever sulphide was encountered through out the workings the value was much higher than average oxidized ore and in the bottom of a fifty foot winze which was sank from tunnel number three was exposed fourteen feet of \$11.00, ore and while at the bottom of it there was still some oxide, there was also more sulphide in evidence than at another point in the mine. It was due to this fact that a fourth cross cut tunnel was started at two hundred ninety feet greater depth. This tunnel having now reached a length of twelve hundred feet with another thousand feet to go before coming under the ore bodies.

(Signed) A. B. Peach.

This is Major Pickrell's record of assays of ore samples from <u>Tillie</u>

Starbuck Mine.

During his lifetime, Major Pickrell loaned this schedule to an engineer who was interested in the mine.

It was returned to us on November 24th by Mr. A. J. Johns.

November 25, 1931

RECORD OF TILLIE STARBUCK MINE

Raise No. 1 From No. 3 to No. 2.

No.	Location	Gold Oz.	Silver 0z.
1.	8" high grade, South end at 10'	•50	134.50
2.	8" high grade, South end at 20'	•30	99,70
3.	8" high grade, South end at 30'	•20	111.00
4.	8" high grade, South end at 35'	.30	7.10
5.	8" high grade, South end at 40'	20	31.40
6.	14" high grade, North end at 45°	•25	39.25
7.	10" high grade, South end at 45'	1.10	7.10
8.	Grab sample fines from Raise #1	•20	14.6
9.	Oxide from hanging wall 45'	None	None
10.	4" high grade at 53' Raise #1	2.00	137.20
11.	16" high grade at 53' Raise #1	trs.	1,60
12.0	Grab sample fines, Raise #2	•30	6,30
13.	18" high grade, South end 58'	2.60	18.80
14.	Few feet. Arnors Drift	.20	15,20
15.	6" high grade stread 62'	.10	
16.	14" ore Raise #1. 70*	.16	2.20

Drift from Raise No. 1.

1.	Left	.24	28.16
2.	Right	1.10	2.06
3.	Oxide	•30	7.10
4.	Left	.20	4.6
5.	Right	.10	5.9

Winze

No.	Location	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	8' depth	.30	13.5
2.	15 depth	.10	4.5
3,	20' depth 2	.20	5.0
4.	25' depth	.20	10.80
5.	30' Nepth	.22	1.80
6.	28' South Cross cut Cu.trs.	•20	9,80
	Gardner Raise No. 2		
1.	Raise at 5'	.10	3.3
2.	Raise at 10°	.20	3,4
3.	Raise at 25	.10	3.9
4.	Raise at 30°	.20	7.4
5.	Riase at 35'	.20	5.2
6.	Raise at 40°	.15	4.05
7.	Raise at 45'	.10	5.7
8.	Raise at 50'	.15	3.95
9.	Raise at 55'	.20	5.2
10.	Raise at 60'	.15	7.10
11.	Raise at 65'	•40	10.8
12.	Raise at 70' Crosss Cut Roof	.20	3.2
13.	Raise at 75°	.35	7.25
14.	801	trs.	2.00
15.	85 1	.20	2.5
16.	901	.20	3.00
17.	951	.25	7.95
18.	Raise at 100°	.20	6.80
19.	Raise at 105'	.10	3,50
20	Raise at 110'	.10	6.10
21.	Raise at 115'	.10	5.50

Raise No. 3.
Middle to Upper Tunnel.

No.	Location		Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	Raise at 15°		.10	.90
2.	Raise at 20'		.30	1.70
3.	Raise at 25'		trs.	1,00
4.	Raise at 30°		.10	1,40
5.	351		trs.	1.40
6.	40*		.20	2.00
7.	551		.15	5.45
8.	601		.20	5.80
9.	651		.10	2.30
10.	651	Cross Cut	.15	3.85
11.	701		.120	4.80
12.	751		.10	2,50
13.	801		trs.	2.60
14.	851		.10	2.90
15.	901		trs.	1.60
16.	1051	North	.20	4.60
17.	1051	South	•30	14.50
18.	115'		•60	2.00
19.	1201		.20	3.40
20.	125*		.30	5.30
21.	130*		.25	5.75
22.	135'		.30	9.70
23.	140'		•20	5.20
24.	145'		.10	3,90

Raise No. 4.

No.	Location	<u>on</u>	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	Raise at 10°		•10	7.70
2.	15'		.05	4.15
3.	20'		.10	4.30
4.	25 '		.10	4.10
5.	251	(for Cu-None)	.10	3.90
6.	25 1	Drift No. 1 R	20	9.20
7.	25 *	" No. 1 L	15	1.85
8.	25'	South Drift 1	o' trs.	.90
9.	251	" " 1	5' trs.	1.60
10.	25'		.15	2.45
11.	25'	n n 2	5' trs.	2.00
12.	301		•05	3,55
13.	35 *	Left	•05	3.35
14.	35 1	Right	.10	1.90
15.	40 *		.20	6.40
16.	45'	East	.10	1.90
17.	45'	West	trs.	1.40
18.	501		.05	2.55
19.	551		.05	1.85
20.	60 *		trs.	1.40
21.	651		.10	2.90
22.	701		.12	3.58
23.	80'		.10	2.50
24.	85'		.08	2.02
25.	901		trs.	1.30
26	951		.02	2.30
27	100'		.15	3.10
28	105*		.10	3.00
29 ∠	110'		.12	3.00
30	115'		.10	3,10

Raise No. 5.
Tunnel No. 3 to 2.

No.	Location	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	Raise at 5'	trs.	1.40
2.	10*	.05	2.35
3.	15*	.10	4.50
4.	25'	.10	3.20
5.	301	trs.	2.30
6.	351	.18	2,10
7.	401	•10	2.20
8.	451	•10	1.90
9.	50 °	•10	5.30
10.	551	.15	5.05
11.	60 '	trs.	2.40
12.	65 '	.10	3.90
	Raise	No. 6.	
1.	Raise at 5'	.18	15.00
2.	10'	.16	12.60
3.	15'	.10	6.10
4.	201	.22	11.40
5.	251	•10	4.50
6.	30¹	.10	4.70
7.	35'	•10	10.30
8.	40*	.15	10.25
9.	45'	.08	8.10
10.	50'	.15	1.75
11.	55¹	.10	3.30
12.	60 •	.22	10.40
13.	651	•03	12.80
14.	70'	.18	7.80
15.	80'	.10	11.10
16.	85 '	.16	16.66

No.			Ī	ocation				Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
17.		Rais	e at	901				.10	25,90
18.				95'				.18	4.00
19.				100'				.20	5.80
20.				105'				.10	6,90
21.				110'				.20	4.00
22.				115'				.10	19.10
23.				120'				.10	9.90
24.				125'				.10	12.00
					Star	ebu	r Drift ck Tunnel	No. 3.	
1.	Breas	t of	main	tunnel	at	10	851	•30	1.20
2.	**	17	11:	n	Dr.	at	1090'	.20	2.00
3.		17	19	n	D1.	**	1090'	.20	1.60
4.	•	#	"	n		79	1100'	trs.	1.20
5.	**	**	n	TR.		11	1135'	•10	9,50
6.		12		nt .		11	1140**	.25	6.30
7.	n	17	*			12	1145'	• 25	1.80
8.	Ħ	**	11:			11	1160'	•10	4.90
9.		19	*			n	1165'	.15	3.85
10.	"	"	Ħ	•		11	1170'	.15	1.85
11.	11	11	17	•		***	1175'	None	None
12.	***	*	*	Footwa.	11		1175*	trs.	7.40
13.		"	**	Tunnel	at		1180'	.10	1.50
14.		"	"		*		1185	.10	9.90
15.		*	n		11:		1195*	.15	3,65
16.	n				*		1190'	.20	16.80

& M.C. This report on Tillie Starbuck Mine was prepared by Mr. A. J. Johns, a mining engineer, now residing at Surg Side Colony, Seal Beach Post Office, California. He brought this report into us on November 24th advising that Major Pickrell loaned it to a mining engineer who was interested in the properties about a year ago and when he found it had not been returned to the Major he was instrumental in getting it for us. The party who was previously interested in the mine does not want to make any offer for the property at the present time. November 25, 1931

PRESCOTT ----- YAVAPAL COUNTY ARIZONA

LOCATION:

The Tillie Starbuck property comprises ten (10) patented and two (2) unpatented lode mining claims located at Slate Creek Hassayampa Mining District, about 15 miles southeast of Prescott, Arizona. The property is reached by a good highway from Prescott, which is the nearest supply point.

EXTENT OF REPORT AND CONSLUSIONS:

The mine is opened by three principal tunnels, the lowest tunnel of which exposes 4 ore shoots at depths of from 350 feet to about 600 feet. (See accompanying map showing longitudinal section along the Tillie Starbuck vein.) I did not sample any of the ore shoots on the two upper tunnel levels, but confined my examination to observing the ore conditions on the lower tunnel level, and took what I considered sufficient samples from various cross-cuts in the ore-bodies, and in particular from the Gardner Winze, so as to gain a reasonably accurate idea of ore values on this tunnel level.

In general terms the following conclusions stand out:

- (1) The country rock is not the tight granitic formation which is common in the Prescott vicinity, but consists mainly of belts of soft porphyry and schists with some diorites which strike about S-17° W. The Tillie Starbuck vein occupies a very strong fault fissure which cuts the schistocity of the country rock at angle of 20° to 30°. The strike of the vein varies from 5° to 10° southeast with dip of about 80° easterly.
- (2) The vein on the lower tunnel level at depth of 600 feet on the Gardner ore shoot shows a well oxidized, loose vein structure with only occasional small patches of sulphides remaining.

The oxidized ore shows good evidence of leaching action with considerable development of limonite iron, which I consider is derived from oxidation and leaching of original sulphide ores. The vein has a very favorable appearance of containing several hundred feet below the present depth.

(3) The Gardner winze is centrally located for deeper development below tunnel level. By sunking this winze 200 to 300 feet, and drifting along the ore, should demonstrate ore conditions in the sulphide zone. The Gardner ore shoot shows \$10.00 values in the oxide ores. The values are about equally divided between gold and silver in the oxidized ore. The sulphide ores show increasing silver. Silver is figured at \$1.00 per oz. Indications point to higher values in the sulphides -- probably to \$15.00 to \$20.00 per ton. It appears quite probable that further development will open sufficient ore to warrant a 100-ton milling plant!

ORE SHOOTS:

My samples of the Gardner winze, now down 30 ft. below the tunnel level, show average values of about \$11.00 across $10\frac{1}{2}$ feet in the oxidized ore. Small patches of sulphide ore now coming in indicate that the sulphide zone may be reached in the next 200 ft. of sinking.

One sample of sulphide ore, showing only light sulphides of pyrite and galena, from drift on the Gardner shoot, 25 feet North of the Gardner winze on tunnel level, assayed \$8.26 gold and 11.80 ozs. silver -- total \$20.06.

A sample of oxide ore 7 feet wide at this point assayed \$4.65 gold and 5.30 ozs. silver -- total \$9.95. The value of \$20.06 on the one sulphide sample as compared to an average of about \$11.00 on the oxidized ore indicates that deeper development in the sulphide zone has a good chance of opening considerably higher grade sulphide ores than the present oxidized ores.

The Gardner and Oxidized Ore Shoots are raking toward each other, as shown on amp, and should merge into one ore shoot about 150 feet below the present tunnel. The vein on the tunnel level between the Gardner and the Oxidized Ore Shoots shows small irregular lendes of ore in a loose vein structure, and it appears quite possible that greater depth may show the Gardner and Oxidized Ore Shoots as one continuous ore shoot of from 300 to 500 feet in length with indicated width at present of 10 to possibly 15 feet.

In addition to the Gardner and the Oxidized Ore Shoots, the Johnson and the Silver Shoots offer equally good possibilities with deeper development. The Johnson shoot has length of about 200 feet with average width of about 10 feet. The Silver Shoot is about 60 feet long by 3 to 5 feet in width. I have made no estimate of ore values or tonnage above the tunnel level, but Company figures indicate that about 50,000 tons of about \$9.00 ore can be mined from this area.

<u>s</u>	AMPLES - Tunnel Level	Width Feet	Gold	Silver Ozs.	Total Value
1	& 2 In drift North end of Johnson shoot		Tr.	Tr.	
3	Johnson shoot - middle xcut E.	6 1	\$6.20	5.70	11.90
4	Johnson shoot- south xcut (0-9) from hanging wall	9	3.72	1.00	4.72
5	Johnson shoot - continuation #4 (9-14') from hanging wall	5	4.54	.61	5,15
6	Gardner shoot - xcut at winze (0-6') from hanging wall	6	4.54	2.80	7.34
7	Oxidized shoot - (0-2½*) from hanging wall	21/2	6.20	7.10	13.30
8	Oxidized shoot -(24-91) from hanging wall	7	3.72	1.80	5.52
9	Gardner shoot - 25' North of Winze (3-7') from footwall	4	4.13	4.80	8.93
16	Gardner shoot (0-3') " "	3	5.16	5.80	10.96
10	Gardner winze - down 30' south end (0-52') from hanging wall	5호	6.20	4.90	11.10
11	Gardner winze - down 25' south end (0-52') from hanging wall	5 1 /2	5.16	6.50	11.66
12	Gardner winze - down 30' north end (0-42') from hanging wall	41/8	5.16	4.75	9.91
13	Gardner winze - down 25° north end (0-72°) from hanging wall	7호	4.54	5.20	9.74
14	Gardner winze - down 25' north size xcut (7½-10½') from hanging wall	3	6.20	6.90	13.10
15	Gardner winze - down 15' north end (0-4') from hanging wall	4	4.13	6.50	10.63
17	Gardner winze - sulphides at #9		8.26	11.80	20.06

It is noticeable in the above samples that the gold content is fairly constant but that the silver contents vary from .61 oz. to 7.10 ozs. Separating these samples into two groups — those containing more than 3 ozs. silver in one group and those samples showing less than 3 ozs. silver in a second group, the following ratio of gold to silver is shown:-

Group I Group II Sample Gold Silver Sample Gold Silver \$6.20 5.70 ozs. \$3.72 1.00 ozs. 7 6.20 4.54 7.10 5 .61 4.13 4.80 9 6 4.54 2.80 16 5.16 5.80 " 8 3.72 1.80 79 10 6.20 4.90 Total \$16.52 6.21 11 12 5.16 6.50 12 12 5.16 4.75 4.54 13 5.20 14 6.20 6.90 12 ** 15 4.13 6.50 \$53.08 Total 58.15 Average \$ 5.31 5.81

Group I shows roughly a ratio of one dollar gold to one ounce silver. Group II shows nearly three dollars gold to one ounce silver. In sample 17 of sulphide ore the silver ratio increases to nearly $l^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ozs. silver to one dollar gold. The lowe silver ratio of the samples in Group II, in conjunction with the well oxidized condition of the vein, supports the theory that a considerable portion of the silver values have been leached out, while the hold being less susceptible to leaching action would not be leached to the same extent.

With some 500 to 600 ft. of oxidized ore above the tunnel level, a very considerable zone of secondary enriched sulphide ore is quite possible at water level. The depth at which the sulphide zone will be encountered is quite indeterminate, but the appearance of scattered bunches of sulphides on the tunnel level and in the Gardner winze indicates that the sulphide zone may be reached within 200 ft. below the present tunnel level.

RECOMMENDATIONS AND GENERAL CONDITIONS:

I consider the present development as sufficiently favorable to warrant sinking of the present Gardner winze to at least the sulphide zone, with sufficient drifting along the ore from the bottom of the winze to determine the probable ore values. If this work responds favorably, a lower crosscut tunnel about 1700 feet in length should be driven so as to reach about 250 feet below the present tunnel. This tunnel would be used as an ore extraction tunnel for milling operations, and should afford reasonably cheap mining costs. Any deeper development could be done by sinking an underground shaft from this last tunnel level.

Cyanide tests made by the Company indicate that the ore is amenable to cyanide treatment, with extraction percentage about 90 per cent.

Electric power can be obtained from the Arizona Power Company by construction of about one and a half miles of transmission line.

There is an abundance of standing timber on the claims for mining purposes, and the mine will furnish ample water for milling purposes.

The general conditions for economic operation of the property are good. On basis of 100-ton milling plant, and keeping the overhead expense to the minimum, it would appear that mining and milling costs should not exceed six dollars (\$6.00) a ton.

Respectfully submitted,

A. L. JOHNS.

To Mr. A. J. Pickrell, Los Angeles, California.

January 20, 1923.

TILLIE-STARBUCK MINE

Wickenburg, Arizona April 21st, 1932.

---- very attractive gold values were once found on the Artic vein -- expect to develop large ore body when present work intercepts said Artic vein.

The vein that is generally known as the Tillie Starbuck Vein is the same vein cutting through the Plevna Claim, and which is over a mile in length. The ore shoots are opened on three levels known as tunnels 1, 2, 3, and tunnel #4 is the one Fritz is now driving. Tunnel #1 is the upper, and is 700 to 800 ft. long, exact distance I cannot remember. In that tunnel was developed the Johnson shoot, then the Gardner shoot, and near the breast, the Gold shoot. Tunnel #2 is the tunnel that the road passes over before reaching camp and, due to its having been caved prior to the time I became interested in it with Major, I do not know its entire length but would say approximately 1800 feet. This tunnel is about 140 feet below tunnel #1 and developed the same ore and approximately the same grade as #1 with a slight increase in the ore shoots. Tunnel #3 is the one in the canyon just below camp. The first 700 ft. of it was a cross cut and the Plevna vein encountered and followed in a southerly direction for some 1200 or 1400 ft. to develop the Johnson, Gardner, the Gold, and the silver shoots. This is the only tunnel that had gone far enough to encounter the silver shoot and the breast of the tunnel, when stopped, still showed values. And, from surface indicatioms I feel sure that more ore shoots could be developed in a Southerly direction if developments were continued for another 600 ft.

Three raises were driven from tunnel #2 to tunnel #3. One on the Gardner, one off the Gold, and one on the Silver shoot, and one driven from tunnel #1 to tunnel #2 on the Gardner shoot; which proved the ore to be regular in value, and continuous from level to level, with an average width of from six to eight feet. The vein varying from as much as 2 to 17 ft. wide, and 6 ft. for the average is very conservative. I feel very confident that there is very close to 70,000 tons of ore blocked out between tunnel #3 and the surface which depth is from 500 ft. on the Johnson shoot to 800 ft. vertical on the Gold. Tunnel #4 when completed will encounter the various shoots from 800 to 1100 ft. vertical. And from all evidence will more than double the tonnage available.

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Johnson *	•05	4.21
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Composite	0.10	7.05

Cyanide tests show recoveries of 90 to 95% of Au. and 81-88% Ag.

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BRADSHAW MINES INC., DURING PERIOD OF OPERATION

Date	Tonnage	Gold Oz.	Gold Value	Silver Oz.	Silver Value	Total Value
June, 1936	183.	27.449	900.87	802.75	587.22	1,488.09
July, 1st Hf.	377.	55.547	1,823.05	2,545,26	1,861.86	3,684.91
July, 2nd Hf.	543.	65.976	2,165.33	1,605.18	1,174.19	3,339.52
Total	1,103	148.972	4,889.25	4,953.19	3,623,27	7,512.52

Actual gold and silver contents not furnished for months of August and September, 1936, but following figures submitted on average value basis:-

Date	<u>Tonna ge</u>	Value
August, 1st, half	404.28	3,572.68
2nd. half	685.38	4,914,11
September, 22 days	870.01	4,578.02
Total	1,959.67	13,064.81

Gold 32.82 oz.

Silver .7315 oz.

ARIZONA & SWANSEA RAILROAD COMPANY

HUMBOLDT, ARIZONA

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Mr. A. B. Peach, c/o The Vulture Mining Company, Wickenburg, Arizona.

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Dear Mr. Peach:

I have your letter of March 26th and thank you very much indeed for the information contained. I am distinctly interested in the TILLIE STARBUCK and would like to obtain additional information whenever you are in position to send me the data which you say is now in Prescott.

I understand that you estimated between 70,000 and 100,000 tons of ore, the average width of the vein being in excess of 6'. Your reference to the values is not quite clear since you say that these were 2/5 gold and 3/5 silver and averaged about \$7.00 a ton, when silver was 70¢ an ounce. On this basis the present average would only be about \$4.50 a ton which seems rather too low grade to make the property attractive unless the higher grade ore to which you refer would represent a substantial tonnage. The sulphide ore is what really interests me most since I judge that further development at depth might be expected to prove up a con-



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Any time that you are in Phoenix, please drop in the office ar call me up and, if I am in town, it would be a pleasure to have you lunch with me.

Hope things are going nicely at the VULTURE.
Best personal regards.

Very truly yours,

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Wickenburg, Arizona,

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George M. Colvocoresses.

1108 Luhrs Tower,

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Dear Mr. Colvocoresses:

Your letter inquiring about the Tillie Starbuck mine in Yavapi county received and I have delayed answering thinking from day to day that I would be in Prescott where I could mail you what data I have on that property. Up to the time two of the lower tunnels caved near their portals I figered that there was between seventy thousand and one hundred thousand tons of ore fairly in sight. With widths ranging from two to seventeen feet. With a safe average of six. The values being about two fifths gold and three fifths silver averaging about seven dollars a ton with silver at seventy cents an ounce, with some very attractive widths of \$10.00, gold ore on the upper level now of course the value due to the low price of silver would be much reduced. Where ever sulphid was encountered through out the workings the value was much higher than average oxidized ore and in the bottom of a fifty foot winz which was sank from tunnel number three was exposed fourteen feet of \$11.00, ore and while at the bottom of it there was still some oxide, there

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If in the event that the above mentioned is interesting to you, let me know, and I will furnish you detailed information as far as possible. May at any time be in Phoenix and will be pleased to call on you while there.

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YAVAPAI COUNTY SAVINGS BANK Me Staluel PRESCOTT, ARIZONA. December 23d, 1938. Mr. G. M. Colvorcesses, 1102 Luhrs Tower, Phoenix, Arizona. Dear Mr. Colvorcesses: Mr. Peach has referred your letter of the 15th to me, concerning the Tillie Starbuck Mines Company property. Mr. Peach will be in Phoenix sometime the latter part of next week, when he will deliver to you the maps and other engineering data we have on the property, inasmuch as they are a trifle too bulky to mail. Thanking you for this inquiry, we remain. Very truly yours. GHS:C

Cottonwood, ariz Tillie Starlink file Dec. 19, 1938. — file Mr. G. M. Colvocorresses Phoenix, ariz. Dear Mr. Colvocovresses: your letter of Dec. 15 advising of some possible operations in the Senator district just received, and I succeedly hope that you will succeed, thru your efforts to interest people with sufficient capital to put that groups I might suggest that the Senator grank can be had at a very low price, and if the Lenatur turnel was reclaimed and driven under the Starm Cloud property, it would provide very low cost ming passibilities for the Starm

Cloud as well as plenty of water for a milling operation of at least 100 ton capacity; with a favorable possibility of sufficient ore being extracted from the Senatur group. to give same profit over the pur chase price. I have none of the Tillie Starbuck's necords at hand but an writing I H Stack today to forward all available make and records of every kind and description to you which will, beyond a doubt ging you all the information wait-Table, unless it is possibly the estimated tonnage developed which I figure safely there was 50,000 tous above the not 3 turnel which would average # 8 of old price of metals), That was figuring gold at 20 perog.

and silver at #1,00 per og. The average value now would be the same, gold to silver. In the event your crowd becames interested in developing in that district, we will give them a privilege to operate the Tillie Starbuck property on a strictly royalty basis, Despect to be in Prescott within the next three or four days and in the event Mr Stack has not forwarded you all the data on Tillie Starbuck I will see that it is fortheaming, Ussuring you that I will be glad to give you all information Jand assistance within my power to help you accomplish the desired Mrs Peach joins me in estending compliments of the season to yourself of the y

150 S.MC This report on Tillie Starbuck Mine was prepared by Mr. A. J. Johns, a mining engineer, now residing at Surg Side Colony, Seal Beach Post Office. California. He brought this report into us on November 24th advising that Major Pickrell loaned it to a mining engineer who was interested in the properties about a year ago and when he found it had not been returned to the Major he was instrumental in getting it for us. The party who was previously interested in the mine does not want to make any offer for the property at the present time. November 25, 1931

PRESCOTT ----- YAVAPAI COUNTY ARIZONA

LOCATION:

The Tillie Starbuck property comprises ten (10) patented and two (2) unpatented lode mining claims located at Slate Creek Hassayampa Mining District, about 15 miles southeast of Prescott, Arizona. The property is reached by a good highway from Prescott, which is the nearest supply point.

EXTENT OF REPORT AND CONSLUSIONS:

The mine is opened by three principal tunnels, the lowest tunnel of which exposes 4 ore shoots at depths of from 350 feet to about 600 feet. (See accompanying map showing longitudinal section along the Tillie Starbuck vein.) I did not sample any of the ore shoots on the two upper tunnel levels, but comfined my examination to observing the ore conditions on the lower tunnel level, and took what I considered sufficient samples from various cross-cuts in the ore-bodies, and in particular from the Gardner Winze, so as to gain a reasonably accurate idea of ore values on this tunnel level.

In general terms the following conclusions stand out:

- (1) The country rock is not the tight granitic formation which is common in the Prescott vicinity, but consists mainly of belts of soft porphyry and schists with some diorites which strike about S-17° W. The Tillie Starbuck vein occupies a very strong fault fissure which cuts the schistocity of the country rock at angle of 20° to 30°. The strike of the vein varies from 5° to 10° southeast with dip of about 80° easterly.
- (2) The vein on the lower tunnel level at depth of 600 feet on the Gardner ore shoot shows a well oxidized, loose vein structure with only occasional small patches of sulphides remaining.

The oxidized ore shows good evidence of leaching action with considerable development of limonite iron, which I consider is derived from oxidation and leaching of original sulphide ores. The vein has a very favorable appearance of containing several hundred feet below the present depth.

(3) The Gardner winze is centrally located for deeper development below tunnel level. By sunking this winze 200 to 300 feet, and drifting along the ore, should demonstrate ore conditions in the sulphide zone. The Gardner ore shoot shows \$10.00 values in the oxide ores. The values are about equally divided between gold and silver in the oxidized ore. The sulphide ores show increasing silver. Silver is figured at \$1.00 per oz. Indications point to higher values in the sulphides -- probably to \$15.00 to \$20.00 per ton. It appears quite probable that further development will open sufficient ore to warrant a 100-ton milling plant.

ORE SHOOTS:

My samples of the Gardner winze, now down 30 ft. below the tunnel level, show average values of about \$11.00 across $10\frac{1}{2}$ feet in the oxidized ore. Small patches of sulphide ore now coming in indicate that the sulphide zone may be reached in the next 200 ft. of sinking.

One sample of sulphide ore, showing only light sulphides of pyrite and galena, from drift on the Gardner shoot, 25 feet North of the Gardner winze on tunnel level, assayed \$8.26 gold and ll.80 ozs. silver -- total \$20.06.

A sample of oxide ore 7 feet wide at this point assayed \$4.65 gold and 5.30 ozs. silver -- total \$9.95. The value of \$20.06 on the one sulphide sample as compared to an average of about \$11.00 on the oxidized ore indicates that deeper development in the sulphide zone has a good chance of opening considerably higher grade sulphide ores than the present oxidized ores.

The Gardner and Oxidized Ore Shoots are raking toward each other, as shown on amp, and should merge into one ore shoot about 150 feet below the present tunnel. The vein on the tunnel level between the Gardner and the Oxidized Ore Shoots shows small irregular lenges of ore in a loose vein structure, and it appears quite possible that greater depth may show the Gardner and Oxidized Ore Shoots as one continuous ore shoot of from 300 to 500 feet in length with indicated width at present of 10 to possibly 15 feet.

In addition to the Gardner and the Oxidized Ore Shoots, the Johnson and the Silver Shoots offer equally good possibilities with deeper development. The Johnson shoot has length of about 200 feet with average width of about 10 feet. The Silver Shoot is about 60 feet long by 3 to 5 feet in width. I have made no estimate of ore values or tonnage above the tunnel level, but Company figures indicate that about 50,000 tons of about \$9.00 ore can be mined from this area.

2	SAMPLES - Tunnel Level	Width Feet	Gold	Silver Ozs.	Total Value
1	& 2 In drift North end of Johnson shoot		Tr.	Tr.	
3	Johnson shoot - middle xcut E.	6 1 /2	\$6.20	5.70	11.90
4	Johnson shoot- south xcut (0-9) from hanging wall	9	3.72	1.00	4.72
5	Johnson shoot - continuation #4 (9-14') from hanging wall	5	4.54	.61	5.15
6	Gardner shoot - xcut at winze (0-6') from hanging wall	6	4.54	2.80	7.34
7	Oxidized shoot - (0-2½') from hanging wall	2 1	6.20	7.10	13.30
8	Oxidized shoot -(21-91) from hanging wall	7	3.72	1.80	5.52
9	Gardner shoot - 25' North of Winze (3-7') from footwall	4	4.13	4.80	8.93
16	Gardner shoot (0-3') " "	3	5.16	5.80	10.96
10	Gardner winze - down 30' south end (0-5½') from hanging wall	5 <u>1</u>	6.20	4,90	11.10
11	Gardner winze - down 25' south end (0-5%) from hanging wall	5½	5.16	6.50	11.66
12	Gardner winze - down 30' north end (0-4½') from hanging wall	4½	5.16	4.75	9.91
13	Gardner winze - down 25' north end (0-72') from hanging wall	7 ¹ / ₂	4.54	5.20	9.74
14	Gardner winze - down 25' north size xcut $(7\frac{1}{2}-10\frac{1}{2})$ from hanging wall	3	6.20	6.90	13.10
15	Gardner winze - down 15' north end (0-4') from hanging wall	4	4.13	6.50	10.63
17	Gardner winze - sulphides at #9		8.26	11.80	20.06

It is noticeable in the above samples that the gold content is fairly constant but that the silver contents vary from .61 oz. to 7.10 ozs. Separating these samples into two groups — those containing more than 3 ozs. silver in one group and those samples showing less than 3 ozs. silver in a second group, the following ratio of gold to silver is shown:-

	Group	I			Group II	
Sample	Gold	Silve	ər	Sample	Gold	Silver
3 7 9 16 10 11 12 13 14 15	\$6.20 6.20 4.13 5.16 6.20 5.16 5.16 4.54 6.20 4.13	5.70 7.10 4.80 5.80 4.90 6.50 4.75 5.20 6.90 6.50	OZS. n n n n n n n	4 5 6 8 Total	\$3.72 4.54 4.54 3.72 \$16.52	1.00 ozs. .61 " 2.80 " 1.80 "
Total	\$53.08	58.15	"			
Average	\$ 5.31	5.81	11			

Group I shows roughly a ratio of one dollar gold to one ounce silver. Group II shows nearly three dollars gold to one ounce silver. In sample 17 of sulphide ore the silver ratio increases to nearly $l_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ozs. silver to one dollar gold. The lowe silver ratio of the samples in Group II, in conjunction with the well oxidized condition of the vein, supports the theory that a considerable portion of the silver values have been leached out, while the hold being less susceptible to leaching action would not be leached to the same extent.

With some 500 to 600 ft. of oxidized ore above the tunnel level, a very considerable zone of secondary enriched sulphide ore is quite possible at water level. The depth at which the sulphide zone will be encountered is quite indeterminate, but the appearance of scattered bunches of sulphides on the tunnel level and in the Gardner winze indicates that the sulphide zone may be reached within 200 ft. below the present tunnel level.

RECOMMENDATIONS AND GENERAL CONDITIONS:

I consider the present development as sufficiently favorable to warrant sinking of the present Gardner winze to at least the sulphide zone, with sufficient drifting along the ore from the bottom of the winze to determine the probable ore values. If this work responds favorably, a lower crosscut tunnel about 1700 feet in length should be driven so as to reach about 250 feet below the present tunnel. This tunnel would be used as an ore extraction tunnel for milling operations, and should afford reasonably cheap mining costs. Any deeper development could be done by sinking an underground shaft from this last tunnel level.

Cyanide tests made by the Company indicate that the ore is amenable to cyanide treatment, with extraction percentage about 90 per cent.

Electric power can be obtained from the Arizona Power Company by construction of about one and a half miles of transmission line.

There is an abundance of standing timber on the claims for mining purposes, and the mine will furnish ample water for milling purposes. The general conditions for economic operation of the property are good. On basis of 100-ton milling plant, and keeping the overhead expense to the minimum, it would appear that mining and milling costs should not exceed six dollars (\$6.00) a ton. Respectfully submitted, A. L. JOHNS. Mr. A. J. Pickrell, Los Angeles, California. January 20, 1923. -5-

TILLIE-STARBUCK MINE

Wickenburg, Arizona April 21st, 1932.

---- very attractive gold values were once found on the Artic vein -- expect to develop large ore body when present work intercepts said Artic vein.

The vein that is generally known as the Tillie Starbuck Vein is the same vein cutting through the Plevna Claim, and which is over a mile in length. The ore shoots are opened on three levels known as tunnels 1, 2, 3, and tunnel #4 is the one Fritz is now driving. Tunnel #1 is the upper, and is 700 to 800 ft. long, exact distance I cannot remember. In that tunnel was developed the Johnson shoot, then the Gardner shoot, and near the breast, the Gold shoot. Tunnel #2 is the tunnel that the road passes over before reaching camp and, due to its having been caved prior to the time I became interested in it with Major, I do not know its entire length but would say approximately 1800 feet. This tunnel is about 140 feet below tunnel #1 and developed the same ore and approximately the same grade as #1 with a slight increase in the ore shoots. Tunnel #3 is the one in the canyon just below camp. The first 700 ft. of it was a cross cut and the Plevna vein encountered and followed in a southerly direction for some 1200 or 1400 ft. to develop the Johnson, Gardner, the Gold, and the silver shoots. This is the only tunnel that had gone far enough to encounter the silver shoot and the breast of the tunnel, when stopped, still showed values. And, from surface indications I feel sure that more ore shoots could be developed in a Southerly direction if developments were continued for another 600 ft.

Three raises were driven from tunnel #2 to tunnel #3. One on the Gardner, one off the Gold, and one on the Silver shoot, and one driven from tunnel #1 to tunnel #2 on the Gardner shoot; which proved the ore to be regular in value, and continuous from level to level, with an average width of from six to eight feet. The vein varying from as much as 2 to 17 ft. wide, and 6 ft. for the average is very conservative. I feel very confident that there is very close to 70,000 tons of ore blocked out between tunnel #3 and the surface which depth is from 500 ft. on the Johnson shoot to 800 ft. vertical on the Gold. Tunnel #4 when completed will encounter the various shoots from 800 to 1100 ft. vertical. And from all evidence will more than double the tonnage available.

The values are entirely gold and silver, and the average proportions are two-fifths Gold and three-fifths Silver. When silver was a dollar, I figured the entire ore would average around \$8.00. Of course at the present price it would be considerably reduced. But the one great attraction to the Tillie Starbuck is that whenever bunches of sulphide ore were encountered the grade increased substantially, and it is the opinion of those familiar with the geology of the Tillie, when the sulphide zone is reached, a very attractive ore will be encountered.

The shoot of tunnel #3 is still oxidized and no doubt impoverished from it to a considerable extent by leaching. Another very interesting feature is that all the ore shoots have continued to lengthen as greater depth has been gained. And

it is my opinion and also of the Major's, when tunnel #4 is completed that a continuous ore shoot will be developed to a distance of 1000 to 1200 feet. This was strongly evidenced by almost continuous values for the entire length of tunnel #3 from where the ore was encountered on the Johnson shoot for approximately 1000 ft. southerly. In the Major's records there should be a blue print drafted by A. L. Johns showing the vertical section of the different ore shoots which will give you a better knowledge than it would be possible for you to gain otherwise. - - - -Due to the ideal situation of the mine, even on a fifty cent silver market, the Tillie would be on a substantial productive basis for many years, as the cost of mining and milling should in no case exceed \$2.50 per ton. There is plenty of timber on the property for all mining purposes, and an abundance of water coming to the mill by gravity, as well as the ore to a depth of 1100 feet when the present tunnel is completed. A. B. PEACH. -2NOTES RE METALLURGY OF TILLIE STARBUCK ORE

Flotation Tests by Southwestern Engineering Company. Cyanide tests by Sill & Sill.

		CONC.		RECOVERY	
Ag. Oz.	Au. Oz.	Ag. Oz.	RATIO CONC.	Au.	Ag.
8.05	3.40	210.4	30 : 1	94.1	79.5
10.94	4.01	224.39	25 : 1	82.3	81.1
10.94	4.16	247.96	30:1	79.5	82.0
3.36	1.62	89.78	40:1	78.8	68.2
	8.05 1 10.94 10.94	8.05 3.40 1 10.94 4.01 10.94 4.16	8.05 3.40 210.4 1 10.94 4.01 224.39 10.94 4.16 247.96	8.05 3.40 210.4 30:1 10.94 4.01 224.39 25:1 10.94 4.16 247.96 30:1	Ag. 0z. Au. 0z. Ag. 0z. CONC. Au. 8.05 3.40 210.4 30:1 94.1 10.94 4.01 224.39 25:1 82.3 10.94 4.16 247.96 30:1 79.5

Lead in some of the ore 3.30%

Assays from Various Sections of Mine:

	Au.	Ag.
Oxide Shoot	0.13	9.55
Silver "	0.10	8.16
Johnson "	•05	4.21
Gardner "	0.12	5.30
Composite	0.10	7.05

Cyanide tests show recoveries of 90 to 95% of Au. and 81-88% Ag.

4 1 4 (COPY) SILL AND SILL CONSULTING MINING ENGINEERS 1011 South Figueroa St., Los Angeles. May 25. 1922. Major A. J. Pickrell, c/o California Bank. Los Angeles, California. Dear Sir: Enclosed herewith are the reports on the several tests made on the Tillie Starbuck ore. Tests No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 were made on 500 grams (1.12 lbs.) of a composite sample of the Oxide, Silver, Johnson and Gardner shoots. The ore was ground to minus 80,100, 150 and 200 mesh and agitated continuously for 48 hours, by shaking in bottles. These tests do not represent commercial results but indicate the fineness to which the cre should be ground. Tests No. 5 and 6 were made on 2000 grams (4.4 lbs.) and 8000 grams (17.6)lbs.) of solution and agitated for 30 and 36 hours respectively. These tests were made in small Pachuca tanks and continuously air agitated. They represent standard practice with the exception that all measurements and conditions were more accurately controlled than in commercial work. Test No. 7 was made under the same conditions as tests 5 and 6 using a dilution of 5 to 1 instead of 4 to 1. Test No. 8 was made on 100 lbs. of a composite sample. The ore was crushed in a gyratory crusher and ground in a 3' Abbe tube mill. The product was all minus 150 mesh. It was agitated with 150 lbs. of cyanide solution in a Pachuca tank for 48 hours. Samples were taken at 36, 42 and 48 hours to determine cyanide and lime consumption and the extraction. This is a thorough, practical, commercial test duplicating field working conditions. These tests indicate that this ore is readily amenable to cyanidation with a cyanide consumption of 1.9 lbs. at 36 hours, 2.25 lbs. for 42 hours and 2.7 lbs. for 48 hours. The extraction at 36 hours was 84.2% silver and 95% of the gold, at 42 hours it increased to 86% of the silver and 95% of the gold and at 48 hours the final extraction was 87.7% of the silver and 95% of the gold. The longer contact of the cyanide solution with the base metals present gave an increase in the cyanide consumption. The economical time of treatment seems to be 36 hours with an 84.2% extraction of the silver and 95% extraction of the gold, and a cyanide consumption of 1.9 lbs. The time of agitation will probably be cut to about 30 hours when grinding in cyanide solution. Yours very truly, (Signed) SILL AND SILL Mining & Metallurgical Engineers. -2This is Major Pickrell's record of assays of ore samples from <u>Tillie</u>
Starbuck Mine.

During his lifetime, Major Pickrell loaned this schedule to an engineer who was interested in the mine.

It was returned to us on November 24th by Mr. A. J. Johns.

November 25, 1931

RECORD OF TILLIE STARBUCK MINE

Raise No. 1 From No. 3 to No. 2.

No.	<u>Location</u>	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	8" high grade, South end at 10'	•50	134.50
2.	8" high grade, South end at 20'	.30	99.70
3.	8" high grade, South end at 30'	.20	111.00
4.	8" high grade, South end at 35'	.30	7.10
5.	8" high grade, South end at 40'	.20	31.40
6.	14" high grade, North end at 45'	.25	39.25
7.	10" high grade, South end at 45'	1.10	7.10
8.	Grab sample fines from Raise #1	.20	14.6
9.	Oxide from hanging wall 45'	None	None
10.	4" high grade at 53' Raise #1	2.00	137.20
11.	16" high grade at 53' Raise #1	trs.	1.60
12.0	Grab sample fines, Raise #2	.30	6.30
13.	18" high grade, South end 58'	2.60	18.80
14.	Few feet. Arnors Drift	.20	15.20
15.	6" high grade stread 62'	.10	
16.	14" ore Raise #1. 70'	•16	2.20

Drift from Raise No. 1.

1.	Left	.24	28.16
2.	Right	1.10	2.06
3.	Oxide	•30	7.10
4.	Left	.20	4.6
5.	Right	.10	5.9

Winze

No.	<u>Location</u>	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	8' depth	.30	13.5
2.	15' depth	.10	4.5
3.	20' depth 2	.20	5.0
4.	25' depth	.20	10.80
5.	30' North	.22	1.80
6.	28' South Cross cut Cu.trs.	.20	9.80
	Gardner Raise No. 2		
1.	Raise at 5'	.10	3.3
2.	Raise at 10°	.20	3.4
3.	Raise at 25	.10	3.9
4.	Raise at 30'	.20	7.4
5.	Riase at 35'	.20	5.2
6.	Raise at 40°	.15	4.05
7.	Raise at 45'	.10	5.7
8.	Raise at 50'	.15	3.95
9.	Raise at 55'	.20	5.2
10.	Raise at 60°	.15	7.10
11.	Raise at 65'	.40	10.8
12.	Raise at 70' Cross Cut Roof	.20	3.2
13.	Raise at 75°	.35	7.25
14.	80'	trs.	2.00
15.	85 '	.20	2.5
16.	901	.20	3.00
17.	951	.25	7.95
18.	Raise at 100'	.20	6.80
19.	Raise at 105'	.10	3.50
20	Raise at 110'	.10	6.10
21.	Raise at 115'	.10	5.50

Raise No. 3.
Middle to Upper Tunnel.

No.	Location	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
A.	Raise at 15'	.10	.90
2.	Raise at 20'	•30	1.70
3.	Raise at 25'	trs.	1.00
4.	Raise at 30'	.10	1.40
5.	35'	trs.	1.40
6.	40'	.20	2.00
7.	55¹	.15	5.45
8.	60 •	•20	5.80
9.	65 *	.10	2.30
10.	65' Cross Cut	.15	3.85
11.	701	.120	4.80
12.	751	.10	2.50
13.	80*	trs.	2.60
14.	851	.10	2.90
15.	90.	trs.	1.60
16.	105' North	•20	4.60
17.	105' South	•30	14.50
18.	115'	.60	2.00
19.	120*	.20	3.40
20.	125'	•30	5.30
21.	130'	.25	5.75
22.	135'	•30	9.70
23.	1401	.20	5.20
24.	145'	.10	3.90

Raise No. 4.

No.	Locati	<u>on</u>			Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	Raise at 10'				.10	7.70
2.	15'				•05	4.15
3.	20'				.10	4.30
4.	25 '				.10	4.10
5.	25'	(for	Cu-None	e)	.10	3.90
6.	25 '	Drift	No. 1	R.	.20	9.20
7.	25 *	n	No. 1	L.	.15	1.85
8.	251	South	Drift	10'	trs.	.90
9.	25*	**		15'	trs.	1.60
10.	25'	n	n n	20 1	.15	2.45
11.	251	n	11	25'	trs.	2.00
12.	30'				.05	3.55
13.	35'	Left			.05	3.35
14.	351	Right			.10	1.90
15.	401				.20	6.40
16.	45'	East			.10	1.90
17.	451	West			trs.	1.40
18.	501				.05	2.55
19.	551				.05	1.85
20.	60*				trs.	1.40
21.	65 *				.10	2,90
22.	70'				.12	3.58
23.	801				.10	2.50
24.	851				.08	2.02
25.	901				trs.	1.30
26	951				.02	2.30
27	100*				.15	3.10
28	105'				.10	3.00
29	110'				.12	3.00
30	115'				.10	3.10

Raise No. 5.
Tunnel No. 3 to 2.

No.	Location	Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.
1.	Raise at 5'	trs.	1.40
2.	101	•05	2.35
3.	15'	.10	4.50
4.	25'	.10	3.20
5.	30'	trs.	2.30
6.	351	.18	2.10
7.	401	.10	2.20
8.	451	.10	1.90
9.	50 '	.10	5.30
10.	551	•15	5.05
11.	601	trs.	2.40
12.	651	.10	3.90
	Raise No	<u>. 6.</u>	
1.	Raise at 5'	.18	15.00
2.	10'	.16	12.60
3.	15'	.10	6.10
4.	201	.22	11.40
5.	251	.10	4.50
6.	301	.10	4.70
7.	351	.10	10.30
8.	401	.15	10.25
9.	45'	.08	8.10
10.	501	.15	1.75
11.	551	.10	3.30
12.	601	.22	10.40
13.	65'	•03	12.80
14.	701	.18	7.80
15.	80•	.10	11.10
16.	85 *	.16	16.66

No.	<u>Location</u>						Gold Oz.	Silver Oz.	
17.	Raise at 90'						.10	25.90	
18.	95'					.18	4.00		
19.		100'						.20	5.80
20.	105'						.10	6.90	
21.	110'					.20	4.00		
22.	115 '					.10	19.10		
23.	120'					.10	9.90		
24.	125'					.10	12.00		
*				Tillie :			r Drift ck Tunnel	No. 3.	
1.	Breas	t of	main	tunnel	at	10	851	•30	1.20
2.	11	**	11	"	Dr.	at	1090'	.20	2.00
3.	"	11	**		Dl.	- 11	1090'	.20	1.60
4.	"	**	**	"		11	1100'	trs.	1.20
5.	•	. "	•	"		. 11	1135'	.10	9.50
6.	•	"	11			11	1140'	.25	6.30
7.		"	11			11	1145'	. 25	1.80
8.		**				11	1160'	.10	4.90
9.	n	"	11			**	1165'	.15	3.85
10.	"	***	"			**	1170'	.15	1.85
11.		17	11	n		11	1175'	None	None
12.			Ħ	Footwal	1		1175'	trs.	7.40
13.	11	**	11	Tunnel	at		1180'	.10	1.50
14.	"	n	**	11	"		1185'	.10	9.90
15.		11	11		11		1195'	.15	3.65
16.	17	"	"		17		1190'	.20	16.80
AUTO- CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY O									

Re: Tillie Starbuck Mine

March 30, 1931

(Extract from letter to A. B. Peach, Vulture Mining Company from G. M. Colvocoresses)

I have your letter of March 26th and thank you very much indeed for the information contained. I am distinctly interested in the TILLIE STARBUCK and would like to obtain additional information whenever you are in position to send me the data which you say is now in Prescott.

I understand that you estimated between 70,000 and 100,000 tons of ore, the average width of the vein being in excess of 6'. Your reference to the values is not quite clear since you say that these were 2/5 gold and 3/5 silver and averaged about \$7.00 a ton. when silver was 70% an ounce. On this basis the present average would only be about \$4.50 a ton which seems rather too low grade to make the property attractive unless the higher grade ore to which you refer would represent a substantial tonnage. The sulphide ore is what really interests me most since I judge that furter development at depth might be expected to prove up a considerable quantity of this material which ought to be suitable for concentration, and, if the gold values were sufficiently high, could be handled with a reasonable margin of profit. Your opinion on this particular matter would be much valued and, whenever you can let me have further data, I would like to receive same, and might arrange to visit the property sometime in the near future since I am still looking after the Storm Cloud Mine and up in that vicinity every month or two.

(Signed) G. M. Colvocoresses

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Your letter inquiring about the Tillie Starbuck mine in Yavapai county received and I have delayed answering thinking from day to day that I would be in Prescott where I could mail you what data I have on that property. Up to the time two of the lower tunnels caved near their portals I figured that there was between seventy thousand and one hundred thousand tons of ore fairly in sight. With

widths ranging from two to seventeen feet. With a safe average of six. The values being about two fifths gold and three fifths silver averaging about seven dollars a ton with silver at seventy cents an ounce, with some very attractive widths of \$10.00, gold ore on the upper level now of course the value due to the low price of silver would be much reduced. Where ever sulphid was encountered through out the workings the value was much higher than average oxidized ore and in the bottom of a fifty foot winze which was sank from tunnel number three was exposed fourteen feet of \$11.00, ore and while at the bottom of it there was still some oxide, there was also more sulphid in evidence than at another point in the mine. It was due to this fact that a fourth cross cut tunnel was started at two hundred ninety feet greater depth. This tunnel having now reached a length of twelve hundred feet with another thousand feet to go before coming under the ore bodies.

(Signed) A. B. Peach.

PRODUCTION FROM

TILLIE STARBUCK MINES

COMPANY PROPERTY BY

BRADSHAW MINES INC., DURING PERIOD OF OPERATION

<u>Date</u>	Tonnage	Gold Oz.	Gold Value	Silver Oz.	Silver Value	Total Value
June, 1936	183.	27.449	900.87	802.75	587.22	1,488.09
July, 1st Hf.	377.	55.547	1,823.05	2,545.26	1,861.86	3,684.91
July, 2nd Hf.	543.	65.976	2,165.33	1,605.18	1,174.19	3,339.52
Total	1,103	148.972	4,889.25	4,953.19	3,623,27	7,512.52

Actual gold and silver contents not furnished for months of August and September, 1936, but following figures submitted on average value basis:-

Date	Tonna ge	Value
August, 1st, half	404.28	3,572.68
2nd. half	685.38	4,914.11
September, 22 days	870.01	4,578.02
Total	1,959.67	13,064.81

Gold 32.82 oz.

Silver .7315 oz.

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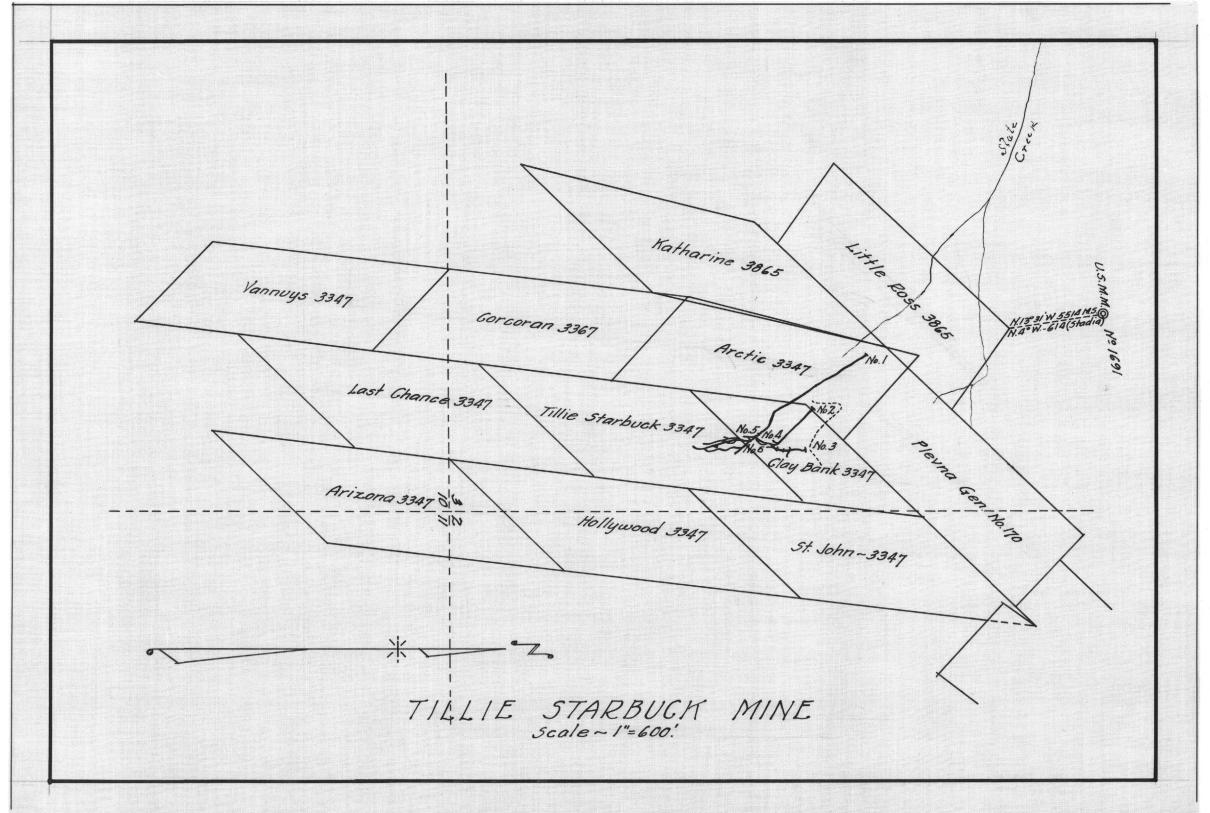
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Coved Level No.3 Coved Level No. 2 -Arctic Level No. 1-"Slate Creek Tunnel" TILLIE STARBUCK MINE Scale ~ 1" = 200'



6/2-6,30+5.90 19-3.92+1.00 Arctic Tunnel. 4-4.10+6.50 5'- 4.54 + 0.61 {7/3'-4.54+5.24 {3'-6,20+6.90 52'-5,16+6,50 + 52'-6,20+4,9p 4/2-5.16+4.25 Part of Tillie Starbuck Workings.
1923 Scale 1"= 40 Assays. 1st figure = width 2nd " = ralue of gold @ 20,00 3 d " = " " silver @ 1.00 (?)